



GRAND Viewpoints

Message from the Administrator for April 2022

GVL Easter Event and Egg Hunt

All Grandview Lodge Residents, Families & Staff, we hope you will be able to hop on over and join our Easter Egg Hunt on **Saturday April 16th from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm**. there will be various activities and games in the Grandview Lodge Centennial Gardens. This event is open to children 10 years of age and under. In order to ensure every child receives a special gift bag, you must register each child at the GVL Front Reception Desk with Lori Beale or call 905-774-7547 ext. 2221. **All registrations must be in by Friday April 8th**. Remember to bring your camera for a picture with the Easter Bunny. The event will be held outdoors this year so please dress for the weather. Masks are required – be sure to add your best bunny nose and whiskers to your mask!

TAX TIME REMINDERS

Reminder to submit your 2021 Notice of Assessment when you receive your tax return. Pam Bonnett does assess each and every return to look for any opportunity for rate reductions if applicable.

COVID CASES INCREASING

Haldimand Norfolk Public Health Unit is reporting a spike in cases. Please continue to follow IPAC measures that remain in place for LTC homes – face masks, frequent hand hygiene, self-screening and routine rapid antigen testing will assist us in keeping our home open to visitors and avoiding outbreak situations.

Grandview Lodge is a Reduced-Scent Environment



Freshly cut flowers can really brighten up a resident's day!

Please keep in mind when bringing flowers into Grandview Lodge that we have a scent-reduced policy. There are some people that are very allergic to the fragrances given off by certain flowers. Some types of flowers that are typically considered "low fragrance" are Tulips, Irises

and Daisies. Because it is impossible to know exactly how every type of flower will react with every staff, resident and visitor, Grandview Lodge reserves the right to remove any flower that is reported to be causing any ill-effects.



Jennifer Jacob,
Administrator

Dietary

And that's a wrap on Nutrition Month 2022! We hope everyone enjoyed the cookies and learned something new about the key ingredients for a healthier tomorrow. This year, residents and staff had fun guessing a variety of bulk ingredients from mason jars. For those of you wondering about the correct answers, see below:

1. Orzo pasta
2. Hazelnuts
3. Quinoa
4. Dried blueberries (very similar looking to currants)
5. Chili pepper flakes
6. Hemp hearts

Given no one guessed dried blueberries, we counted currants as correct. But that being said, only three people guessed all six ingredients! So.... our random winner for the 2022 draw is Gayle McDougall. Congrats on guessing correctly; we hope you enjoy your prize!



In terms of dietary updates, the Easter bunny is coming which means we will be having a special lunch on Good Friday as well as Easter Sunday. Residents recently decided on crunchy perch with fries and coleslaw or a Western sandwich with salad for Good Friday. Easter lunch will also have two choices available: cream of celery soup, honey glazed ham, au gratin potatoes, green beans, and lemon meringue pie or roast turkey with cranberry sauce, mashed potatoes, baby carrots, and deluxe fruit salad. Time to indulge!

***Taryn Lynn,
Supervisor, Dietary Services
Brooklyn Seal,
Dietitian***

Happy Birthday to You!

Reg Bentley
Joe Denault
Roberta House
John MacNeil
May Passmore
Lois Patterson
Sandra Richardson
Eva Rogic
Nikola Rogic
Elizabeth Teer
Deborah Verge
Gord Wilmore



Welcome these Residents!

Gary Godden
Elizabeth Teer
Afrose Mangru
Beverly Moore
Cornelia Pyle
Gloria Rioux

Programs



for April

- 7th - Dave Burden Performs on HV/BV 2:00 p.m.
- 16th - Easter Egg Hunt 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. – outdoors weather permitting
- 20th - Jack Coulson performs on MV/CV 2:00 p.m.
- 21st - Resident Council 10:00 a.m.
- 25th - Volunteer Luncheon 12:00 – 2:00 p.m.
- 28th - Family Council 5:00 pm

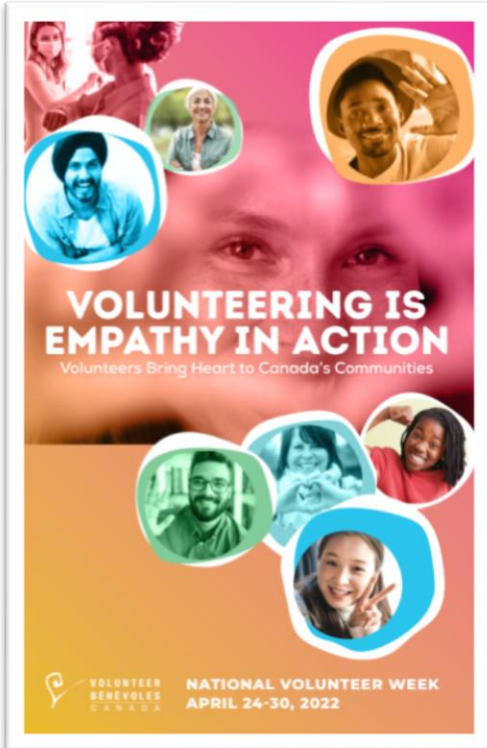
Every Friday morning at 10:00 a.m. – Shuffle Bowl with Denny!

Volunteering is Empathy in Action

April 24-30th, 2022

Let's celebrate Canada's volunteers. The empathy, compassion and generosity of volunteers creates connected communities and builds a stronger Canada.

