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ON THE COVER

Thanks to the love and generosity of resident Gertie Lipson, the Simkin Centre has a mobile book service available to residents. She offered to sort and index all our in-house stock. For close to four years, Gertie volunteered at the Jewish Public Library in the 1980s, the library that was overseen by the late Shirley Pinsky. "That's the thing about books. They let you travel without moving your feet."



And the WOW Goes to...



THE HONOURABLE ANITA NEVILLE

The Honourable Anita Neville was sworn in as Manitoba's 26th lieutenant-governor on October 24, 2022. Lieutenant-governor Neville has a long and proud history of public service, representing Manitobans and the constituency of Winnipeg South Centre as the former Liberal member

of Parliament from 2000 to 2011. She is the first Jewish lieutenant-governor of Manitoba and the third woman to hold the role. "I want to find ways to bring people together," she said, adding issues facing seniors are also very much on her mind. Her daughter, Elissa Neville serves on the Simkin Centre board. Congratulations Anita!



SELMA GILFIX

The 2022 Shem Tov Award Recipient Selma Gilfix has been involved with the Simkin Centre for more than two decades, and has made a meaningful, lasting connection to the home and its staff, volunteers, and families. She has been a member of the High Holiday Choir

since 2000 and was asked to become a member of the board in 2012. In 2019, Selma became Chair of the Simkin Centre board and then served as Past Chair. Although Selma is no longer a member of the board, she remains a cherished friend and supporter who will continue to focus on how hearts and community can make life better for everyone at the Simkin Centre. Thank you Selma!



BRENDA GREENBERG

The 2020 Shem Tov Award Recipient Brenda Greenberg has been a volunteer for several organizations in the Jewish and general communities for the past 15 years. She started volunteering in many capacities at the

Saul and Claribel Simkin Centre 11 years ago, when the Centre needed volunteers for their Adult Day Program, which is a weekly commitment. Brenda has been a dedicated volunteer ever since. Thank you Brenda!

Message from Aujah Fowler-Thomas, Social Worker

Greetings and Shalom,

2022 will also go down in history as another unforgettable year!

Although social workers, especially those of us working in personal care homes, are trained to run toward the emotional chaos - the pandemic gave a whole new meaning to emotional chaos!



Aujah Fowler-Thomas,
Social Worker

When I joined the Simkin team in the fall of 2017, I was familiar with the Centre as my grandmother, Lillian Thomas, was a resident of Weinberg 2 for four years. As a result, I was more comfortable settling into my role of supporting residents and families during the pre-and post-admitting process, liaising with the community and Winnipeg Regional Health Authority case coordinators, as well as the Long-Term Care Access Centre, offering Simkin visits, tours and orientations, assisting residents and families in becoming acquainted with their new home, providing counselling to residents and/or families, facilitating initial and annual care conferences and mediating concerns

that arose. This is all part of our multidisciplinary team approach to make the residents' care and dignity the #1 priority!

As the pandemic descended on the world in March 2020, the Simkin Centre learned early on that easy access to information and emotional support amid COVID-19, helped people to identify and build on their natural resilience. Although a core function of the social work role has always been to anticipate, assess, and address resident psychosocial needs, we are also key liaisons between the family and the Centre. This connection became more important than ever during COVID-19 and often occurred over the phone, via e-mail or on Zoom. It was imperative for me to listen to family concerns, provide responses when possible, and track down answers when necessary. These conversations helped to reduce family anxiety, increased trust, and freed up our nursing staff to provide resident care. It became clear that communicating and interacting with residents, families, and staff was the core of my work as strong relationships are assets at any time and indispensable during the pandemic. I can't tell you how many families also reached out to my colleagues and me, empathizing with our challenges in managing a pandemic with no pandemic handbook!



Betty Katz, resident

A strong social work presence has always been necessary in personal care homes; the pandemic only underscored the need – and the need will continue. Since we are serious about improving the quality of care and the quality of life at the Simkin Centre, we must be serious about psychosocial care. As Mercedes Bern-Klug said in her book *Transforming Palliative Care in Nursing Homes: The Social Work Role*, "We need to do all we can to prevent wounds on the skin, yes of course, and we also need to prevent wounds on the soul."

