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**Upcoming Events**

- May 27, 2026      9 people have signed up to attend **Singing in the Rain** at the Imperial Theatre.
- July 17, 2026      **Purdy's** for a fish lunch by the River. 12:00 to 2:00 p.m.  
RSVP to [lambton.retirees.rsvp@gmail.com](mailto:lambton.retirees.rsvp@gmail.com) by July 12, 2026.  
Subject: Purdys
- August 18, 2026      **My Father's Pond** – Lavender Farm (Wyoming), hosted by Lois Nantais.  
Event will include a visit to the lavender field, cutting a bouquet, making tea bags and enjoying tea and goodies.  
Maximum of 12 people.  
Event cost is \$ 25.00.  
RSVP to [Lambton.retirees.rsvp@gmail.com](mailto:Lambton.retirees.rsvp@gmail.com) Subject: Lavender  
and payments can be sent to [lcretirees1966@outlook.com](mailto:lcretirees1966@outlook.com).  
Payment secures your spot. Location will be sent upon receipt of payment.  
Possible car pool rides may be available.
- September 9, 2026      **John's Restaurant** for our "NOT back to College" gathering at 10:00 a.m.  
RSVP to [Lambton.retirees.rsvp@gmail.com](mailto:Lambton.retirees.rsvp@gmail.com) by September 1, 2026.  
Subject: Johns
- October 16, 2026      **Boston Pizza** at the 4 Point Sheridan in Point Edward.  
Celebrate "Be Your Own Boss Day" 12:00 to 2:00 p.m.  
RSVP by October 9, 2026 to [lambton.retirees.rsvp@gmail.com](mailto:lambton.retirees.rsvp@gmail.com).  
Subject Boss

## Great Food, Great Entertainment and Great Company



**Capstones** Lunch has closed permanently.

But, the Chef's Table...

Five course meal with a fine dining experience

Runs on select Thursday nights during June and July.

Limited seating by reservation only.

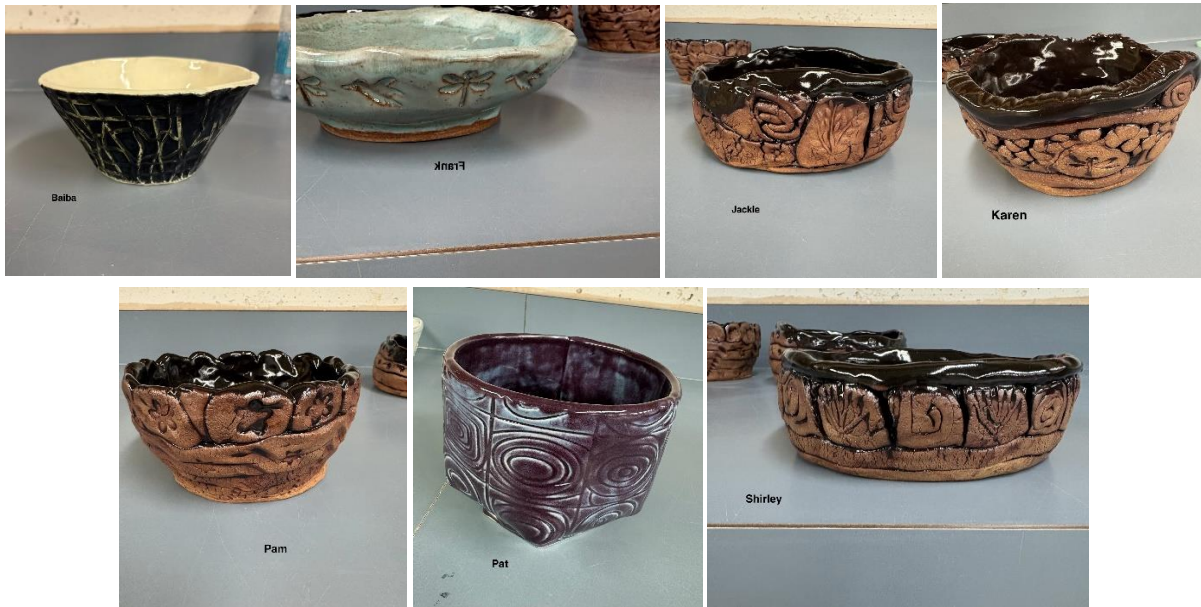
This experience will be missed once this program winds down.

