

MLUWC

MONTREAL LAKESHORE UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S CLUB

Advocating equality, social justice and education for women and girls for 60 years

News from Jane's Desk...



Nakuset, our November speaker last year, is organizing a march Thursday July 1st (Canada Day) to honour indigenous children, denounce genocide and demand justice. All the details can be found in this link: <https://fb.me/e/5g1DuLEW5>

If you are planning to attend, please contact Linda Sestock (lsestock@royalpage.ca) so our club members can walk together and/or carpool.

Sad news...

A long-time member of our club, Diana Nevins, has sadly passed away. Her obituary can be found here:

<https://www.dignitymemorial.com/en-ca/obituaries/pointe-claire-qc/diana-nevins-10234229>

I was extremely touched to discover that her family chose the MLUWC Scholarship Fund as a recipient for donations in lieu of flowers. We are most grateful for the generous donations received in her name.



We have a new home!

As mentioned at the MLUWC AGM, the Karnak Temple is no longer going to be available for our monthly meetings. From what I understand, it is going to be torn down and a business building constructed in its place.

Our Hospitality Team comprised of Tina Tessari and Luhan Wahbeh, began their search for an affordable, centrally located space – a thankless task of dozens of phone calls and several visits. At our May Executive meeting, Sabra Ledent suggested we look at Cedar Park United Church. They recently removed the pews from the sanctuary and replaced the floor, and it is now a beautiful cozy, spot with chairs. Tina and Luhan visited and then I visited the church accompanied by our Club Technical Wizard, Nancy Acemian, to ensure the Audio-Visual offerings would meet our needs.



I am pleased therefore to announce that **Cedar Park United Church** will be our new home! It is centrally located in the West Island about a two-minute drive from Highway 20 and St John's Blvd. It's handicapped accessible and there is a large hall we can use for events like our Christmas Party. **I would like to thank Tina, Luhan, Sabra and Nancy most sincerely for all their efforts to bring this rental to fruition.** We will be signing the contact this week. Thanks to their hard work, we have a lovely place to hold our meetings once we are allowed to do so...

CFUW AGM

As I write this, several Club members and myself are attending the CFUW AGM and Policy meeting. I am holding the six votes on behalf of the MLUWC. I will let you know how the meeting unfolded at a future date.