Thank you for your tremendous support during these extraordinary times...keep well and please call or e-mail me anytime with questions and/or comments.

A handwritten signature of Aujah Fowler-Thomas.

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Staff Leadership in Action – A Photographic Journey

Whether it's taking residents on duet bike rides, sharing the sounds of music, marking special days/events, organizing BBQs, celebrating Canada Day, meeting with the Minister of Seniors and Long-Term Care or commemorating Nurses Week, the staff at the Simkin Centre is all about leadership in action...



Anna Palitsky, resident, Alanna Kull, Director of Care



Russell Peters, Music Therapist, Carol Solomon, resident



Thomas Bergen, Recreation, Feyha Pilat, resident



Priscilla Anand, Food Services, Shannon Burchuk, Recreation



Eduardo Navarro, Rey Calanza, Federico Bongcawil, Gheslyn Riano, Janeth Connor, Susana Pacete, Aurora Sosa



The Honourable Scott Johnston, Minister of Seniors and Long-Term Care, Laurie Cerqueti, Simkin Centre CEO, Alanna Kull, Director of Care, Adrian Salonga, Executive Director, Health Services - Continuing Care, Winnipeg Regional Health Authority, Obby Khan, MLA



Nurses, back row L-R: Abigail Kawadza, Sherryl Sy, Lindsay Farkas, Cheryl Milton-Bell, Nada Ivankovic, Brenda McGavin, Alanna Kull, Jhen Diaz, Sara Reid; front row L-R: Cheryl Justiniano, Sergio Sarceno, Meladie Chaikowsky, Eveline Anosike

300+ Thank you's

To those who moved mountains
and volunteered so no one was alone

To those who stayed and held the fort,
to those who manned our phones

To those who came to work each day,
and gave the best of care

To those who led and listened,
and tried to keep things fair

To those who were a shoulder to cry on,
to those who were a listening ear

You will never know your impact,
how you helped us manage our fear

To those who created and crafted,
found solutions to problems overnight

To those who led with integrity,
ensuring we did things right

To those who helped from home,
and those who stayed on site

To those whose roles are yet to be known,
we know you'll do it right

A huge and heartfelt thank you —
we're saying it aloud

You've really shown the best of "Simkin strong"
and continue to do us proud.

This thank you poem was written by Rebecca Boxall, lead nurse for retention at Guy's and St Thomas' Hospital Foundation Trust in London England, with a small adaptation for the Simkin Centre. Her words are a great tribute to all health care practitioners around the world – and to the 300+ staff and volunteers at Simkin who continue to play a huge role in the response to the ongoing pandemic.

Heartfelt Gratitude to Our Medical Care Leadership

For nearly three years, the Simkin Centre's medical care leadership has helped the Simkin Centre battle COVID-19. Our community is grateful to:

Dr. Sheldon Koven, Medical Director
Dr. Wayne Manishen • Dr. Louis Chung
Dr. Alewyn Vorster • Dr. Richa Tandon
Claudette Garand, NP

We appreciate your commitment to extraordinary caring, compassion, professionalism and dedication led by Dr. Sheldon Koven. Your unwavering service and the personal sacrifices made to provide the highest standard of care to residents and their families are second to none. You never stopped providing critical and timely care, even under the most challenging circumstances. Your vital contributions to help us navigate through these unprecedented times will never be forgotten.

The Simkin medical leadership made a positive impact on the health and well-being of our residents, their families and our community. Wave after wave (and COVID-19 is not over yet), all of you have continued to answer the call to provide safe, quality health care. We are appreciative of who you are and what you do, every single day. Your strength and resilience continues to help make us stronger and more resilient.

Thank you for everything you do and especially during this pandemic.

Music to Their Ears!



