

RESIDENT NEWSLETTER



JUNE 2023

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Newsletter posting date on the HOA website (https://scahomeowners.com and distribution to the Newsletter Mailboxes of hard copies (for those without a computer) will be **Monday**, **June 26th.**

Please email submissions for the Newsletter to scanewsletter@hotmail.com

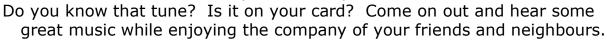
- In typing your submission, please use **Verdana**, font size 11.
- Use WORD, and do not use excel or .pdf. Omit putting into columns or any 'fancy' formatting as it causes problems when setting up the Newsletter. Just leave the set-up to the Editor.
- Please ensure all pertinent information, (date, location time, etc.) about the event is included in your submission.

HAPPENING at the WHEEL

JUNE 2023

'Rock & Roll Bingo' Friday June 9th

Doors Open at 3:30 p.m.



Admission is just \$2.00 at the Door – Share the Wealth and BYOB & G
Please note that this is a **Residents Only Event**

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The Desotos 50's, 60's & Classic Rock 'N Roll

Saturday, June 24th
Doors Open @ 7:30 pm
Tickets \$15.00
BYOB & Share the Wealth

Tickets can be ordered starting May 9th after 9:00 am by calling Liz Jones at 705-436-5370

Ticket Pick-Up is Saturday, June 10th between 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. in the Wheel Ballroom

JULY 2023

Saturday, July 22nd

Doors open at 7:30 pm Tickets - \$15.00 BYOB & Share the Wealth

SHERRI JACKSON BAND



Tickets can be ordered starting Tuesday, June 13th after 9:00 am by calling Liz Jones at 705-436-5370

Ticket pick up is Saturday, July 8th between 0:00 10:00 m

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We request that all tickets ordered be picked up on the applicable date. If you decide not to attend, please cancel your tickets prior to pick-up date by contacting Liz Jones (705) 436-5370-after pick-up check with Liz to determine if there is a wait list.

Ticket Sales – Because we want to showcase the SCA Lifestyle to our friends and family, there are a limited number of non-residents tickets available. For this reason, we may limit the number of times a non-resident attends a dance.

For information on ALL WHEEL HALL Bookings, call Dave Jones at 705-436-5370

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WHEELEVENTS - (Main Hall / Ballroom)

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"IT'S HAPPENING AT THE SPOKE"

JUNE 2023

Thursday, June 1st - 3:00-5:00 pm (Doors open @ 2:30)

BYOB & G Share the Wealth

Free but a ticketed event. This activity is for Residents Only TICKET PICK-UP May 27th (11:00-12:00) at the Spoke

Join us on the 1st Thursday of each month. Mix and mingle as we welcome new residents, celebrate birthdays, anniversaries, and any other special occasions.

Saturday, June 3rd @ 7:00 pm

Admission \$2.00 at the door. This activity is for Residents Only

Join us at the Spoke to play cards, games and darts (bring your own games).

Want to Play Darts? Doors open at **6:15pm** for Dart registration until **6:45 pm.** This will allow us to get the Dart Tournament started promptly at 7:00 pm

BYOB & G Share the Wealth

No Pub Night in July

Saturday, June 17 – Dance 7:30-10:30 pm (doors open @ 7pm) DJ DON

Tickets \$5.00 with a donation to the Food Bank **TICKET PICKUP – Jun 3rd** 11:00-12:00 noon

BYOB & G Share the Wealth



Hot Dog Sundays are back

Sunday, June 18 - 12 noon - 2:00 pm

Come for lunch and stay for the entertainment. Share the Wealth.

This event goes rain or shine

JULY 2023

Saturday, July 15 – Dance 7:30-10:30 pm (doors open @ 7pm) Caribou Country

Tickets - \$10.00 - TICKET PICKUP - July 8th 11:00-12:00 noon (note change of date for ticket pickup due July 1st being Canada Day)

BYOB & G Share the Wealth

Please ensure that if you ordered tickets, they are picked up on the applicable date. And if you change your mind, and cannot attend, please call and cancel your tickets before the pick-up date.

Please do NOT give away your tickets. Phone the ticket coordinator, Ron Lajoie at 705-436-6761 to see if there is a wait list.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Should you notice any maintenance issues with the Spoke, please notify **Ted Moyles, Hall Director at 705-436-7949.** We ask that you do **NOT** go directly to Parkbridge, as we have to track these issues. Thank you for your co-operation.

