



# APRIL 2020



## WHAT'S UP DOC



**Seniors 65+ & Persons with a Disability Programs:**

- ADULT DAY OUT
- TRANSPORTATION
- FRIENDLY VISITING
- TELEPHONE REASSURANCE
- READING PROGRAM
- MEALS ON WHEELS
- HOME MAINTENANCE
- DINER'S CLUB & POTLUCK
- EXERCISE CLASSES

Serving nine Municipalities; Macdonald, Meredith & Aberdeen Additional, Laird Township, Tarbutt Additional, Johnson Township, Village of Hilton Beach, Township of Hilton, Township of Jocelyn, The Corporation of the Township of St. Joseph & Part of Plummer Additional.

Serving Transportation and Day Out programs in an additional 3 Municipalities; The Town of Bruce Mines, Town of Thessalon and part of Huron Shores.

### **Dr. Harold S. Trefry Memorial Centre**

1601 C line, P.O. Box 158, Richards Landing, Ontario P0R 1J0

Email: [manager@trefrycentre.ca](mailto:manager@trefrycentre.ca)

Website: [www.stjosephtownship.com/departments/seniorservices](http://www.stjosephtownship.com/departments/seniorservices)

Health Lines for Program Information and Referrals: [www.northeasthealthline.ca](http://www.northeasthealthline.ca)

Facebook Page: [Dr. Harold S. Trefry Memorial Centre](https://www.facebook.com/DrHaroldSTrefryMemorialCentre/)

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Tel: 705.246.0036

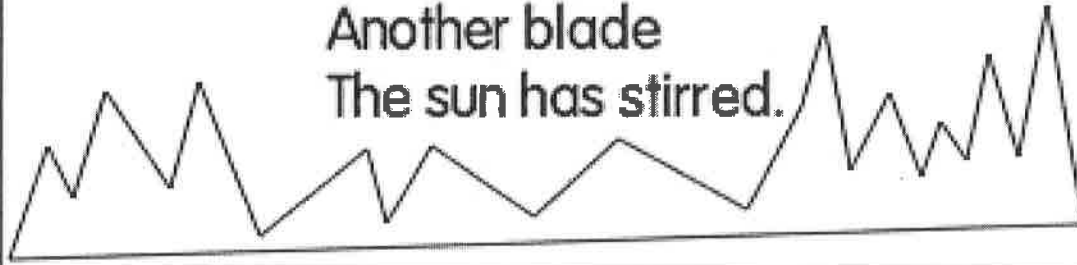
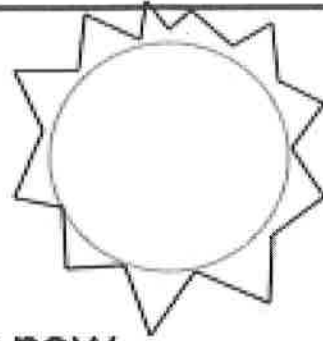
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Office Closed on *April 2 and 5, 2021*  
*Have a Safe & Happy Easter Weekend!*



