May in Victoria is a beautiful time. The garden centres are overflowing with amazingly beautiful plants…I am always energized when I see them…then I remember that my mother’s green hand did not get passed down to me. Oh well! Here is Victoria we have such an abundance of incredibly talented gardeners – after all just a short walk in Butchart Gardens or Finnerty Gardens reminds us that we are lucky here. We get to enjoy the magnificent beauty that nature and so many others create.

If you haven’t done so, remember to reserve your family’s spot for the Mother’s Day Brunch at the Club on May 14th. These family moments are so very special and the Club loves to host these special times.

On May 25th the Club turns the clock back to 1967 as Dr. Marcus Milwright and actors from the UVic theatre program help us revive those times…when the “Beat Goes On”began…who sang that? Somebody called Sinatra…sang about Strangers in the Evening (or was that Night?). If you were too young to remember then join us to find out what an amazing time it really was. All this and we have the pleasure of some wonderful wines from Sea Star Winery on Pender Island. You have to try these (I loved them so much I went to the winery!)

The great outdoors beckons…the Club’s patio BBQs start on May 26th and we are celebrating with a special price for the BBQ’s that day…just $12.95 for lunch and $16.95 for dinner. I watched the ducks practicing so they can show off when the umbrellas go up!

What else is happening at the Club…..June 17th is the night for lobster fans…as the Club gets ready to host this favourite annual event. To add an extra treat to this evening, we are joined by the Niels Peterson Band. Neils is a musician and songwriter from Copenhagen, Denmark.

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

Time to sign off for now but as usual..see you at the Club! ….Margaret
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

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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1967
Themed Wine Dinner Theatre

Thursday, May 25th

Dinner theatre begins at 6:30 pm  $60 per person + tax

Featuring live-action entertainment and a 4-course dinner with wine pairings provided by:

SEA★STAR WINE

A Journey back to 1967

The University Club celebrates its fiftieth anniversary this year. To mark this wonderful milestone, we are delighted to invite you to attend an evening dedicated to the year in which the Club was founded. Food, drinks, and the entertainments will take you back to 1967, a year of artistic creativity, social turmoil, and political change.

Do you think you remember what happened in that year in Canada and across the world? Here’s your chance to find out, whether you lived through it or just know it from films, TV, music, and books. Dr. Marcus Milwright will be your host and actors from the UVic’s theatre program will be on hand to perform scenes from plays and films of the year and you will have a chance to take part in the 1967 quiz.

Take yourself back to the year when Canada was just a century old, the Beatles recorded Sergeant Pepper, and thousands marched against the war in Vietnam.

Raid your wardrobes and come dressed in period costume!

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Themed Wine Dinner Theatre

Pairing Menu

**CANAPÉS**
Lipton onion soup dip & chips
Stuffed celery boats
Angels & devils on horse back
Deviled eggs

**APPETIZER**
Royal prawn’s
Marie Rose cocktail sauce

**MAIN COURSE**
Salmon & Crab Wellington

**DESSERT**
Chocolate Baked Alaska
Raspberry Jell-O
Tunnel of fudge cake
Profiterole

Light acidity with floral notes, combined with an array of tropical fruit flavors, including grapefruit, apricot, and melon

Blanc de Noir is whole-cluster pressed, embellishing the wine with an appealing colour to match its enticing flavour

This full-bodied and expressive wine presents flavours including ripe pear, melon, gooseberry and a hint of lemon rind

A dessert wine blended from Estate Maréchal Foch and Pinot Noir grapes enhanced with Sea Star Estate Farm raspberries and blackberries
The long anticipated Lobsterfest will be here before we know it!

We have pulled the shell crackers out, ordered the butter and have the bibs ready!

**RSVP today!**

We are still working on the full menu please keep a look for it in upcoming newsletters

**Live Music Provided by Niels Petersen Band**
From Copenhagen, Denmark, Niels Petersen is a performing musician, producer and song-writer.

As a guitarist and pianist, Niels has shared the stage with such artists as Joan Armatrading, Tina Turner, Burton Cummings, Sir Cliff Richard, Trish Yearwood and Vince Gill!

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The painting was created in 2012 by Robert Amos and is on loan for temporary display at the University Club. It can only remain permanently in the Club if it is purchased through member donations. Accordingly, we are seeking your support of this one-time request.

Robert Amos is a leading Victoria artist, whose works are part of the University Art Collections, the Civic Collection of the City of Victoria and the Art Gallery of Greater Victoria.

To donate then please contact the Club office.
All Member donations are appreciated.
Thank you for your support.
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 May Prix Fixe

$26.00 plus taxes

Camas Dining Room-Three Course Dinner Menu

- **Starter:** Tempura Prawns, Wasabi Aioli
- **Entree:** Prosciutto & Smoked Cheddar Stuffed Chicken Breast
- **Dessert:** Strawberry Macaroon

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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University Club
Hours of Operation

Please note we will be CLOSED on Monday, May 22\textsuperscript{nd} for Victoria Day.

**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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