Again, we ask that when you are finished with the tables, please wipe them down, so that the next group in the hall does not have to clean up after you. Also, we have noted that if needed, please vacuum. No one else should have to clean up after your group/club meetings. Thank you.

For Event Tickets - please call Ron Lajoie at 705-436-6761. For Hall Bookings - please call Linda Moyles at 705-436-7949. Please be respectful of volunteer's time and not call past 8:00 pm.

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"NEWS from the HUB"

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Beach Party & Pizza TGIF Friday, June 16 4:00 - 7:00 pm Music by DJ 'Rockin Rick' It's Tropical shirt time friends!



Tickets: Sue Brocklebank @ 705-436-9994
Tickets: \$10.00 – Ticket ordering starts May 16 @ 10:00 am
Ticket Pick-up – June 3 @ 9:00 – 10:00am (Hub Meeting Room)
Share the Wealth - BYOB

NOTE: Currently no further dances or TGIF events are planned for the months of July and August at the Hub due to the absence of air conditioning. Please continue to monitor the newsletters as circumstances can change. We thank you for your support, as we plan for a return in September with a renewed agenda for your enjoyment.

The Hub Committee

NOTE: According to Parkbridge, the Gazebo falls under the responsibility of the Hub Committee and there is a booking process for its usage.

To avoid conflicting activities at the Gazebo any resident or group wanting to book the Gazebo for an event, is required to book the Gazebo through Charles Ash, the Hub Hall Booking Director. This will ensure that all Hub related bookings, including the Gazebo, are managed centrally through our Hub booking process. Charles Ash can be reached at (705) 431-2260.

Hub Committee 2023-2024

President - Dave Tessier Vice President - Debbie Ego Secretary - Cynthia Lebel Treasurer - Cairine Tessier Social Convenor - Marla Rodgers **Hub Director - Charles Ash**

Director - Mary Ash

Director - Sue Brocklebank Director - Guy Charbonneau

Director - Donna Grimbly

FOR EVENT TICKETS CALL SUE BROCKLEBANK @ 705-436-9994 FOR HALL BOOKINGS CALL CHARLES ASH @ 705-431-2260

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CLUB/ACTIVITY NEWS



SCA Carpet Bowling ATTENTION ALL CARPET BOWLERS!

The start of our 3^{rd} Great Season is fast approaching.

SAVE THE DATE:

*Registration Day - Fri., August 11th - 9:30 - 11:00 am

*Registration Day - Mon., August 14th - 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

LOCATION: The Wheel Ballroom

COST: \$10.00/person

TIME SLOTS STILL AVAILABLE

Friday Mornings – Start Date: September 8th: 9:15 – 10:15 am or 10:30 – 11:30 am

and/or

Monday Afternoons - Start Date: September 11th: 1:00 - 2:00 pm or 2:15 - 3:15 pm

Liz Jones

Res: 705-436-5370 **Cell:** 705-790-0832 or

Email: ljcarpetbowling@gmail.com

SEASONAL HALL BOOKINGS AT THE WHEEL

It is time to renew your Seasonal Hall Booking forms. Groups that use The Wheel on a regular basis during the year, please fill out a new "Seasonal Booking Request Form" (available at the east or west doors of the hall & drop it off at the same place). It is very important to have these updated forms in before the end of June to keep our records and bookings current.

Every effort will be made to ensure you have the same time slots as you have been accustomed to over the past year.

Your cooperation is appreciated. This also includes any groups or persons using any downstairs areas



Tabs for March of Dimes

We will be collecting as many beer and soda can tabs as possible for the next

6 months here at all our halls.

Boxes will be placed in the coat rack areas or the vestibule areas for the tabs.

We will make sure that they are emptied as needed.

Thanking you in advance.

Carol Bramwell/Bill Plume Any questions call 705-431-6673

Team Leader Needed for Winter Shuffleboard League

We are looking for a new team leader for our winter shuffleboard league this year.

Registration will be in August for the players to sign up.

Please let me know if interested, ASAP.

We will also need volunteers for Tuesday and Thursday.

Call Christine @ 705-436-2464



BINGO

At the Wheel

Sun. June 4 & 18

7:00 pm (doors open @ 6:00 pm)

PICKLEBALL

Attention all sports enthusiasts! Have you ever heard of Pickleball? It's the newest craze in town and we are excited to announce that we are trying to organize Pickle Ball games every weekend at the Wheel. But that's not all - we are also looking for a dynamic individual who is passionate about Pickle Ball to run our games. If you think you have what it takes to organize and lead the game, please contact Dave Jones at 705-436-5370 or thewheeldjones@gmail.com

Whether you are a seasoned player or a curious beginner, come and join us for some fun-filled weekends at the Wheel!

