



RECREATION AND CULTURE SERVICES MEMORANDUM

TO: MAYOR A. NUTTAL AND MEMBERS OF COUNCIL
FROM: K. ELLIS, MANAGER OF RECREATION AND CULTURE PROGRAMS
NOTED: D. BELL, DIRECTOR OF RECREATION AND CULTURE SERVICES
D. MCALPINE, GENERAL MANAGER OF COMMUNITY AND CORPORATE SERVICES
M. PROWSE, CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER
RE: JUNE IS SENIORS' MONTH
DATE: MAY 8, 2024

June is Seniors' Month in Ontario! This year will mark the 40th anniversary of celebrating Seniors and the tremendous contribution they make to the vibrancy of the City of Barrie.

Celebrating Seniors' Month has become our collective way of recognizing their contributions, The City of Barrie's 55+ Centres supports our community's seniors by:

- Offering a variety of recreation, education and active living programs.
Promoting healthy lifestyles, developing new skills, meeting new people and offering opportunities to be physically, socially and mentally active every day.

This year's lineup of Seniors' Month events at the 55+ Centres include:

Table with 3 columns: Event, Date & Time, Location. Rows include Estate Planning Workshop, Heart Health Workshop with RVH, BBQ, Outdoor Garage (Trunk) Sale, 50th Anniversary, Seniorlicious, and BBQ.

Our signature events include Parkview's 50th Anniversary Celebration, Wed June 12th at Parkview Community Centre. Highlights of this full day of celebrations includes Parkview Singers; displays through the years, entertainment in the Park, a tea room, dance, food truck and BBQ.

Also, Seniorlicious, The Taste of Retirement, will be offered once again. This sampler event features Chefs specials from six premier retirement homes in Barrie. This event will be held on Monday June 24th at 11 am to 1 pm at South Shore Community Centre.