

Life is like riding a bicycle. To keep your balance, you must keep moving. \sim Albert Einstein

Construction continues at the Tayfour Campus!!!

Excellent progress continues on the Family Learning Place to be known as the WE Care for Kids House Gym/Pool replacement project. The new building replaces the existing buildings on the Campus housing the children's Mental Health Centre and the gym and pool.

Richard Heinzl, Founder of the First North American Chapter of Doctors Without Borders, to Speak in Windsor October 16th

On October 16th, Dr. Richard Heinzl, Founder of Doctors Without Borders will be speaking in Windsor St. Clair College for the Arts. Tickets for dinner are \$80 and are available by calling Melissa Johnson at 519-258-1883 or by emailing mjohnson@leadershipwindsor-essex.org. Everyone is welcome!

Nominate a Nurse for a Daisy Award

Nominations are open for the bi-annual Daisy Nursing Awards. Anyone may visit www.wrh.on.ca or look for nomination forms at each campus. Call ext. 72323 for more information. The Daisy Award is an International program that awards and celebrates clinical skill and compassionate care provided by nurses. Daisy is an acronym for 'Diseases attacking the Immune System'. The awards were initiated by the family of J. Patrick Barnes who created a Foundation in his memory.

Quality of Work Life Survey

Each year, WRH publishes the Quality of Work Life survey to provide staff with the opportunity to give the organization valuable input and views on the overall work environment. **Your feedback helps us make improvements** in various aspects of your work life, including policy or process changes and program enhancements. Please complete the survey through your ELearn account or hard copies are available in HR for you to complete for a chance to win an IPAD. Call ext. 72302 or 52330 for more information.

Wrap Up Your Christmas Shopping at Birch Run!

Join the staff activities committee for our Annual "Shop til you Drop" event to *Birch Run Premium Outlets* on Monday, <u>November 12, 2012!</u> Only <u>50</u> spots are available. The \$30 non-refundable/person price includes: tax, bus fare, toll, shopping bag, store map and VIP Coupon Book. This is open to all WRH Staff, their family & friends ages 12 years and older. Deadline to sign up is October 26th. Contact: Laura Carcelen at ext.52330.

Cirque de Noel

Windsor Regional Hospital's annual **Holiday Party** will be held on Friday, December 7th, 2012 and the Children's party will be held on Sunday, December 2, 2012 .For more information contact ext. 52330.

Did you know?

WRH recently participated in the 4th University of Windsor's Biennial Nursing Conference held last week. Fourteen WRH Leading Practice presentations were made by WRH Nurses. Congratulations to all!

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