#NVW2022 #EmpathyInAction #VolunteersBringHeart



The National Volunteer Week theme for 2022, Volunteering Is Empathy In Action, affirms the strong connection between volunteerism and empathy. This profoundly human connection is at the heart of healthier individuals and stronger communities.

Empathy is a quality that can help people relate to others and build awareness around different experiences. It connects people in ideas and actions and helps create bonds forged in common goals and aspirations.

Volunteering can help us develop empathy, to see the world through the eyes of others. It can connect people from diverse backgrounds and life experiences, expanding our views. It can build our capacity to work collectively and contribute to a vibrant, inclusive society.

From coast-to-coast, formal and informal settings, volunteers create caring, collaborative, and compassionate communities. During National Volunteer Week 2022, we celebrate the

contributions of Canada's millions of volunteers; their actions, their understanding, and their genuine concern for the world around them.

Volunteering, putting empathy into action, can build communities where people feel happier, healthier, and more welcome – creating a stronger, more connected Canada.

We are very excited this year at Grandview Lodge to be able to recognize our amazing volunteers in person! We are hosting a volunteer luncheon on April 25th at 12 p.m. to celebrate the many wonderful contributions our volunteers have made and continue to make at Grandview. We continue to have our tuck shop volunteers in providing coffee, treats and essentials. We had some new volunteers join us this past year in our recreation department and meal time assistance programs. We are really looking forward to getting our volunteer run hymn sing and church services up and running again. From April 24th – 30th please take a moment to thank one of our many volunteers for their continued support of Grandview Lodge.

We are always looking for more volunteers, if you are interested please contact Amy Moore at amoore@haldimandcounty.on.ca or 905-774-7547 ext. 2233.



Walk Every Day in May Launch Event
Sunday, May 1st 2-3pm
Lions Park Pavilion, Dunnville

Walk Every Day in May Celebration
Saturday, May 28th 10am-1pm
Lions Park, Jarvis

walkforalzheimers.ca

Contact: 1-800-565-4614 events@alzda.ca

This May, challenge yourself to walk every day to honour people living with dementia!

Walk Every Day In May Launch

Date: Sunday, May 1, 2022

Time: 2 - 3pm

Event Location: Lions Park Pavilion (640 Lock St W, Dunnville)

Join us in **Dunnville** for the launch of the IG Wealth Management Walk for Alzheimer's. We challenge people of all abilities to walk every day in May to honour people living with dementia, and those that care for them. Walk a lot or walk a little - the choice is yours - but let's do our best to walk every day to show we support people living with dementia in our community.

We will meet at Lions Park and head out for a walk along the pathway and go over the bridge to visit Muddy the Mudcat at Centennial Park. We are hopeful that weather & restrictions will allow for residents of Grandview Lodge to join us.



Amy Moore,
Supervisor, Programs & Services

Facilities

This year's Winter was not kind to GVL!! The heavy snow fall and significant freezing rain created serious issues and damage around our Facility. The heavy snow load on our steel roof combined with freezing rain resulted in significant damage to the gutter and fascia structure in multiple locations around the building.

We have temporarily secured these impacted areas and will be looking for a more permanent repair in the coming spring months. Thanks to all Staff, Residents and Families for their continued support throughout our ongoing project work and day-to-day issues that have resulted from the winter damage.

If there are any questions relating to any projects please do not hesitate to contact myself, the Facilities Supervisor, at kmowat@haldimandcounty.on.ca.

Kellen Mowat
Supervisor, Facility Operations

Nursing

Certified Teepa Snow Trainers
Maria Leitao & Kathie Poitras

Present

An interactive workshop, including **Teepa Snow** videos, to assist **family care partners** with the

Positive Approach to Care

Normal Aging versus Not Normal Aging
Hand-under-Hand Techniques

Where: St. Paul's Anglican Church
233 Lock St. W, Dunnville, ON

When: Wednesday, April 27, 2022

Time: 9:30 am to 12:30 pm

Fee: **Free**

To Register Please call: 519-428-7771

Jelte Schaafsma,
Director of Nursing

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Mission Statement:

"With comfort, compassion and care,
Grandview Lodge Community supports a
meaningful life for residents."

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Administrative Assistant Ext 2223

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Creekview Ext 2262

Hillview Ext 2247

Marshview Ext 2261

RECREATIONISTS:

Gayle McDougall, HV Ext 2302

Megan Herkimer, CV Ext 2301

Bev Little, BV Ext 2300

Nicole Leeney, MV Ext 2303

With heavy hearts we
said goodbye to:



Stephen Buck
Mary Boggio
Glen Meadows

Physicians

Dr. Kamouna Attending Physician/
Medical Director

Dr. Ezzat Attending Physician

Upon request, the Director of Nursing may attend
Physician appointments held at Grandview Lodge.
Please see the registered staff in your home area.

The following services are available at Grandview Lodge:

Khurram Khan	Physiotherapist
Bobbi-Jo Biggley	Hairdresser & Barber
Lisa Mederios, RPN	Foot Care
Dr. McDonough	Dentist
Rosann Turrene, EDH	Dental Hygienist

For more information regarding the above services
or to book transportation for an off-site medical
appointment (we have a van, fees apply), please call
Lori Beale, 905 774-7547, ext. 2221.