Leonard Asper

Leonard Asper has been a supporter of the Simkin Centre for many years. He is the president and CEO of Anthem Sports & Entertainment Corp., a media company in Toronto, a lawyer, a philanthropist, as well as the chair and trustee of The Asper Foundation in Winnipeg, not to mention a member of the Board of Governors of the Saul & Claribel Simkin Centre. He has served as chair of the Centre's fundraising committee and this year he generously offered to create The Leonard Asper Family Music Therapy Fund; as a result, Russell Peters is now the full-time Music Therapist at the Centre - and to the residents, this is music to their ears! According to Asper: "Coming from a family where listening to and playing music was a constant,

I saw how it creates communal, shared experiences, and sheer joy. I believe there are few gifts greater than ensuring music is a part of peoples' daily lives."

Russell Peters has been a music therapist for 12 years. He studied psychology at the University of Winnipeg and Music Therapy at Canadian Mennonite University. He is certified with the Canadian Association of Music Therapists. Russell has also been a musician for nearly 30 years, receiving formal training in classical and jazz piano. Russell sings and plays guitar, harmonica, saxophone, accordion, and whatever exotic instruments he can get his hands on.



Russell Peters, Music Therapist, with residents

Russell has a wide-reaching range of experience in working with people 0 to over 100 years of age. He began his career in private practice in Thompson, Manitoba, where he lived for six years. Upon his return to Winnipeg, he spent five years working in several schools where he specialized in autism programs. Russell has worked at numerous long-term care homes and is excited to provide music therapy five days a week at the Simkin Centre. As a music therapist, Russell believes that participating in music-making is an essential part of the human experience and is necessary towards healthy living for both mind and body. Not only can music heal pain and sorrow, it can offer a sense of worth, help us express feelings when words fail, and bring people together in peace.



Russell Peters, Music Therapist,
Tema Handsman, resident

According to Russell: "My job as Music Therapist at the Simkin Centre is to assess, plan, and provide music therapy services on both a group and individual basis. I use a wide variety of music and music-making experiences to promote good health and quality of life for residents and their families. Additionally, I provide support for end-of-life care. I was fortunate enough to sit with a resident and his daughter, playing and singing calming renditions of some of his favourite songs as he peacefully passed away. I am frequently blessed with opportunities to connect with elders musically, communicating in a meaningful way long after their ability for fluid verbal conversation has been lost. What I love most about my work is helping our elders reconnect with their youth, and watching their faces light up

when reminding them of music that was special to them at a significant moment in their lives. I receive great joy in sharing their music and am fascinated by the stories of some of the remarkable lives our residents have experienced."

Special thanks to Leonard Asper for establishing this incredible Fund that gives our residents the talented Russell Peters; this contribution will also encourage others to help bring the sound of music to more residents' ears!

"My practicum at Simkin was a life-changing experience."

By Svetlana Pepin, Student Art Therapist



Svetlana Pepin, Student Art Therapist

"Most of my experience has been working with children even before I became an art therapy student at the WHEAT institute. Younger children always appealed to me with their purity, sincerity, trust and acceptance. When my next practicum took me to the Simkin Centre, I found similar qualities in the people I had the honour of working with. Through greater understanding of what seniors have gone through - hearing the stories - I had an opportunity to witness and enjoy their kindness, patience, courage, acceptance and forgiveness that continues to grow, as well as other strengths, such as creativity, wisdom and experience.



Marilyn Abosh, resident

When working on art, the same effort, courage, trust, and consistency were shown as in any other age. The exhibited artwork of the residents testified to their creativity, which has not been diminished by any physical infirmities. Yes, accommodations were needed to give tools to the expression of creativity. It was my job as an aspiring art therapist to find those

accommodations and assist in removing some obstacles that could prevent creative expression. Some obstacles to creativity can be physical; others might be psychological in character, like self-criticism, self-doubt, fear of making mistakes, etc.

A premise of positive art therapy is that although some problems cannot be resolved, people can still achieve a high quality of life, often because of these life challenges. People can be ill, and some of their functions can be impaired, but they will still thrive in other ways.

