



Health & Home Care Society of BC

Meals on Wheels | Family Respite Centre | Community Integration Project

Spring 2023 Meals on Wheels Volunteer Newsletter

March 2023

Dear Meals on Wheels Volunteers,

I wanted to take a moment to express our heartfelt gratitude for all that you have done for our clients during the recent snowy condition. Your dedication and hard work have helped us provide nourishing meals to those in need, despite some difficult weather. Your selflessness and compassion have not gone unnoticed and are truly appreciated by all of us at Meals on Wheels.

This year is a special one for us, as we celebrate the 125th anniversary of Health and Home Care Society of BC. We are proud of the legacy we have built and the many lives we have touched over the years, and we could not have done it without the support and dedication of our volunteers.

Please mark your calendars and celebrate this milestone occasion with us. Stay tuned for event details about the Gala and ticket sales.



Staff and Volunteer Recognition Event

National Volunteer Week in Canada is April 16-22. We thank all our volunteers for their support!

We are happy to announce this year we will be back to hosting our Staff and Volunteer Recognition Tea in-person for those volunteers celebrating 5-year milestone anniversaries! Due to the pandemic and COVID restrictions we had cancelled our annual in-person celebration for the past 3 years. Invitations will only go out to our pin recipients who have reached their anniversary years - 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35 AND 40 years - in 2023.

Nonetheless, we are grateful for all our volunteers' commitment and hard work. We recognize the important role you have played in the success of our Meals on Wheels programs.

Below is the list of volunteers receiving recognition pins. (Invitations will arrive in the mail.) If your name is not present and you think it should be, please let us know.

2023 Volunteer Recognition Pin Recipients

Western Meals on Wheels

40 Years:

Joan Stewart

30 Years:

Shirley
MacFarlane
Marg Potvin

20 Years:

Helen Low
Jane Williams

10 Years:

Barbara Cohen
Alfred Kwan
Keith Lang

5 Years:

Carol Cardew
Simon Feay
Lindsay Klassen
David MacDonald
Jenny MacDonald

5 Years cont:

Nicolas Ouellette
Peter Quelch
Alison Rodrigues
David Shore
Cher Sun

Chinese Meals on Wheels

25 Years:

Eddy Tam

20 Years:

Edward Wong

15 Years

Michael Luk
Ping Mah
Wendy Pan
Ruby Tse

10 Years:

Peter Hao
Wendy Hui

5 Years:

Freeman Chau
Tat Chung Ching
Christina Liang
Kenty Ng
Hogan Poon
Susan Poon

5 Years cont:

Miranda Sin
Daniel Suen
Jennie Yee



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North Shore Meals on Wheels

15 Years:

Glennys Pedersen

10 Years:

Nigel Barker

5 Years:

Ursel Brown
Denise Hamilton
Joe Jerczynski
Sheila Jerczynski

5 Years cont:

Judith Nitsch
Norman Steinberg

Board Members

35 Years:

David Kimpton

15 Years:

Doug Purdie

5 Years:

Barbara Devlin
Doug Hayhurst

Upcoming holidays and closure

- Good Friday: Friday, April 7th, 2023
- Victoria Day: Monday, May 22nd, 2023
- Canada Day: Monday, July 3rd, 2023
- BC Day: Monday, August 7th, 2023
- Labour Day: Monday, September 4th, 2023



Monday, April 10th, 2023 (Easter Monday) - *Meals on Wheels WILL OPERATE on this date*

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