## Spring

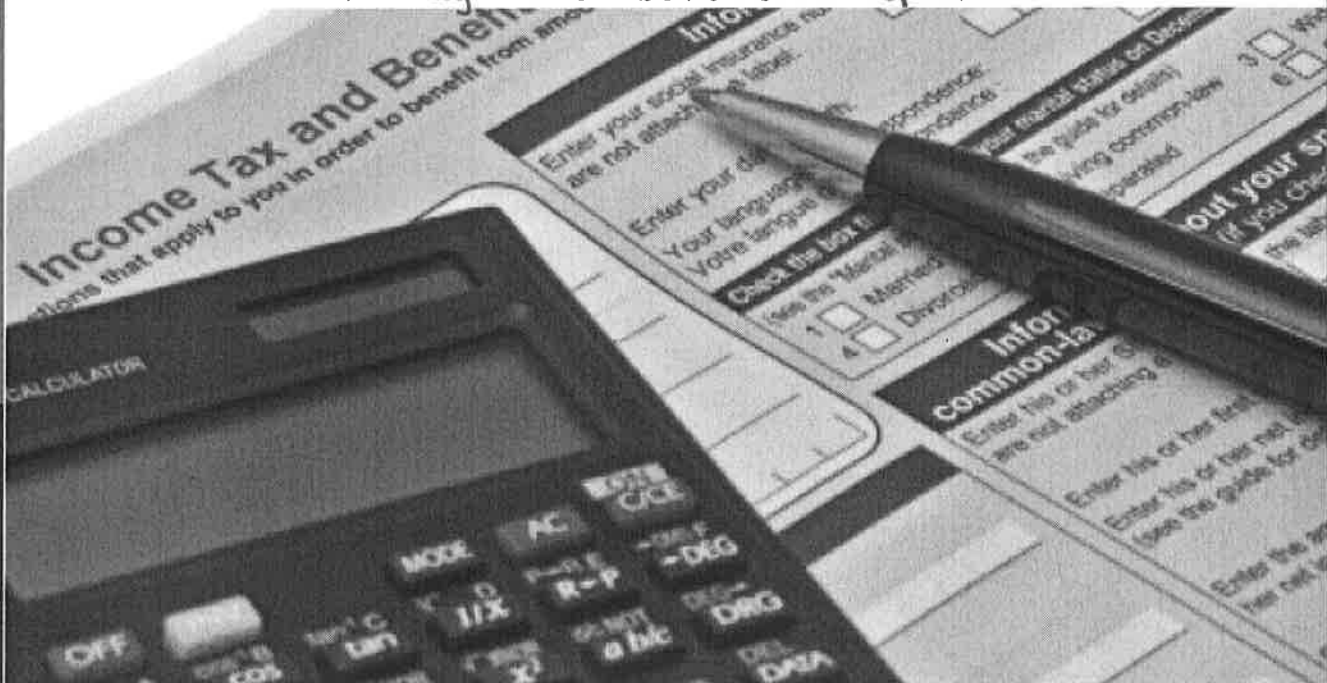
I love the spring.  
For every day  
There's something new  
That's come to stay.  
Another bud  
Another bird  
Another blade  
The sun has stirred.



# FREE TAX PREPARATION FOR LOW INCOME EARNERS

**\*\*\*BY APPOINTMENT ONLY!\*\*\*  
PLEASE CALL TREFRY MEMORIAL  
CENTRE AT 705-246-0036**

Friday March 26, 2021 1-3pm



**INCOME TAX DROP  
OFF CLINIC:  
1209 CATHERINE  
STREET, RICHARDS  
LANDING**

**PLEASE BRING WITH YOU:**

- T4'S AND/OR T5'S
- CHARITY / MEDICAL RECEIPTS
- RENT RECEIPTS
- MONTHLY BUS PASS RECEIPTS
- ANY OTHER DOCUMENTS YOU WOULD LIKE TO CLAIM

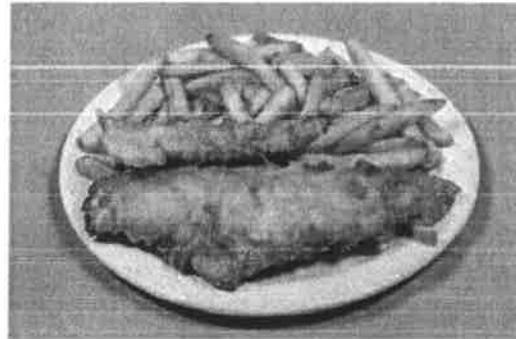
**Masks are required.**

**All COVID 19 procedures will be utilized to ensure the safe and effective delivery of this program.**



Royal Canadian Legion St. Joseph Island  
Branch 374 - Richards Landing

# FRIDAY FOODS April SPECIALS



**April 2nd**

**PICKEREL FISH DINNER** by Shawn and Mark

**April 9th**

**SHEPHERD'S PIE** by Anne



**April 16th**

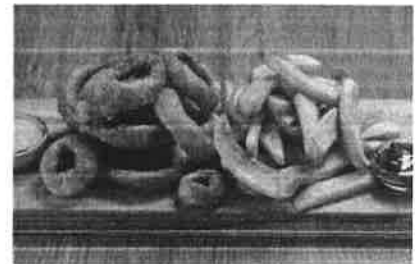
**CHICKEN PARM** by Jess D.

