## **Events this Month**

Please see the program calendars for a list of programs & events. Calendars are posted in resident areas and available online www.rosewoodmanor.org

#### **Pub & Entertainment** main lounge Fridays @ 1:15

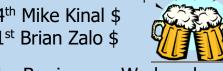
May 3<sup>rd</sup> with Bobby Bacchus \$

May 10<sup>th</sup> with Hugh

May 17<sup>th</sup> Steve Warner \$

May 24<sup>th</sup> Mike Kinal \$

May 31st Brian Zalo \$



Also, the Bar is open Wednesdays 4:00-4:45 for a before dinner drink.

Tues., May14th @ 1pm in the main Lounge

#### **Mike's Critters Animal Show**

Join this interactive show. Pet and view an exotic collection of fuzzy and not so fuzzy animals.

**Richmond Singers Ensemble** Concert Wed., May 1<sup>st</sup> at 1:15

> **Swing Out! Jazz Show** Mon., May 13th 6:00-7:00pm

## **Birthday Parties**

Family & Friends are invited.

## **Main Building** May 21th at 1:15

In the main lounge Piano with Cindy & Cupcakes

## **Special Care Unit**

May 7th @ 1:30

Music with Johann, Cupcakes

#### **Resident Memorial Service**

Tues., May 28th at 1:30 in the main lounge

#### Refreshments to follow in the main dining room.

Join us in remembering residents who passed away since January. We will also be remembering a previous board member, Jim Ratsoy.

Presented by Rosewood Manor and Richmond Funeral Home



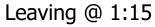


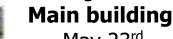
**Mother's Day** Sun., May 12th



1:15 Sing along with Susan -

## **Bus Trips (Scenic Drives) \$**





May 23<sup>rd</sup> **SCU** – May 30<sup>th</sup> cost is \$6

#### **Territory Acknowledgement:**

We acknowledge that we live and work on the traditional unceded homelands of the Coast Salish peoples and Musqueam Nation.

# **Rosewood News**

The monthly resident, family and staff newsletter



May 2024

Guest Wifi available

**RM-Guest** 

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For information relating to various gift giving opportunities, please contact Sylvia Katz at 604-271-3590 Ext 136 and or

businessmanager@rosewoodmanor.org

## **Meetings this month**

#### **Resident Council**

Tues., May 7 at 1:30

#### **Food Committee**

Tues., May 28 at 10:00

#### **Family Council**

Tues., May 14th at 7:00pm via Zoom.

> Thurs., May 9th 2:15-3:00

op up Café - In the main lounge Residents, staff and family are invited to enjoy cold brew coffee drinks.

#### **Foundation Update:**

We are fundraising to rebuild the Gazebo in the East Courtyard - cost est. \$20,000. To date, \$10,000 has been raised. Families who donate \$2,000 or more can have a plaque with the resident's/ family's name installed on the gazebo.

Studio 54 themed fundraiser \$40 per ticket Saturday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> 6pm at the Canadian Brewhouse & grill. Burger, fries drink, DJ, prizes, silent auction 50/50. Purchase tickets from the screeners.

We are looking for volunteers to join our Foundation Boardfor more information please talk to Jocelyne Wong at 604-271-3590 ext 123.

#### **Prize Donations Needed**

The foundation is working hard collecting raffle prizes and silent auction items for this year's fundraisers. Studio 54-June 22 and Family Fun Day- Sept 7. However, we are reaching out to the Rosewood Manor community for support to add a few more items. Tickets (to sporting events, concerts), gift cards (Starbucks, Amazon, MacDonalds, Tim Hortons, restaurants, etc.) Gift certificates.

Items can be off dropped off at the accounting office.

## **Staff Information/ Events**



#### **New Staff**

Since April 2024 Cherry Fan LPN Krishna Jem Manloloyo RN Sharon Sun Dietitian



## **Staff Satisfaction Survey**

Results will be shared and discussed with staff at department meetings.

