

### LOST & FOUND CART

Will be in the Gathering Place on the first floor on....

**May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

**1PM – 3PM**



## Rec – News

We said goodbye to our 2 Confederation College students, Riya and Bryndis. They were with us for a very quick couple of months. They've helped us with so many programs during this time, and I know, made some great connections while here. We will miss having you here. Also, Navroop has decided to step down to a casual position but on a positive note we do have a new Part Time Recreation Aide who will be filling his place. Vedenshi Patel, who was a student last semester. We are very happy to have her join our team.



### WORD LIST

APRIL  
BASEBALL  
BIRDS  
BLOSSOMS  
BUMBLEBEE  
BUTTERFLIES  
CHICK  
CLEANING  
CLOVER  
CROCUS  
DAFFODIL  
DAYLIGHT  
EQUINOX  
FLOWERS  
FORSYTHIA  
GARDEN  
JACKET  
LADYBUG  
MARCH  
MAY  
PICNIC  
PUDDLES  
RAINBOW  
ROBIN  
SEEDS  
SHOWERS  
SPRING  
UMBRELLA

## SPRING WORD SEARCH

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D	R	S	E	I	K	N	B	I	L	U	R	M	X
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## HOMEgrown

Southbridge Pinewood

Our Vision: Bridging lives together with meaning and purpose.

Our Mission: To provide quality care and services through innovation and excellence.

Homegrown newsletter was designed to inform residents, family, friends, and staff of home news, updates and fun facts. To submit information or ideas please contact Cliff Shawanamash (Recreation manager) at 577-1127 Ext. 228 or email at [cliff.shawanamash@southbridgecare.com](mailto:cliff.shawanamash@southbridgecare.com)

## EMPLOYEE In the Spotlight

This month of May we honor **Katie Stevens** as our **Employee in the Spotlight**. Katie is a PSW on Sandpiper and has always gone way above and beyond for all the residents and their families on Sandpiper. Her heart is most definitely in the right place. Thanks for all you do Katie.



## HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

This month on the 11<sup>th</sup> we celebrate all the mothers out there. Without them we wouldn't be here and know the love only a mother can give. This year we have a Mother's Day Tea w/ Jim & I on the 9<sup>th</sup> as well as a special gift and treat prepared by Rachal Caione, from the Recreation Department. Thanks to all the mom's out there, residents, staff and family members.

## May's Entertainment

Dance w/ Vance – May 8<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Hymns w/ Richard – May 9<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Jim & I (Mother's Day) – May 9<sup>th</sup>  
Accordion w/ Elsie – May 13<sup>th</sup>  
Elks Klow Band – May 14<sup>th</sup>  
Dusty Roads – May 15<sup>th</sup>  
Ted Hamill – May 20<sup>th</sup>  
Ken Carrol – May 21<sup>st</sup>  
Piano w/ Michelle – May 21<sup>st</sup>  
Road Worn Chaps – May 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Jamie Gerow – May 28<sup>th</sup>  
Bill Gillans – May 29<sup>th</sup>  
Butch's Country Classic – May 30<sup>th</sup>  
Men's Club (Men Only) – May 31<sup>st</sup>  
Zhuravli Ukrainian Folk Ensemble – May 31<sup>st</sup>



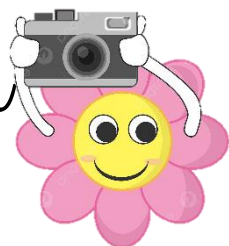
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# Photo Corner



## RESIDENTS BILL OF RIGHTS



3. Every Resident has the right to have their participation in decision-making respected.
4. Every resident has the right to freedom from abuse.

Southbridge Pinewood acknowledges that Thunder Bay is built on the traditional territory of the Anishinabek, which includes the Ojibwa of Fort William First Nation, signatory to the Robinson-Superior Treaty of 1850. We also acknowledge the contributions of the Métis peoples.

## Resident Council Fundraiser

We did another Burger Sale since the last one went over so well that not everyone got to enjoy one of Thomas's amazing burgers (me being one of them), with all your help we raised \$217. The winner of the 50/50 Draw as well as the Jelly Bean Guess 50/50 winners will be announced in next month's Newsletter as the draws are done after the newsletter gets sent to print, but watch out for the posters that will be posted. Next month we have Nurses Week from May 12<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> and the management will be doing something special every day during that week, therefore there is no Fundraiser planned other than the monthly 50/50 draw.



## RETA'S COUNTRY STORE

The Tuck Cart will be open on the first floor across from the elevators.

### Tuesdays

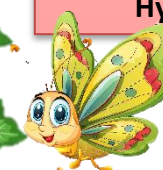
**1:00PM – 3:00PM**

**\*\*Please let us know if you would like to see something on the tuck cart.**



## May's Birthdays

Victor Gursky	May 2 <sup>nd</sup>
Claris Ledger	May 9 <sup>th</sup>
Joyce Cook	May 12 <sup>th</sup>
Antonietta Demasi	May 13 <sup>th</sup>
Erica McEachern	May 14 <sup>th</sup>
Myrna Grace	May 20 <sup>th</sup>
Vieno Heitto	May 22 <sup>nd</sup>
Brenda Flett	May 22 <sup>nd</sup>
Joyce Jefferson	May 27 <sup>th</sup>
Aldo Mascarin	May 30 <sup>th</sup>



## Volunteer/Student News

We are still looking for volunteers to help us with outings, programs and gardening. If you're a family member or a friend of a resident and are willing to volunteer, please contact Jenn Mayo our Volunteer Coordinator at ext. 228 or email at [jmayo@southbridgecare.com](mailto:jmayo@southbridgecare.com)

## Spiritual Services



**Roman Catholic Service**  
(Every Tuesday)

**Salvation Army Service**  
(Second Sunday of the month)

**Lutheran Church Service**  
(Last Thursday of the Month)

**Christian Reform Church Service**  
(Last Sunday of the month)

**Bible Study with Rianna**  
(May 6<sup>th</sup>)

**Spiritual Songs w/ Sherri**  
(May 4<sup>th</sup>)

Every Sunday morning, Sunday TV Mass and Hymn Sing is put on the RHA's TVs.

## In Loving Memory

"As you were you will always be, treasured forever in our memory."



John Macko  
1943-2025



## Resident Council & Food Council

The next Resident Council & Food Council Meeting will be on May 13<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 in the Activity Room.

We still are looking for candidates for President and Vice President. A vote will not take place until there are at least 2 candidates to choose from, so throw your name into the hat if you want to make a difference at Pinewood.



**Mothers are like glue. Even when you can't see them, they're still holding the family together. ~ Susan Gale**