**April 23rd**

**SPAGHETTI and MEATBALLS** by JoAnn H.

**April 30th**

**WINGS** by Norm B.

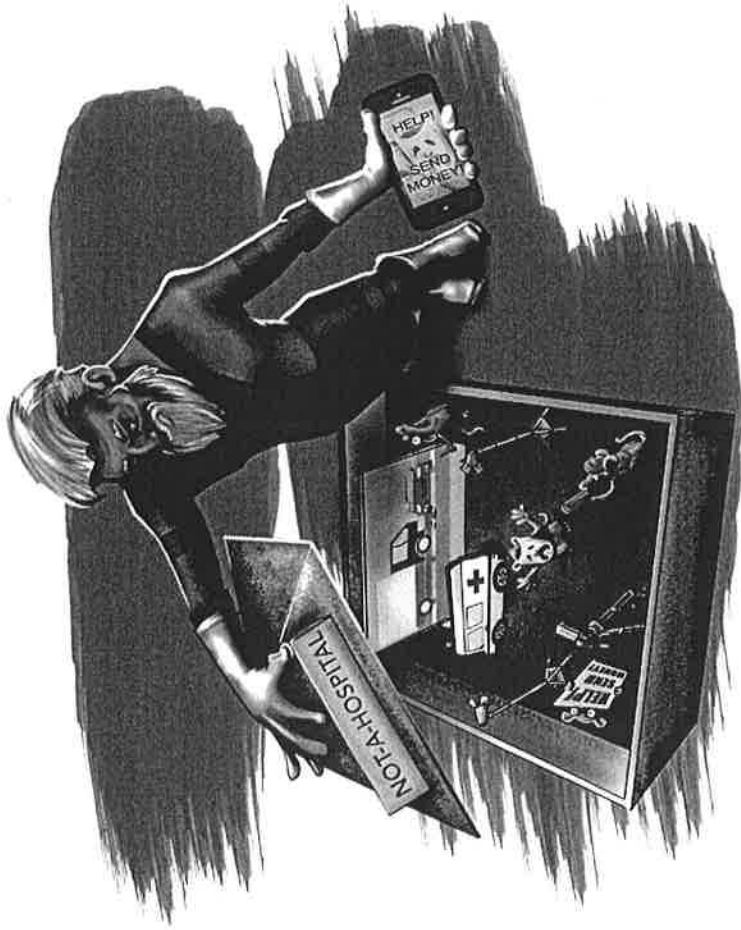


Dinner sides include French Fries or Onion Rings.  
Burger, Chicken Finger or Fish Dinners also available  
Reservations by Wed. noon preferred. Take-out available.  
Walk-ins welcomed (limited quantities)  
Please call 705-246-2494 and leave a message.  
We will return your call and confirm.



THANK YOU  
**Volunteers!**  
We couldn't do it without you





One variation of this play features two people on the phone, one pretending to be a grandchild and the other a police officer or lawyer.

In other cases, the scammer will pretend to be an old neighbour or a family friend in trouble.

### Tips to protect yourself:

- Take time to verify the story. Scammers are counting on you wanting to quickly help your loved one in an emergency.
- Call the child's parents or friends to find out about their whereabouts.
- Ask the person on the phone questions that only your loved one would be able to answer and verify their identity before taking steps to help.
- Never send money to anyone you don't know and trust.
- Never give out any personal information to the caller.

## EMERGENCY SCAMS

Caring grandparents, don't act too quickly!

Emergency frauds usually target loving grandparents, taking advantage of their emotions to rob them of their money.

The typical scam starts with a grandparent receiving a phone call from someone claiming to be their grandchild. The "grandchild" goes on to say they're in trouble—common misfortunes include having been in a car accident,

getting locked up in jail, or trouble returning home from a foreign country—and they need money immediately.

The caller will ask you questions, getting you to reveal personal information. They'll also swear you to secrecy, saying they are embarrassed and don't want other family members to find out what's happened.

**If you suspect a scam, always report it.**

Go to pages 19 and 20 for more information.



## TAX SCAMS

Got a call or email from the CRA? Make sure it's real!

You get a text message or an email from the Canada Revenue Agency (CRA) claiming you're entitled to an extra refund and all you need to do is provide your banking details. Watch out—this wonderful-if-true situation is exactly what a tax scam looks like.

In any case, if you do receive a call, letter, email or text saying you owe money to the CRA, you can double check online via "My Account" or call 1-800-959-8281.

### Tips to protect yourself:

The CRA will never:

- use aggressive or threatening language.
- threaten you with arrest or send police.
- ask for payments via prepaid credit cards or gift cards, such as iTunes, Home Depot, etc.
- collect or distribute payments through Interac e-transfer.
- use text messages to communicate under any circumstances.

Emails from the CRA:

- never ask for financial information.
- never provide financial information.

