

March 2017 Edition



Spring is in the Air!

As winter winds down, we look ahead to spring, which always means getting outside and tackling our yards. Our annual Yard Work program runs from May through September and offers weekly yard maintenance for seniors with health and mobility challenges without family or supports to assist them. The cost for this service is based on income level; rates will apply accordingly.

Spring Cleanup

Thanks to our partners at RBC and United Way, we are able to provide service days to seniors who require a larger, one-time yard clean-up. Eligibility requirements apply; please contact us for more details at 250-828-0600.

Upcoming Programs

Volunteer Income Tax Program February 28th - April 25th

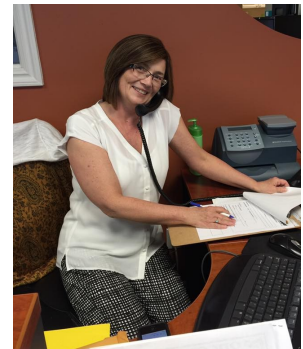
Seniors meeting the low-income criteria can have their 2016 Income Tax Return filed by a trained Oncore Tax Volunteer free of charge.

NEW! Pre-Registration for the program is required. Registration started February 1st, 2017. Call 250-828-0600.

REMINDER: Failure to file your income tax on time could result in the interruption of GIS and GST funds.

Meet our Staff

Hello, my name is Theresa Busch and I am the Office Administrative Assistant. If you have called the office I am usually the first person you speak too. I have been working for Oncore Seniors Society for a little over a year. My husband and I moved here 3 years ago from Saskatchewan to be closer to family. We are now proud to call ourselves Kamloopsians!!



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Programs

Housekeeping

The Light Housekeeping Program offers general housekeeping services to seniors in the community. Housekeeping staff are vetted and trained according to Oncore Seniors Society standards.

HIRING: Oncore Seniors Society is currently seeking professional housekeeping staff for the Light Housekeeping Program. Applicants must have a strong work ethic, pleasant demeanor and ability to self-supervise. Wages are negotiable.

[For a full job description and how to apply, please contact us at 250-828-0600, info@oncoreseniorsociety.ca.](mailto:info@oncoreseniorsociety.ca)

Volunteers

Volunteer Appreciation-Save the Date!

Our annual Volunteer Appreciation reception takes place on Monday, April 24th at the Hotel 540. Watch for invites coming to your inbox at the end of March; more details to follow also in the April newsletter.

Thank You

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our new and returning Income Tax volunteers participating with our 2017 program. We are delighted to have the TRU Business and Economics students on board again this year with us which we are "TRUly" thankful for.



Executive Director's Corner

Hi Everyone

I am really looking forward to seeing as many of you as possible at our Volunteer Appreciation Event coming up in April (see above). Last year's event was very well attended and fun was had by all. It is a great chance for us to give thanks to our many volunteers, who come out week after week and support the seniors in our community.

Keith

