

# The Augustine Eagle

*MAY 2022*

**Happy  
Mother's Day!**



# **FRIDAY NIGHT MOVIES**

## **FRIDAY MAY 6<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 PM " CRUELLA "**

Estella is a young and clever grifter who's determined to make a name for herself in the fashion world. She soon meets a pair of thieves who appreciate her appetite for mischief, and together they build a life for themselves on the streets of London. However, when Estella befriends fashion legend Baroness von Hellman, she embraces her wicked side to become the raucous and revenge-bent Cruella.

## **FRIDAY MAY 13<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 PM " SPENCER "**

The marriage between Princess Diana and Prince Charles has long since grown cold. Though rumors of affairs and a divorce abound, peace is ordained for the Christmas festivities at the queen's estate. There's eating and drinking, shooting and hunting. Diana knows the game, but this year, things will be profoundly different.

## **FRIDAY MAY 20<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 PM "THE TENORS - LIVE FROM LAS VEGAS "**

The Tenors headline in Las Vegas for a powerful concert at Reynolds Hall in the Smith Center. Their live act has all of the intensity and romance of their CDs and more. This live hit concert on DVD showcases their hit "Nessun Dorma" and many other remarkable songs such as "You And I," "Lead with Your Heart," "Amazing Grace," "Forever Young".

## **FRIDAY MAY 27<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 PM "THE BELLS OF ST MARYS"**

Father O'Malley (Bing Crosby) is transferred to the Roman Catholic inner-city school St. Mary's, where he quickly falls into conflict with its headmistress, Sister Mary (Ingrid Bergman). Their primary disagreement has to do with the deteriorating school itself. Father O'Malley feels it should be abandoned and the children sent to other schools. Sister Mary and the other nuns, however, believe there is still hope, possibly in the form of charity from a wealthy business owner (Henry Travers).

**(RESIDENT RECOMMENDED)**

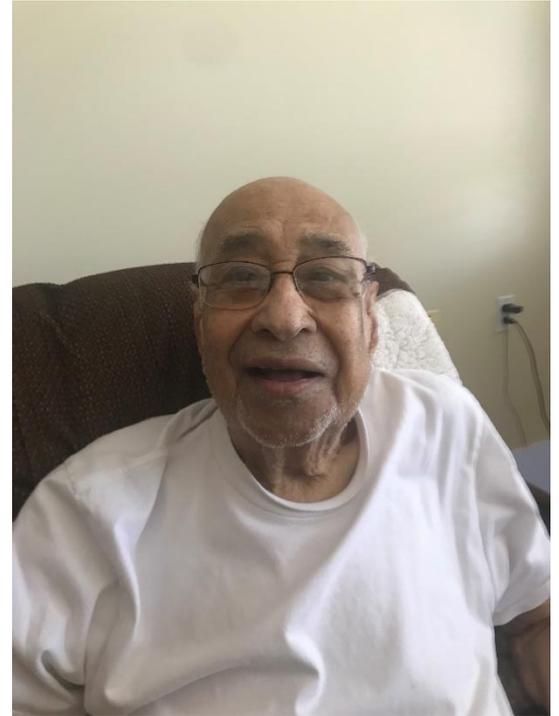
Please note : Our **Sunday** Matinee will now be Closed Captioned (CC)

# WHO'S NEW IN THE HOUSE



## MICHAEL 'Mickey'

Mickey was born on January 2<sup>nd</sup> 1934 on the island of Trinidad, which is located just off the coast of Venezuela. Mickey had 1 brother who was 4 years older than him. Mickey's mother was a housewife & his father a businessman. Mickey has enjoyed a diverse business career himself. After completing Catholic College, Mickey joined his dad in business. Mickey has done many different things, such as assembling and manufacturing everything from jewelry, men's and women's fashions & accessories, oriental goods, and electronics. Mickey soon developed an interest in the electronics industry & was responsible for introducing Toshiba and Samsung to the Caribbean Nation. Mickey built factories and employed many people, and worked on computer memory systems. Mickey met his wife Sue when he was 17 years old, and married her at the age of 20. Together they had 6 children & 2 great grandchildren. In 1977 Mickey moved his family to Canada, and after living in Toronto, and Alberta, they settled in Richmond, and later Tsawwassen. While Mickey commuted between The Caribbean and Canada, Sue took excellent care of the children. Mickey is very happy to be here at Augustine House & takes one day at a time. Welcome Mickey.



