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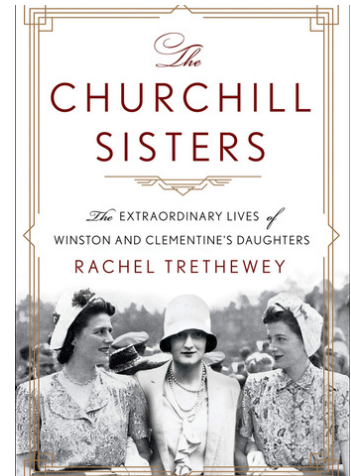
SENIOR COMPASS

Creating Opportunities for More Patrons to Access and Support Services

Monthly Book Showcase

Title: *The Churchill Sisters*
Author: Rachel Trethewey
Genre: Biography

The Churchill Sisters was an easy and enjoyable read. Most historical writing centers on figures - usually men - with little attention paid to the significance their families played in shaping their lives.



The Churchill Sisters describes a larger than life family, whose lives unfolded on a very grand stage. But it also describes a very ordinary family, one with typical challenges and also with insight into the relationship of the three surviving girls. The author addresses mental illness, suicide, and alcoholism; topics you would not typically associate with a book about the Churchill Family.

Blind Date with a Book

READ THE CLUES ON THE WRAP AND TAKE A CHANCE!

How it works:

- 1: Choose a book from our display of wrapped books based on the clues
- 2: Check it out

FEBRUARY IS



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. The Importance of Keeping The Mind Active is the last webinar of the series.

Jessica Bertuzzi from Alzheimer's Society in Sudbury will be joining us.

Jessica is the Public Relations & Education Manager with the Alzheimer's Society Sudbury-Manitoulin North Bay & Districts. She has been with the Society for 10 years and has worked on numerous national and provincial committees to help support and develop Dementia Friendly Communities. Jessica also manages numerous local programs with the Society including: recreation therapy, health promotion, public education, support groups, and community engagement. Not only does she have the professional experience but also uses her lived experience to further educate and support those living the dementia journey.

This webinar 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 participant on the specific dates, we've got you covered!!

To sign up, please contact: nemilibcompass@vianet.ca

"The Importance of Keeping The Mind Active"

with *Jessica Bertuzzi*

from

The Alzheimer's Society



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



Senior COMPASS Webinar Series cont'd. . .

In February we had the privilege of hosting 2 Webinars. ***The Value of Social Connection*** and ***Elder Abuse: Prevention and Resources***. As mentioned previously these will be made available soon to view on YouTube, our Website and on our Facebook page. Here are some contacts and resources for your information.

CONTACTS AND RESOURCES

News Article: Lonely Sudbury Man Posts Sign

<https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/sudbury/lonely-sign-phone-calls-1.6294094>

Free Tax Clinic

https://apps.cra-arc.gc.ca/ebci/oecv/external/prot/cli_srch_01_ld.action

Regional Elder Abuse Prevention Consultant with Elder Abuse Prevention Ontario,

Sheila Schuehle (pronounced shoe-line)

email: north@eapon.ca

Telephone: 807-355-5194

Antifraud Centre:

<https://www.antifraudcentre-centreantifraude.ca/index-eng.htm>

Local Victim Crisis Assistance and Referral Services (VCARS)

705-370-3378 or 1-866-392-7733

Seniors Safety Line (SSL) available 24/7

1-866-299-1011



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Qualified individuals (Canadian citizens who are at least 18 years old and reside in the municipality, not employed by the library or municipality) may submit a letter of interest summarizing their related skills and experience to:

**Clerk, Town of NEMI
14 Water Street East
P.O. Box 608
Little Current, Ontario
POP 1K0**

**For additional information:
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