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# SENIOR COMPASS

*Creating Opportunities for More Patrons to Access and Support Services*

## Monthly Book Showcase

**Author: Louise Penny**

**Genre: Mystery**

An author I discovered during this pandemic has given me many hours of entertainment. LOUISE PENNY our own Canadian author writes a fictional mystery series featuring Chief Inspector Armand Gamache of Surete du Quebec set in Montreal and the small Eastern Township village of Three Pines. There are 17 books in the series beginning with Still Life (2006) and the latest being The Madness of Crowds. Each book is self standing but the character development grows deeper with each new book. The 'whodunit' always keeps up the suspense in each book. The characters in the village of Three Pines are very diverse and with each book they become like good friends to the reader. Humorous, reliable and caring. They are always ready to back up Inspector Gamache in solving the case. Inspector Gamache is a strong, likeable character to whom we grow more familiar as the author allows us into his thoughts about his work, his friends and his family. Good reading and always happy to know that Louise Penny has another book in the works.



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## INDIVIDUAL APPOINTMENTS AVAILABLE

FOR SENIORS, NEMI RESIDENTS & LIBRARY CARD HOLDERS  
WHO MAY BE MORE VULNERABLE TO COVID-19

**APPOINTMENTS MUST BE MADE  
AT LEAST 2 DAYS IN ADVANCE**



**9:30AM TUESDAY THROUGH FRIDAY**

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## Senior COMPASS Webinar Series . . .

The Senior COMPASS project has worked together with community organizations to bring you a series of Informational Webinars that focus on health and wellbeing. These webinars will be recorded and will be available to view on our website, Facebook and YouTube in video format at a later date. So if you cannot participate on the specific dates, we've got you covered!!

*To sign up, please contact: [nemilibcompass@vianet.ca](mailto:nemilibcompass@vianet.ca)*

The first Webinar is "THE VALUE OF SOCIAL CONNECTIONS" presented by **Heather Hawrelluk-Sirois**. Heather Hawrelluk-Sirois is a Psychogeriatric Resource Consultant from Sudbury, ON. She has been working in the mental health field for 12 years and focused on geriatric care for over 16 years. Trained as a Recreation Therapist with a background in gerontology, Heather has comprehensive experience in hospital, long term care home and community settings. Her practice is grounded in person-centred care.

# THE VALUE OF SOCIAL CONNECTIONS

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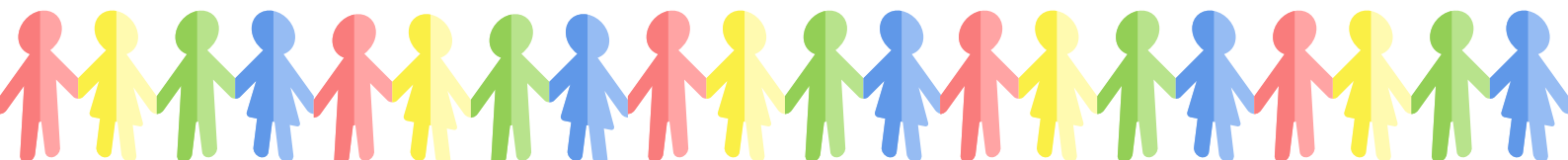
**Heather Hawrelluk-Sirois**  
of Behavioral Supports Ontario



**Wednesday, January 19, 2022, 2:00 pm via ZOOM**

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# ELDER ABUSE

## Prevention and Resources

with *Sheila Schuehle*



Elder Abuse  
Prevention  
Ontario

**Wednesday, January 26, 2022 at 1:30 pm via Zoom**

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## February's Webinar . . .



## "The Importance of Keeping The Mind Active"

hosted by

***The Alzheimer's Society***



**Wednesday, February 9, 2022 @ 1:30 p.m.**



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