**Welcome to Augustine House Mickey**

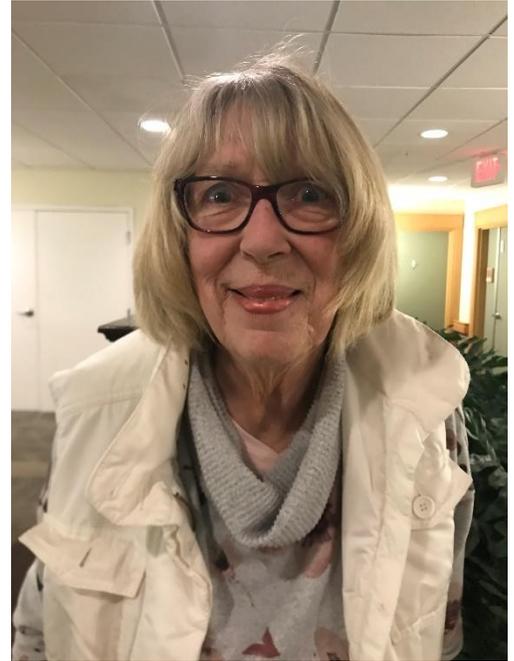
## LYNDA

Lynda Watson was born in Victoria and moved to Vancouver when she was a baby.

Lynda's father, William was a Sargeant with the Vancouver Police Department and her mother, Margaret worked at Woodwards. They lived in the Mount Pleasant Area.

Lynda met her husband Don when they both attended John Oliver High School. After graduation she trained as a hairdresser and worked until she married Don in 1967. He worked for the City of Vancouver. They moved to Ladner in 1968 and raised two sons. She has four grandchildren

Lynda enjoyed travelling, gardening, reading and volunteering at Delta Hospital. Her travels have taken her to Europe, Cuba, East coast of North America and a special place, Haida Gwaii.



**Welcome to Augustine House Lynda**

***To Mom:***

I'm hungry...  
I'm cold...  
I'm hot...  
Can I have...  
I want to watch...  
Where are you?  
Can you ask Dad?  
Can you help me...  
He hurt me...  
She hurt me...  
I want to go there...  
When are we...?  
Why are we...?  
Why can't we?

***To Dad:***

**Where's Mom?**

# Queen Victoria

**Victoria** (Alexandrina Victoria; 24 May 1819 – 22 January 1901) was Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland from 20 June 1837 until her death in 1901. Known as the Victorian era, her reign of 63 years and seven months was longer than any previous British monarch.

It was a period of industrial, political, scientific, and military change within the United Kingdom, and was marked by a great expansion of the British Empire. In 1876, Parliament voted to grant her the additional title of Empress of India.

Victoria was the daughter of Prince Edward, Duke of Kent and Strathearn (the fourth son of King George III), and Princess Victoria of Saxe-Coburg-Saalfeld. After both the Duke and his father died in 1820, she was raised under close supervision by her mother and her comptroller, John Conroy. She inherited the throne aged 18 after her father's three elder brothers died without surviving legitimate issue. Though a constitutional monarch, privately, Victoria attempted to influence government policy and ministerial appointments; publicly, she became a national icon who was identified with strict standards of personal morality.

Victoria married her first cousin Prince Albert of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha in 1840.

Their children married into royal and noble families across the continent, earning Victoria the sobriquet "the grandmother of Europe". After Albert's death in 1861, Victoria plunged into deep mourning and avoided public appearances.

As a result of her seclusion, republicanism in the United Kingdom temporarily gained strength, but in the latter half of her reign, her popularity recovered.

Her Golden and Diamond Jubilees were times of public celebration. She died on the Isle of Wight in 1901. The last British monarch of the House of Hanover, she was succeeded by her son Edward VII of the House of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha.



# Friday HAPPY HOUR



*FRIDAY MAY 6<sup>TH</sup> BRIAN GIMBEL*

*FRIDAY MAY 13<sup>TH</sup> LIZ AND STEVE*

*FRIDAY MAY 20<sup>TH</sup> SAX OF US*

*FRIDAY MAY 27<sup>TH</sup> BEN DUNNILL*



**BILLIARDS/ POOL GROUP**

**WEDNESDAYS**

**3:30 PM**

# VICTORIA DAY

The birthday of Queen Victoria was a day for celebration in Canada long before Confederation, with the first legislation regarding the event being in 1845 passed by the parliament of the Province of Canada to officially recognize May 24 as the Queen's birthday. It was noted that on that date in 1854, the 35th birthday of Queen Victoria, some 5,000 residents of Canada West gathered in front of Government House (near present-day King and Simcoe Streets in Toronto) to "give cheers to their queen". An



example of a typical 19th century celebration of the Queen's birthday took place on May 24, 1866, in Omemee, also in Canada West: the town mounted a day-long *fête* to mark the occasion, including a gun salute at midnight, pre-dawn serenades, picnics, athletic competitions, a display of illuminations, and a torch-light procession; such events were common around the colony and, by the 1890s, the day had become a "patriotic holiday".