<https://www.lambtoncollege.ca/community/capstones/about-capstones>

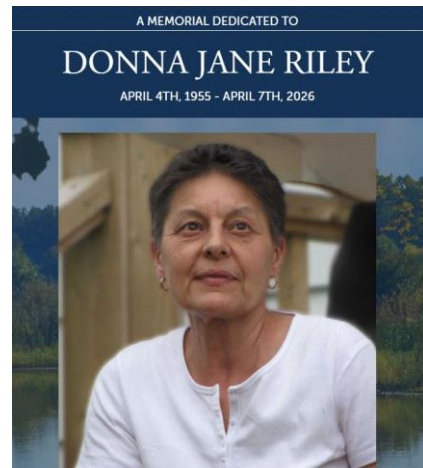
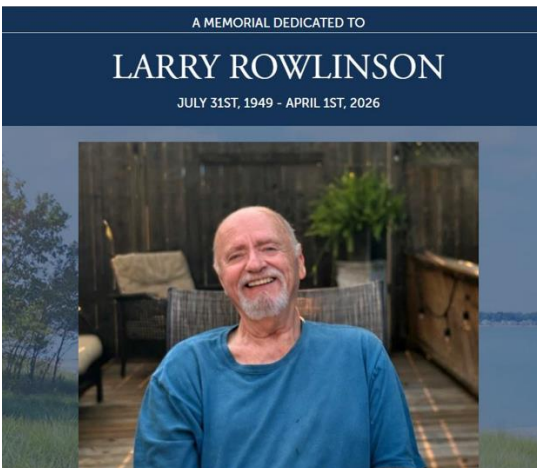
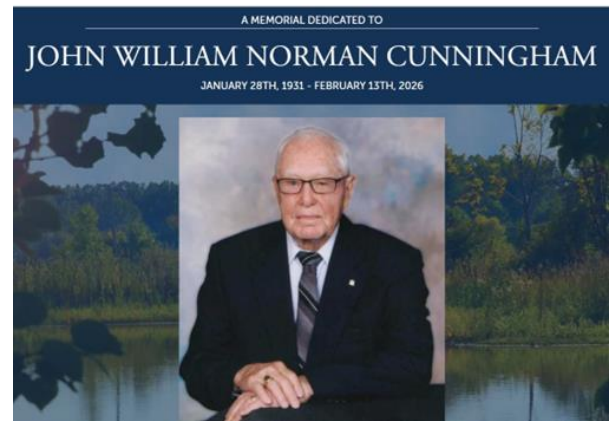
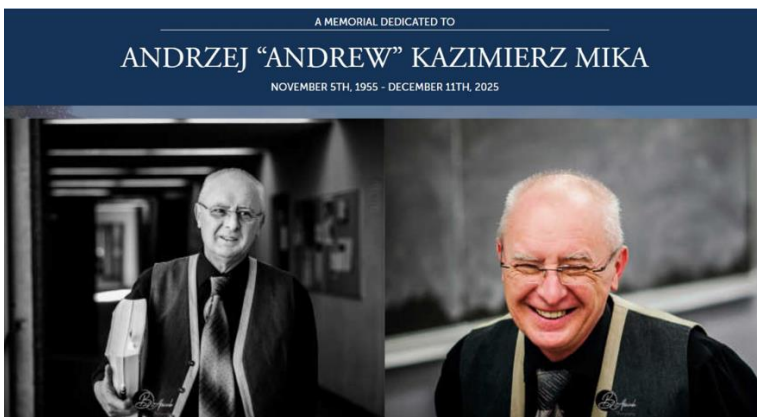


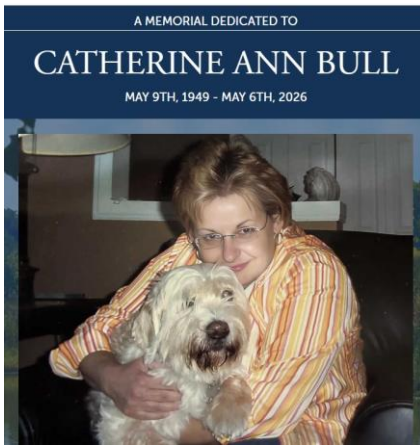
The 50/50 draw at the Capstone's Lunch brought in \$ 85.00.  
The Winner was Carolyn Fracalanza - \$ 42.50

Bowl making in preparation for Empty Bowls that happened in April. Workshop was hosted by Karen McClughan and Steph Smalls.



**Blessings to the families of these former coworkers.**





Family and friends will be received at Smith Funeral Home, 1576 London Line, Sarnia, on Friday, May 15, 2026, from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. A funeral service will be held at Smith Funeral Home on Saturday, May 16, 2026, at 11:00 a.m. with a lunch to follow. Sympathy may be expressed through donations to the charity of your choice (cheques only at the funeral home please). Arrangements entrusted to Smith Funeral Home, 1576 London Line, Sarnia.

Information from the 1<sup>st</sup> Newsletter:

The Lambton College Retirees Club was established in October 1998 during a lunch at Huron Oaks and later approved by the College Board of Governors.

The 1<sup>st</sup> Newsletter was edited by Geoff Lane in November 1999.

The Executive of this Club was Chair: Alma Brown, Vice Chair: Gerry Grevstad, Secretary: Gwen Lewis, Treasurer: Marion McPhee, Program: Jack VerBeem, Promotion: Geoff Lane, Membership: Jane Danic. Past Chair: Terry Cameron

Alma has stepped down from the Executive recently. She was on the Executive for 27 years. Her contributions were many and her advice was greatly appreciated. Thank you!!

Membership has been \$ 10.00 since 1998. And in 2026, when everything else has increased, this has remained a great value. The LCRC now has 51 paid annual memberships and OCRA has 16 paid annual memberships at \$ 10.00 plus 47 Life Time members.

**3 new LCRC members, who names will be put into a draw for a free 2027 membership.**

**Draw date is July 1, 2026.**

**Pay your membership by June 30, 2026 to have your chance for a free year of membership. Odds are really great.**

**Please use the email address [lcretirees1966@outlook.com](mailto:lcretirees1966@outlook.com) regarding Club information.**

## **Your Executive:**

Mary Leckie, Karen McClughan, Pat O'Connor, Shirley Osterman,  
Gerry Page, Kathi Vandenheuvel and Ursula Westelaken.

LCRC Executive Meeting held: March 25, 2026

Next LCRC Executive Meeting to be held: June 10, 2026