My practicum at Simkin was a life-changing experience. I remember every single person I spent time with. They helped me to grow professionally and as a person. I hope our society will find a way to tap into the vast potential of our elders to a greater degree."

"I've hit the job jackpot!"

Caitlin Liewicki
Manager Resident Experience



Eduardo Navarro, Edna Nunez, Cipriana Merluza,
Caitlin Liewicki, Emmylou Reyes

Caitlin At a Glance

- Majored in Kinesiology at the University of Winnipeg, concentrating on program planning, and a minor in sociology, focused on disability studies
- Started career in long term care in 2012 as a recreation facilitator and moved to Recreation Manager in 2015
- Joined the Simkin Centre in March, 2022 as Manager of Resident Experience, overseeing the therapeutic recreation department, spiritual care, adult day program, volunteers, companions and music therapy.



Alan Sweatman, resident

"Some moments that stand out in my short time at the Simkin Centre include participating in my first Simkin Stroll and having the opportunity to take the residents around the neighbourhood. We also put on our first

Simkin Centre Dog show, where we had staff, families and volunteers bring their dogs (all sizes and weights) to showcase them for all the residents to see. We were fortunate to purchase 2 duet wheelchair bikes that allow residents the freedom of going for a bike ride, but as a passenger! There's nothing better than being able to take residents to Dairy Queen for an ice-cream or for a cruise around the block on a nice summer day. And we ended the summer with a visit from our friends at Prancing Pony Mobile petting zoo. Residents and staff spent the afternoon, with a calf, donkey, miniature horse, bunnies, and goats! Seeing everyone having so much fun has been a highlight so far!

I tell people every day that I've hit the job jackpot! I am so lucky to have ended up at the Simkin Centre. The Jewish community has welcomed me with open arms and have already taught me so much in my short time here. The future looks bright, and I am looking forward to the endless possibilities!"



Aaron Hoffer, resident, Sara Reid

Two-of-a-Kind Helping Hands Mel and Arlene Fages



Mel and Arlene Fages

Since Mel Fages regularly visits his wife Arlene at the Simkin Centre, he knows what's been happening during COVID-19, including the impact on programming and other amenities for residents. For the last couple of years, Mel really took notice of all the tremendous staff efforts to make residents feel more comfortable during these difficult times and Arlene was no exception. Sometimes it was the big things and other times small details that made a positive difference. One day Mel dropped by, and a guitar player was with Arlene, and she was engaged with the sound of music – the staff knew that Arlene was drawn to melodies and tunes. Mel strongly believes that all this care and attention have helped to slow the slide of Alzheimer's for Arlene. He has been so impressed with the Simkin Centre that he spoke to Laurie Cerquetti, the CEO,

about doing something to recognize all the efforts of the staff and to help the residents.

Laurie had an idea, ran it by Mel, gave him some material to look over and ultimately the Simkin Centre purchased pioneering interactive technology - the Mobii - that introduces motion activated projections. The sensory environments, which encourage participation at all levels and stimulate movement, communication and mental engagement, are beneficial in enhancing quality of life. Health care professionals have witnessed positive changes in emotional stability, physical effort/energy levels, overall mood/outlook, social involvement and interaction, sense of self-worth/belonging and ability to share and enjoy group activities for all ages and abilities.

"The Mobii has been a fabulous purchase for our Centre - the level of engagement and obvious pleasure of our residents has been incredible to witness – thank you Mel and Arlene!"

-Laurie Cerquetti, CEO Simkin Centre

Mel and Arlene Fages are the epitome of helping hands that choose to make life better at the Simkin Centre!



David Pollock, resident enjoys the Mobii.



Ruth Aisenstat, resident is entranced with the Mobii.

Karen Binder's Legacy of Joy Lives On...