Following the death of Queen Victoria in 1901, May 24 was made by law to be known as *Victoria Day*, a date to remember the late queen, who was deemed the "Mother of Confederation", and, in 1904, the same date was by imperial decree made Empire Day throughout the British Empire. Over the ensuing decades, the official date in Canada of the reigning sovereign's birthday changed through various royal proclamations until the haphazard format was abandoned in 1952. That year, both Empire Day and Victoria Day were, by order-in-council and statutory amendment, respectively, moved to the Monday before May 25 and the monarch's official birthday in Canada was by regular viceregal proclamations made to fall on this same date every year between 1953 and January 31, 1957, when the link was made permanent by royal proclamation. The following year, Empire Day was renamed Commonwealth Day and in 1977 it was moved to the second Monday in March, leaving the Monday before May 25 only as both Victoria Day and the Queen's Birthday.



Mother's Day is a celebration honoring the mother of the family, as well as motherhood, maternal bonds, and the influence of mothers in society. It is celebrated on various days in many parts of the world, most commonly in the months of March or May. It complements similar celebrations honoring family members, such as Father's Day and Siblings Day.

In the United States, celebration of Mother's Day began in the early 20th century. It is not related to the many celebrations of mothers and motherhood that have occurred throughout the world over thousands of years, such as the Greek cult to Cybele, the Roman festival of Hilaria, or the Christian Mothering Sunday celebration (originally a commemoration of Mother Church, not motherhood). In some countries, Mother's Day has become synonymous with these older traditions.

The modern American holiday of Mother's Day was first celebrated in 1908, when Anna Jarvis held a memorial for her mother at St Andrew's Methodist Church in Grafton, West Virginia. Today St Andrew's Methodist Church now holds the International Mother's Day Shrine. Her campaign to make "Mother's Day" a recognized holiday in the United States began in 1905, the year her mother, Ann Reeves Jarvis, died. Ann Jarvis had been a peace activist who cared for wounded soldiers on both sides of the American Civil War, and created Mother's Day Work Clubs to address public health issues. Anna Jarvis wanted to honor her mother by continuing the work she started and to set aside a day to honor all mothers, because she believed that they were "the person who has done more for you than anyone in the world".

In 1908, the US Congress rejected a proposal to make Mother's Day an official holiday, joking that they would have to proclaim also a "Mother-in-law's Day". However, owing to the efforts of Anna Jarvis, by 1911 all US states observed the holiday, with some of them officially recognizing Mother's Day as a local holiday, the first being West Virginia, Jarvis' home state, in 1910. In 1914, Woodrow Wilson signed a proclamation designating Mother's Day, held on the second Sunday in May, as a national holiday to honor mothers.

# MOTHERS DAY WISDOM

All of us have been guided by our mother's voice, wisdom, and common sense, even if we do not think so sometimes. Whether we remember what she said fondly, or try to forget these phrases, they are still part of us. Ultimately, without realizing it, we pass them along to our children, who will most likely pass it on to their children. Here are some old favorites.