The CRA's accepted payment methods are:

- online banking.
- debit card.
- pre-authorized debit.

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**1-866-299-1011**



Anonymous, Confidential  
24/7, 365 days of the year



Live counsellors,  
over 200 languages



[awhl.org/online-chat](http://awhl.org/online-chat)  
Monday to Friday 11am-8pm

[awhl.org/seniors](http://awhl.org/seniors)



**Stop Abuse - Restore Respect**



**Elder Abuse Ontario**

Stop Abuse - Restore Respect

**For Resources & Materials, visit:**

**[www.elderabuseontario.com](http://www.elderabuseontario.com)**

ElderAbuseOntario

To find help call from anywhere in Ontario:

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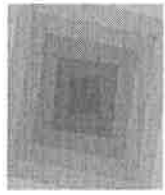
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Seniors Safety Line

## Seniors Safety Line (SSL)

The SSL provides contact and referral information for local agencies across the province that can assist in cases of elder abuse. Trained counsellors also provide safety planning and supportive counseling for older adults who are being abused or at-risk of abuse. Family members and service providers can also call for information about community services.

**Seniors Safety Line: 1-866-299-1011**



CANADIAN<sup>TM</sup>  
HEARING  
SERVICES

## DEAFBLIND SERVICES

Canadian Hearing Services (CHS) is offering a new program in Sault Ste Marie.

CHS offers Deafblind Support Services to adults that meet a specific degree of both hearing and vision loss. Often hearing and vision loss comes on very gradually with age, isolating seniors in their home as they feel unsafe when in the community on their own. An Individual with a combined vision and hearing loss will not have sufficient access to information; medical advice can be misunderstood, appointment times recorded wrong, important mail will go unread and they might not find their favorite soup on the shelf at the grocery store.

Seniors may benefit from the services of a Deafblind Support Worker. They do **not** need a referral from a doctor and the service is provided at **no** cost to clients. A Deafblind Support Worker can support seniors to achieve as much independence as possible. They act as the “eyes” and the “ears” of the client.

A Deafblind Support Worker can assist in many activities including:

- reading and answering mail
- making phone calls to schedule appointments
- accompaniment to medical appointments ensuring important information is not missed
- shopping, banking or other everyday activities
- communicating with other individuals

A Support Worker may also:

- provide transportation for daily activities
- assist with personal business, wellness and recreational activities
- offer assistance on a weekly basis or as a one off for important appointments

I would be delighted if you could share this information with any residents in your building who may meet the criteria and could benefit from this free service. Please contact Kerri Tuckett at the Canadian Hearing Services for more information or to make a referral. I look forward to hearing from you.

**Kerri Tuckett Hearing Care Counsellor/ Deafblind Support Worker**  
**Office:** 1-866-518-0000 ext. 4170  
**Cell:** 705-971-7954  
**Email:** ktuckett@chs.ca

130 Queen St. E, Sault Ste Marie, ON P7A 1Y5 | [CHS.ca](http://CHS.ca)  
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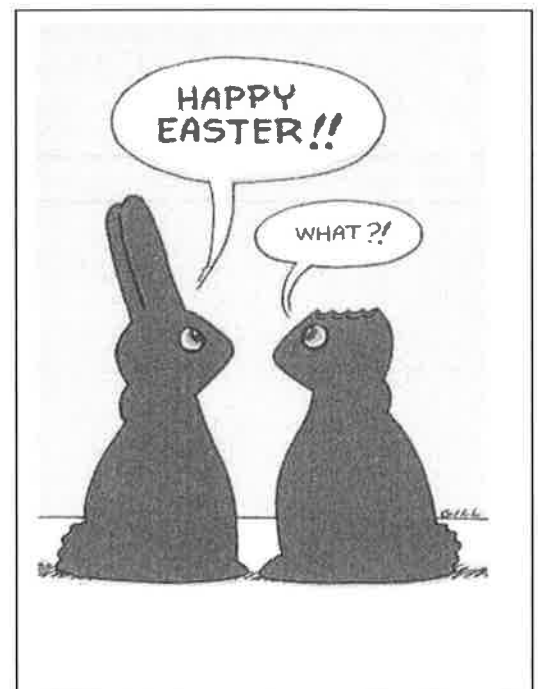




