

The Reporter

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A message from the Manager of Programs and Volunteer Services...

Hello Everyone! I hope you all had a joyous holiday season!

The Life Enrichment Team is working hard on making sure 2018 is our best year yet! We have lots of exciting things planned for the year ahead so make sure to keep an eye on those calendars!

January Events:

Residents' Council – January 9th
Welcome Committee – January 15th
Lunch Club – January 15th (sign up with Lucy)
Discovery Series: January 16th & 30th
Horticultural Therapy – January 18th
Cultural Day – January 22nd
Robbie Burns Show – January 22nd
Music Therapy – January 25th
Winter Auction – January 27th
Memorial Service – January 31st

January Outing Schedule:

January 18th – Scarborough Town Centre
January 26th – Toronto Marlies Game

Wishing you all a Happy & Healthy 2018!
Manager of Programs and Volunteer Services
Kayla Johnston



RESIDENTS COUNCIL



JOIN US TO DISCUSS IMPORTANT ISSUES THAT IMPACT YOU!

Date: January 9, 2018

Time: 1:30pm

Where: Craft Room

Cultural Day

This month Cultural Day is Scotland!

Date: January 22, 2018

Time: 7:00

Where: Dinning Room



Happenings at **Sherbourne Place**

January 05:Catholic Mass

January 06:Brea Choir

January 08:Birthday Party

January 09:Resident Council

January 10: St.Luke's Sing Along

January 13: Buddhist Temple

January 15: Welcome Committee

January 16: Intergenerational Program

January 17: Christian STM Service

January 18: Horticultural Therapy

January 22: Cultural Day - Scotland

January 24: St.Luke's Sing Along

January 25: Music Therapy with Kathy

January 31: Memorial Service



Local & Community Happenings in January 2018



The Illusionists

The record-breaking magic show that has been on Broadway and around the world arrives, featuring some of the most talented magicians gracing the stage today. Performing a series of elaborate tricks that use impressive special effects, these magicians put on a show that has delighted thousands while becoming the highest grossing magic show ever. The Illusionists takes the stage at Toronto's Princess of Wales Theatre from December 12, 2017 – January 7, 2018.

When:

December 12, 2017- January 7, 2018

Where:

Princess of Wales Theatre - 300 King St W, Toronto



Hockey Hall of Fame NHL Centennial Exhibit

This limited-time exhibition is an immersive tribute to 100 years of NHL hockey, highlighting the most memorable players and moments in league history. Cost: \$12.00-\$18.00| Youth: \$12.00 | Adult: \$18.00 | Senior: \$14.00

When:

December 2, 2017- January 7, 2018

Where:

Brookfield Place – 30 Yonge Street, Toronto



Building Toronto: Stories of the St. Lawrence Neighbourhood

Ginning with the Town of York's early modest footprint, Building Toronto: Stories of the St. Lawrence Market Neighbourhood explores urban development and the civic engagement of its population.

Discover how our city's first planned neighbourhood served as the building blocks for Toronto's commercial, cultural, social, and political history. The exhibit will also include art works from the City of Toronto Art Collection that feature architectural landmarks and neighbourhood character. Please see website for hours of operation. FREE Event.

When:

December 2, 2017- February 24, 2018

Where:

Market Gallery – 2nd Floor, St Lawrence Market-95 Front St

Local & Community Happenings in January 2018



Drop in Clay Classes

Explore the potential of working with clay (without the commitment) in one of the Gardiner Museum's weekly Drop In Classes. **Drop-In Classes happen every Wednesday, Friday, and Sunday, with online registration opening at 10 am the morning of each class.** Experiment with various hand building, wheel throwing, and decorating techniques under the guidance of one of our experienced artist instructors. You'll have access to a professional ceramics studio. Exercise your creativity and tap into the benefits of working with your hands. Tickets: \$15 Adults, \$12 Gardiner Friends, \$12 Seniors/Students, \$5 Child under 12, \$5 Firing Fee / piece.

When:

Starting January 3, 2018

Where:

Gardiner Museum, Toronto



Opening of the Bent way Skate Trail

Toronto's newest public space, located under the Gardiner Expressway, officially opens in January 2018. Opening Weekend highlights include performances from Charmie Deller, Carmen Braden, the Toronto Ice Skate Group, and the Mayor's Skate Party. As well as art installations, food and drink, music throughout the day from the best of Toronto's DJ scene, pop-up curling, and free admission to Fort York National Historic Site. Complimentary skate rentals and hot chocolate will also be available during the event.