Worship Gatherings and Fellowship Sat., May 4 @ 4pm WORD Christian fellowship Thurs May 9 & 23 @ 10:00 Christian fellowship (English and Chinese groups) Thurs. May 4, 18 Virtual worship "Spiritual Elder Care"

Sat May 11 @ 10:00- Caanan church choir Sat May 18 @ 10:00- Rch Bible Baptist Fri., May 24 @ 10:00- Catholic Mass (Roseroom) Sun., May 26<sup>th</sup> @ 1:15 Rch Chinese alliance Thurs eves- Hymn Sing 6:00-7:00pm



of residents who passed away last month

Angela Poon Lily Yeung Yuen Yuen Wan Yuk Ying Ngai

The next Memorial Service is Tues., May 28, 2024 at 1:30 in the main lounge

## Resident, Family/Visitor & General Information

**Family Council** Family Council is a self-led group of families and friends COUNCIL

of Rosewood Manor residents. They provide a support forum to advocate for continuous improvement in the quality of care and life of all residents by way of collaboration with senior management to explore solutions that are workable for care teams and keeps the resident at the centre. Meeting notices, agendas, and minutes are posted on the Family/ Visitor bulletin board located at the back door.

Next meeting: Tues., May 14, 2024 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Zoom. Email the volunteer executive at RM.familycouncil@gmail.com All family members and friends of Rosewood Manor residents are welcome to join the meeting. Chair: Alexander Teh, Co-chair: Janet Nitta

### **Screening and Masks**

On April 8, The Ministry of Health declared an end to the respiratory illness season and the additional infection prevention and control measures that were implemented last October. At the same time, the Ministry of Health launched the spring Covid-19 vaccine boosters. It was important to wait 10-14 days until the newly administered Covid-19 vaccines had reached their effectiveness level before removing masks, thus mask wearing was maintained until April 22.

**Person Centre Care** Initiatives **DementiAbility**- uses details about our resident's past and present and observations of their current behaviours to adapt the environment and our approach to improve their quality of life.

**GPA:- G**entle **P**ersuasive **A**pproach is an education program that provides staff with the knowledge, skills and confidence to support persons with dementia and responsive behaviours, including escalated behaviours that may require gentle and respectful physical redirection.

#### Research projects with UBC IDEA lab:

Rosewood Manor is part of 2 research projects that use dementia friendly technology to lessen the negative behaviours associated with dementia.

- 1. Zinnia TV- dementia friendly programming used on TV, IPad and in an immersive reality setting. To provide an appropriate and engaging environment for residents with dementia.
- 2. Silent Disco Headphones- explore whether music delivered by silent disco headphones can support mental health and well-being among people with dementia. The project will start in June. Stay tuned for more information.

#### Wish List

Used Ipads- some residents would appreciate an Ipad to watch movies or search the Web.

Magazines - with colourful pictures - to be used for sensory and craft programs. Please let the Recreation staff know.

#### **Building Updates**

- New Staff room dining chairs have arrived Staffroom reno is now complete. New sofas, chairs, new dimmable lighting and paint - all complete
- New Main Dining room table tops installed.
- Spring planting of new flowers and plants is complete we can always use help to water in the drier months. Watering jugs are in the courtyards as well filling hoses.
- 5 new ceiling lifts installed.
- Wall protection and paint by the time clock area completed.
- New luxury vinyl plank flooring in the Roseroom.

#### In the works:

- New water fountain/ bottle filler filtered water dispenser - near the main staff room
- Tiered and raised planter garden bed at SCU courtyard
- Please note \*2nd floor bath Shower area will be shut down for approximately 10 days sometime in May to repair water damage. Walls will be updated to Stainless Steel.
- Telus is currently working on High-speed Fibre optic upgrade for resident room phones. Expected completion in early May. As always residents are responsible for the costs of their own cable and telephone and can choose from Rogers or Telus. Rooms are pre-wired for both options.
- New Cedar Pergola in the East courtyard. Repurposed gazebo is going to the South West Courtyard.

Rosewood welcomes donations to supplement funding for these projects. Please contact Jocelyne at 604-271-3590 ext 123.

Do you have an idea or a suggestion? Put it in the suggestion box located at front reception.