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#### **Knightsbridge Seniors Club**

## Newsletter

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## President's Report

A BIG SHOUT OUT this month – goes to two diligent people – our Librarians. Eileen Harrison and Margaret Needham work extremely hard to keep the books in our library tidy, in alphabetical order – and updated. Every Tuesday morning you might see them in the Garden Room making sure the books, you may have borrowed, are returned to their rightful place on the shelves. New ones are added to our inventory on a regular basis, thanks to many of you donating them to the library. We have had two bookshelves donated and added to our Library. We look forward to these being stocked with new literature.

Our VOLUNTEER DIN-NER was held on March 26th – at the Mandarin. Everyone who had worked 52 hours, in some cases more, in 2023 enjoyed a lovely meal and had a wonderful time with their fellow member volunteers. OUR VOL-**UNTEER OF THE YEAR - Chris**ta Bastien (who is not new to receiving this award!) was thanked for all her hard work and presented with her gift. This lady never lets us down has almost worked 500 hours over the past year - and we are so grateful for her hard work at Knightsbridge in the Snack Bar, and at Stitch n Chatter.

The euchre and bid euchre tourna-

ments were a great success – 11 tables of participants (44 members) experienced a fun afternoon of cards – and enjoyed tasty sandwiches and treats as well.

COURT WHIST – our first one this year, is scheduled for Saturday, April 20th – again, all details are in the newsletter, and on the notice boards – for your information.

PLEASE remember that we need four people at a table – and everyone needs to attend – or the game could be spoiled for others!

Our ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM) will be held on Tuesday, May 14th, 2024. The time(s), all notices and nominations with their respective positions are now posted on the Notice Boards, for your information.

Nominations for 2024 will be for: Vice President, Secretary and 2 Directors' positions for a 2-year term for each position. The members being nominated for these positions are posted on the Notice Board(s).

Stay tuned for more updates in the Activity Schedule – including special events such as BBQs at the beginning of July and the end of September; more euchre & bid euchre tournaments – and a special afternoon to celebrate our 90-year-old and plus members, to name a few of our events.

Wanda Menge, President Knightsbridge Seniors Club



## 2024 Volunteer of the Year Christa Bastien

Christa receives a thank you gift from KSC President, Wanda Menge at the annual Volunteers Dinner on March 26.

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#### Vice-President's Report

Happy spring everyone! We have had a few members give us suggestions for activities. A few are interested in different games. There have been donations of card games to the club. We will contact these members and see if we can set up times in the garden room for people to get together. Any other ideas please put in the suggestion box or on sheet on the bulletin board.

See you at the club.

Angie Smith, Vice-President

#### Director's Reports

Hello everyone, Spring is here, and the weather is getting warmer.

Our Euchre Tournament was a great success as usual, I think. We had 11 tables, 22 teams and everyone seemed to enjoy themselves. They certainly enjoyed the food that was provided. There will be another tournament, later in the season. We will inform you of the date later.

The Snack Bar is doing very well and so is our Friday afternoon euchre. I hope to see you at the club soon. Keep well.

Nancy Van Tassel, Director

The Fallsview Casino trip went very well except for the weather coming back. But the bus driver, and the balance of the trip was fantastic!

I want to thank **Trevor Blatchford** for clearing the snow away from where the bus stops. It was very much appreciated as some of our people did not have boots on.

Marguerite Friday, Director

Now that it is officially spring, I hope we will get more pleasant weather so we can all get out and enjoy some fresh air and sunshine.

Here is some news from our ceramics club. Sandra Holovy is organizing a **ceramics sale** to take place on **Wednesday**, **April 17** in the auditorium from **11:00 to 12:00** before the bingo games. Come and have a look. There might be something on sale that will tickle your fancy. Happy Spring, everybody!

Sue Scheffer, Director

Bingo is doing great thanks to my two callers Matthew and Wes and the rest of the volunteers who help.

It was a great night out at the Mandarin Restaurant for all the volunteers, thank you Wanda.

**Brian Kent, Director** 



TO OUR KSC MEMBERS CELEBRATING IN APRIL

Elaine Burroughs
Kamelia Yacoub
Brucie Delazzer
Joan Murdoch
Irene Sinnott
Melanie Sampson
Jean Wells
John Bexfield
Ronald Hird
Matthew Slade
Connie Uddenberg
Merilyn White
Pearl Ferrao
Gloria Liwanag

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#### **Executive**

President......Wanda Menge Vice President....Angela Smith Secretary.....Sophia Baranik Treasurer.....Pat Malcolm

<u>Directors</u>
Marguerite Friday
Brian Kent
Susan Scheffer
Nancy Van Tassel

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### SATURDAY, APRIL 20TH, 2024 COURT WHIST

DOORS OPEN: 6:00 P.M.

GAME STARTS AT:
6:30 P.M. SHARP!
\$10.00 per person

Refreshments will be served at half-time!

[MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS ARE
WELCOME TO ATTEND]
KNIGHTSBRIDGE SENIORS' CENTRE –
AUDITORIUM

We have room for 10 tables of 4 (a max. of 40 people ONLY) – AND we do request that you 'show up' on that evening, PLEASE. We need four people at a table to play this game properly.

#### Excellent Volunteers' Dinner at Mandarin!

























Forty KSC volunteer members were treated to a terrific buffet dinner at the Mandarin Restaurant located on Biscayne Crescent in Brampton. The Mandarin provided an extensive buffet in a casual space offering local and Chinese dishes, as well as sushi, roast beef and appetizing desserts. Knightsbridge volunteers who accumulate 52 hours of service or more are invited to the annual event, held this year on March 26.

How would you recognize a volunteer with **490 hours** of service to our club? Well, you name her the...

#### 2024

### Volunteer of the Year **Christa Bastien**

Please acknowledge and thank Christa for all her selfless work.

You may join the team for next year's dinner, just talk with a volunteer to learn how you can help too.

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#### ANNOUNCEMENT

Please plan on attending Knightsbridge Seniors Club

# ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

on <u>Tuesday, MAY 14TH, 2024</u> at 2:00 p.m.

in the Knightsbridge Community Centre Auditorium.

PLEASE NOTE: your 2024 membership cards will be requested at the door.

Nominations for 2024 are NOW being accepted for the following positions on the Board of Directors of the Knightsbridge Seniors Club:

- Vice-President (Two-Year Term)
  - Secretary (Two-Year Term)
  - Director I (Two-Year Term)
  - Director II (Two-year Term)

#### As per By-Law 2-E-3:

Nominations accepted, & will be posted by: MARCH 25, 2024 - thirty (30) working days prior to the AGM; & shall close seven (7) days prior to the AGM – on Tuesday, MAY 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

**NOMINATION FORMS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE FRONT DESK.** 

Posted: February 20th, 2024

## TAKE EXTREME CAUTION



### Partial Solar Eclipse April 8, 2024

It is expected to be a neartotal solar eclipse between 2:04 p.m. and 4:31 p.m., with the peak happening at 3:19 p.m. Do Not Gaze!



## Chinguacousy Garden Club and Horticultural Society

## April Meeting Tuesday, April 16, 2024

Meet and greet at 7:30 pm.

The meeting begins at 8 pm.

Knightsbridge Seniors Centre,1A Knightsbridge Road, Brampton ON

Speaker: Ben Cullen

Topic: Take Your Harvest to the Next Level

### KSC's Ceramics Sale











Beautiful, Tasteful, Hand Crafted by KSC Members.

Wednesday,
April 17
in the
auditorium
from 11:00 to
12:00 before
Bingo.

#### Let's Play Ball! Word Search

Major League Baseball is the top level of professional baseball in the United States and Canada. Baseball and the MLB has been one of the major sports and forms of entertainment for many years.

Professional baseball started with the first professional team in 1869, the Cincinnati Red Stockings. In 1876 the National League was formed with eight professional teams.

Then in 1901 another baseball league, called the East, the Central, and the the American League, was formed. There were eight teams in the original American League as well.

Today, there are 30 MLB teams. They are divided up evenly between the American League and National League. The American League has 15 teams, and the National League has 15 teams. Each of the leagues is divided into three divisions West.

We've hidden these 30 MLB team names and some cities, find them all.



**ANGELS ASTROS ATHLETICS BOSTON BRAVES BREWERS CARDINALS CHICAGO CUBS** DIAMONDBACKS **DODGERS GIANTS GUARDIANS MARINERS MARLINS METS NATIONALS ORIOLES PADRES PHILLIES PIRATES RANGERS RAYS REDS** ROCKIES ROYALS **TIGERS** TORONTO **TWINS** 

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FRIDAY		<u>Ceramics</u> 9:30-11:30 a.m.	Billiards			Billiards	Euchre 1:00-3:30 p.m.	Billiards
THURSDAY	KSC Book Club 9:30 - 11:00 am Craft Room - Last Thursday of month		Billiards	SHUFFLE-BOARD - or KURLING 9:00-10:30 a.m.		Billiards	Bid Euchre 1:00-4:00 p.m.	Billiards
WEDNESDAY	KSC Board Mtg. 10:00-11:30 am [1st WED. of mth.]		Billiards	TAI CHI 9:00-10:30 a.m. (New day & time)		Billiards	BINGO PREP 11:30 am-12:30 pm BINGO GAME (NEW start time) 12:30-3:30 pm	Billiards
TUESDAY	<u>Table Tennis</u> 9:00-10:30 am		Billiards		Stitch n Chat- ter 1:00-3:00 p.m.	Billiards		Billiards
MONDAY	Stitch n Chatter 10:00 am-12:00 pm		Billiards	PAHA activities		Billiards	Line Dancing 2:00-4:00 p.m.	Billiards
LOCATION	Meeting Room	Craft Room	COB	Auditorium	Meeting Room	COB	Auditorium	COB Program
BOOKING	9:00-12 Noon		9:30–11am	10 am-1:30 pm		12-1:30pm	12:30-4:00 pm	2:30–4 pm