

APRIL 2025 NEWSLETTER

Hoping all these April showers bring us lovely May flowers!
Hoppy Easter

MEETINGS:

NIGHT MEETING

WHEN: Wednesday April 23, 7 pm

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

DAY MEETING

WHEN: Thursday April 24, 10 am

WHERE: Eastern Star Temple (800 Fanshawe Park Road East, London)

NEXT MONTH'S MEETINGS

WEDNESDAY May 28 and **Thursday** May 29

NEXT CLUBHOUSE DROP IN DAY:

April - Thursday the 10th - 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm volunteersignup.org/J7QDL

Please ensure to sign up via the links to show us your intention to drop in, to sign up, just follow the instructions on the page. It only takes a few seconds to do.

Wednesday May 14th 10:30 am - 1:30 pm volunteersignup.org/XLC8D

WORTLEY GATHERING ON THE GREEN

This month we start to prepare for our biggest fundraising sale of the year. The 43rd Gathering on the Green in Wortley Village is Saturday June 7th. The sale is from 10 am - 5 pm. We have our volunteers present for set up at 8 am to close up until 6 pm.

Our tables will be set up at 219 Wortley Road (Southwest Corner of Duchess and Wortley) across from the Gathering on the Green event space.

At this month's meetings we will have sign up sheets for small shifts of time throughout the day, including set up and take down. As well as packing up the items at the Clubhouse on the Friday before. We will sell various items including dish cloths, scrubbies, tea towels, dolls & small toys, and various other items donated. Speak to Chinda or a board member at this month's meetings.

3rd ANNUAL FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN **Warming Our**

Community has continued to climb. We are on our way to our \$10,000 goal. As of January 31st the campaign results are cash donations \$25 and in kind donations \$88.38 = total donations \$113.38. Year to Date (YTD) \$7,420.63.

SILENT AUCTION BLANKET UPDATES

London Track 3 Ski School Program - Their mission is to provide a safe, enjoyable and rewarding downhill skiing or snowboarding experience for persons with a variety of physical and/or intellectual challenges



L'Arche Canada - September fundraiser - L'Arche fosters community and belonging for those with intellectual disabilities.



Middlesex Terrace - fundraising for their Resident Council



Highview Residence – for an upcoming Alzheimer’s Walk in May to support their Residents



BLANKETS COLLECTED:

At our last meetings we had the following # of blankets turned in:

Baby: 20

Lap: 52

Full: 47

Blankets Donated last month:

BABY	LAP	FULL	AGENCY
	30		Inviva
	10		Medical & Sub Acute unit LHSC
	30		Middlesex Terrace

RED SCARVES AND POPPIES

If you are still interested in making red scarves for the campaign through HIV/AIDS we are pleased to assist in the collection and drop off to Fran for their fall campaign. Unfortunately we do not have any red yarn to provide for making of the scarves at this time.

There are also many initiatives for poppies. If you are interested in making poppies, again we cannot supply red or black yarn for this, however we appreciate anyone wanting to take a small break from blankets to do this fun project. Local legions are collecting poppies for this November as well as the Port Stanley Poppy project (all details can be found on their facebook page).

If you have any further questions or concerns please contact crochetcluboflondon@gmail.com