The late Karen Binder z"l

The Simcha (Joy) Fund was established in memory of Karen (Roytenberg) Binder (z"l) by her daughter, Lori, on the approach of the first Yahrzeit of her passing (June 6, 2021). The Fund is listed in the special 2021 Donor & Sponsor Spotlight section of this annual edition of the Simkin Star newsletter.

For those readers who may not be acquainted with Karen or wish to go down memory lane, Lori Binder had provided some background about her mother and the years she lived at the Simkin Centre, as well as the fund.

"Karen is lovingly remembered for her smile that communicated joy for life and being in the company of others. Born in Winnipeg on April 21, 1943, to her doting parents Ida and Nat Roytenberg (z"l), Karen was an only child lovingly raised by both her immediate and extended family. These formative years nurtured a strength in Karen that allowed her to face adversity with resiliency, positivity and a focus on living life to the fullest. Karen was proud to raise her daughters in a Jewish home and vibrant Jewish community, and later went on to care for both of her own parents in their final years.

Karen was 59 years of age when she moved into the former Sharon Home on Magnus Avenue. She was blessed with great care and a loving community for 18 years, the longest of any resident at the Saul & Claribel Simkin Centre.

While Karen lived with the effects of Recessive Cerebellar Ataxia, the challenges created never defined her. The Weinberg 1 unit became her home where she embraced the company of all who knew her, and she was proud to continue living a Jewish life. Some have noted that she was the "Norm" (Cheers) of the Simkin Centre, her presence received with warmth and unfailing welcome.

The Simcha (Joy) Fund was created with deep appreciation and gratitude to every individual who touched Karen's life, made a tremendous impact on my mother and allowed her to smile, laugh and enjoy the simple things."

How the Simcha (Joy) Fund Works

Funds will be available annually for Simcha (Joy) projects that bring joy to the Simkin Centre community (residents and staff). At least one project idea brought forward by staff and one project idea brought forward by residents (and/or their families) will spring to life each year. At this time, \$2,000 has been earmarked for this project - \$1,000 for a staff idea and \$1,000 for a resident/family idea. Project idea proposals will be due on August 31st every year with decisions made by Sukkot, a holiday infused with joy. The Simkin management team will review the idea applications, make the final decisions and announce the joyful ideas that will move forward. In its first year, the fund will be launched this month.

Project ideas can be submitted via the website simkincentre.ca/giving, where you will find a project ideas application form for staff and residents/families. If you have any questions about this Fund and the project ideas, or wish to make a contribution to the **Simcha (Joy) Fund in Memory of Karen (Roytenberg) Binder (z"l)**, please contact Aviva Tabac, Fundraising Administrative Officer, at aviva.tabac@simkincentre.ca and by phone at (204) 589-9027.

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to the Fund – and stay tuned for joyful project ideas coming to life in 2023!

Successful Simkin Stroll



L-R Recreation and Music Therapy staff: Lori Pawluk, Quinton Poitras, Alissa Minaker, Shannon Burchuk, Thomas Bergen, Caitlin Liewicki, Russell Peters, Olga Myschysyn, Cathy Shewchuk, Marin Salfi

The Simkin Stroll was held on June 1st, 2022, our first in-person event since 2019, with high resident, family and community participation. We appreciate all our generous sponsors and donors (see Donor & Sponsor Spotlight in this newsletter).

We are excited to have raised \$45,000, as these funds will provide additional evening and weekend recreation and music therapy programs for the residents.

Mark your calendars now as the next Simkin Stroll is on Wednesday June 7, 2023! See you there!



Bonnie Paul, resident, Lori Pawluk, Recreation



Helen Amdurski, resident with her furry friend

2021 Donor & Sponsor Spotlight



Lillian Kregar, resident

TRIBUTE GIFTS

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Names of individuals being acknowledged appear in bold, with donors' names below. Individual, organization, foundation, special event, designated and general contributions to the Simkin Centre Foundation are welcomed. Donations can also be made as tribute gifts: "In Memory of" or "In Honour of" to celebrate loved ones.

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Marjorie Bakalinsky, resident

We thank you for your generosity!



Noreen Kenick, resident

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