

# WHAT'S HAPPENING AT SPENCER HOUSE



## Two Houses Theatre Performance

On Friday, December 3rd, our very own Two Houses Theatre Company offered *Where's Marjory* performance to a sold-out crowd at Spencer House. The actors have been practicing all through the pandemic and were thrilled to finally be able to offer their performance. The "Dessert-Theatre" featured 2 acts and homemade cheesecakes and pies served at intermission. So many laughs and a huge success!



## Supper & Snacks Program

With the support of Agriculture & Agri-Food Canada's Emergency Food Security Fund, we are delivering food to members experiencing food insecurity, barriers to cooking at home, and those struggling with the social isolation of public health restrictions. Volunteers are delivering meals weekly to our members throughout the winter months.



## Holiday Fun at Spencer House

The December holidays were full of kindness and community support. This year we celebrated our **10th year** partnering with the Atlantic Jewish Council to provide Christmas dinner for seniors who are alone on the holiday. Gifts were donated by Santas for Seniors and Home Instead's Be a Santa to a Senior program for each member. Cards were made by the children of Saint Mary's Elementary and South End Community Day Care, as well as U13 boy's hockey team.

## Chocolates from the Heart

Our neighbours, Atlantic News and the Army Museum Citadel Halifax, sent us chocolates! We are very thankful for our many community partners who care about the members of our Centre.

## Valentine's Day Special Delivery

We Are Young Association held their yearly "Valentine for a Senior" campaign and partnered with Rousseau Chocolatier to donate chocolates to seniors for the special day of love. They donated chocolate treats for members of Spencer House. Saint Mary's Elementary School and South End Community Day Care made 100 loving letters and cards. Volunteers delivered treats, cheesecake from Delectable Desserts Inc, and a take out dinner from Chanoey's Pasta, spreading tons of love in the community.

## Kitchen renovation

Our kitchen is the heart of our center! We took the time while closed last month to do a much-needed renovation. We always want to better serve our members, and now we have more space for our volunteers to prepare and serve our meals. Much thanks to Madge, Ward, Richard, Tony, and David! There is a new self-serve coffee bar thanks to Glen for refurbishing one of our cabinets!

## Give65

Thank you for your generous support of our #GivingTuesday GIVE65 Event, in partnership with Home Instead Charities, enabling us to reach out to more senior friends and neighbours. With your support, we raised \$11,157! If you missed our GIVE65 Event, you can support Spencer House through our website [www.spencerhouse.ca](http://www.spencerhouse.ca)



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