



# OUTREACH

*A News Bulletin for Friends of Catholic Family Services Peel-Dufferin*

**SO VERY MANY HEART-FELT THANKS TO ALL OUR MARDI GRAS SUPPORTERS**

**This year you helped us raise over \$20,000!**



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St. Ignatius Loyola  
St. Patrick's Parish  
St. Lawrence Centre for the Performing Arts  
St. Mary Star of the Sea  
Sue McFadden  
The Film Lounge  
The Flower Shoppe  
The Keg Steak House & Bar  
Tim Peterson, MPP  
Toronto Blue Jays  
Toronto Maple Leafs  
Toronto Marlies  
Travelodge Pembroke  
Veronese Hair Design & Spa  
VIA Rail Canada  
Wallace and Lilly Radford  
Whirlpool Jet Boat Tours  
Wild Water Kingdom  
Winners Canada & HomeSense



## THE WAITING IS OVER!

**OUR WALK-IN COUNSELLING CLINICS ARE OPENING SOON TO PROVIDE SERVICES FOR CLIENTS WITH IMMEDIATE NEEDS**

We are pleased to announce the June 1st launch of our walk-in counselling clinics at 3 of our service locations!

### **Brampton**

Thursdays—12:30 to 7:30 pm  
*On-site child minding available*

### **Mississauga**

Tuesdays—12:30 to 7:30 pm  
*On-site child minding available*

### **Bolton**

Mondays—4:00 to 6:30 pm

Open one day per week, all clients requiring immediate counselling services will be seen by a counsellor within one week on a first come first serve basis, for a variety of counselling needs such as depression, anxiety, stress, grief, couple conflict, parent-child conflict, blended family issues and partner abuse. Walk-in services will be provided in a variety of languages that include English, Punjabi, Hindi, Spanish, Portuguese, Polish, Cantonese and Mandarin.

Some clients may need just one counselling session at our walk-in clinic. Others may need additional counselling after their clinic visit and they will be placed on a wait list for ongoing services but can return to the clinic anytime for interim support. If any client on our waiting list needs immediate service, they can access a counsellor at the walk-in clinic as often as needed!

Our current waiting times for ongoing counselling services can vary from 6 weeks to 4 months depending on location. People either drop off the wait list or make their own adjustments to their situation which can often create more harm. Access to a walk-in clinic will provide help for clients when they need it most. This benefits everyone by shortening the waiting period for ongoing services!

*Funding for the Walk-In Project provided by the Region of Peel*

### **WALK-IN CLINIC LOCATIONS**

#### **Brampton**

201-10 Gillingham Drive ♦ 905.450.1608

#### **Mississauga**

701-165 Dundas Street West ♦ 905.897.1644

#### **Caledon**

18 King Street East, Unit D8 ♦ 905.450.1608



## FUNDRAISING NEWS

One of the challenges we face, just like many other social services agencies, is maintaining our high standards of counselling, and at the same time increasing our capacity to meet the growing population of Peel-Dufferin. Brampton was the third fastest growing community in the country last year!

In order to grow, we need more financial resources. Last year we were successful in securing a four year grant from the Ontario Trillium Foundation and in November of 2006, we hired Doug Bird to the position of Development Manager. Doug has over 25 years experience in sales, marketing and not-for-profit management. In addition, Doug has been active in the community with a variety of organizations and is currently involved with the Knights of Columbus.



One of the areas we need to develop is that of 3<sup>rd</sup> party fundraisers. This is where an individual or group runs an event, and then donates the proceeds or a portion of the proceeds to CFSPD. The event could be a golf tournament, a BBQ, garage sale, a dance, anything that a group of people would enjoy. No amount is too small. It all adds up! So get together and plan a fun event, and make CFSPD among the recipients of the profits you make. We will put your money to good use by helping those in our community get the help they need when they need it most! For some tips on how to organize and market your idea, please contact Doug Bird at [dbird@cfspd.com](mailto:dbird@cfspd.com) or 905.450.1608 ext. 150.

### COMING SOON!



**the 9th Annual Port Credit Blues & Jazz Festival**  
September 7th, 8th and 9th, 2007

This year we will be among one of the many community agencies to benefit from this entertaining annual event! So check your mailbox in late summer for more campaign information about the **Southside Shuffle** and other exciting events coming your way!

stop hurting me      it's my money      treat me with respect

**abuse hurts at any age**  
together we can prevent abuse of older adults

abuse hurts at any age **June 15**

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