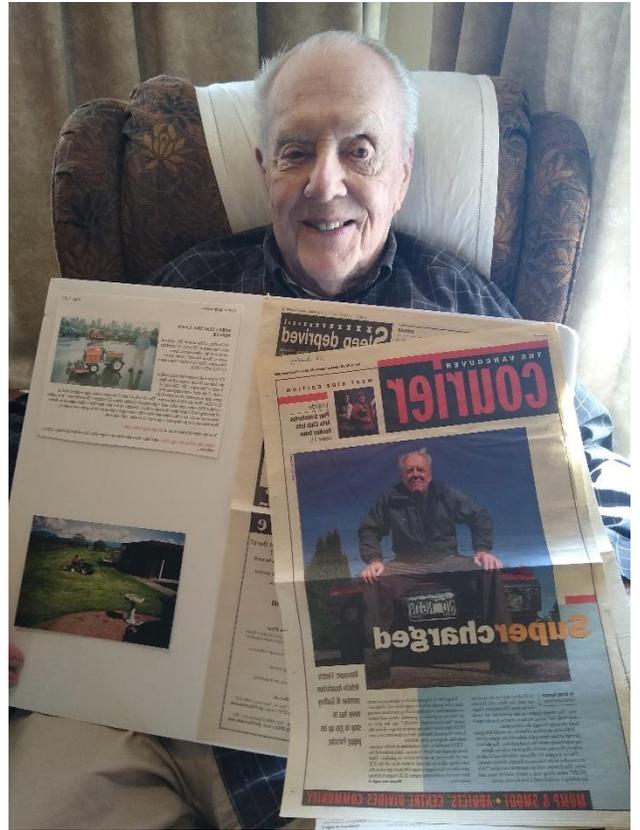
- Don't cross your eyes they'll stay that way.
- If your friend jumped off a cliff, would you do that as well?
- You'll put someone's eye out with that thing.
- How many times have I told you, don't throw things in the house.
- Close the door, were you born in a barn.
- Don't put that in your mouth, you don't know where it's been.
- Why? Because I said so that's why.
- Don't use that tone with me.
- Eat those carrots, have you ever seen a rabbit wearing glasses.
- Did you flush?
- There's enough dirt in those ears to grow potatoes.
- Be good – but if you can't be good, be careful.
- I don't care what "everyone" is doing, I care what you're doing.
- If you can't say something nice, don't say anything at all.
- One day, you'll be a parent.
- Don't talk with your mouth full.
- Wear clean underwear in case you get into an accident.
- Sit up straight.
- Don't pick, it will get infected.
- I'm not talking just to hear myself.

Haven House resident

Al, was a man before his time, Al refitted cars to electric as far back as 30 years ago, when he was still living and working in Richmond.

His first one was a Mini Minor.

Here he is with a cover feature from the Vancouver Courier.



## LADNER MAY DAY PARADE

SUNDAY MAY 29<sup>th</sup>

BUS LEAVES HERE AT 11:00 A.M.

SIGNUP AT THE BULLETIN BOARD.

## MEET THE STAFF

# 78

**NAME:** RYGEL

**POSITION:** LPN

**WHAT IS YOUR BASIC PHILOSOPHY IN LIFE:** “Good actions give strength to ourselves and inspire good actions in others” Plato.

**WHAT ARE YOUR FAVORITE BOOKS/MOVIES:** My Favourite books are Fahrenheit 451, and To Kill A Mocking Bird, and my favorite movies are Home Alone, Fast and Furious, Iron Man and Spiderman.

**WHAT DID YOU WANT TO BE GROWING UP:** a mechanic or pilot as a kid, I loved to work on engines and loved the experience of flying.

**WHAT KIND OF MUSIC DO YOU LIKE:** I listen to a lot of classic 80 and 90 music as I grew up listening to them from my parents, and also like the new forms of music such as hip hop.

**WHAT DO YOU DO FOR FUN:** I love to play sports such as soccer, snowboarding, and golf. I also love spending time with my family and doing activities together

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE COCKTAIL:** Shirley temple (i prefer mocktails)

**WHAT MAKES YOU HAPPY:** helping others and spending time with friends and family

**WHAT IS YOUR IDEAL DATE NIGHT:** watching a movie or doing an activity together

**WHO WOULD YOU MOST LIKE TO MEET :** I would love to meet some actors from movies such as Spiderman (Tobey Maguire), as I always loved Spiderman movies as a kid.

**WHAT IS YOUR PERFECT VACATION:** a trip to Hawaii for a month

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE FOOD:** my favourite food is BBQ ribs and/or steaks

**WHAT ADVICE WOULD YOU GIVE A 12 YEAR OLD:** enjoy life as much as possible and always keep on learning as knowledge is power

**WHAT WERE YOUR HIGH SCHOOL GRADES LIKE:** my grades were pretty good with an average grade of 82 or higher (A-B)

**PARTING WORDS TO THE MASSES ARE...:** hope to meet all the residents at Augustine house and would like to thank the staff and residents for letting me join their establishment





# Happy Mother's Day

# Word Search

W H A P P Y W G N I R A C O H  
S N S R E H T O M D N A R G L  
P V T H O U G H T F U L D N K  
G A E N H N E N E N H H Y V L  
N C R C G G O C R C G R A N A  
E N G E F F U H U N E F D C I  
R S I S N K I D S S P A I N C  
D P V P L T U P P P L M L S E  
L L I L A A J E J L A I O F P  
I O N O Y S C O H A P O H A S  
H I G A W T L O V I N G K M W  
C K M K Q Q M K M K Q Q O I Q  
B U D U S P R I N G A M B L A  
J A E T A R E D I S N O C Y Z  
Y H H S R E H T O M V V M J P

See how many of these newspaper related words you can find in the puzzle.  
The words can be forward, backward or diagonal.

