



St. Lawrence Lodge
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Resident and Family Newsletter

LONG TERM CARE SINCE 1970

September 2015

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SMART-CARE will be at St. Lawrence Lodge on

Wednesday September 23rd, 2015.



10:00 am to 3:00 pm

SMART-CARE provides Clothing for Everyone - Regular or Open Back; Socks; Slippers; Pajamas; Undershirts; etc.

Our Vision

St. Lawrence Lodge will be a leader in providing progressive long term care.

Our Values

*Respect
Quality Service
Person-Centered Care
Compassion*

Our Mission

St. Lawrence Lodge provides quality, person-centered, long term care in partnership with families and care givers and in collaboration with community resources.

Our Philosophy

We believe the atmosphere of our Home lies with those who reside and work with us. The Home celebrates resident life as it is being lived today in an environment that enables an optimal level of independence, choice, and individuality.

St. Lawrence Lodge to Test It's Emergency Preparedness October 21st

On Wednesday October 21st, St. Lawrence Lodge will be undertaking a simulated fire drill to test it's readiness for a real emergency.

The drill will take place on 1st floor at approximately 12 pm. Members of the Elizabethtown-Kitley Fire Department and the Brockville Fire Department will be on-site to observe the drill and offer their expertise on any improvements.

No residents will be directly involved in the drill. Instead, they will be attending a special activity in the Fireside Lounge for the duration of the exercise. However, in order to make the drill as realistic as possible, St. Lawrence College students have been asked to volunteer to act as our residents which the Home's staff will be responsible for moving away from the fire area.

These drills are important exercises to undertake so that the Home is ready to respond immediately to various emergency situations that could face the Home at any time.

We would ask that visitors please refrain from attending the building during this time, if possible. Thank you for your cooperation.

Calendar of Events - September 2015

Tues., Sept. 1 st	B.J. Hughes at the Piano	Town Square – 10:00 a.m.
Tues., Sept. 1 st	Beth – Flute	Maple – 11:00 a.m.
Wed., Sept. 2 nd	Birthday Musical – Harmonica Sing Alongs	Town Square – 1:45 p.m.
Fri., Sept. 4 th	Music with Jacquie	Spruce – 3:30 p.m.
Tues., Sept. 8 th	Beth – Flute	Pine – 11:00 a.m.
Tues., Sept. 8 th	Art Therapy on 1 st Floor	Elm – 2:00 p.m.
Tues., Sept. 8 th	The Troubadours	Town Square – 6:45 p.m.
Wed., Sept. 9 th	Music with Vangie	Spruce – 10:30 a.m.
Thurs., Sept. 10 th	Parabus Shopping – WalMart	Front Door – 1:00 p.m.
Thurs., Sept. 10 th	Vena Rosa Trio	Town Square – 1:45 p.m.
Sat., Sept. 12 th	The Brown's	Town Square – 1:45 p.m.
Tues., Sept. 15 th	Beth – Flute	Spruce – 11:00 a.m.
Tues., Sept. 15 th	Art Therapy on 2 nd Floor	Spruce – 2:00 p.m.
Tues., Sept. 15 th	Harmonica Sing Alongs	Town Square – 6:45 p.m.
Wed., Sept. 16 th	Music with Vangie	Birch – 10:30 a.m.
Wed., Sept. 16 th	Music with Wayne	Cedar - 10:30 a.m.
Wed., Sept. 16 th	Brockville Museum	Chapel – 1:45 p.m.
Thurs., Sept. 17 th	Winnona	Town Square – 1:45 p.m.
Sat., Sept. 19 th	Tom Wilson Trio	Town Square – 1:45 p.m.
Tues., Sept. 22 nd	Beth – Flute	Elm – 11:00 a.m.
Tues., Sept. 22 nd	Art Therapy on 3 rd Floor	Cedar – 2:00 p.m.
Tues., Sept. 22 nd	Eileen	Town Square – 6:45 p.m.
Wed., Sept. 23 rd	Music with Vangie	Spruce – 10:30 a.m.
Wed., Sept. 23 rd	Smart Care Clothing	Town Square – 10 – 3:00 p.m.
Fri., Sept. 25 th	Music with Jacquie	Elm – 3:30 p.m.
Tues., Sept. 29 th	Art Therapy on 2 nd Floor	Birch 2:00 p.m.
Tues., Sept. 29 th	1 st Floor Church Tea	Pine – 2:00 p.m.
Tues., Sept. 29 th	Sweet Memories	Town Square – 6:45 p.m.
Wed., Sept. 30 th	Music with Vangie	Birch – 10:30 a.m.
Wed., Sept. 30 th	Music with Wayne	Pine – 10:30 a.m.

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Wed., Sept. 2 nd	Music with Vangie	10:30 a.m.
Sat., Sept. 5 th	Kathy & Friends	1:45 p.m.
Wed., Sept. 9 th	Music with Joyce	10:30 a.m.
Fri., Sept. 11 th	Eileen	1:45 p.m.
Mon., Sept. 14 th	Music with Joyce	10:30 a.m.
Fri., Sept. 18 th	Music with Jacquie	3:30 p.m.
Mon., Sept. 21 st	Music with Joyce	10:30 a.m.
Fri., Sept. 25 th	Hudson Majaury	1:45 p.m.
Mon., Sept. 28 th	Music with Joyce	10:30 a.m.
Tues., Sept. 29 th	Beth – Flute	11:00 a.m.

Ministry of Health and Long Term Care Integrated Assessment Record (IAR) Project

The Ministry of Health and Long Term Care launched 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
 1. 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.

St. Lawrence Lodge Foundation

Every gift to the St. Lawrence Lodge Foundation is important. Resident care needs are continually changing and our Home can meet those needs through not only our many volunteers and friends, but also, through financial donations generously provided by friends of St. Lawrence Lodge.

Please consider supporting the residents of St. Lawrence Lodge in your charitable giving this year.

Your gift will make a difference for our residents.

All donations will be acknowledged and are eligible for a charitable tax receipt.

From our Home to yours, thank you for your consideration!

Have a great month!



Tom Harrington
Administrator