The Eden Mills Sunday Post - April 30, 2023

The hall really is buzzing this time of year with events and private rentals! Thank you to everyone who participates in our events, be sure to visit our instagram page for event photos.

We'd like to extend a friendly reminder to everyone who visits the hall to ensure that lights are turned out and all exterior doors are locked at the end of your event.

Events the week of April 30th:

Sunday:

Monday: Better with fitness 10-2, Drumming with Maya at 7pm **Tuesday:** Drop in Ladies Lunch at 2pm, Table Tennis at 7pm

Wednesday: Better with fitness 10-2 **Thursday:** EMDCC Board Meeting at 7pm

Friday:

Saturday: Meditation with Amy at 8:30am, Wildflower Walk at 1pm

Sunday: Edible Forest Garden Work bee at 9am

Community Thanks!

The EMCC owes a long overdue and public thank you to our very own Ed Langevin of Ash Street. Each year Ed makes a generous donation to the hall to keep our elevator running safely. Thank you Ed! How lucky are we to have a villager like you.

Earth Day Clean Up:

Thank you to everyone who participated in the village clean up! Please return any safety vests and other borrowed items to Brian Skerret at 32 Ash Street so that they can

> be returned to the township.

Save the Date! On **November 4, 2023**

We are hosting our first free Clothing Swap at the Hall! Hold onto your gently used clothing. Stay tuned for details.

Villager of the Week:

Django Hodgson of Barden Street



Upcoming Events:

Monthly Ladies Lunch Date Tuesday May 2nd at noon in the Gallery

Bring a packed lunch and join us for a social lunch in the gallery. All are welcome!

2nd Quarter Board of Director's Meeting Thursday May 4th at 7:00pm @ Community Hall

All of our board meetings are open to community participation.
Participation is voluntary! Please submit your questions or talking points prior to this date. Reach out to board members if you have any questions.

Spring Wildflower Walk with Brian Husband Saturday May 6th 1:00pm @ Community Hall Parking Lot (Rain Date May 7th) Join us at the Community Hall Parking Lot at 1 pm! Bring your vehicle as we will be driving out to 2nd Line for our plant walk.

Bring your plant identification guides, questions, and curiosities about

*If you don't have a vehicle no worries, we can arrange some carpooling as needed and as covid restriction/comfort allows!

Edible Forest Garden Work Bee Sunday May 7th, 9am - noon @ the forest garden

Everyone is welcome, whether you have gardening experience or not. This is a great place to learn from each other. And if you are not into the planting, I'm sure we could use your creative insights and ideas in other ways (making signs, beautification ideas, design, making lemonade for the hard workers, etc). If you can't make it to this work bee but want to get involved, please reach out - there are ongoing tasks and creative projects that different folks can take on throughout the season, as time permits. Contact Katarina for questions: kvuckovi@gmail.com

EMDCC AGM Meeting Wednesday May 10th at 7:00pm @ Community Hall

Join us for our annual general meeting. Hear about the past year's progress, and be a part of planning for the next year. Reach out to our board members if you have any questions.

Spring Seedling Sale @ Jones Family Greens

Saturday May 20th or pre-order now While the actual seedling pickup and sale is not until May 20th, Jones Family Greens at the old Edgewood Camp, now has seedlings available for pre-order at <u>www.jonestamilygreens.ca/shop</u>

Eden Mills Community Cemetery Spring Work Bee Saturday May 27th, 10am - 2pm @ the cemetery

(rain date is June 3rd)
The (other) EMCC is also entirely volunteer managed. Join us to help tidy up the cemetery. All ages and abilities are welcome! Bring your own gardening tools if you can. Questions? Want to join their mailing list? Contact Kathie MacDonald, Secretary-Treasurer at macdonaldkr@rogers.com

Annual Community Yard Sale

Saturday, June 10th, 8am - noon @ the hall or your driveway We're revitalizing an old annual tradition at the hall. You're welcome to rent a table or two (by donation - we suggest \$5-10), in the hall parking lot, or you're welcome to take advantage of the increase in traffic through the village and set up in your own driveway. We won't be able to dispose of any leftovers so please plan to take away any unsold items at the end of the

We may be having a coffee + muffin fundraiser at the hall as well, if you're interested in volunteering for all or part of the morning, please let us know by responding to this email.

EMCC Trivia

Do all EMCC activities take place at the hall?

We sponsor events and activities all throughout the village. For example, last summer we sponsored the Summer Family Picnic in the Park, the Annual Christmas Tree burning party and on the horizon we are looking to sponsor badminton and baseball. If you have a great idea for a club or event - reach out to your favorite board member or respond to this email. We can assist with the "how-to" of running an event, publicity, tracking attendance, and contribute funding. Yes, it does take a village!