## **SAVE THE DATE**

## W.E. CARE **FOR KIDS GALA**

## FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2017

ST. CLAIR COLLEGE CENTRE FOR THE ARTS 201 RIVERSIDE DRIVE WEST, WINDSOR, ON

## **Reminder To Complete Your Quality Of Worklife Survey**

This is an opportunity for staff to provide their feedback and opinions about working at Windsor Regional Hospital. The survey provides valuable information about how we, as a leadership team, are perceived by staff and achieving results on initiatives. The data can really drive additional improvements moving forward. Everyone completing a survey is entered into a draw for a FITBIT at each campus. If you need to complete a survey manually, contact Human Resources at Ext. 32532 and it will be provided to you. To access the survey link go to www.wrh.on.ca

## **JOIN US FOR** THE ULTIMATE **CULINARY CONCERT!**



PRESENTED BY THE WINDSOR KENT SUN LIFE FINANCIAL CENTRE

Thursday, November 2, 2017 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. St. Clair College Centre for the Arts

201 Riverside Drive West, Windsor Tickets available at the door or in advance at the

Windsor Kent Sun Life Financial Centre, Windsor Symphony, and W.E. Care

Windsor Kent Sun Life Financial Centre 519-974-3200 | sunlife.ca/windsorkent Greenwood Centre 3200 Deziel Drive, Suite 508, Windsor, ON N8W 5K8

Life's brighter under the sun



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Youth Orchestra

IN SUPPORT OF WINDSOR SYMPHONY

YOUTH ORCHESTRA

W.E. CARE FOR KIDS

Windsor Essex Care For Kids Foundation

## RECIPE OF THE WEEK

## Ravioli & Vegetable Soup

Makes 4 Servings – 2 cup servings Preparation: 25 min / Cook Time: 25 min



### **INGREDIENTS**

- 1 tablespoon extra-virgin olive oil
- 2 cups frozen bell pepper and onion mix, thawed and diced
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1/4 teaspoon crushed red pepper, or to taste (optional)
- 1 28-ounce can crushed tomatoes, preferably fire-roasted
- 1 15-ounce can vegetable broth or low sodium chicken broth
- 1½ cups hot water
- 1 teaspoon dried basil or marjoram
- 1 (8 ounce) package fresh or frozen cheese (or meat) ravioli, preferably whole-wheat
- 2 cups diced zucchini, (about 2 medium)
- Freshly ground pepper to taste

## **DIRECTIONS**

Heat oil in a large saucepan or Dutch oven over medium heat. Add pepper-onion mix, garlic and crushed red pepper (if using) and cook, stirring, for 1 minute. Add tomatoes, broth, water and basil (or marjoram); bring to a rolling boil over high heat. Add ravioli and cook for 3 minutes less than the package directions. Add zucchini; return to a boil. Cook until the zucchini is crisp-tender, about 3 minutes. Season with pepper.

## **NUTRIENTS Per serving:**

Calories: 261 kcal, Protein: 11 g, Fat: 8g, Carbohydrate: 33 g, Sugar 12g, Fibre: 7g, Sodium: 354mg

## NOVEMBER09

FREE





Caboto Club 2175 Parent Ave., Windsor ON. (Marconi Room)

6:30 - 8:30pm

To register please use the following eventbrite link

WWW.BIAWE.COM

- Dr. Dana Seslija











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**COMPASSION** is our

- WRH CAPTURES ANOTHER HEALTHY WORKLPLACE AWARD
- GET THE FLU SHOT, NOT THE FLU! SCHEDULE OF EVENTS **NEW FACES AT WRH**
- WRH LIBRARY OPEN HOUSE QUALITY OF WORKLLIFE SURVEY FAMILY GIVING UPDATE TRILLIUM GIFT OF LIFE
- WE CARE FOR KIDS GALA RECIPE OF THE WEEK PANINI PALOOZA **USE YOUR HEAD WORKSHOP**

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## IN THIS WEEK'S ISSUE WRH Captures Another Healthy Workplace Award

October is Canada's Healthy Workplace Month and it was created to increase awareness of the value of a comprehensive approach to workplace health. The Windsor-Essex County Health Unit, in collaboration with the Working Toward Wellness Committee developed the workplace awards in 2001. Now known as the Gord Smith Healthy Workplace Awards, it was named after Mr. Smith due to his outstanding leadership to improve the health of our community.