When:

January 6, 2018 at 11:00 AM

Where:

250 Fort York Blvd, Toronto



Toronto International Boat Show

The annual Toronto International Boat Show, North America's largest indoor boat show, celebrates its 60th-anniversary in 2018, marking the unofficial kick-off to summer! The show features more than 550 exhibitors, 1200 boats of all sizes on display, and the only place to enjoy water activities in the winter on the world's largest indoor lake. From wakeboarding lessons, canoe and kayaking boat rides to fishing demos, seminars and even a live trout pond for kids to get hooked on fishing.

When:

January 12, 2018 – January 21, 2018

Where:

Enercare Centre- 100 Princes Blvd, Toronto

Local & Community Happenings in January 2018



Hamlet: Shakespeare's Best Known Tragedy

Shakespeare's best-known tragedy, *Hamlet* is reimagined on Toronto's Tarragon stage through the powerful lens of rock and roll. Young Prince Hamlet seeks to avenge his father's death in a world torn apart by political deception. Ticket prices range from \$22.00-\$60.00.

When:

January 2, 2018 – February 11, 2018

Where:

Taragon Theatre- 30 Bridgman Blvd, Toronto



Toronto Light Festival at the Distillery District

The Toronto Light Festival is a visual journey and imaginative cerebral adventure designed to entertain and inspire. During the cold, dark days of winter, City residents can experience one of the largest open-air lighting galleries in North America at the Distillery Historic District. The event exhibits the creativity of local & international light artists. FREE ADMISSION.

When:

January 19, 2018 – March 4, 2018

Where:

Distillery District, Toronto



Canadian Opera Company: Free concert series

The Free Concert Series in the Richard Bradshaw Amphitheatre at the Four Seasons Centre for Performing Arts, presented by the Canadian Opera Company, takes place in one of the city's most breathtaking and intimate spaces. Artists from around the world will share their talent and passion in six series: vocal, piano, jazz, dance, chamber and world music. Concerts take place most Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon, and some Wednesdays at noon or 5:30 p.m. CONCERTS ARE FREE.

When:

January 19, 2018 – January 30, 2018

Where:

145 Queen Street West, Toronto

Local & Community Happenings in January 2018

Toronto Public Library – St. James Town Branch
495 Sherbourne Street
416-393-7744

Wellesley Community Centre
495 Sherbourne Street
416-392-0227

The 519 – LGBTQ communities
519 Church Street
416-392-6874



Sports Corner with Elgene



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Hello Sports fans, I hope everyone enjoyed their Holiday. So far, the Maple Leafs are having a great season! They finished December with three road games.

Toronto's first six games in January are on home ice, where they have one the NHL's best home marks at 11-5-0. Eight of 12 January games are also at home, and after playing just three home games in December, the Leaf's have a grand opportunity to strengthen their 11-5-0 home record.

That's all for now sports fans... see you next time!

Welcome Committee

Sherbourne Place is looking for residents to be a part of the
Welcome Committee!

Meeting will be held on January 15th

Where: Craft Room

Time: 2:30PM



Welcome to the REKAI Family...



**Saleem Q.
Mary K.**

Does your loved one require 1:1 visits with a volunteer?

Volunteers at Sherbourne Place can spend time with your loved one while engaging in various leisure activities such as outdoor strolls in the park, a trip to the library or coffee shop, reading and reminiscing.

If you would like to sign your loved one up for 1:1 volunteer visits please contact the Life Enrichment Staff on your floor.

Kayla Johnston – 416-964-1599 ext. 233 (Manager of Programs)

Alyssa – 2nd floor

Lucy – 3rd floor

Luca – 4th floor

416-964-1599 ext. 252



Dear Residents, Family and Friends

We want to know your feedback!!!

- What kinds of programs do you want to see?
- Do you enjoy the programs we have now?
- What kinds of outings would you like to go on?
- What kind of themed parties and events would you like to see?

We want to know your input. Please feel free to leave your suggestions in the LE drop box, or with the Life Enrichment Staff on your floor.

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Face to Family



Have no time to visit?

Live too far from your loved ones here at
Rekai Sherbourne Place?

Sign up for our Video Chat program to
reconnect with your family or friend. All
you need to do is download the Skype
application to your smartphone or
computer and email our Life Enrichment
department to arrange a time. If you have
any further questions, please email our Life
Enrichment team

at 4thfloorle@rekaicentres.com &
2ndfloorle@rekaicentres.com

January 2018 Outings

January 18: Shopping Trip to Scarborough
Town Centre
Cost: Free
Contact: Life Enrichment: Alyssa Torres

January 26: Marlies Hockey Game
Cost:
Contact: Life Enrichment: Luca

 *IN MEMORY OF....* 

**Anthony H.
Leonard J.**



January 2018 Residents Birthday



January 1	Ly V.
January 7	Shai Y.
January 12	Thomas W.
January 13	Ene P.
January 18	Ana K.
January 25	Pearl T.