



COLUMBUS RESIDENCE NEWSLETTER

Autumn 2018

"Every leaf speaks bliss to me,
Fluttering from the autumn tree..."

-Emily Bronte

Night at the Theatre Fundraiser Purchase Your Tickets Now!

Wednesday October 3rd Metro Theatre - Vancouver
7:00 p.m. Reception & Silent Auction ~ 8:00 p.m. Curtain

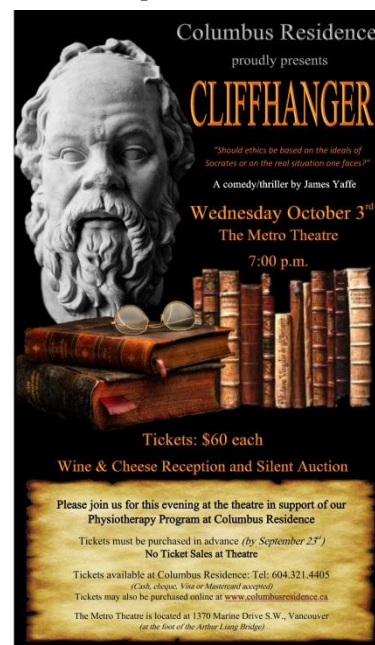
Columbus Residence will be hosting a performance of James Yaffe's play
"Cliffhanger" by the Metro Theatre Company.

Mingling suspense and humour, this ingeniously plotted thriller follows all the unexpected twists and turns that result when a seemingly mild-mannered professor of philosophy is driven to apparent murder to protect his reputation and career.

This fundraising event will feature a wine and cheese reception, silent auction and the evening's performance of the play.

***Your ticket purchase will help support the continuation of our
Physiotherapy Program!***

Tickets may be purchased from our Front Office or online through our website.



Autumn Highlight Events

Autumn Festival - Thursday September 20th Join as we celebrate Autumn with some apple pie and music with **Lyndia Scott**. In the Dining Room at 3:00 p.m.

Chinese Moon Festival - Wednesday September 26th The **Bright Sunset Chinese Dancers** will be here at 2:00 p.m. to help us celebrate the Chinese Moon Festival.

Oktoberfest - Thursday October 4th Raise a glass at our Oktoberfest celebration in the Dining Room at 2:45 p.m. Musical entertainment will be provided by **Edelweiss Musikanten**.

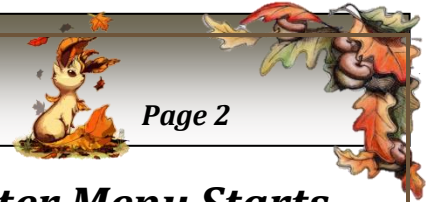
Swing Band - Wednesday October 10th The **Metro Seniors Swing Band** will be here at 2:00 p.m. to play your old favourite tunes.

Thanksgiving Tea - Thursday October 11th Join us for tea and pumpkin pie to celebrate Thanksgiving. In the Dining Room at 3:00 p.m. **Lyndia** will be here to provide the musical entertainment.

Birthday & Halloween Party - Thursday October 25th We will be celebrating at a combined birthday & Halloween party at 2:45 p.m. Music by **Nathan Aswell**. Join us for some treats and some spooky fun!

Remembrance Tea - Wednesday November 14th Join us for a special tea to commemorate Remembrance Day. **Lorraine Smith** will be here to provide the music. In the Dining Room at 2:45 p.m.

Latin Musical Afternoon - Wednesday November 21st The **Rio Samaya Band** will be here at 2:00 p.m.



Celebrating 28 Years of Caring

We will be celebrating our **28th Anniversary** of caring service to our residents on **Wednesday October 31st**.

This celebration and prayer service starts at **2:00 p.m.** in our Main Lounge. A special tea will follow the service. Family and friends are welcome to join us. **Please RSVP by Friday October 26th** if you plan on attending.



Fall/Winter Menu Starts September 9th

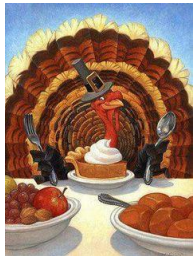
Our **Fall/Winter Menu** cycle will begin on **Sunday September 9th**. This 4-week menu cycle will continue until approximately the end of March 2019. The full menu is available on our website.

Family Council News

We encourage family and friends to become involved in our Family Council. It requires only a small amount of your volunteer time to make a big difference. Columbus Residence's Family Council meets monthly. If you would like to learn more about our Family Council, please contact **Paloma Leon** in our Recreation Department: 604.321.4405 (Ext 124).

Next Meetings: September 24th, October 29th and November 26th @ 4:00 p.m.

Christmas Craft & Bake Sale: Our Family Council will once again be holding their fundraising **Christmas Craft & Bake Sale**. Date will be announced soon. Donations of handcrafted items, home preserves and baked goods **will be both welcomed and appreciated!**



Thanksgiving Dinner

Monday October 8th - Reserve Now

A special **Thanksgiving Dinner** will be served on, **Monday October 8th**. The menu for this dinner is: **Roast Turkey with gravy & cranberry sauce, Savory**

Sage Dressing, Mashed Potatoes, Brussel Sprouts, and Pumpkin Pie with whipped cream.

Guest meal tickets are \$15.00 each and include choice of red or white wine. Advance reservations are highly recommended as guest seating space is limited.

Volunteers Needed to Hang Outdoor Christmas Lights in November

We will once again be asking for volunteers to help us install the many strings of lights needed for our Christmas lights display. This volunteer day will take place mid-November (*lunch is provided*). Poster and sign-up sheet will be at Reception desk once the exact date is confirmed. We would appreciate any help family and friends can offer.



Wishing you and your families a very Happy Thanksgiving.

"I am grateful what I am and have. My thanksgiving is perpetual"

~ Henry David Thoreau

Remembrance Day Service November 11th

A special Remembrance Day Service will be held on **Sunday November 11th** after morning Mass.

All are welcome to join us for this special service in the Chapel.

"Lest we forget."



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