ROSSLAND RIDGE REVIEW



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Rossland Ridge Review Editorial Policy

- All submissions to the newsletter must be signed by the writer when submitted but do not necessarily have to be published in the newsletter
- II. Opinions expressed in the newsletter reflect the point of view of the writer only and do not necessarily represent the opinion of the newsletter committee or Rossland Ridge Cooperative Homes Inc.
- III. Submissions will not be published which are critical of individual Cooperative members or staff, libellous, racist, sexist or discriminatory.
- IV. The editor reserves the right to copy, edit submissions for length, spelling and grammar. Where substantial changes are proposed, the editor shall seek the permission of the writer. The newsletter committee shall not be required to print unedited material.
- V. The newsletter will not accept paid advertising.
- VI. All material submitted to the newsletter committee becomes the property of the newsletter committee with the exception of photographs.

For more information and inquiries about submission to the Rossland Ridge Review, please contact Sarah in Unit 18

WE ARE DIGITAL!

The newsletter is finally available online! Submissions for the newsletter for the following month are to be emailed to <u>sarahrmg.sg@gmail.com</u> before the last week of the month! This is the link to view the newsletter: http://www.rosslandridge.org/newsletter/ Simply type the link into your browser and it will take you to where you can view the newsletter. The newsletter will also be posted on our co-op Facebook page. Search "Rossland Ridge Co-operative" on Facebook to join. If you need help, don't hesitate to ask :)

To protect the members privacy, the phone and birthday list will not be included in the digital newsletter. If you require an updated phone list, please contact Shirley Smith in apartment 207.

Member Development

Hello Neighbours:

A quick update and reminder: We all have an obligation to Rossland Ridge as members of this fabulous community. Each of us has signed up to commit to 4 hours of volunteer work, a month. There are a few ways to do this.

- Yard and common areas, clean up.
- Get involved in any one or more committee.
- Join the Board of Directors

When you complete a task, or attend a meeting be sure to document and submit your hours. This all helps keep the costs of running the Co-op, lower, which benefits all of us.

Also, there was some suggestion of possibly renting a bin or arranging for a large garbage pick up for Spring cleaning. At this point, after some research and discussion with the board, it has been decided that the best solution would be for each member to arrange for removal of their own large garbage items. The conclusion comes after learning that the bin rentals are very costly and making fair arrangements for every member to make use of this, would be extremely difficult. Also, City of Oshawa was contacted and we as a co-op (not individual units) have 2 free pick-ups a year for both 909 and 899 Rossland Rd. This is great but unfortunately the city only allows 12 items, small or large for pick up. It is felt that this would also be very difficult to manage. If you have ideas or suggestions I would encourage you to share with your board of directors. Please note that large items such as electronics and furniture are not permitted in our everyday garbage bins. Waste management frowns on this and can refuse to take our garbage.

Thanks for your continued cooperation.

Member Development rrmemberdevelopment@gmail.com



All month long is Autism & Neurodiversity Acceptance month

May 9: Mother's Day

May 24: Victoria Day (Statutory Holiday)

Notice to Members: Over the next few weeks, Nicole Careford will be collecting and updating "Member Handbooks" Please have them handy!!

Care Committee Is here to help...

•in need of a drive appointments shop for groceries •just a visit coffee/tea/chat

Contact Nicole Unit 8 905-244-0545

help with a personal emergency





Landscape committee

Zoom meeting, Friday May 7th 7pm. To receive a link to the meeting please email rrlandscapecommitee@gmail.com or if you are on the Rossland Ridge Facebook group, the link will be posted there as well.

Shed keys are available at units 18, 25, 31 and 56

Exciting news there is a new riding lawn mower in the shed! DO NOT USE WITHOUT TRAINING! You can ask for training from Tom at unit 18 or Shawn at 16.

We also ask everyone in the co-op to pitch in and clean up where they can. If you are cleaning a common area you can get yard waste bags from the shed.

