

Celebrating Jeanne



Jeanne Wilson and her family moved to Kelowna in 1968 over 50 years ago. She started attending Pathways right away. She was involved in the Ceramic

Department along with Contact Services, which included making various

Wedding Decorations, Ribbons and Buttons for Special Events. She attended Wedding Bells and Baskets where she worked with Darlene & Helga for several years. When the Wedding Shop closed down, she attended 925 Sutherland Ave Activity Services. We all moved to Pathways in Rutland in 2013. I worked with her very closely with her for the past 15 years, 4 days a week at the Wedding Shop for a year, then the 925 House, Fuller Ave and Franklyn locations. For the past 7 years, On Mondays, we made cat toys and beds for the SPCA Tuesdays was her day off. On Wednesdays & Fridays, we volunteered at Mission Thrift Store,

where she enjoyed assisting the Clothing Department Volunteers in the back of the store hanging up donated clothing. On Thursdays, she made bandages for Compassionate Canada. She enjoyed sewing the completed bandages together. She loved working on making Sock Monkeys with Barb who was a staff who retired a couple of years ago. My life is so much richer because I had that time her with her. She will be truly missing by so many. **Memory from Darlene Hass:** I have known Jeanne for 26 years. We went on Travel Club trips to places like Camp Owaissi on the Westside, stayed in cabins in Osoyoos and

the Shuswap. We spent a fun time at the West Edmonton Mall and stayed in the Fantasyland Hotel. I watched her compete in races at Operation Trackshoes in Victoria. She was very proud of the ribbons she won! We spent a week on an Alaskan Cruise. She also had good times in Mexico and Disneyland. Jeanne volunteered at Windsor Manor. She assisted in making bags at Gifts to Grandmothers and visited with the seniors at Pine Acres. She faithfully delivered her newspapers on Thursday. To the staff's amazement, nothing would prevent her from doing this job. Many of the staff over the years had smiles of affection on their faces when they received a birthday card from her filled with Love, hugs, and kisses written in the card along with her signature! I did respite with Jeanne on occasion. I spent most of my time with her at Wedding Bells and Baskets. She enjoyed making the world famous POM POMS in every color imaginable. She helped with an assortment of jobs and being with her friends. She helped make origami Doves for First Memorial's

Christmas Service. Jeanne we will miss you and may you Rest in Peace!

FRIENDLY REMINDER ABOUT THE DATE CHANGES

SUMMER CLOSURE 2019

Pathways will be closed from Monday, August 19, 2019 to Friday August 30, 2019 for the Summer Closure.

Re-opening Tuesday, September 3, 2019.

Calling All Self-Advocates

What is Self-Advocacy?

Self-Advocacy is learning how to speak up for yourself, making your own decisions about your own life, learning how to get information so that you can understand things that are of interest to you, finding out who will support you in your journey, knowing your rights and responsibilities, problem solving, listening and learning, reaching out to others when you need help and friendship, and learning about selfdetermination.

Why is Self-Advocacy important?

So that you have the knowledge and information needed to succeed and are given the chance to participate in making decisions that will improve your quality of life.

See more at: http://www.inclusionbc.org/self-advocates

| Date | Planned Meeting or Activity | |
|--------------------------|---|--|
| April 26th, 2019 12:30PM | Take Out Lunch | |
| | Advocacy in the Service Area meeting | |

When you attend the **Activity Service** you must bring the following each day: a backpack, containers that can either be returned or disposed of, a refillable water bottle, a city bus pass if you have one, handyDART pass if you have one, any personal care or personal support supplies you require, medication and the correct documentation if you need to take them while at Pathways, recreational gear which will be specified i.e. a

swimsuit, towel, hiking boots, etc.

To help us ensure items are returned to you please label them discreetly. **Just a reminder**, you must call this number 778-**484-4490** if you are not attending on a scheduled day. You can leave a message. Thank you!

Closure Reminder!

Good Friday, Friday, April 19th
Easter Monday, Monday, April 22nd

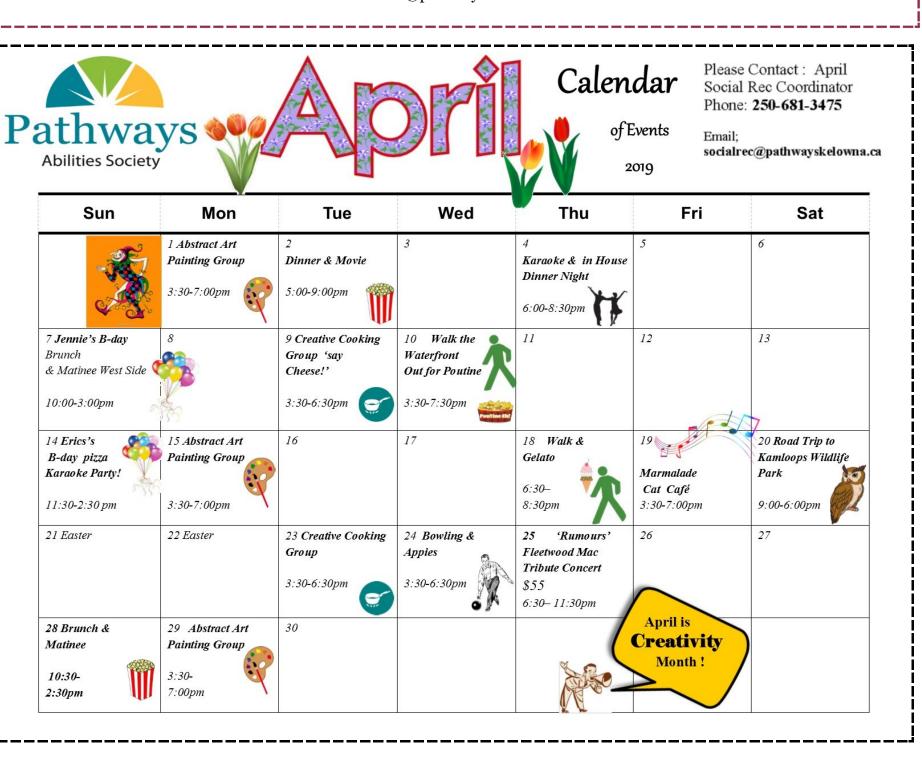
UP COMING SOON! 2019 Travel Clubs Trips

If you would like to take part in any of these fun trips with the Travel Club, please let the appropriate contact know as soon as possible. Thank you!

| Trip Destination | Date | Cost |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| Vancouver Canadians Baseball * | July 2019—1 night | \$ 350.00 |
| Abbotsford Air Show * | August 2019—2 nights | \$ 550.00 |
| Camp Owaissi | August 2019—4 nights | \$240.00 |
| West Edmonton Mall Bus Trip | October 2019—7 nights | \$ 1,600.00 |

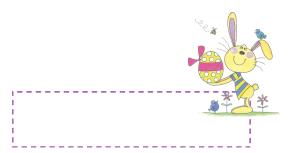
If you are interested in any of the trips above please contact Glenda by email at travelclub@pathwayskelowna.ca or Rhonda at fm@pathwayskelowna.ca or phone 250 763 4837 to reserve yourself a spot. Please be advised all prices are approximate at this time. Cost and dates will be confirmed upon booking. Trips could be cancelled if there is not enough interest.

* Please, for these destinations contact only April, Social Rec Coordinator, by phone 250-681-3475, or via email socialrec@pathwayskelowna.ca



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