Don't miss out on the action, call or email me today!



LADIES' SOCIAL CLUB LUNCHEON Wed., June 21st, at

12:00 - the Wheel doors open at 11:15 am

ENTERTAINMENT Procyco - Wildlife

Share the Wealth – 1 strip \$2.00 or 3 strips for \$5.00 Luncheon Tickets \$12.00

MENU

Croissant Roll and Seasonal salad
Dessert
Tea & Coffee
(Bring your own Mug)
(Unfortunately, we cannot accommodate food allergies)

Tickets can be purchased at the May meeting or phone Cairine Tessier @ 705-436-5237.

Table numbers are now assigned to the tickets. If you wish to sit with a friend, then please make sure you purchase your tickets together.

THIS EVENT IS FOR RESIDENTS ONLY

SANDYCOVE news & notes

SANDYCOVE news & notes is an up-to-date private Facebook group for residents of Sandycove Acres only.

It is a "No Frills" group, consisting of announcements concerning Sandycove and its residents, plus "community service" messages as well as posts to buy, sell, trade or give away.

There are NO daily greetings, NO jokes or puns, NO rants or raves, NO politics. If you would like to join SANDYCOVE news & notes - on the Facebook page, go to "Search Facebook" (upper left), select SANDYCOVE news & notes and answer the "Membership questions".



GAZEBO GATHERINGS Free Concerts at the Gazebo Summer 2023



Saturday, June 3 2-4 pm Colin & Derek Tribute Artists



BYOB, Snacks, Chair, Hat and Dancing Shoes!

Lots of Parking at the Wheel

Saturday, July 15



Come out for an afternoon you will never forget!

Bring your own lawn chair and dancing shoes! Lots of parking at the Wheel. In case of rain this concert will be moved inside to the Wheel Ballroom.

Note: Since we cannot ticket outdoor events at the Gazebo, we will be passing around a "bucket" for \$ donations to pay for future concerts and hope you will be generous with your support.

Thank you, Gazebo Gatherings Committee

For more information call Marilyn Sehn 705-431-1459

Talent Night Under the Stars June 20th, 6:00 pm

Can you sing, play an instrument, dance or even yodel? Come out and show us what you can do and cheer on our talented Sandycovers. If you want to perform arrive at 5:00 pm to register.

Talent night will be outside **at the Gazebo**, next to the Hub. Bring your lawn chair.

Please bring a canned good for our Sandycove Food Bank (located in the Wheel laundry area)

For more information, please contact Debra Cameron, 905-831-5098

SAVE THE DATE AUGUST 11 @ 10:00AM Grandparent Day At the Gazebo

Take your grandchildren (or greats) back in time to the 50's and 60's. Show them who you were back then. Have fun and dress for the time. Let's see those poodle skirts. Pack a lunch. Ice cream will be for sale.

Fun Acitivities - Music, Doggie Parade, Crafts, Games, Face Painting, Bubble Machine, Kissing Booth Photo Op.

The Pool will be open

For more information, please call Debra Cameron at 905-831-5098



SANDYCOVE COMMUNITY SPIRIT POKER RUN Sat. June 17, 2023

Get your golf carts ready, dust off your bicycles, gas up your car or get out your walking shoes on and join us for the **2023 POKER RUN.**

A **POKER RUN** is a game where you travel to 5 addresses of your choice in Sandycove and collect 5 playing cards in order to make a 5-card poker hand. **Check in begins at 12:30 PM** at the **Wheel** to receive a score card, a map and a list of Host addresses. At the 5 addresses you choose, you'll draw a card from the deck and the Host will record it on your score sheet and initial it. Each Host at the address will initial your draw. Each Host will also have a special treat to offer you at the door...just for playing. Once you have your 5-card poker hand, you will **return to the Wheel no later than 3:00 pm** and have your hand recorded.

There is an entry fee is \$5.00 for each score card. This is a fundraiser for Community Spirit and proceeds will be divided - 30% to the committee to be used for future work; 70% will be distributed as prize money for the best poker hand, 2nd and 3rd best poker hand and the WORST poker hand.

NOTE: After returning to the Wheel, if you decide you want to try to improve your poker hand, you may discard up to 3 cards from your hand and draw 3 more. It will cost you \$1.00 for each new card drawn.

Players and Hosts are invited to the **Social @ the Wheel from 3:00 – 5:00**. BYOB & G with some snacks provided. Winners will be announced at that time, prizes and share the wealth.