The purpose of the awards program is to recognize local workplaces that provide comprehensive workplace wellness programs. The idea is available to all workplaces in Windsor and Essex County, regardless of company size or how established a workplace program may be. Award recipients must demonstrate a strong commitment to improve health by promoting and supporting a robust approach to wellness for employees and ideally, for families and retirees.

Windsor Regional Hospital received a Platinum Award this year from the Gord Smith Healthy Workplace Awards and Bike Friendly Workplace Awards ceremony held on October 18, 2017.



Photo (I to r): Melissa Simas, Krista Miller, Karen Watson, Mitali Kapadia, Denise Harpe and Jon Beveridge receiving the Platinum Award on behalf of Windsor Regional Hospital.

Windsor Regional Hospital is dedicated to the welfare of its employees through physical activities and proper nutrition. As a hospital, we believe in "practicing what we preach" and encouraging all staff to live the best lives they can. It is for this reason that we have committed to many programs and services that support physical activity at work and provide healthy food choices throughout the hospital. During lunch, WRH Healthy Lifestyles offers Yoga for 45 minutes with sessions five times per year and Pilates and Stretch & Tone for one-hour. Staff has indicated that Yoga has helped them balance their work and lifestyle, assisting with physical and mental balance, resulting in a direct effect on their work.



Visit our website for more information at www.wrh.on.ca

# UPCOMING EVENTS

NOV W.E. Care For Kids Gala

3 St. Clair Centre For The Arts 201 Riverside Drive West, Windsor

NOV City of Roses Emergency Medicine Conference

Ciociaro Club 3745 North Talbot Road, Windsor

NOV Use Your Head Concussion Workshop

Caboto Club 2175 Parent Avenue, Windsor

**DEC** Dedicated Years Of Service

12 Ouellette Campus 1030 Ouellette Avenue

**DEC** Dedicated Years Of Service

Met Campus
1995 Lens Avenue

**DEC** Children's Christmas Party

17 Ciociaro Club 3745 North Talbot Road, Windsor

JAN EUROPRO Vertical Climb

Property Facility
1 Riverside Drive West, Windsor

JAN Transition To Betterness Gala

27 Caesars Windsor 377 Riverside Drive East, Windsor

FEB In Honour Of The One We Love Gala

Ciociaro Club
3745 North Talbot Road, Windsor

MAR Windsor Express Game For Hats On For Healthcare

WFCU Centre 8787 McHugh Street, Windsor



A recent study found that climate change has likely spurred infectious disease outbreaks, including Zika, malaria, and dengue. Extra rainfall and warm temperatures contributed to higher transmission rates.

# Get the **SHOT** not the flu!

Oct 30 - 10:30am –12:30pm - Admin Conf #1 2:30-4:30pm - Admin Conf Rm #1

Oct 31 - 10:30am- 12:30pm - 2East Classroom 2:30-4:30pm - Admin Conf Rm #1

**Nov 1** - 10:30am-12:30pm - Critical Care (ICU)

2:30-4:30pm - Volunteer Desk (Bsmt)

**Nov 2** - 6:30am-8:30am - Vendor Hallway **Nov 3** - 6:30am-8:30am - Vendor Hallway



METROPOLIT





CAMPUS

**Nov 6** - 10:30am-12:30pm - Vendor Hallway

2:30-4:30pm - Vendor Hallway

**Nov 7** - 10:30am-12:30pm - Vendor Hallway

2:30-4:30pm - Vendor Hallway

**Nov 8** - 6:30-8:30am - Vendor Hallway **Nov 9** - 6:30-8:30am - Vendor Hallway

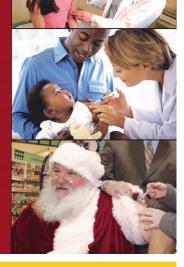
Starting in **NOVEMBER**, flu shots will also be available at

Zi: we PHARMACY

Ouellette Campus, ext. 32181 Monday to Friday, 9am—5pm



1909 Tecumseh Rd E M-F 9am—5pm, 519-977-0090



# VENDORS ON DISPLAY OCTOBER 30 - NOVEMBER 3, 2017

Met Campus: Scrub Shop, Thermal Clothing Co., Diane's Gifts, Little Red Door, Azara Boutique, Funky Living, Monique's Boutique, CRG Jewellery, Dr. Vizirakis

Ouellette Campus: Lories Glass, Thermal Clothing Co., CRG Jewellery, Little Red Door

Please note: Vendors subject to change.

## **INTRODUCING NEW FACES AT WINDSOR REGIONAL HOSPITAL**



Cheryl Davies

ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICE

WORKER

HOUSEKEEPING



REGISTERED PRACTICAL

8W NEUROLOGY

Rachel Richard
FOOD SERVICE

FOOD & NUTRITION



Katherine Deschamps

REGISTERED

NURSE

MENTAL HEALTH



## Family Giving Campaign Update

Windsor Regional Hospital's Family Giving Campaign kicked off last week with excitement, goodies and plenty of optimism that we would achieve the \$100,000 goal.

Congratulations to all those who made a commitment early as you will have an opportunity to win an IPhone8 valued at \$1200. As well, there are four prizes each week to win. Note that the earlier you make a donation, the more prize draws you quality for.

You may donate by returning the tear-off of your brochure through interoffice mail. You may also email or, go on-line to www.wrhfamilygivingpledge.ca. to complete your donation. For questions, call Brandon Osborne in the Foundation Office at Ext. 52449.

Everyone who makes a donation online also qualities for the Travel Package (Via Rail \$1000 voucher, \$250 Valente Travel voucher and a Samsonite Luggage Set).

2017 Honourary Chair, Dr. Louie Brisson states, "Giving Starts from Within!" Thank you for considering the 2017 WRH Family Giving Campaign.

## WRH Staff Awarded For Transplant Success

WRH staff were recognized Thursday for their dedication to the Gift of Life!

WRH was presented with the Provincial Conversion Rate Award for exceeding the target of a 58 per cent conversion rate set by the Trillium Gift of Life Network. Conversion rate is the number of patients who went on to become donors out of all potential donors. In 2016/17, 63 per cent of potential donors referred by Windsor Regional Hospital went on to give the Gift of Life. Organ donation is a complex process and the conversion rate reflects how well the Trillium Gift of Life Network and hospitals work together to save lives. Since the end of the fiscal year, WRH has performed even better in this regard, with a 100 per cent conversion rate in the first quarter of this year (April to June period).



Dr. Natalie Malus, Medical Director for the ICU and Hospital Donation Physician, Trillium Gift of Life Network, attributes a "strong culture" of support for organ and tissue donation that led to these "amazing results."

"The dedication and engagement of all Critical Care, Emergency and Operating Room teams, Trillium Gift of Life coordinators, coupled with the generosity of the donor families, allows us to save the lives of people who are waiting for a second chance," said Dr. Malus.

Dr. Malus said that in the last fiscal year, WRH staff worked to save 50 lives through organ donation and an additional 62 people in Ontario received the gift of sight through tissue donation.

Janice Beitel, Trillium Gift of Life Network's Director of Hospital Programs, said the team at Windsor Regional Hospital "should be proud of reaching their achievements and their continued dedication to help others through donation and transplantation."

The results reported by Dr. Malus delighted those in attendance today including the family of Trevor Funkenhauser, who have raised over \$200,000 toward awareness-raising programs and initiatives as well as WRH's Intensive Care Unit. Thank you to Trevor's parents, Gunther and Judith, and the entire Funkenhauser family and friends – through your efforts, we are able to reach more people in our community about the importance of registering consent to give the Gift of Life.

There are more than 1,500 people in Ontario waiting for a life-saving organ transplant and every three days someone dies waiting. Register your consent for organ and tissue donation at **www.BeADonor.ca** and talk to your family about your wishes. Windsor still trails the province with a registration rate of 28 per cent, ranking 157 out of 170 communities in Ontario.