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#### Welcome!

It is a great pleasure to welcome so many new neighbours to our community. We are experiencing a renewal as more and more people are choosing Ryde as their happy place! It is exciting to see plans go-

ing forward for renovations and new builds. We hope that you will become members. The very best way to meet new friends is to join the Ryde Co-op. The Co-op's Building Committee is very pleased to welcome Richard Break as their newest member.

Please consider joining one of our great committees: Building, Special Events, Meals, Heritage and/or Accessibility Advisory. There is also room on the Board of Directors!

#### **Grant News**

We are happy to announce that we have been successful in three applications: We were awarded \$6000 from Cooperator's Insurance to make a promotional video for the Co-op, \$2000 from Shopper's Drug Mart's SHOPPERS LOVE YOU fund to run eight Foot Care Cafes



in the Fall and Winter, and \$500 from the District of Muskoka's Pay it Forward Fund for two age-friendly chairs for our Terence Haight room. We are very grateful to these funding agencies.



Town of Gravenhurst Council Meeting and BBQ **Dinner-** Tueday, July 18 at 5:30. Council Meeting at 7:00 pm. We are pleased to host the Gravenhurst Town Council for their annual visit to Ryde. No tickets are required for this event. \$10 for BBQ dinner. There will be a deputation and display about turtles from START Muskoka.

# Ryde's Heritage Day

### Saturday, August 19 from 12 until 4

Don't miss our annual celebration of all things Ryde! There will be live music from Cruise n' Country, displays, vendors, food and a beer tent. We need your help to make this day successful. To volunteer, please contact any Board member.

#### **Ryde Home Improvements!**

We were very lucky to have the services of Beaver Creek, which sent us skilled workers to assist with some dangerous tree removal, painting and landscaping. You will notice that the Terence Haight room and the kitchen at the Co-op have been freshly painted and the ceiling in



the computer lab is no longer a sickly shade of green! We also thank Joanne Washburn, Nancy Cronin, Richard Hearne, Sterling Cooper and Richard Break for help with the Beaver Creek work crew. Ryde Free Methodist Church offered us the use of their premises while the Co-op was closed for renovations. Another great Ryde team effort!

### **Upcoming Events**

- Bid Euchre Every Wednesday At the RCC from 1pm.
- VON SMART Exercise program -Every Monday & Wednesday starting at 9:30am.
- WISE Seniors' Clubhouse July 7 from 10:30 at Gull Lake Park in Gravenhurst. \$3/person.
- Tai Chi and Qigong Thursdays 10:30 - 11:30am - \$2
- Ryde Knitters and Hookers Fridays at Summerland - 10am - \$2
- Diabetes Clinic and Wellness Day- Wednesday, July 19 from 9:30 to 1:00
- Town of Gravenhurst Council Meeting and BBQ Dinner \$10-Tuesday, July 18 at 5:30. Council Meeting at 7:00 pm. No tickets required for this event.
- Next Board Meeting July 31 -10:30am. At the Co-op.
- Heritage Day Sat Aug 19, 12 -4pm
- Meet the Needs Seniors Fair-Friday, September 15 -free lunch and great displays-everyone welcome
- Co-op Bottle Drive-Saturday, September 30.

#### **COMMUNITY NOTICES**

- **Holy Manger Anglican Church** 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month at
- **Ryde Free Methodist Church** Thank you Sterling and Cheryl! Regular service July 30th at 10:30am, then join us for a reception at 2:30 - 4pm.

#### **Summerland General Store**

May monthly \$20 food basket is due Tues July 4th by 9 am and picked up on Thurs July 13th. Download schedule here: <a href="http://bit.ly/1zYziH2">http://bit.ly/1zYziH2</a>

#### **Announcement:**

Reverend Sterling Cooper and his wife Cheryl are retiring from their ministry at Ryde Centennial Free Methodist Church. You are welcome to attend his last official service on Sunday, July 30 at 10:30 am. A reception will take place that afternoon between 2:30 and 4:00 at the church. Best wishes only.

### Thank you's:

- **Superior Home Health Care** (Grant Wager 705-571-4830) for a generous loan of a scooter to a Ryde resident at the District Senior Fair
- Richard Hearne for Ryde shed roof repair and scrap metal run

Horseshoes Anyone? If enough people are interested, Ted Redpath will donate two sets of horseshoes, help to build horseshoes pits at the Co-op, and organize games for men and women. If interested please contact Ted at 705-687-2500, or ted@tedredpath.com



Diabetes Clinic and Wellness Day- Wednesday, July 19 from 9:30 to 1:00. Our second free event. You do not need to be a client of the Diabetes Clinic to attend the Wellness Day, which includes meal preparation, a

health topic, and a free lunch. To register for either or both activities, please call the Orillia Soldier's Memorial Hospital Diabetes Centre at 705-325-7611 ext. 703, or sign up at the Co-op or Summerland store.

#### **Summerland General Store**

While you are at the store, don't forget to order a Fresh Food Basket for \$20. Orders must be in by 9 am on Tuesday, July 4th and pick up day is Thursday, July 13th.





#### SMART and Tai Chi

Join our fun fitness classes. These are offered by trained volunteers and provide not only a great workout, but a social time as well.

### Wise Clubhouse Picnic-Friday, July 7 at 10:30 at **Gull Lake Park in Gravenhurst**

The District of Muskoka's WISE Clubhouse for Seniors winds up with a free picnic in the park! For more information, please call Nancy at 705-645-2412 ext. 199.



### Friends of Ryde

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