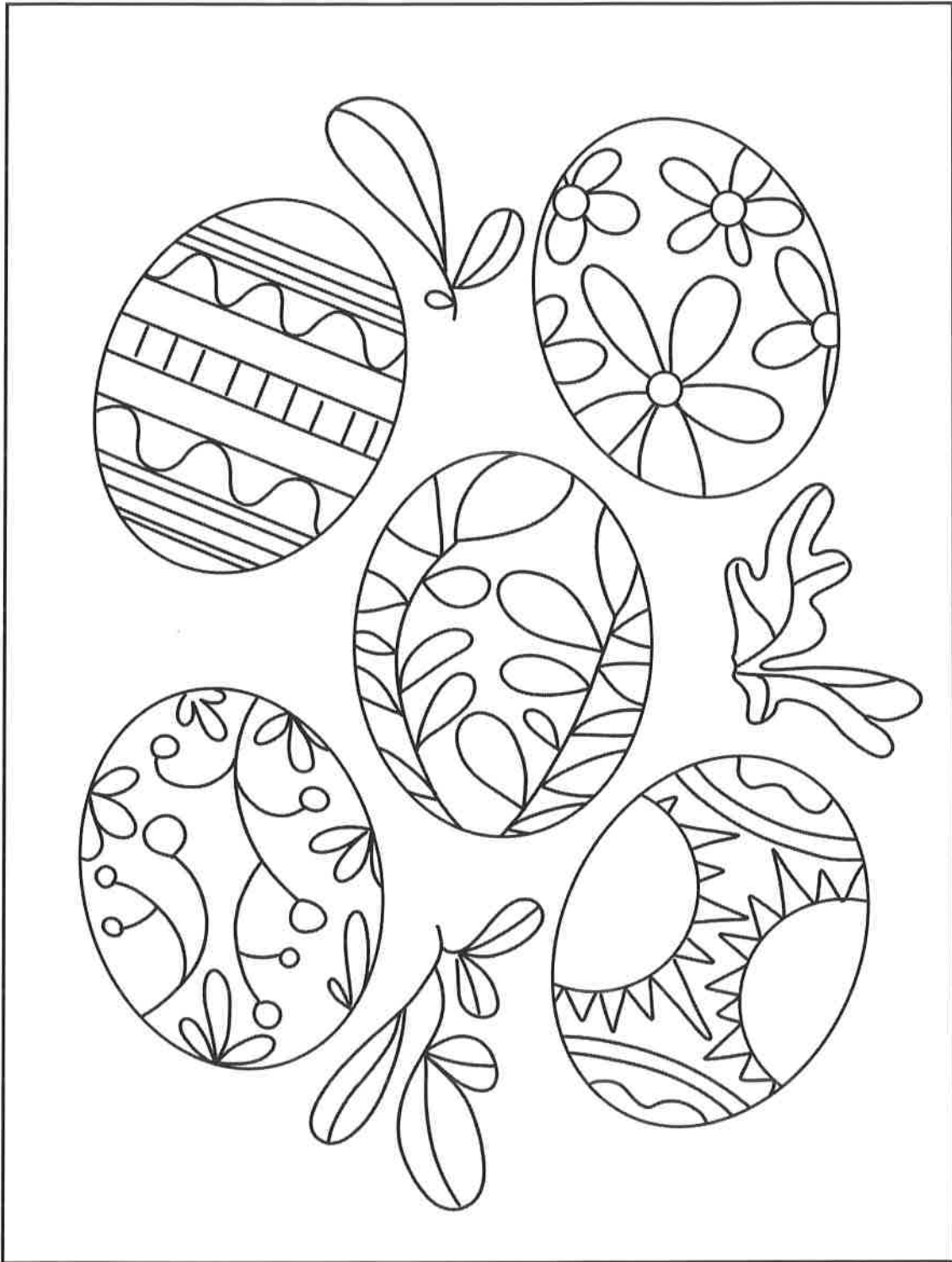
## Egg-cellent Easter Wordsearch

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

dye	simnel cake	parade	spring
hop	egg hunt	rabbit	nest
egg rolling	hard-boiled	colours	sunday
hot cross buns	festival	eggs	easter morning
easter	decorate	chocolate	chick
bunny	bonnet	basket	







Taste of Home



# Best Ever Stuffed Mushrooms

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*At party time, I bring out a platter of my easy stuffed mushrooms. I like to make mine with reduced-fat sausage, but you can use regular for an indulgent treat. —Debby Beard, Eagle, Colorado*

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**TOTAL TIME:** Prep: 20 min. Bake: 15 min.