If you are interested in participating in the Poker Run as a player, please register by calling Bev Pacheco at 705-431-8071.

If you would like to **volunteer as a Host** address, please call Leslie Phair/Brendan Burns at 647-518-5993.

If you have any **questions** about the event, or wish to attend the event and **require** assistance, please contact Bruce at 705-431-4143 or Murray at 705-627-1667

Citizens' Police Academy 2023

We are please to annouce that the Citizens' Police Academy is returning this summer. The sessions will start on **Wednesday**, **July 12**th and run for 7 weeks with graduation being held on Wed August 23rd.

This is a **FREE** event for all residents. Preregistration is required and there will be limited spots available.

If you have never attended this academy, you are missing out, as it is a great place to learn about your local police force – South Simcoe Police Services and all the other agencies that are so important and necessary for all of us.

This is not a workshop – no tests – just informative sessions. This year, the CPA, hosted as always by Special Constable Elisabeth, will be held at the **Spok**e from **9:30am-12:00 noon**.

If interested in pre-registering, please call Linda Moyles @ 705-436-7949 or by emailing your name, address and phone number to eptsca@yahoo.com.

Registration now open – don't miss
out on this great experience.
Sandycove Acres – Emergency
Preparedness Team
A proud and vital part of the Home
Owners' Association



ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING & ELECTIONS

Sunday, June 25th @ 2:00 pm at The Wheel

(doors open at 1:30 pm)

HOA Members Only Event

New Memberships & Renewals available at the Door.

Members - please bring your Membership Card



Pictures from Emergency Preparedness Day at the Wheel









SCA Veterans Social Club Upcoming Event

The Sandycove Veterans Social Club is once again hosting a **Canada Day breakfast** at the **Cove Cafe** from **8:00 am to 10:30**, tickets are \$10.00. <u>Ticket pickup is</u> <u>June 17th</u> from **9-10** am in the **Hub Meeting Room**

Call Pat Laidlaw for tickets at (705) 431-7028.

You don't have to be a Veteran to join the Veterans' Social Club, but the benefits are worth it. Our events are fun for socializing with great people and you save on dance tickets. Contact Brenda Peters at 705-436-4208 to join.

We will be honouring a Sandycove Vet each month with a story about their life and service to their Country. L.L.

Captain Fred White, a Sandycove Veteran

Fred was born in Brampton, ON, July 17, 1958. Two of Fred's uncles served in Italy during WWII. The family moved to Capreol a few years later. At the age of 15, he joined the Army Cadets. On completing High school in 1976, he joined the Canadian Armed Forces. Following Basic training in Cornwallis, NS, he went to Borden to complete his initial trades training as a Vehicle Technician (Veh Tech).

After completing his course in 1977, he was posted to 1 Service Battalion in Calgary. In 1979, he went on his first overseas tour to Ismailia, Egypt. He was with United Nations Emergency (UNEF II), policing the dispute over the Suez Canal. In 1980 back in Calgary, he completed his next level of Veh Tech training and obtained his civilian auto mechanic license.

In 1982, he was voluntarily released from the Military to try his luck in the Alberta oil patch. During his time out he married Victoria and had the first of 4 girls. He re-enrolled in 1984, and in 1988, now a Master Corporal, was posted to Cornwallis Recruit School, this time as an instructor. Over the years, he's had postings in Goose Bay, Lab (91-94), Gagetown, NB (94-95), Val Cartier, Que (95-96), Petawawa, ON (96-05 and 07-09), Ottawa, ON (05-07 and 09-12) and Halifax, NS (12-14).

In 1998, Fred spent 7 months in Bosnia and Herzegovina as 1 of 11 Canadians in a multi-national unit working to help rebuild the country. His next tour in 2003 was 6 months in Kabul, Afghanistan as the Regimental Sergeant Major (RSM) of the National Support Element (NSE). This was the first rotation of many for the Canadians in Afghanistan. A dangerous time as 4 Canadian soldiers were killed during that rotation alone.

In 2008, he returned to Afghanistan, this time to Kandahar as the RSM of the NSE for another 6-month rotation. During one trip delivering supplies to the Forward Bases the convoy drove over an Improvised Explosive Device (IED) in the road. Luckily it didn't go off and was discovered and removed before the return trip.

Back in Ottawa now, he received a special commission to the rank of Captain. His experience and trade knowledge had afforded him the privilege to speak openly to senior officers when needed. The last 2 years of his 38 years of service to his country were spent in the Reserves in Halifax. As a civilian now, he was the shop foreman at the Brandt Tractor and then an Equipment Maintenance Supervisor with Halifax Transit.

