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Got a news story, contest or announcement that you would like to be considered for posting in the next issue of the newsletter?

Send it to us today!!!!

Ronald McDonald House Coming To Met Campus

A new agreement between Windsor Regional Hospital and Ronald McDonald House Charities Southwestern Ontario (RMHC means the introduction of a Ronald McDonald House right inside the Met campus, the first house within a hospital!

As announced at a special media event on May 1st, the "House Within a Hospital" will accommodate at least five rooms at a time requiring overnight stays and, is expected to open in Spring 2016. The new Ronald McDonald House will locate into a 3,700 square foot area on third floor west where training rooms are currently situated. (Learning Resources will relocate to the Ouellette campus). By placing it there, it will be in close proximity to the Paediatrics Inpatient unit, adjacent to the ICU and just one floor up from NICU.

Currently, some individuals and families choose to use WRH's "Bedside Manor" homes located close to both the Met and Ouellette campuses, and they are frequently occupied. The introduction of the Ronald McDonald House provides a unique opportunity specifically for families of a child or newborn patients at Met campus and will allow the Bedside Manor locations to focus on families and loved ones of adult patients.

"We are extremely proud to be the first hospital in Canada privileged to house a Ronald McDonald House program that meets the needs of any parent by giving them a comfortable place to rest during very difficult times," said President and CEO David Musyj. "Ronald McDonald House is a name synonymous with our mission to provide, "Outstanding Care – No Exceptions!" – and is a wonderful partnership that will serve families for many years to come."

Ronald McDonald House Charities have introduced the model of providing Houses inside hospitals in other countries such as the United States and Japan. RMHC SWO and WRH are currently immersed in needs assessment planning and will embark shortly on design concepts for the Met Campus.

"We are incredibly excited to be able to support families coming to Windsor Regional Hospital during their time of most critical need," said Margaret Anderson, Executive Director for Ronald McDonald House Charities Southwestern Ontario. "Approximately 26% of the families we support at our House in London come from the Windsor-Essex region. While that number won't change, we are thrilled to be able to bring the same level of comfort and support right into Windsor-Essex".

The program at Met campus will be administered by RMHC, which will be seeking staff and volunteers in the coming months to assist with keeping the House operational and supporting visiting families.

"We are extremely excited about this partnership that will serve families at Met campus and eventually move with Windsor Regional Hospital to a new single-site acute care hospital in the future," Musyj said.



Photo Above (left to right)
Drew Dilkens, Mayor of the City of Windsor and
David Musyj, President and CEO of Windsor Regional
Hospital display their Ronald McDonald socks just presented to them, promising to wear them when the new
house opens next spring at Met Campus.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Hand Hygiene Audit Training

Time: 1:00pm - 2:30pm Maidstone Room, Ouellette Campus

Windsor Regional Hospital

Sante: A Toast To Your Health

Time: 7:00pm Ciociaro Club of Windsor

3475 North Service Road, Windsor

MAY A Fine Balance

Time: 6:00pm Armoury & Conference Centre 44 William Street North, Chatham

Heartbreaker Challenge

Time: 9:00am - 8:00pm Malden Park 4200 Malden Road, Windsor

MAY WRH Charity Golf Tournament

Time: 11:00am Essex Golf & Country Club 7555 Matchette Road, LaSalle

MAY Bollywood Night

Time: 6:00pm Walkerville Brewery 525 Argyle Road, Windsor

JUNE KiliKlimb Bon Voyage Event

Time: 7:00pm Walkerville Brewerv 525 Argyle Road, Windsor

JUNE A Day For Life Golf Tournament

Time: 11:00am Kingsville Golf & Country Club 640 County Road 20, Kingsville

JUNE 2015 LaSalle Police Charity Golf Classic

Essex Golf & Country Club 7555 Matchette Road, Windsor

Dragon Boats For The Cure

Waterfront Park 13161 Tecumseh Road East, Tecumseh

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Point-of-care is the place where three elements occur together: the patient, the health care provider and care or treatment involving patient contact.

Fast & Easy Milk Free Fettuccine Alfredo

Makes 6 servings

Preparation Time: 30 min

INGREDIENTS

16 oz fettuccine

- 3 Tbsp olive oil or soy margarine
- 3 Tbsp flour
- 4 Tbsp dry white wine or vegetable stock
- 2 cups Silk Unsweetened soy or almond milk
- 1 tsp onion powder
- 2 tsp garlic powder
- 1 tsp salt
- 1 tsp white pepper
- 1/4 tsp nutmeg

Fresh chopped parsley for garnish

METHOD

Prepare fettuccine according to package directions. While pasta is boiling, heat olive oil or margarine in a medium saucepan. Add flour and wine or stock and cook, stirring, for 2 minutes. Stir in Silk and remaining ingredients, except parsley. Bring to a simmer and stir until thickened, about 3 minutes. Remove from heat. Toss with cooked pasta, arrange on plates and sprinkle each serving with fresh parsley.

NUTRIENTS Per Serving (1/6 of recipe):

Calories: 380; Protein: 13 g; Total Fat: 9 g; Carbohydrates: 62 g; Fibre: 3g;

Sodium: 440mg



Attention All Registered Nurses: Wear White On Wednesdays

In support of a national campaign by the Ontario Nurses' Association (ONA), Windsor Regional Hospital is encouraging all RNs to "Be Proud and Wear White on Wednesdays!"

Ellis Graphics will be on hand Tuesday, May 12th (Ouellette Campus) and Thursday, May 15th (Met Campus) from 9:30 am to 4:00 pm to promote a new line of white shirts. Registered Nurses are encouraged to wear white. WRH and ONA want to make every Wednesday - a wear white day!

