

HSSC NEWS

ENSEMBLE AT THE MONTREAL MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS

Clients of the Intensive Mental Health Treatment of the West Island Health and Social Services Centre *Ensemble* participated in the program *Sharing the museum* from the Education and Community Programmes Department of the Montreal Museum of Fine Arts. The program gave the clientele of *Ensemble* the opportunity to participate in creative workshops, guided tours and the presentation of works of art, hosted by an educator from the Museum. Over the last few months, clients produced drawings, paintings and collages, which will be on exhibit this summer, from June 20 to August 31, at the *Studio* of the Montreal Museum of Fine Arts. We would like to thank the Montreal Museum of Fine Arts for this magnificent initiative and their attentive collaboration!

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DEVELOPING COMMUNITIES

For over two years, the West Island HSSC has actively been supporting a community mobilization process with the *1,2,3,Go! Centre*. The *1, 2, 3 GO!* Initiative involves the whole community getting organized to be able to give their young children an environment that is conducive to their development. After developing a portrait of very young children on the West Island, the committee identified the eastern sector of Pierrefonds-Roxboro as an area that is conducive to developing this initiative. The large number of young children, the multiple needs of families in this community and the existing resources, including a committed community environment, provide winning conditions for carrying out such a project. In addition, *Centraide* grants \$60,000 to this area. A special thank you is extended to the Child-Family-Youth Directorate, as well as the Perinatal Team at the Pierrefonds facility for their support throughout the project.

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OVERTIME – WEEKENDS

Thank you to everyone who worked overtime in the month of May. More than 50 winners received \$100-gift certificates for the *Spa Finlandais* and the restaurant *Il Centro*.

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THE HOSPITAL IS RECYCLING!

For a one-year trial period, the Lakeshore General Hospital will recycle and shred paper. The Hospital already recycles cartons and cans. With the recycling project, employees must sort their papers themselves, putting them into two bins: one for shredding confidential documents and the other to recycle paper and newspapers. Green bins will be placed in strategic places at the Hospital and in the other three HSSC facilities soon. The *Green and Healthy* committee is currently working on a project to recycle bottles and plastic. Help us preserve the environment and make the HSSC “green and healthy”!

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AIR CARE PROGRAM

The Human Resources Directorate is launching the new program AIR CARE. The program rewards employees who help the organization ATTRACT, INTEGRATE AND RETAIN staff. Carrying out a “good deed” makes employees eligible for receiving points that they can redeem for rewards of their choice. Every point accumulated is equivalent to \$1! The Reward Catalogue is available on the Intranet (on the home page, under “choose the department”, “Human Resources” tab) or at the Human Resources Directorate reception desk. The program applies to active and regular employees of the HSSC, except managerial staff and executives from the Human Resources Directorate, contractual or temporary employees, students or trainees and temporary help employees.

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BLOOD DONOR CLINIC AT THE HOSPITAL

Did you know that just one person donating blood can help save up to four lives? We invite all of you to join us at the Blood Donor Clinic on Friday, July 4. The Clinic will be held from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in room 5227 at the Lakeshore General Hospital.

Paul St-Amour: 514 630-2225, extension 3326

Appointments

Amy Hanlon
Psychologist. We are pleased to welcome Amy on the ID-PDD Mental Health team, dependencies.
Amy Hanlon: 514 697-4110, extension 1329

Mandy Novak-Léonard
Social worker. We are pleased to welcome Mandy on the ID-PDD Mental Health team, dependencies.
Mandy Novak-Léonard: 514 697-4110, extension 1480

Ian Finkel
Occupational therapist. We are pleased to welcome Ian on the ID-PDD Mental Health team, dependencies. His office will be located at the treatment centre *Ensemble*.
Ian Finkel: 514 6697-1230, extension 211

Angela Klar
Social worker. We are pleased to welcome Angela on the ID-PDD Mental Health team, dependencies. Her office will be located at the treatment centre *Ensemble*.
Angela Klar: 514 697-1230, extension 210

Francine Tremblay
Administrative Technician. We welcome Francine to the Multidisciplinary Services Directorate for the Reception and Admissions Department.
Francine Tremblay: 514 630-2225, extension 1280

Departures

Julie Mignault - PAPA-DP Director (interim)
Louis-Martin Boivin - Nurse
We regret to announce the departure of Julie and her spouse, Louis-Martin. Good luck in your new life in Quebec!

Jacques Antaya
Security lieutenant. Mr. Antaya has left the Hospital. Shanon Lemm will be his interim replacement.
Security Services: 514 630-2225, extension 1299

New appointment

Nathalie Pellerin
Head of Administration of the Interim Program. Nathalie is now working on managing interim resources and non-institutional resources, as well as the certification of private residences in our program. Thank you to Yves Théberge for having done such a fantastic job implementing and managing the non-institutional resource *Le Vivalis*.
Nathalie Pellerin: 514 730-7627

THE WEST ISLAND HSSC DONATES 569 BRAS!

On May 28, the West Island HSSC donated 569 bras to the *RockDétente 107.3* radio station during its fundraiser for the *Quebec Breast Cancer Foundation*. *WonderBra* pledged to donate \$1 for every bra collected, up to a maximum of \$50,000. Two weeks before the donation, boxes were installed in each HSSC facility. Thank you to all our employees for their generosity! In all, *RockDétente* collected 67,000 bras which will be given to a community group. The *Quebec Breast Cancer Foundation* will receive \$80,000 from this fundraiser: \$50,000 from *WonderBra*, \$17,000 from *Astral Media* and the rest comes from private donors.

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FOUNDATION

LAKESHORE GENERAL HOSPITAL

Once again this year, the Foundation's Annual Golf Tournament, held on May 26, was a resounding success. The Tournament, which was sold out, raised more money than last year. It will be used to purchase new medical equipment for the Hospital. We would like to extend our warmest thanks to all our sponsors.

The following are the Foundation's next activities:

September 17, 2008 – First Annual Fashion Show to benefit the Château Vaudreuil Foundation. The fashion show will feature well-known women from the West Island who will model clothing from *Joseph Ribkoff*.

November 1st, 2008 – 8th Annual Gala of the Château Vaudreuil Foundation. This year's theme is: *Carnival do Brasil / Masked Ball*.

For more information on the Foundation and its activities, visit www.lakeshorefoundation.ca. Enjoy the summer. Take the time to laugh and appreciate your good health!

Lakeshore General Hospital Foundation:
514 630-2081

SOCIAL CLUB

On June 13, 40 people participated in the Social Club's photo rally. The evening's theme was *Friday the 13!* The Organizing Committee extends wishes for happy holidays to all its members.

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