

THE PAPERCLIP

APRIL 2024



APRIL DATES TO REMEMBER:

- EASTER MONDAY – Monday, April 1, 2024
- APRIL FOOLS DAY – Monday, April 1, 2024
- EARTH DAY – Monday, April 22, 2024
- GENERAL MEETING – Saturday, April 27, 2024
- 2024 INCOME TAX FILING DEADLINE - Tuesday, April 30, 2024

REMINDERS:

- Your first lanyard is assigned to you free of charge. If you lose yours or want another one, there will be a charge of \$5.00 each.
- When filling containers for Cann Am (bags and boxes), please remember to keep a 20 pound limit on each item. This greatly helps the volunteers who move these items from location to location. There is a scale by the door at the back of the building in case you want to check the weight of anything.
- There is now a **NEW PROCEDURE** set in place for volunteers paying for their items purchased. In the past, some people just made a list of items purchased and took

the list to the Cashiers. Our **NEW PROCEDURE** is to please take all your items to the Cashier to be rung in. This makes it much easier to distinguish taxable items from non taxable and a correct receipt can be given.

- **DONATIONS FOUND** – It has been brought to the Management’s attention that volunteers have been finding cash in donations received. These donations are to be brought to a manager and entered into the till under donation. Any monies found in any donations received are donations to the Economy Shop and need to be rung into the till as such. Thank you.

MANAGERS NEEDED

We are looking for an additional 2 or 3 volunteers to join the Management Team at the Economy Shop. This will help greatly with covering the working hours during the week. If you are interested, please contact the Managers - Rhondda Schreurs, Willie Perry, Betty Degroot or Cathy Greiner

GET WELL CARDS

Bonnie Stephen sends out cards and well wishes from the Auxiliary to members who are ill. If you know of an Auxiliary member with medical issues that you think would enjoy a get well wish, please let Bonnie know.

george44@shaw.ca or (604) 485-6466

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Auxiliary Customer Appreciation Day is coming up in early May. We are looking for volunteers to arrange and set up this special fun day for our Customers. If you are interested, please contact one of the managers – Rhondda Schreurs, Willie Perry, Betty Degroot and Cathy Greiner.

VOLUNTEER

WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS

*Chris Lockstead
Kelly Christian
Nishadi Wijesooriya
Sheryl Wagner
Anne Blakeney*

We look forward to meeting and working with you

BOARD MEMBER OPENINGS

Some positions are opening for Board Members this year at the AGM.
The positions opening up are:

President
Vice President
Secretary
Treasurer
Assistant Treasurer
2 Directors At Large

If you are interested in stepping up to volunteer for one of these positions, please contact Rhondda Schreurs at the Economy Shop

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR LUCKY WINNER OF THE EMPLOYEE DRAW!

MARCH - Ursula Demuth

Don't forget to enter your name in the box on the table in the kitchen area. Enter a ticket every day you work!



SAVE THE DATE

**SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING WILL BE HELD ON SATURDAY, APRIL 27TH AT
10 AM. FORMAL INFORMATION TO FOLLOW**

MEMBERSHIP

We have started a new Campaign to bring in badly needed volunteers to work at the Auxiliary. For any member who brings in a recruit, they will receive a \$20 gift certificate to the Economy Shop once your recruit starts to work in their chosen venue. So start thinking about your friends and family who you feel would be a good fit and would enjoy contributing to the community as much as we do.

RECORDING VOLUNTEER HOURS

Effective April 1, we will be going back to our previous way of recording hours – everyone on one sheet.

NEW VOLUNTEERS

We are excited to have some new volunteers who have specific challenges. Please be patient with them and help them in any way you can. They are so excited to be with us and be able to help us raise money for the Community. Please be patient and kind. We are all in this together.

MEMBERSHIP DUES

Membership Fees are due by June 20th for the July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025 year. Please put your payment in an envelope with your name and "Membership Fees" and place it in the safe in the kitchen of the Economy Shop. A receipt will be made up for you. Thank you.

**JUST A REMINDER - PLEASE BE RESPECTFUL AND KIND – WE ARE ALL
IN THIS TOGETHER**

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO