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Peace cannot be kept by force; it can only be achieved by understanding. Albert Einstein

Windsor Regional Hospital Captures Diamond

Windsor Regional Hospital is pleased to announce that it will be awarded a 2012 **Diamond Healthy Workplace Award**. The Awards will be presented by the Windsor Essex County Health Unit on October 24, 2012 as part of Working Toward Wellness Healthy Workplace Annual Awards Breakfast. Previously WRH has received Platinum awards for Healthy Workplace. Kudos to our Healthy Lifestyles committee who contribute greatly to inspiring and encouraging so many activities at WRH.

A Call for Continued Improvement in Patient Safety!

All staff and volunteers are invited to hear inspirational speaker Ridley Barron. Mr. Barron will present a powerful story of the results of a medical error. It is something everyone should hear. Sessions will be held on November 15th from 11 to 12:30 pm in the Tayfour Rehab Room video-conferenced to the Met Campus Auditorium and from 3 pm to 4:30 pm in the Met Campus Auditorium video-conferenced to the Tayfour Rehab Room. It will also be held on November 16th from 7 to 8:30 a.m. in the Met Campus Auditorium video-conferenced to the Tayfour Rehab Room. Call the new WRH RSVP line to confirm attendance—ext. 5RSVP (57787).

3rd Annual 5K Walk/Run in Memory of Dr. Michael Lai

Registration is now open for the 3rd annual 5K walk/run in memory of Dr. Michael Lai taking place on Saturday, September 29, 2012. The walk/run begins at the May Wah Inn restaurant located at 1689 University Ave. W. The cost to participate is \$25 (or \$25 in pledges) and includes the walk/run, t-shirt and a Chinese lunch hosted by Jacqueline Lai. For more information visit www.wrh.on.ca/drlaiwalkathon.

Childhood Cancer Awareness Day—September 19th, 2012

Windsor Regional Hospital will celebrate **Childhood Cancer Awareness Month** at Met Campus on September 19, 2012 from 10:30 am to 1:30 pm with our community partners, staff and Oncology families. This fun event is intended to raise community awareness about Childhood Cancer and will have lots of fun activities such as arts and crafts, refreshments, guest speakers and special visitors (pet therapy, music therapy, magician and ventriloquist). A BBQ will also take place outside the front doors of the Met Campus from 11:30 am to 1:30 pm. Proceeds support our Transition to Betterness Paediatric Oncology Satellite Clinic.

Acute Injuries Rehabilitation and Evaluation Centre (AIREC)

There are immediate openings in the AIREC Program. The program offers the services of Physiotherapists who are highly trained in evidence-based treatment techniques. Patients in the program suffer from acute and chronic injuries. Those interested in these services should speak with their healthcare practitioner. For more information call Carrie at 257-5245.

Did you know?

The Honourable Little Ninjas is a program offered by “*In Honour of the Ones We Love*” for Paediatric patients with Cancer and chronic illnesses. The program uses martial arts to help children cope with their illness.

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