

YOUR WEEKLY NEWS PUBLICATION OF WINDSOR REGIONAL HOSPITAL

- 2014 DEDICATED YEARS OF SERVICE AWARDS

WINDSOR REGIONAL HOSPITAL FRONTLINE TRIBUNE

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Our mission is to assist Windsor Regional Hospital in achieving its vision and goals by providing effective communications counsel to Hospital leaders and key stakeholders and by implementing strategic employee, media and public communications and programs.



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- CONGRATS TO OUR PRESIDENT/CEO - SHADOW YOUR FELLOW EMPLOYEE - ONE MAKE A DIFFERENCE



- UPCOMING EVENT POSTERS - COMMUNITY EVENTS

Dedicated Years of Service Awards

The annual Dedicated Years of Service Awards Banquet was held on November 25, honoring and recognizing a total of 836 individuals for their years of committed service to WRH.

The beautifully decorated room saw approximately 400 available to attend and be recognized by name within categories of 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55 and 60 years of service. That equates to 12,510 total years of service. Retirees were recognized as well. Congratulations to all of the individuals achieving their personal milestones this year!

The 2014 Legend Awards went to Laurie Casagrande (Diagnostic Imaging), Jim Cross (Payroll), Monica Staley (Patient Representative /Legal Affairs) and LouAnn McBrayne (Radiation Therapy). The 2014 Rookie Awards were captured by Dawn Field (Pharmacy) and Stephanie Cooper (Medicine Program).

Sharon Morris, Director of Labour Relations and Human Resources was Master of Ceremonies assisted by Board Members and Executive Committee members.

The 2014 Dedicated Years of Service Committee are thanked for their work who include Laura Carcelen, Nadine Francis, Denise Harpe, Michelle Kern, David Lenz, Erin Link, Sonja Schollenberger, Melissa Simas, Renee Sperduti and Dawn Sutherland.



Photo above (left to right) Legend Award Nominees - Helga Schollenberger, Monica Staley, Jim Cross, LouAnn McBrayne, Jane Rehman, Debbie Gamon , Janet Davis and Laurie Casagrande. Missing from photo -Debbie Andrews, Colleen Reaume, Theresa Rivard, Gizella Maheux and Samantha Menard



Photo above (left to right) Rookie Award Nominees - Dawn Field, Brooke Meloche, Tyler Montcalm, Stephanie Cooper, Daniel Mensah and Kaitlyn Nicoletti. Missing from photo - Shukri Mohamed, Alex Jean and Diana Sarkis



Photo above David Musyi, President and CEO of Windsor Regional Hospital addresses the crowd at the awards ceremony



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UPCOMING EVENTS

DECEbola Training / PPE Training10Time: 11:00AM - 12:30PMWindsor Regional Hospital
Met Campus, Auditorium Side A

 DEC
 Just Clean Your Hands Training

 Time: 1:00PM - 2:30PM
 Time: 1:00PM - 2:30PM

 Windsor Regional Hospital
 Met Campus, Auditorium Side B

 DEC
 Windsor Regional Skating Night

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 Time: 5:30PM - 7:30PM

 WFCU Centre, 8787 McHugh Street

Windsor Regional Holiday Social Time: 2:00PM - 4:00PM / 11PM - 1:00AM Windsor Regional Hospital (Both Campuses)

 DEC
 Blood Pressure Screening Clinic

 Time: 12:00PM - 3:00PM
 Windsor Regional Hospital, Ouellette Campus

The DREAM KLIMB

Time: All day event Chrysler Building One Riverside Drive West, Windsor

FEB Hats On For Healthcare Time: All day event

Throughout Windsor-Essex community Windsor Regional Hospital, Met & Ouellette

Got an event to promote to staff? Send it to us today!



"HATS ON" FOR HEALTHCARE

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2015

Participating in the Hats On For Healthcare Day is a great way for you to support the Windsor/Essex Hospitals Foundation, and show the community that your company or organization cares about healthcare in the Windsor-Essex community. On February 11, 2015, participating organizations, companies, employees and individuals, are invited to put on their hats, make a \$2 donation and take part in entertaining activities to help raise much needed funds for the Renal Program of the hospital.

Make a difference for local healthcare and register today! www.hatsonforhealthcare.com

This Week in Healthy Eating

Pumpkin Cranberry Muffin Squares

Makes: 15 squares Prep Time: 15 minutes/Cook Time: 35 min.

Ingredients

all-purpose flour - 2 cups baking powder - 2-1/2 tsp pumpkin pie spice -1 tbsp chopped walnuts - 1/2 cup packed brown sugar - 2/3 cup Milk - 1/2 cup grated orange rind - 1 tbsp Salt - 1/2 tsp baking soda - 1/2 tsp chopped fresh Cranberries - 3/4 cup 1 egg orange juice - 1/2 cup vegetable oil - 1/4 cup Cooked Pumpkin purée - 3/4 cup

Topping:granulated sugar - 3/4 cup
pumpkin pie spice - 1/2 tsp

all-purpose flour - 2 tbsp butter, softened - 1 tbsp

Preparation

Topping: In bowl, combine sugar, flour, pumpkin pie spice and butter; set aside. In large bowl stir together flour, pumpkin pie spice, baking powder, baking soda and salt; stir in cranberries and walnuts. In separate bowl, beat egg; mix in brown sugar, orange juice, milk, oil and orange rind. Blend in pumpkin purée. Pour over flour mixture and stir just until moistened. Spoon into greased 8-inch (2 L) square cake pan. Sprinkle with topping. Bake in 375°F (190°C) oven for 35 to 40 minutes or until cake tester inserted in centre comes out clean. Run knife around edges to loosen. Turn out onto wire rack and let cool. Cut into squares. **NUTRIENTS Per Serving**: per 1 square: 224 Calories, 37g Carbohydrate, 1g Fibre, 3g Protein, 8g Fat. **Weight Watchers PointsPlus = 6 Weight Watchers Points = 5**

The Flu Update

The flu is an illness triggered by a virus, which causes people to experience many different symptoms, most commonly: fever, muscle aches and fatigue. Between 10 -20% of the population will get the flu each year with symptoms usually starting 1-4 days after exposure to the virus, which can last for approximately 2-10 days .

