

MAY 2022 NEWSLETTER


MEETINGS:

IMPORTANT CHANGE TO DAY MEETING - Due to advance polls for the provincial election being held at Eastern Star the space is not available for our use this month. We have been able to secure the Salvation Army location on Wednesday May 25th for both meetings.

NIGHT MEETING

WHEN: Wednesday May 25th, 7 pm

WHERE: Salvation Army London Citadel (555 Springbank Drive – the corner of Springbank Drive and Wonderland Road - behind the office building)

[Google Maps](#)  555 Springbank Dr

DAY MEETING

WHEN: Wednesday May 25th, 10 am

WHERE: Salvation Army London Citadel (555 Springbank Drive – the corner of Springbank Drive and Wonderland Road - behind the office building)

We encourage you to bring projects to work on at the meeting. If you need assistance or have a question regarding your project or wanting to try something new feel free to let us know ahead of the meeting or ask a 'neighbour' while at the meeting.

Masks will continue to be mandatory to be worn at the meetings. We also expect, however not mandatory, that all our members attending are fully vaccinated. Of course should you feel ill or have been in close contact with someone who has tested positive, we ask that you do not attend the meeting and reach out to one of our board members should you require anything in the meantime.

MISSION & VISION STATEMENTS

At this month's meetings we will be presenting a revision to our mission statement and a proposal of a vision statement. These will be voted on at the meetings. We encourage your presence at the meetings to participate in this vote.

CLUBHOUSE DROP IN DAY

Starting in June we are going to open up the clubhouse one day a month starting on Wednesday June 8th. Feel free to drop in between 10 am and 3 pm to pick up more projects, drop off your completed blankets, and find an elusive ball of yarn to complete a project. Any members who cannot make it to either of the meetings or

should you find yourself out of labels or any other need prior to the next meeting we hope you can utilize this drop in day.

THANK YOU'S

Merrymount Family Support and Crisis Center from a recipient of one of our blankets:

“I would just like to Thank you for all your hard work in creating my beautiful throw. I know many hours went into making it, and many hours will go into it making me cozy in my new home. Thanks again, M.”

Received by Email:

“I just wanted to reach out to say a big thank you for the beautiful blanket that was donated at my infusion. It was comparable to a hug. I can't help but to think it was someone who was freezing during their infusion and that is how your generosity was created. Such amazing talent!” - Kim

PROJECT COMPLETIONS OF THE MONTH

Last month we took in

Full - 48

Lap - 91

Baby- 38

Blankets were donated as follows:

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| Parkwood Mental Hospital | 25 Full |
| Cross Cultural Learners Centre | 5 Full & 5 Lap |
| Glen Cairn Resource Centre | 30 Full & 20 Lap |
| Ark Aid Mission | 20 Full |
| Middlesex Terrace | 20 Lap |
| John Gordon Home | 20 Full |

That's a total of 145 blankets to 6 agencies.

WORTLEY VILLAGE GATHERING ON THE GREEN

Mark your calendars, we have a fun event coming up in a few weeks. On Saturday June 4th we will be holding a fundraising sale as part of the Wortley Village Gathering on the Green. Please share with family and friends to attend. We are hoping for great weather. You can find more details of the event via the link below:

<https://www.londontourism.ca/events/gathering-on-the-green-2022>

If you have any further questions or concerns please contact Fran at
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