University Club Connector
March 2017

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Painting by Robert Amos

Entertain * Engage * Enjoy
We want to thank everyone who joined us at our February 18th reception, the first of three events to celebrate the Club’s 50th anniversary. We had a fabulous turnout with so many members and guests who have enjoyed the Club over the years. Nick La Riviere and his band, great as usual, added a jazzy musical background…what a talented local musician. We had a chance to celebrate our longest serving staff and enjoy Trevor Matthews, one of our original members, as he reminisced about the early days of the Club. The food, the company, the memories…definitely a night to remember. But we have more to come…our next 50th anniversary event is in July.

Whisky Club events begin March 1st hosted by David McMillan. These events are an educational experience….and you get to sample some of the liquid gold. Speaking of gold…St Patrick’s Day is coming up here at the Club on March 18th with Music Bingo..come test your musical memory and enjoy some great food – there is Guinness in the stew and some irish soda bread. All this and you might win a prize. Reserve spots for your group to enjoy this fun evening.

We are pleased that Sandy Bligh, who is very talented with a brush, is again filling our Club walls with her wonderful art.

What else is happening at the Club…..
For those of you who plan ahead…Mother’s Day is important to us at the Club. So mark your calendars for the Mother’s Day Brunch on May 14th. (We just hope that the weather will have settled down a bit by then! Is this Victoria!!)

Check out The Weekly Events and the remainder of this newsletter for more details.

Time to sign off but as usual..see you at the Club! ….Margaret
Join us at the Club for a fun night featuring Music Bingo with great prizes, A Delicious Buffet Dinner and lots of Dancing! May the Luck “O” The Irish be with you!

Music Bingo Begins at 5:00 pm

Chef’s Irish Buffet

Irish Champ
Beef & Guinness Stew
Chef Carved Beef & Cabbage
Irish Shepherd’s Pie
Irish Bacon & Cabbage Soup
Chicken & Dumplings
Fried Cabbage

Chef’s Sautéed Prawns in Lemon Butter
Irish Soda Bread
Guinness Chocolate
Cheesecake
Irish Soda Bread Cookies
Coffee & Tea

$39.95 + tax per person

The University Club of Victoria
Reservations are required. Contact us at 250-721-7935 or reservat@uvic.ca
Plan a family gathering at the Club for this fabulous Mother’s Day brunch. What better way to say we love you Mom!!!
Seating’s at 11:00am, 11:30am & 12:00pm

Menu

Pastries
Eggs Benedict
Pancakes
Maple Bacon
Pork Sausages
Potato Hash
Asian Noodle Salad
Roasted Potato & Fennel
Wasabi-Ginger Coleslaw
Caesar Salad
Greek Salad

Poached Salmon with Prawns
Shrimp & Mussels
Carved Ham with Rosemary Maple Whiskey Sauce
Oregano Roasted Chicken Breast
Seafood en Croute
Beef & Onion Pie
Smoked Cheddar & Grilled Asparagus Quiche
Ravioli in Tomato Cream Sauce
Wild Rice Pilaf

DESSERTS
Chocolate Fountain
Cheese Board
Strawberries
Profiteroles
Amaretto Mousse
Fresh Fruit
Crème Brulee
Assorted Cakes
Coffee & Tea
Assorted Juices

$39.95 Adults
$19.95 Children 3-12
Under 3 is Complimentary

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$30.00 + tax per person, per event

April 5, 2017
‘Whisky tasting 101 Review’
This tasting will be used as a review in how to get the most out your whisky. We’ll talk about what impacts the flavours during the whisky making process, as well as the nosing and tasting techniques of ‘whisky experts”. We will be exploring a wide spectrum of whisky’s and reviewing tasting profiles associated to certain makes of whiskey and distilleries.

May 3, 2017
“One of these is not a Scotch”
After all this review and honing of tasting skills we are ready to test ourselves with a blind tasting. Whiskies will be representative of Scotlands whisky Regions…except one is an imposter. It will be your job to determine which whisky should not be in the line-up…Good luck

Reservations – All reservations must be received in the office a minimum of 10 days prior to each event.
Please e-mail reservat@uvic.ca OR call 250-721-7938.

Cancellations – To avoid being charged for the event please ensure the cancellation of your reservation a minimum of 7 days prior to each event.
As a passionate lifelong artist, Sandy spends much of her free time pursuing creative endeavors, working on projects in a variety of media. Her subject matter ranges from purely representational to abstract themes and often references the relationships between the arts - visual arts, textile, literature and music. Her colourful multimedia paintings incorporate layers of watercolour, ink, acrylics and sometimes collage on paper, canvas or board and she has recently begun working again in oil. She has exhibited work in numerous juried shows including the Sidney and Sooke Fine Art shows and the FCA.

Sandy has been a show designer for almost 30 years, responsible for the installation of the Sidney Fine Art Show since its inception in 2003 and the Saanich Peninsula Arts & Crafts annual shows since 1988.

Sandy has a Master’s degree in Art History and lives in Victoria where she is also a CPA, CMA working as an accountant at the University of Victoria.
**Weekly Events at The University Club**

**Lunch Buffet**

*Every Wednesday* come to your Club to enjoy a lunch buffet prepared by our culinary team.

*Served from 11:30am-2:00pm for $15.95 plus taxes*

**Chef’s March Prix Fixe**

*$24.95 plus taxes*

Camas Dining Room-Three Course Dinner Menu

**Starter:** Candied Salmon, *Sundried Tomato Aioli*

**Entree:** 5oz Sirloin Steak, *Onion Marmalade*

**Dessert:** House Made Chocolate Cheesecake

*Please note:* Cancellation of reservations are appreciated a minimum of 48 hours in advance of your dining or special event reservations.

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Contact us at 250-721-7935 or reservat@uvic.ca
Office Hours
Monday to Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Lunch Service
Monday to Friday 11:30 am - 2:00 pm

Camas Room Dining
Monday to Saturday
5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Bar & Lounge Hours
Monday to Friday 11:30 am - 10:00 pm
Saturday 5:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Please note the Club is closed on Sundays.

For Reservations
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Website: club.uvic.ca

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