The flu shot is a vaccine that contains an inactive dose of the flu virus, which contrary to popular belief cannot actually infect the person receiving the vaccine. The inactive virus is not the same as a live flu virus, nor can it turn into the flu virus. The purpose of the vaccine is to prompt your body to build up defenses that are necessary to protect itself and become more resistant to the flu virus. The vaccine protects your body for approximately one full year against the top three strains circulating for that flu season. Every year Ontario's flu shot program prevents at least: 300 deaths, 1000 hospitalizations, 30 000 visits to the ER, and 200 000 visits to a doctor's office.

This year at WRH, flu shot participation is up 10% from last year with the total amount of about 1800 people receiving the vaccine. Short flu clinics going floor-tofloor as well as in the cafeterias at both campuses yielded an additional 104 people in a one week span. There was also approximately 100 staff and family members that attended the hospitals' clinics. The increase in vaccine recipients was apparent at both campuses and is still expected to grow. This year flu shots will be available through March 2015 via the Pharmacy at Ouellette campus.

PROVIDING OUTSTANDING CARE TO WINDSOR-ESSEX



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Angela Trepanier REGISTERED NURSE EMERGENCY



Congratulations To Our President & CEO

The Essex County Medical Society, during their Annual General Meeting held on December 3 at St. Clair Centre for the Arts, presented David Musyj with a Community Service Award and ECMS Honorary Life Membership.

Presenting the award, Dr. Jowan Perry stated, "Under David's leadership, the Windsor Regional Hospital vision of Outstanding Care - No Exceptions is a living and breathing vision that inspires the entire team at the hospital. He believes the engine of Windsor Regional Hospital is its staff and he is committed to working with them to create a healthy, motivating and rewarding workplace."

Photo right (left to right) Dr. Jowan Perry from the Essex County Medical Society presenting the "Community Service Award" and ECMS Honorary Membership Award to David Musyj, President and CEO of Windsor Regional Hospital.

Shadow Your Fellow Employee

Windsor Regional Hospital is launching a new program called the Shadowing Fellow Employees Matching Program. The concept is to see how someone in a similar or identical role does his or her job. As part of the Standardization & Optimization Process, some team members have already had the chance to experienced life at each other's campus and see "how things are done." This experience has been met with great appreciation as it helps with the understanding of our journey to achieve collective best practices.

The shadowing experience will last 4 hours and the employee shadowing will not be giving any direct patient care.

If you are interested in shadowing a fellow employee from your department or who works in a similar role or host an employee to shadow you at your location, you can apply online at <u>www.wrhemployeesmatchingprogram.ca</u>

One Make A Difference! Donate Food Items For Those In Need

Working at Windsor Regional Hospital means we are dedicated to helping thousands of patients through their illnesses and injuries, and help them stay healthy in their recovery.

This holiday season, we at Windsor Regional Hospital and the Downtown Mission are working together to try to keep those in need fed and healthy through a new campaign called "One CAN Make a Difference."

Until Monday, Dec. 15th, Windsor Regional Hospital will be collecting nonperishable food items to help the Downtown Mission get food to families and individuals in need.

Simply drop off your item in the designated bins at the WE Care Pharmacy at Ouellette campus or the Welcome Desk in the lower lobby of Met campus.

On average the Downtown Mission (DTM) serves over 220 meals per day. The Downtown Mission is dedicated to helping our vulnerable, homeless and low-income individuals and families stay fed, serving some 140,000 meals every year.









In order to rule out tuberculosis, 3 sputum specimens are required.

One specimen should be first morning.



MONDAY - FRIDAY: 9:00AM - 5:00PM OUELLETTE CAMPUS - WE CARE PHARMACY (GOYEAU ENTRANCE) MET CAMPUS - WELCOME DESK (MAIN ENTRANCE)

Free Skate!

Thursday, December 11th 5:30pm to 7:30pm WFCU Centre Main Bowl 8787 McHugh Street

In appreciation of your dedication, employees, professional staff, volunteers and their families are welcome to attend a FREE WRH Skating Night at the WFCU Centre.

Hot chocolate will be provided.

We ask that each person who attends please bring a canned good to support our local food banks.

Guests can enter through the Community Rink doors.

Please note that skates are not provided and parking is complementary.





CENTRE







HOLIDAY SOCIAL DECEMBER 16, 2014 2PM - 4PM / 11PM - 1:00AM **SANDWICHES - FRUIT - COFFEE & TEA**

- ALL EMPLOYEES, PROFESSIONAL STAFF & VOLUNTEERS MET CAMPUS (Auditorium Side B) **OUELLETTE CAMPUS (Essex Room) MCDOUGALL - TAYFOUR - LEAMINGTON**



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DUR **VISION**

A state-of-the-art hospital built to the highest standards, with capacity to serve this community for generations to come.

One Site

A New Single-Site Acute Care Hospital is at the hub of patient-centred, quality healthcare that is delivered by a team focused on the family and patient experience

One Focus

Building a foundation for the future with patients and families at the heart of the New Single-Site Acute Care Hospital.

One Community

Built with input and support from the community; serving people individually and our region collectively. Defining our healthcare. Building on our strengths.

A NEW STATE-OF-THE-ART HOSPITAL RIGHT HERE IN WINDSOR-ESSEX.



The Team

