

## CARING AND SHARING RETIRED WOMEN TEACHERS OF ONTARIO ORGANISATION DES ENSEIGNANTES RETRAITÉES DE L'ONTARIO

Area 10 Sudbury – Région 10 Sudbury May 03, 2022

#### Greetings dear members.

Spring is in the air and we are breathing somewhat better because of the relaxation of the pandemic rules and regulations of the past 2 years. However, there is still cause for concern and we should tread lightly. Therefore, we offer two options for our last luncheon of the year 2021-2022.

- In house at the Northbury
- On line via Zoom, with Hénédine's help. Contact her via e-mail before May 01, if you want to join with Zoom: { HYPERLINK "mailto:mhw@personainternet.com" }.

We are still a lively and viable organization. Join us for our next meeting.

Date: Tuesday May 3<sup>th</sup>, 2022 Location: Nothbury Hotel or the comfort of your home

Time: Coffee clutch 10:15 Meeting: 10:45 & via Zoom (with Hénédine's help)

Lunch: 12:00 Cost:\$27.00

Guest: 1:00, Nikki Sage, Coordinator of Crohn's and Colitis Organisation, Canada

#### **Membership:**

We welcome Heather Brown, a new member for the year 2022-2023. Since January 2022, we are adding 2 faithful members to our 90's Club, Gloria Packard and Valma Mongeon. Kudos to our centenarian Dorothy Lawrence.

Please stay with us as a sign of solidarity. We have been very active on your behalf.

Membership: fees \$40.00 for the coming year 2022-2023. Fill in the form and mail it the Gisèle St. Onge before Thursday, April 27<sup>th</sup>, or e-transfer if you wish. Retired teachers are always welcome to join. N.B. To be able to continue coverage for special Manulife Home and Hospital Care Insurance, you MUST maintain your membership. The expiry date is August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022.

#### In Memoriam:

There will be a reflective moment in the memory of Paulette Bourré and Elizabeth



**Draws:** There will be 4 draws at this event:

3 books entitled "Uncommon Women" for those in attendance and one book entitled "Behind the Green Door" by Erna Fex for all membership.

There will be one of Erna's book, on loan for those interested.

#### **Elections:**

All elected positions are opened. Please consider joining the executive or nominating a member if you want to sustain the viability and continuation of the local organisation RWTO/OERO. Sudbury Branch Executive urgently needs a renewal of ideas, input and bodies. Please, if you are willing to help out call Erna Fex at 705-671-2711. Elected position: President, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice-President, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice, Secretary, Treasurer and Insurance

It is with a grateful heart that we say thank you to each and every one of them on the executive.

### Convention: 66<sup>th</sup> RWTO/OREO in London, June 7-9, 2022

- 1. Please read the resolutions p. 6-7 in your March 2022 "Connections". They will be discussed at the meeting.
- 2. The delegates are Suzanne Rondeau, Area Director, Hénédine Weiman, Provincial Erna Fex,branch

#### Golf "2022"

It is with joy and jubilation that our 14<sup>th</sup> "Fun in the Sun Golf Tournament" is a GO (MAYBE)

**Details** to be determine. Information will be forwarded via e-mail.

#### **Communications:**

Spring cleaning was done at our website: deletions, additions, new photos in gallery, new article from Erna. Have a look: rwto.org/branch/Sudbury.

#### Parkside Guide:

A full page ad will appear in the Fall Guide 2022. The purpose is to promote our local organisation and to new members.

#### **Reminders:**

- 1. Zoom / in house meeting, May 3<sup>rd,</sup>
- 2. Return your meal slip and membership fees
- 3. Please, renew your membership for 2022-2023
- 4. Golfers needed for the end of June

Keep a smile on your face and a song in your heart. There is no doubt that the future is promising!

# Laurianne Valiquette

Communications Convenor