

# THE BULLETIN



## Kiwaniis Lakeshore

**October 7, 2020 – Club meeting  
7 PM by Zoom**

### **Word from the President**

Dear fellow Kiwanians,

Welcome to our new year 2020-2021 and thank you to each and every one of you for the successes we achieved over the last 12 months. We went through a lot over that time and adapted smoothly in these unprecedented times. I am very proud of what we have been able to achieve; we continue to meet virtually, continue to fundraise, maintained our community support and added a new member.

When last year began in October we had enjoyed wonderful success at our Peter Bedard Memorial Kiwanis Golf Tournament as well as our Mid-Summer Soiree and were launching our Annual Nuts and Cakes Campaign, which proved to be another great success. We faced our share of challenges along the way yet remained committed as a club to maintain our high level of giving to the community even though the loss of Bingo Lachine seriously impacted our ability to support the many nonprofit organizations that depend on us; we dipped into our reserves and put extra efforts into our fundraising activities. Although Spring brought a new set of challenges, we stood steadfast in our commitment to help others and created new fundraising initiatives!

We re-imagined our fundraising initiatives and dug deeper into their pockets; we launched our first GoFundMe campaign and preparations are underway for our first On-line Charity Auction.

**Nuts & Cakes sales, we need to order early.**

Because of the restrictions; we cannot chance being left with overstock this year so please contact your networks asap. The order form you received earlier this week is for small individual orders with an October 15<sup>th</sup> deadline.

You are receiving the “bulk order form” today for cases of product with a deadline of November 5<sup>th</sup>; please note that customers will save by ordering by the case.

**Tonight’s agenda: Induction** of Vis Tata; **Special Guest**, Roger Hamel, will give us some insight into his new role as Trustee, and **Guest Speakers** Pat Marshall and Maddie Pettigrosso from MSNF [montrealspecialneedsfamilyorganization.com](http://montrealspecialneedsfamilyorganization.com)

### **Birthdays and Anniversaries**

Andrew DeFour Oct 2  
Ron Della Porta Oct 4  
Sylvain Oct 21  
Jacques & Marilyn Oct 16, 1954  
Wim & Maria Oct 17, 1959

### **Kiwanis anniversaries**

Andrew DeFour Oct 5, 2016  
Akilah Newton Oct 4, 2017

**Thank you to outgoing Board Members** Leonard, Madelane, Ruth and Wim who have all been very instrumental in the success of our club!

In service,  
Andy Sarrasin

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