

AJAX SENIORS' CLUB

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Newsletter for April 2023

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I just checked my files for reference and realized that I am now starting my seventh year as Editor. This was quite an eye opener as I didn't realize that I'd been at it that long. 60 issues later (we skipped a few Summer months for those of you doing the math) and still going strong. Thank you to the many who have given me such nice comments over the years. I have never received a negative comment which shows a how kind and well mannered our Members are to resist the urge. Shortly after starting this, a friend sent me this gag note;

6 munce ago I cutn't evun spel edditer and now I are one.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

- * April 1st April Fool's Day
- * April 7th Good Friday
- * April 9th Easter Sunday

CLUB INFO

- As part of the combining of the St. Andrew's & Village Centres to become the Ajax Seniors' Club next year, we are in the process of creating a new website. As part of that, we will need a logo. We are asking any of you who are creative to send in your suggestions for what the new Logo for the club looks like. Sketches are appreciated. The prize for the winning logo will be free membership for 2024.
- Whoever says that old folks are set in their ways doesn't know old folks. Presently, I'm sending out 500 of those new-fangled emails to our members. A little less than 400 to 2023 members and a little over 100 to last year's members who haven't renewed HINT HINT (with exception to you snowbirds).
- The Tuesday Morning Social event will start up at 9:30 on April 4. All Seniors' Club members are welcome to attend with the FunTastic Four performing for our "restart".

WEDDING DRESS FOR SALE. Worn once by mistake. Call Stephanie.

FREE PUPPIES 1/2 Cocker Spaniel, 1/2 sneaky neighbor's dog.

COWS, CALVES: NEVER BRED. Also 1 gay bull for sale.

- Last Month we detailed how the Town of Ajax issues Special Certificates to members who are deserving of such an honour. Well, we have 2 members who are eligible.
- Jim Bae and Mark Henry won gold at a recent Pickleball Tournament held in Markham. Congratulations gentlemen. Well done!!



Mark Henry Jim Bae

MESSAGE FROM YOUR PRESIDENTS

- It's time again to pass on the tidbits of information regarding your seniors' centre. We are starting to get questions again about some of the activities that were held in the past.
- The card game, Hand and Foot, which was held on Wednesday night starting at 6.30pm, is being talked about, If you are interested in this card game contact Chris Bolduc, our Activity Director. I have also been asked about volleyball in the gym. This requires the buying of equipment. However, if there is enough interest, we can look at it. Also keep in mind you may lose a day of pickleball. If there are any more activities, please let us know. We want to accommodate you the members as much as possible.
- The new blinds have been installed in the solarium which will help to keep the warm temperature down.
- I've also noticed there are more new books in the library, thanks to Ann who looks after this and keeps them neat and tidy. I know the members enjoy taking them and reading them at home.
- The parking lot is still a concern. As of today, the Town has not chosen a new company to finish the work. At the Board meeting, we spoke about this and we all agree that as soon as there is a company involved, we are prepared to close the centre for two weeks in order to have both parking lots completed in the shortest possible time. We will still have the use of the village centre for the activities. I understand this has been going on far too long but it does need to be completed if we are to get back to holding the events that everyone is waiting for - the B.B.Q. horse racing event and the Smile Theatre just to list a couple.
- As soon as I get any news at all I will pass it along in an email as well as post a notice on the boards at the centers.
- Stay tuned !! Spring is officially here so let's hope the snow is gone for another year.

- On Tuesday, March 28th we hosted our first Lunch and Learn sponsored by the Town of Ajax. We had 40 members attend. Jeremy presented “From a Maze to Amazing.” If you find doing your tax return a chore, Jeremy can help. He took us step by step through the process of filling out your tax return. He also gave us pointers of how to get additional monies as a senior. You may qualify for more than you think!
- A light entertaining presentation! We enjoyed a free substantial lunch before the presentation. Thank you to Moninder Nahar, our liaison with the town, for organizing the event. Look for our next Lunch and Learn which will take place in June.
- The Village is hosting a Mother’s Day tea on May 16th. It will be held in the afternoon. Look for details and the sign-up sheet coming soon to the bulletin board.
- Durham Games Shuffleboard Tournament will take place on April 28th. There will be no regular Shuffleboard that day.
- Also, a big thank you to Ann Hooper and her friend Nancy for cleaning up and organizing the library at the Village Centre.

