



Mistakes are painful when they happen, but years later a collection of mistakes is what is called experience. ~ Denis Waitley

WRH Recognizes Important Work in International Clinical Trials

May 16th to 20th is International Clinical Trials Week (ICTW). ICTW pays tribute to and recognizes all those who have participated in, or are involved in, the delivery of clinical trials and encourages people to consider a clinical trial as a treatment option. Clinical Trials are used to evaluate the effectiveness of medications or medical devices by monitoring their effects. The Cancer Program will hold an open house on Friday May 20th for Oncology Clinical Trials and Clinical staff. For more info, contact Colleen Reaume at ext. 58615.

Participate in the Mayor's Riverfront Walk!

Celebrate Victoria Day with a walk along the river on Monday, May 23 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The walk departs from Assumption Park at 10:30 a.m. Following the walk there is entertainment along with many activities for children and refreshments. You can support the WRH Foundation by getting pledges for your efforts. Participants who collect pledges will receive a WRH t-shirt and pedometer for their efforts. Contact Kim at x52458 or kim_willis-more@wrh.on.ca for more information.

Celebrate St. Jean Baptiste Day

The St. Jean Baptiste Celebration Dinner is being held on Friday, June 24 at Place Concorde. Again this year, Windsor Regional Hospital is one of the charities being supported. For every ticket sold by WRH we receive a portion of the ticket price. This is a fun, inexpensive night out for the whole family. This year funds raised will support the Critical Care Unit. Tickets can be purchased in the WRH Foundation office or from Cary Bedard, Nurse Practitioner in ICU.

Outlook 2010

Staff are reminded that Outlook 2003 will no longer be available after May 31, 2011. For more information contact the Help Desk at 72011.

Rib/Chicken Dinner Tickets on Sale

Tickets are now on sale for the annual Rib/Chicken Dinner held in memory of Gary Proctor. This annual event organized by WRH retiree Linda Proctor, is being held on Saturday, May 28. Tickets are \$16 for ribs and \$14 for chicken and can be purchased in the Foundation office at Met Campus and by contacting Rose Grant-Rennie (965-3776) at Western. All proceeds support Palliative Care at Windsor Regional Hospital.

Volunteers Needed

The WRH Foundation is seeking volunteers for a number of special events and activities. Opportunities are available to assist at golf tournaments being held on May 26th, June 6 and June 8, 2011 as well as for raffle sales at various times at both the Met and Western campuses. For more information, contact Kim Willis-More at ext. 52458.

Did you know?

The first recorded Clinical Trial occurred in 1747 when James Lind, a Scottish Naval Surgeon, investigated treatments for sailors with scurvy. Lind observed that the sailors who received two oranges and a lemon every day recovered remarkably well. Dr. Lind published his findings and the British Navy began to send its sailors out to sea with a supply of limes to prevent scurvy.

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