**YIELD:** 2-1/2 dozen.

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## Ingredients

- 1 pound bulk pork sausage
- 1/4 cup finely chopped onion
- 1 garlic clove, minced
- 1 package (8 ounces) reduced-fat cream cheese
- 1/4 cup shredded Parmesan cheese
- 1/3 cup seasoned bread crumbs
- 3 teaspoons dried basil
- 1-1/2 teaspoons dried parsley flakes
- 30 large fresh mushrooms (about 1-1/2 pounds), stems removed
- 3 tablespoons butter, melted

## Directions


1. Preheat oven to 400°. In a large skillet, cook sausage, onion and garlic over medium heat 6-8 minutes or until sausage is no longer pink and onion is tender, breaking up sausage into crumbles; drain. Add cream cheese and Parmesan cheese; cook and stir until melted. Stir in bread crumbs, basil and parsley.
2. Meanwhile, place mushroom caps in a greased 15x10x1-in. baking pan, removed-stem side up. Brush with butter. Spoon sausage mixture into mushroom caps. Bake, uncovered, 12-15 minutes or until mushrooms are tender.

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# 2021



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Day Out 9:30AM—2:30PM	2 Good Friday Centre Closed	3
4	5 Easter Monday Centre Closed	6 POTLUCK CANCELLED	7	8 Day Out 9:30AM—2:30PM	9 Hen's & Stitches 10 AM—Noon	10
11	12	13	14	15 Day Out 9:30AM—2:30PM	16 Hen's & Stitches 10 AM—Noon	17
18	19	20 Quilters 1-3 PM 	21	22 Day Out 9:30AM—2:30PM	23 Hen's & Stitches 10 AM—Noon	24
25	26	27 Diner's Stay Tuned	28	29 Day Out 9:30AM—2:30PM	30 Hen's & Stitches 10 AM—Noon	31



**Bruce Station**  
Day Out  
Every Tuesday  
9:30am—2:30pm

**Echo Bay**  
DAY OUT  
every Wednesday  
9:30am—2:30pm



## DR. HAROLD S. TREFRY MEMORIAL CENTRE

Find us at: [NorthEasthealthline.ca](http://NorthEasthealthline.ca)

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E-mail: [manager@one-mail.on.ca](mailto:manager@one-mail.on.ca)





### EXERCISE CLASSES



Laird Community Hall

**Monday 10 – 11 AM**

**Thursday 10 – 11 AM**

Dr. Trefry Memorial Centre

**Monday 10 – 11 AM**

**Thursday 1:30 – 2:30 PM**

**CANCELLED FOR APRIL**

### Hens 'N' Stitches

Knitting, Crochet, Embroidery,  
& Other Needle Crafts  
Fridays from 10 AM until NOON



### QUILTERS



Tuesday, April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2021 from 1-3 pm!

### DAY OUT Programs

**Bruce Station Tuesdays from 9:30AM – 2:30PM**  
109 Station Rd (Bruce Station Community Hall)

**Echo Bay Wednesdays from 9:30AM – 2:30PM**  
96 Church Street (Elk's Lodge)

**Richards Landing Thursdays from**  
**9:30AM – 2:30PM**

1601 C Line (Dr Harold Trefry Memorial Centre)

A fun-filled day of activities to sharpen the mind and enliven the spirit!  
Please contact the office at 705-246-0036 for more information.

Senior / Adult



COFFEE CONNECTIONS CANCELLED

### POT LUCK CANCELLED FOR APRIL



### Diner's Club STAY TUNED

Held at the Royal Canadian Legion, Richards Landing

11:30 AM

12:30 PM

Cost: \$10.00 each

One of our friendly volunteers will be calling to take  
your reservation or you can contact 705-246-0036

### Mondays – Wednesday – Friday at NOON



Entrée, Soup & Dessert  
or any combination  
Delivered HOT  
to your door!

Gift Certificates are also available.

**Please call 705-246-0036 for information.**

Office CLOSED on Friday April 2 and Monday April 5, 2021  
Meals will be delivered.

### CANCELLED AT TREFRY CENTRE

### Landing Feet First Marcy Clark RPN



### FOOT CARE

Dates to be determined,  
by appointment 705-971-9698

### CANCELLED FOR APRIL

### LifeLabs

Mobile Laboratory Service  
Wednesdays 9:30 – 10:30 AM  
By Appointment 705-946-5543

OHIP Requisitions can be faxed to 705-246-0249