

St. Andrew's Residence February 2012 Newsletter

Christmas is done and our decorations have been stored away for another year! Well we haven't had much of a winter yet! The problem with this kind of winter is the "bugs" are not being killed off, resulting in more flu.

Cupid will be making an appearance soon and love is in the air! We will be crowning a new King & Queen of Hearts. Even being a leap year, February is still the shortest month of the year, however our calendar is packed. So grab your pen and circle all of the exciting and new events to attend this month. Here are some highlights:

Wednesday, February 1st – Monday, February 13th Voting will take place for this year's King & Queen of Hearts. Voting will be set up in the front hall. All residents and staff are eligible to vote.

Wednesday, February 1st at 1:00pm – In honour of "Black History" month, we will be showing the movie "The Help" this afternoon.

Sunday, February 5th at 10:00am - Rev. Gray has graciously volunteered to lead a worship service every Sunday morning beginning today. The service will take place in the Clements Hall.

Tuesday, February 7th at 2:00pm – Back by popular request and with Sue Marshall to lead us, we have our own version of the Superbowl Party with trivia and lots of wonderful treats!

Monday, February 13th at 2:00pm – Resident Council will meet today to address any concerns you may have. The Youth Group from St. Andrews UC will be with us again tonight at **6:30pm** for devotions and bingo.

Tuesday, February 14th at 2:00pm - This afternoon Rob Kirkham (new to us) joins us to sing songs about love for our Valentine's Party. We are also having a contest to see who can wear the most RED & PINK. Prizes will be awarded during your 12 o'clock meal!! Thank you King **Sandy Elliot** and Queen **Clara Keenan** for a wonderful year! They will be passing their crowns on to the new King and Queen this afternoon.

Friday, February 17th at 1:30pm - Grab your list. We are heading to Walmart this afternoon for some retail therapy.

Monday, February 20th at 11:30am Today we will be going to the Food Court for lunch. Please sign up in the front hall so we can arrange drivers.

Tuesday, February 21st at 2:00pm - Cameron Denomme is going to help us celebrate all of February's birthdays, so come on down and join in the fun and have some cake and ice cream.

Friday, February 23rd - Today is Silly Sock Day. Check out your sock drawer and find the silliest socks you have, or miss match a pair. Prizes will be given for "silliest" socks!!

Monday, February 27th at 2:30pm - Lena Robertson is back again this month with another thought-provoking afternoon of Stories and more. Lena would love to have you join her, so don't miss out!

A Special Note about the Resident Liaison Committee - Just a friendly reminder to all residents that this committee is currently made up of 3 residents. These individuals meet with management on a regular basis to provide input and voice comments, concerns and suggestions on behalf of all residents. If you have an issue you would like to bring forward, please seek out these residents at any time. They are more than happy to help!

Age does not protect you from love.

But love, to some extent, protects you from age.

- Anais Nin