By wearing white at work – every Wednesday - patients and the public can easily identify the RNs and their invaluable contributions to the health-care team. For more information, visit www.myunionstore.com

INTRODUCING NEW FACES AT WINDSOR REGIONAL HOSPITAL



Zana Latkovac REGISTERED NURSE 8 EAST



Amy Esposito RADIATION THERAPIST RADIATION THERAPY



Jessica Cheshire REGISTERED NURSE 7 EAST



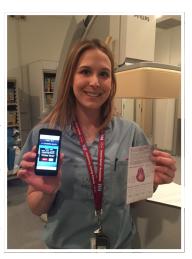
Nicole Livingstone RADIOLOGICAL TECH. DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING

WRH Cath Lab RN Wins Top Award

A Windsor Regional Hospital staff member took the top judges' prize at an international competition that designs and develops mobile "apps" for the health care sector!

Kaitlyn Sheehan, a WRH RN in the Cardiac Catheterization Lab at Ouellette campus, was the "Overall Judges Favourite" recipient at Hacking Health Windsor Detroit for the app she conceptualized called "Stent Tracker." It's a Web-based app that allows patients to store their cardiac stent information, manage their medication list, schedule reminders to take important medications, and provide an educational tool on heart health after a coronary angioplasty. With an app, all this information can be synced on a mobile device, rather than a patient card or pamphlet that could easily get lost.

The idea by Kaitlyn, who also works at the Cardiothoracic ICU at Harper University Hospital at the DMC in Detroit, was so good that it was also judged as the app with the "Highest Potential for Adoption," an award that comes from the Downtown Windsor Business Accelerator and WE-Tech Alliance.



Kaitlyn came up with the idea herself, came to the competition and over the weekend assembled a team to help her design a prototype for the app, which will be further developed this year.

"It was so exciting," Kaitlyn says of the first annual Windsor-Detroit competition. "It had an amazing team – programmers, med students and myself – to create an app that can really help our patients."

About 200 people participated in the 1st annual Hacking Health Windsor Detroit at TechTown Detroit on May 1-3, which teamed up health care professionals - doctors, nurses, pharmacists and hospital admins—with professionals from the IT sector—programmers, designers — to design mobile applications for the health care sector.

Hacking Health is the first cross-border Hacking Health in the world and was co-organized by TechTown Detroit, WEtech Alliance and Hackforge. The event was sponsored by Windsor Regional Hospital along with about 30 partners that included hospitals, universities, colleges, industry and investors.

Also participating at Hacking Health was a team from the WRH Cancer Program, which is developing a mobile web application called "My Cancer GPS" to help patients and their caregivers navigate their cancer journey.

"For our team, the innovation did not end with the event – having demonstrated an easy-to-use mock up application, they plan to advance this concept forward," said team member Priyanka Philip.

Congratulations to all WRH staff who participated in this innovative event. Next year's event will take place in Windsor.

Tip Of The Hat

The Woodslee Knitters Group, in association with Lee Lee Hats donated 580 small caps to NICU and the Family Birthing Centre recently. The Woodslee Millen Group, who meet in the new Libro Centre in Woodslee have a history of supporting Windsor Regional Hospital through cancer awareness fundraisers.

Lee Lee Hats is a local non-profit group that donates handmade hats to babies in hospitals with a focus on those in Neonatal Intensive Care Units. The group indicates they have donated 53,000 hats to hospitals in Windsor, Leamington, Sarnia, Chatham and Detroit. They encourage individuals to knit and teach through the technique of looming.

Windsor Regional Hospital also has annual support from the Rotary Club of Windsor Roseland knitters who have donated countless caps for the 3,700 babies born at WRH yearly.



PHOTO ABOVE (left to right)

Irene Hawkins, Team Leader with Lucia St. Aubin,
Manager of NICU and Paediatrics and,
Tracy Summerfield, Co-Founder of the local
Lee Lee Hats non-profit group.

GUEST TRAYS NOW AVAILABLE AT OUELLETTE

Family members and visitors are now able to share a meal with their loved one in a patient room.

Guest Tray vouchers are available at: Cross Roads Café, Main Street Café, Cashiers Office & Ouellette Gift Shop For \$8.00 If you have any questions, please call Food & Nutrition at **519-254-5577 ext.52031**





June 4, 2015 7 - 10 p.m.

Walkerville Brewery

Tickets \$10

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Available Windsor/Essex Hospitals Foundation office at the Met or Ouellette Campus or call 519-973-4433 or 519-985-2656



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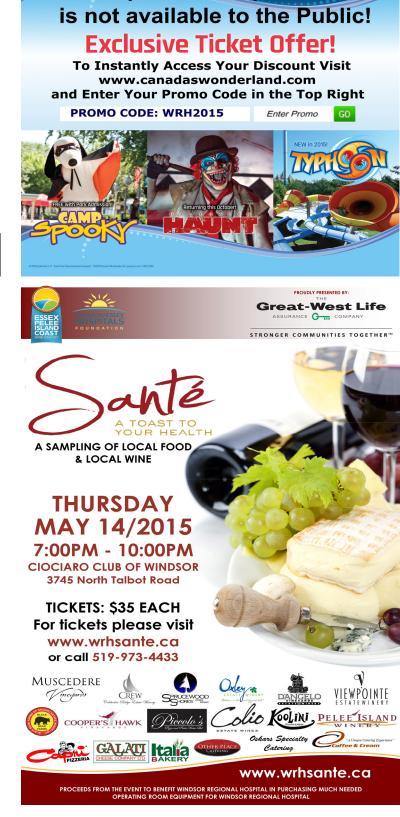
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