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|------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------|
| 1. Mothers | 6. Holiday      | 11. Respect     | 16. Giving  |
| 2. Day     | 7. Loving       | 12. Thoughtful  | 17. Special |
| 3. Moms    | 8. Caring       | 13. Family      | 18. Happy   |
| 4. Kids    | 9. Children     | 14. Considerate | 19. May     |
| 5. Parent  | 10. Grandmother | 15. Honor       | 20. Spring  |



JOIN US FOR WEEKLY MASS FROM  
HOLY ROSARY CATHEDRAL IN VANCOUVER

MEDIA ROOM

TUESDAYS

9:30 AM



*BIRTHDAY AND WELCOME TEA BY DONATION*

*THURSDAY MAY 19<sup>TH</sup>*

*DINING ROOM*

*2:50 PM*

# HAVEN HOUSE HAPPENINGS

April has come and gone and we're looking forward to the month of May. We continue to feel grateful for the lovely weather, as it offers opportunities to get outside, and enjoy all the changes happening in our own backyard. Have you had a chance to see all the colorful tulips and daffodils around the house? Get out and enjoy them before they are gone.

We will be celebrating three birthdays in May! We look forward to enjoying cake & honoring our friends on their special days. We will also start working on planting our garden in May. We do love flowers but want to focus on growing more veggies this year. You will also see us keeping busy in May with activities like, trivia, indoor and outdoor walks, games, and musical events. We wish you a lovely, sunshine filled May.





Dear Residents,

I would like to thank each of you for your cooperation during these last few weeks. Through staff observation, we were able to catch the infection quickly to reduce the spread to a small number of residents. I acknowledge that it has been a challenge for many of you; for those required to stay in quarantine and those isolating until we could rule out infection, and for those missing conversation over meals, or exercise programs, or happy hour. I would also like to acknowledge the hard work of our staff over this time. They came to work and stepped up to provide extra care, housekeeping, and meals in rooms. It takes a team to deal with a challenge like this. And our team of staff and residents have worked together, doing their part to keep everyone as safe as possible while following precautions to ensure their own safety. Thank you.

Covid-19 variants continue to change and evolve. To date our vaccination regime has proven successful in reducing the severity of illness. But we continue to remain vigilant and we ask you to do so as well. This includes wearing a mask whenever you are out of the building, asking your visitors to wear a mask while visiting, and ensuring you are washing your hands regularly. The government mask mandate has been lifted for many public settings, but we encourage you to continue to wear a mask when out and about.

As we move forward into spring we look forward to doing more outside; going for walks, visiting, and outdoor recreation.

We continue to encourage you to spend time outside, in part because it is good for our souls and, in part, because it is much harder for the COVID-19 virus to spread to others outside.

When I was a baby my mother would bundle me up and have me take naps outside because fresh outside air was considered the healthiest air. This remains true.

Finally, I want to wish everyone a Happy Mother's Day. May we remember our mothers fondly and honour those mothers around us today.

Yours,

Jackie Reiners

Executive Director.

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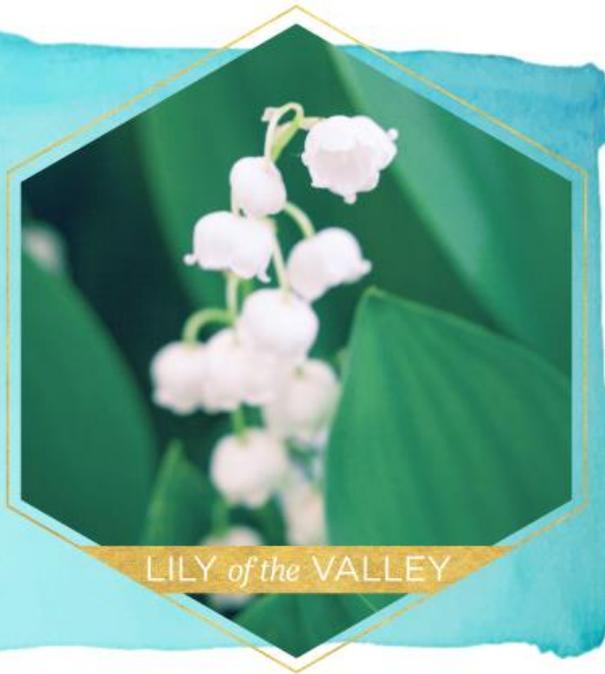
BIRTH FLOWER

*motherhood*

*chastity*

*purity*

*sweetness*



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