

INTEREST GROUPS

Book Club/ Monthly

2nd Wednesday in members homes

First Tuesday of the month

contact: Heather White 905 639 2922

Euchre/Twice Monthly

1st & 3rd Tuesdays - Port Nelson United Church

contact: Pam MacDonald 905 689 3493

A Stitch in Time (Knitting group)

2nd Thursday of the month

in members' homes

contact: Norma Brown 905 632 4774

Paper Crafting : Monthly

Haber Hub

contact: Bonnie Folkard 905 336 3164

Tea Room Tours : Random Times

in various locations

contact: Mary McCully 905 617 0826

Travel Club: Monthly

Monday afternoon in members homes

contact: Bev Balch 905 335 7046

Lunch Bunch : Random Times

Watch for all member emails to sign up.

contact: Maureen Downey 905 335 2751

RWTO MEMBERSHIP FEES

Membership Fees due by September 1, 2025

Retired: on or before August 31, 1980 - \$25.00
after August 31, 1980 - \$65.00

Associate Member: \$15.00
(already belong to another branch)

Life Member: No fee (as determined by Executive)

Early Bird :
Pay on or before AGM- Draw for free lunch

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Pay before July 31-Draw for free membership

BURLOAK EXECUTIVE

2025-2026

President:

Claudia Stewart 905 320 6639

Past President:

Mary McCully 905 617 0826

First Vice-President:

Linda MacDonald 416 219 7362

Second Vice-President:

VACANT

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Lynn Haniuk 905 633 8829

Treasurer:

Carolynn Blake 905 630 3167

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Lynne Johnston 905 308 2800

Membership:

Moira-Jane Plexman 905 845 1977

Program:

Mary McCully 905 617 0826

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Diane Sinden 905 257 1408

- All Member Mailings: Diane Sinden
- Newsletter Editor: Bev Hilton
- Newsletter Layout/Design: Sharon Jenkins
- Phoning: Virginia McKee
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Goodwill:

Virginia McKee 905 335 8723

Visiting :

Pam MacDonald 905 689 3493

Member at-Large:

Nancy Stavert 905 214 1656

Honorary President: Carol Martin

AREA 12 Director : Diane Sinden



RWTO/OERO BurlOak Branch

PROGRAM

2025-2026

GOALS

- To continually work to be a fully accessible organization to meet the unique needs of retired teachers
- To foster and promote interaction among retired women teachers to help members maintain and establish friendships with former colleagues
- To provide interesting, stimulating and supportive programs for all members
- To provide a wide range of opportunities for members to use their leadership, creative and communication skills
- To be socially conscious while working to establish visible, outward-looking presence among teachers in particular and the public in general to improve the lives of all women and children



Book/Puzzle table at each luncheon

Bring a book/puzzle (or a few) that you are ready to pass on for someone else to enjoy and/or pick up a book/puzzle that looks interesting to you. Enjoy.

At the end of the meeting, if your book/puzzle is still there, please take it home.



RWTO/EORO BurlOak Branch Luncheons are held at
Tyandaga Golf Club
1265 Tyandaga Park Drive
Burlington On L7P1N1
Doors open at 10:45 for coffee
11:30 Announcements 12:00 Lunch 1:00 pm Presentation
Annual General Meeting begins at 10:00 a.m.

Payment Information:

E-Transfer: rwtoburloak20@gmail.com

By Cheque: BurlOak Branch

No cash payments, please!

Mail to : Carolynn Blake
406-5070 Fairview Street

No payments can be accepted or refunded after the due dates when the numbers go in to the caterer.

Monday, September 22, 2025



Lorraine Sommerfeld,

journalist known to many of us for her regular Motherlode column in the Hamilton Spectator. She writes about family life, her sons, her cat, her hardwood floors, and happenings far and wide. This

past year she was award the King Charles III Award that recognizes significant contributions to Canada or the community.

Payment due: September 12, 2025

Cost: \$ 50.00

Monday, October 27, 2025



Judy Lyons, Certified Quilt Appraiser returns to speak about her new book "Canada's Forgotten Artifacts".

Judy collects and researches quilts made in Canada between 1867 and 1967, and tells the stories of the women who made them.

Payment due: October 17, 2025

Cost: \$ 50.00

Monday, December 1, 2025

"Christmas Luncheon and Penny Sale"



Payment due: November 21, 2025

Cost: \$ 50.00

Monday, February 9, 2026



"Brunch and Board Games"

Payment Due date: January 30, 2026

Cost: \$50.00

Monday, March 30, 2026



Backed by Bees, a local beekeeping business. The beekeeper will demonstrate the art of keeping bees and offer free samples of honey his bees produce.

Payment due: March 20, 2026

Cost: \$50.00



Monday, May 4, 2026



Annual General Meeting

Payment due: April 24, 2026

Cost: \$ 50.00