Jan Herbert (905) 903-3537

INFORMATION FROM THE TOWN OF AJAX

All the details (registration links and program descriptions) for upcoming events are available under <http://ajax.ca/55plus> on the internet or contact.

Moninder Nahar-Arjun,

Town of Ajax, at 905-619-2529 ext. 7243.

AJAX LIBRARY PROGRAMS

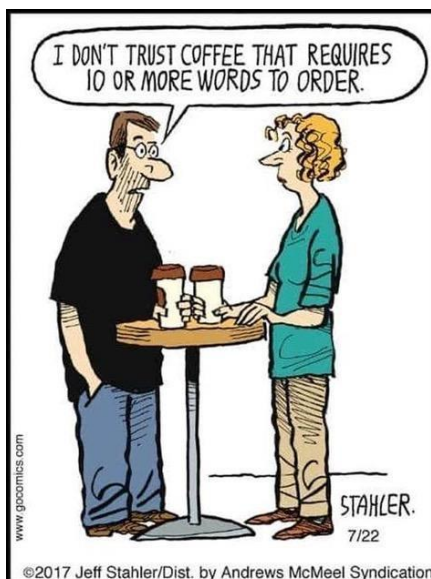
For free programs available in April at the Ajax Public Library, please visit <https://ajaxlibrary.ca/whatson> or contact me;

Catherine Andru ,

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I need everyone to wish me luck. I have a meeting at the bank later and if all goes well, I will be out of debt. I'm so excited I can barely put on my ski mask.



Birthdays for the Month of April

No.	NAME	HN	BIRTHDAY
	JACKIE BUTLER		1-Apr
90	MARLENE BROWN		4-Apr
148	ILONA HARRISON		4-Apr
96	ANNE HOOPER		5-Apr
106	VICTORIA FUOCO		6-Apr
298	GEORGETTE KFOURY		7-Apr
730	BRIGITTE ZINDEL		11-Apr
740	PAUL ALLEN		11-Apr
189	VIRGINIA THORNE		13-Apr
94	NORA STEPHENS		13-Apr
717	JAMES UPFOLD		13-Apr
208	YI JI ZHOU		13-Apr
707	REX JEBAMONEY		14-Apr
257	LYNETTE DRAGA		15-Apr
	THOMAS D'SOUZA		16-Apr
705	JANET IRWIN		17-Apr
345	YUAN JUN LIU		18-Apr
238	MADALINE UPFIELD		18-Apr
	DONNA DIZIG		18-Apr
315	JUN MA		19-Apr

No.	NAME	HN	BIRTHDAY
58	WALTER LOW		19-Apr
	MARION HONINGH	HN	20-Apr
34	ROBERTA MIRON		20-Apr
	MERRYL CHIN		20-Apr
327	GEORGE ABBODD		21-Apr
164	SANDRA DALRYMPLE		21-Apr
62	ALAN DRYDEN		21-Apr
653	MAUREEN GRAVES		21-Apr
743	JOAN ZAICHUK		25-Apr
	VALERIE BRAMSTON		25-Apr
155	ESTHER BODROGI		25-Apr
	WANG YIN LI		26-Apr
	CATHY CLARK		26-Apr
689	MARILYN STUART		27-Apr
319	MARIE HARDING		28-Apr
265	EVELYN McNABNEY		28-Apr
411	ELAINE CLARK		28-Apr
	IRWIN SCHWARTZ		29-Apr
273	RITA VAZ		29-Apr
142	GEORGE NEARING		30-Apr

This list is taken from the latest 2023 Members list and the 2022 members list (with no numbers) who have not signed up this year yet. For any errors or omissions, please contact me at d.bolduc@rogers.com.

I woke up this morning,
with a terrible
hangover....to the sound
of my neighbour,
mowing his lawn.
I was going to get up.
Then I thought "Nah,
he can mow
around me !!"

Time change. I
had to go around and
fix all my clocks.



**I've finally lost my mind.
If found,
Don't bother to return it.**



**It wasn't working properly
anyway.**