Fred and Victoria moved to Sandycove in 2018 to be closer to their girls and 4 grandchildren. Fred is presently working at Base Borden as a civilian Storesman. When not working, he enjoys darts, playing his guitar, riding his motorcycle, and volunteering at the Military Museum at Base Borden. As busy as he is, he has joined the Veterans Social Club as our Vice-President.



Canada Day Dance Saturday, July 1, 2023 At the Wheel Ballroom

(doors open @ 7:00 pm)
Trooping of the Colours @ 7:30 pm
Featuring **D.J. Music Mac**

Share the Wealth Draws & Special Draw for Arms Length Raffle - \$10.00 – Lots of great prizes to be won! All proceeds will be donated to RVH Innisfil Campus. There will also be Door prizes and Spot Dance Prizes. BYOB&G

Call Karen Smith for tickets - \$15.00 per person 705-725-1670

Ticket pick-up is Saturday, June 10th between 9:00 -10:30 am at the Hub Meeting Room.

There will be no assigned seating for this dance

2023 SANDYCOVE CANADA DAY EVENTS

In this wonderful Country of CANADA, we have a lot to celebrate! In Sandycove we plan for a whole day of fun activities with breakfast, a Parade, a BBQ lunch, fun games for residents, (grandchildren welcome), and ending with the **2023 CANADA DAY DANCE!**

VETERAN'S BREAKFAST

Residents can call Pat Laidlaw at 705-431-7028 for tickets.

8 am - 10 am

SANDYCOVE CANADA DAY PARADE

RESIDENTS REGISTRATION

9 am - 9:45 am

Start from The Wheel Parking Lot

10 am SHARP

Only Registered Entrants will be eligible to WIN prizes.

* **Residents** are invited to decorate any type of vehicle, come early to register, and join in the fun!

* Non-Residents will join the parade by invitation.

COVE CAFE BBQ

11 am - 2 pm

BBQ served with live entertainment by The Fitzees!

Come join us in the parkette by the parking lot.

BRING YOUR LAWN CHAIR, HAT, & SUNSCREEN!

CANADA DAY GAMES

1 pm - 3 pm

Games will be held by the Spoke for residents.

Grandchildren welcome. Play games and you may win prizes!

2023 CANADA DAY DANCE

Doors open at 7 pm

Featuring DJ Music Mac!

For tickets call Karen Smith at 705–725–1670

TROOPING OF THE COLOURS at 7:30 pm



THE CANADA DAY COMMITTEE

The Committee will sell Share the Wealth tickets at the BBQ in support of the Canada day activities.



SANDYCOVE MEDICAL RIDE PROGRAM

Coordinator: Nancy Peters

NOTE CHANGE IN PHONE NUMBER:

CELL: 647-293-9910

VOLUNTEER DRIVERS PROVIDING RIDES TO MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS

Please give us at least 48 hours notice of appointments so that we have time to find you a driver. The farther in advance you can call to book a ride, the better.

These are personal phone numbers. PLEASE only call during reasonable hours. If no one answers, leave a message with your name, address, phone number and the details of your appointment. It is important that you speak clearly when leaving your details, especially the phone number. A volunteer driver will be assigned. They will call you back to confirm your appointment details and establish a pickup time for your appointment.

In the event of an Emergency, please call 911 as we do not provide this service.

NOTE: Sandycove Drug Store will deliver your prescription as well as OTC goods for a small fee. And you'll get to see our very own Pat Laidlaw when she comes to deliver.

Regular Rides:

Alcona/Stroud.....\$15.00 Rizzardo Health & Wellness Centre.....\$20.00 Huronia/Hurst.....\$20.00 Barrie (RVH, Quarry Ridge, Lakeside).....\$25.00

Longer Distances:

Alliston/Orillia.....\$50.00 Newmarket.....\$75.00 Toronto.....\$100

One way is the same charge as both ways.

Failure to notify a Driver of a cancelled appointment = \$10.00 Fee at Pick Up

Parking fees incurred are your extra charge. As an alternative...perhaps you could buy your driver a coffee at the nearest Tim Horton's and make arrangements to call him/her after your appointment.

Amounts are doubled on regular drives if they are over 2 hours. Questions about longer distances/longer appointments? Please discuss this ahead of time with the Coordinator so that there are no misunderstandings.

***Drivers are unable to sign riders out after day surgery. You must make arrangements to have someone with you to sign you out or with the Doctor to sign yourself out.

\$\$\$ the amount you offer the driver thanks them for their time and helps offset the ridiculous price of gas \bigcirc