



ST. LAWRENCE LODGE

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Resident and Family
Newsletter

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Ministry of Health and Long Term Care Launches Integrated Assessment Record Project April 1st.

The Ministry of Health and Long Term Care is launching the Long Term Care Homes phase of the Integrated Assessment Record (IAR) project effective April 1, 2014. The implementation of IAR in Long Term Care Homes will enable the sharing of assessment information across community care health service providers to assist in the provision of health care.

Using IAR, clinicians within the "Circle of Care" will be able to use specific patient information in an electronic, secure, and timely manner. By having the most up-to-date information, they can better serve the patient's care needs and requirements.

Basically, what this means for Long Term Care Home residents is that assessment information can only be provided to authorized persons involved in your circle of care to provide you with support and services. Providers caring for you must keep your information confidential—at all times. Withholding consent in the Independent Assessment Record means that all of your assessments will not be viewable, even by those who are providing you with service,

When it comes to assessment information, you can choose to:

- Request to see your own assessment at any time;
- Ask for corrections or updates
- Tell us if you do not want the Home to share your assessment or basic identifying information.

To learn how your assessment information is being used and shared, you have the right to contact the Home's Privacy Officer, Tom Harrington, at 613-345-0255 ext 4106.

Social Work Services Overview

St. Lawrence Lodge provides social work services as mandated by the Long Term Care Homes Act. Our Social Worker, Cherill Johnson, has prepared a brief summary of the Social Worker role for information to our residents and their family members. Attached to this newsletter you will find a copy of Cherill's social work services outline. Please take a few moments to review this information. For further information or should you have any questions, please feel free to contact Cherill at 345-0255 ext 4139.

St. Lawrence Lodge, MapleView Lodge, and Sherwood Park Manor Collaborate on Physio Services.

I am pleased to announce that the three local Long Term Care Homes have recently collaborated on a joint RFP for Physiotherapy services. The joint Services Agreement has been issued to Bayshore Health Care, which is the current provider for St. Lawrence Lodge and Sherwood Park Manor. We are looking forward to continuing to serve our residents in partnership with Bayshore.

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Special Events – April 2014

Tues., Apr. 1st	Beth – Flute	Elm – 11:00 a.m.
Wed., Apr. 2nd	Birthday Musical – The Brown’s	Town Square – 1:45 p.m.
Fri., Apr. 4th	Music with Jacquie	Maple – 10:30 a.m.
Fri. Apr 4th	3rd Floor Birthday Club	Cedar—2:00 pm
Mon., Apr. 7th	Sons & Daughters Support Group	Chapel – 6:30 p.m.
Tues., Apr. 8th	Spousal Support & Group	Chapel – 10:30 a.m.
Tues., April 8th	1st Floor & Spruce Birthday Club	Elm – 2:00 p.m.
Tues., Apr. 8th	The Troubadours	Town Square – 6:45 p.m.
Wed., Apr. 9th	Music with Vangie	Spruce – 10:30 a.m.
Wed., Apr. 9th	Parabus Shopping – Walmart	Front Door – 1:00 p.m.
Wed., Apr. 9th	Birch & Oak Birthday Club	Birch – 2:00 p.m.
Fri., Apr. 11th	Music with Jacquie	Pine – 10:30 a.m.
Fri., Apr. 11th	Euchre	Birch Dining Room – 2:00 p.m.
Sat., Apr. 12th	Tom Wilson Trio	Town Square – 1:45 p.m.
Mon., Apr. 14th	Easter Tea	Town Square – 1:45 p.m.
Tues., Apr. 15th	Beth – Flute	Cedar – 11:00 a.m.
Tues., Apr. 15th	Bob & Bonnie	Town Square – 6:45 p.m.
Wed., Apr. 16th	Music with Vangie	Pine – 10:30 a.m.
Wed., Apr. 16th	Bernie & Verna	Maple – 10:30 a.m.
Wed., Apr. 16th	Brockville Museum	Chapel – 1:45 p.m.
Sat., Apr. 19th	Eileen	Town Square – 1:45 p.m.
Tues., Apr. 22nd	Beth – Flute	Birch – 11:00 a.m.
Tues., Apr. 22nd	The New Hope Choir	Town Square – 6:45 p.m.
Wed., Apr. 23rd	Music with Vangie	Cedar – 10:30 a.m.
Fri., Apr. 25th	Music with Jacquie	Spruce – 10:30 a.m.
Sat., Apr. 26th	Pub – Matt Hayes	Town Square – 1:45 p.m.
Tues., Apr. 29th	Beth – Flute	Pine – 11:00 a.m.
Tues., Apr. 29th	Tom Wilson	Town Square – 6:45 p.m.
Wed., Apr. 30th	Music with Vangie	Birch – 10:30 a.m.



I hope you enjoyed reading our newsletter. Have a great month!

Yours truly,

Tom Harrington

Administrator