

# GILMORE GARDENS WEEKENDER HIGHLIGHTS



May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2026

## IN HOUSE NEWS

We have had a couple questions about the **National Census**. Please note that residents of Gilmore will NOT be getting an individual census. Gilmore Gardens fills one out for everyone in the building, and it is already completed for this year.

**WIN FREE TICKETS:** Gilmore has kindly been gifted two tickets to the Richmond Singers Concert taking place on Sunday, May 24<sup>th</sup> at 3:00PM at Fraserview Mennonite Church. There will be a table available outside the computer den for you to enter the draw – winner will be given the tickets by end of day on Monday, May 18<sup>th</sup>. Please note: You are responsible for arranging your own ride. It's a \$50 value and great opportunity for you to take a friend or family member! If you are interested, put your name in for the draw, table will be available from Wednesday, May 13<sup>th</sup> until Monday, May 18<sup>th</sup>. Good luck!

Please note that Farah, the hairdresser will be away on vacation for the next couple of weeks. Marlene, who has been at Gilmore many years ago, will be filling in on Thursdays to cover Farah in her absence!

**New Rogers T.V Equipment Installation** is taking place from May 26<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> and between June 2<sup>nd</sup> to the 3<sup>rd</sup>. We will let you know when we have more details and we can provide short education sessions to help support with learning the new equipment switch over when we know more.

Please note that the **Food Committee Meeting** has been moved to the following week to Tuesday, May 26<sup>th</sup> at 11:30AM in the Private Dining Room!



## REMINDERS

Invite your neighbour for a game of **Lotto 649 Game** on Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup> at 1:30PM in the Activity Room. Remember to bring your dimes for the game sheet. Everyone is welcome to join!

We have a special **Craft Session: Painting Wooden Tulips** on Sunday, May 17<sup>th</sup> at 2:00PM in the Activity Room. Come and choose your colour paint, take a wooden tulip or two and enjoy painting! We shall display the beautiful crafts on our mantel for all to enjoy!

Sign-up for our **Bus Outing: Shopping Trip to FreshCo** on Monday, May 18<sup>th</sup> at 11:30AM. Make your shopping list and stock up on any treats or household provisions you may need. Remember to wait in the Fireside Lounge for the bus – this ensures that the reception area is not full and noisy!

Let's celebrate *Victoria Day* and listen to some interesting facts and funnies related to this day at **Trivia with Jill** on Monday, May 18<sup>th</sup> at 2:30PM in the Activity Room. There will, of course, be more trivia, and fun puzzles to tackle, perhaps with an English sweet treat! It is Victoria Day, after all!

Come enjoy a **Visit from Tomorrow's Topkids** on Tuesday, May 19<sup>th</sup> from 3:30PM-4:00PM in the Activity Room. The children visiting are in grades 4, 5 and 6. They are part of a program where they are "giving back" the community. They have chosen Gilmore to visit with; they plan to bring some activities to do with you!

We have our **Covid-19 Booster Vaccine Clinic** on Wednesday, May 20<sup>th</sup> from 9:00AM–2:00PM in the Activity Room. Please come no more than 5-10 minutes before your assigned time and bring your Personal Health Card with you. If you have any questions, please speak with Reshma.

It's time for our **Resident Council Meeting** on Thursday, May 21<sup>st</sup> at 3:00PM in the Activity Room. Take a seat and learn more about the latest news at Gilmore Gardens!

We had a wonderful visit to the Oval last month and are happy to offer another **Bus Outing: Richmond Oval Olympic Experience** on Friday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> at 10:45AM. Please note that this outing is limited to 10 people (otherwise, you have to pay for a ticket). Residents who signed up for the previous outing, but were unable to attend will be given priority for this one. If you attended last month's outing, we kindly ask for your understanding in allowing residents who did not have the opportunity to attend previously to be prioritized this time. Thank you for your cooperation and consideration!

We have **Entertainment with Jennifer Lauren** on Friday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> at 2:00PM in the Fireside Lounge! Enjoy Jennifer's dulcet tones as she accompanies her skillful talents on the piano!

Join us for a refreshment at **Happy Hour** on Friday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> at 3:00PM in the Club Lounge. You can enjoy a glass of complementary juice or purchase an alcoholic drink to savour with tasty appetizers from our kitchen!

## Weekly Calendar for May 16<sup>th</sup> – May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2026

Saturday, May 16 <sup>th</sup>		Sunday, May 17 <sup>th</sup>		
9:00AM	<b>Nails with Angie</b>	10:00AM	Armchair Exercise Video	
10:00AM	Armchair Video	10:30AM	GPUC Worship Service	
11:00AM	Tai Chi	11:00AM	Gentle Fit with Winnie	
1:30PM	<b>Lotto 649 Game</b>	11:00AM	<b>Beginner Mah Jong with Kaela</b>	
6:00PM	Mah Jong	1:30PM	Tech Time with Erin	
7:00PM	<b>Movie Night: Top Gun Maverick</b>	2:00PM	Rummikub	
		2:00PM	<b>Craft Session: Painting Wooden Tulips</b>	
		7:30PM	Sing Along with Roger	
Monday May 18 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday May 19 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday May 20 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday May 21 <sup>st</sup>	Friday May 22 <sup>nd</sup>
<b>Victoria Day! Victoria Day Featured Dinner</b>		<b>9:00AM- 2:00PM Covid-19 Booster Vaccine Clinic</b>	<b>8:00AM Hair with Marlene</b>	10:00AM Osteofit with Robin Masters
10:00AM Chair Fitness	10:00AM Armchair Exercise Video	10:30AM Catholic Mass	10:00AM Advanced Armchair Video with Curtis	<b>10:45AM Bus Outing: Richmond Oval Olympic Experience</b>
11:00AM Go4Life Walking Club	11:30AM Meditation	11:00AM RMS Ukulele Lessons	11:00AM Go4Life Walking Club	11:00AM Play Reading with Stephen
11:00AM Armchair Exercise Video	<b>1:30PM Recreation Committee Meeting</b>	1:30PM Billiards	11:00AM Armchair Exercise Video	11:00AM Advanced Armchair Video with Curtis
<b>11:30AM Bus Outing: Shopping Trip to FreshCo</b>	2:45PM Fit Minds	<b>3:00PM Happy Hour</b>	1:30PM Scrabble with Pat	<b>2:00PM Entertainment with Jennifer Lauren</b>
<b>2:00PM Trivia with Jill</b>	<b>3:30PM Visit from Tomorrow's Topkids</b>	6:45PM Music with Ron	<b>3:00PM Resident Council Meeting</b>	<b>3:00 Happy Hour</b>
6:45PM Music with Ron	6:00PM Mah Jong	7:00PM Rummikub	6:45PM Music with Ron	3:30PM Table Tennis
7:30PM Bingo	7:00PM Crib/Chess		7:00PM Game of Hearts	6:00PM Mah Jong

