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Community Programs



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FREE WORKSHOPS

- Better Sleep Craving Change
- Diabetes, Healthy Feet and You!
- Dial it Down Relaxation and Stress Management
- M.A.S.T.- Mindful Awareness Stabilization Training
- **Powerful Tools for Caregivers**
- Take Charge Chronic Conditions
- Take Charge Chronic Pain

For more information or to register:

(519-947-1000 ext 255 www.wwselfmanagement.ca

Spring Clothing Giveaway

Come bring your family and friends to the free Clothing Giveaway! Date: Monday, May 6, 2024

Time: 4:00 pm - 6:30 pm

** Clothing donations are welcome from April 22 to May 3 at the Resource Centre by main reception. Thank you.



Emergency First Aid & CPR (Adult, Child, Babies) Level C with AED Training (1 day course only)

Come out and take this informative and fun course! February 9, 2024 or June 28, 2024

Ages: 12 plus

Cost: \$25 in boundaries, \$40 outside of boundaries for participants Pre-registration is required. Please contact Tammy at ext. 228 or

tammys@langs.org Money is due upon registration.





WINTER/SPRING 2024

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THE LEAF 🖗 **NEWSLETTER WINTER/SPRING 2024**



Wellness Tip For Winter: Finding balance is important, even when it's buried in snow!

Finding balance is an important part of mental wellness. It's also an ongoing process - sometimes things tip too far in one direction, and we need to find that healthy balance again. During the winter months, it can be tough to maintain a healthy balance in one or more aspects of our lives. Here are some examples of ways that we can strive for a healthy balance in winter:

- Plan a social schedule that you can tolerate. Social events can help reduce feelings of isolation in winter, and it's also okay to limit social interactions. If you're travelling too much, consider suggesting a virtual call with family or friends instead.
- Try to get outside each day, even for 10-15 minutes on cold days if you can do so safely. This can help boost our mental health, and so can getting cozy indoors with a hot drink, so try to mix in some of both if you are able to.

Social Work and Counselling Services at Langs

As part of the holistic approach to your health care, Langs offers free, confidential counselling to individuals, couples and families who meet eligibility requirements and are wanting to improve their well-being. Please see <u>www.langs.org</u> for eligibility criteria or call Marijke at 519-653-1470 ext 327.

Langs' Social Workers also offer a variety of workshops and groups to support people to achieve their best health and wellness.

Youth Mental Health Services at the Youth Wellness Hub

The Langs Youth Wellness Hub mental health workers provide brief intervention services to youth and young adults ages 12-24 years. We provide 4-6 sessions with a mental health worker to build skills, increase mindfulness and learn more about self-regulation. For more information, visit www.langs.org or contact Laura at 519-653-1470 ext. 361.



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Little Jumping Beans: Ages 0 - 6 years

An interactive play and learn focused program for ages 0 - 6 years of age and their caregivers/parent(s) to communicate and play & learn together.

Weekly drop-in program in our gym at Langs with a focus on using fine motor skills through play and will also have some time for singing and story times!

Please bring socks or indoor shoes for the gym area. Pre-registration is encouraged.

Day: Thursdays Starts: Jan 11, 2024 Time: 9:30 am to 11:00 am Cost: \$2.00 per week Contact Tammy at 519-653-1470 ext 228

Children & Youth Programs

Grades 1-5: For more information, please contact Taylor at tayloro@langs.org or Khadija at khadijak@langs.org Grades 6-12: For more information, please contact the Youth Wellness Hub at 519-653-1470 ext. 361

Winter Break Program

Stay cozy this winter and join the Winter Break Program at Langs! Participate in fun gym games, get creative with some winter themed crafts and have fun with friends. Grades: 1-5 Davs: Tues. Jan 2 to Fri. Jan 5 **Time:** 9:00 am - 5:00 pm **Cost:** \$50

Location: Langs Main Site, 1145 Concession Rd **Registration:** Contact Erum at erumn@langs.org or 519-653-1470 ext 267 to register.

Open Gym

Come out and play some fun dames and meet new friends at open gym! Grades: 1-5 Davs/Times: **Starts After Winter Break** Tuesdays at William G Davis from 6:30 - 7:30 pm Wednesdays in the Langs Gym

from 6:00 - 7:00 pm Starts: Jan 9th Cost: Free

Location: William G Davis gym (530 Langs Dr) and Langs gym (1145 Concession Rd) Registration details: Drop-in, No registration required.

PA Day Program

Come to the PA Day program at Langs to enjoy some exciting crafts, snacks, fun physical activities and to make new friends! Grades: 1-5 Days: January 19, May 31 and June 28 **Time:** 9:00 am - 5:00 pm **Cost:** \$10 per day Location: Langs Main Site. 1145 Concession Rd **Registration:** Contact Erum at erumn@langs.org or 519-653-1470 ext 267 to register.

March Break Program

Come and join us for a week of March Break FUN! Participate in fun games, get creative with arts and crafts, and have fun with friends. Grades: 1-5 **Days:** Monday to Friday March 11 -15, 2024 **Time:** 9:00am - 5:00 pm **Cost:** \$50 Location: Langs Main Site, 1145 Concession Rd Registration details: Contact Erum at erumn@langs.org or 519-653-1470 ext 267 to register.

Makerspace

Unleash your creativity in our makerspace! We have string art, perler beads, painting, colouring and so much more! Grades: 6-12

Langs Youth Wellness Hub Starts: Jan 9th

Days: Tuesdays & Fridays **Time:** 2:00 - 4:00 pm Cost: Free



Hoops

Stay active, work on your basketball skills and compete in some friendly pick-up games with other participants from the community! Grades: 6-12 Langs Gym Starts: Jan 3rd

Days: Mondays & Wednesdays **Time:** 7:00 - 8:00 pm Cost: Free



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Tech Centre – Grades 6-12

Drop in and explore the Tech Centre. Discover the computers and use them for homework, employment or gaming. Wi-fi and tablets are available or play cards and games with friends in the lounge area. Enjoy the Playstation 4 and snacks!

Langs Youth Wellness Hub - Starts Jan 2nd Cost: Free Monday & Wednesday 1:00 pm - 8:00 pm Tuesday & Thursday 11:00 am - 5:00 pm Friday 11:00 am - 4:00 pm

CHANGED LIVES, HEALTHY COMMUNITES

For more information, please call 519-653-1470 ext 361

Youth Council – Grades 6-12

Earn volunteer hours and have your voice heard! The YTCYC (Youth Together Connecting Youth to Community) meets monthly to plan and evaluate programs and plan events. **Grades:** 6-12

Starts Thursday, January 18, 2024 Time: 4:00 - 5:30 pm Cost: Free

Registration: Call 519-653-1470 ext.361

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Adult Programs Contact Tammy at ext 228 or tammys@langs.org for more information and to register

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Live & Laugh -Women's Group

An adult ladies program that focuses on health promotion, fun and recreational topics! Wednesdays (starts Jan. 10th) Time: 10:00 am - 12:00 noon **Cost:** \$2.00 per week

Night Out- Bingo Night

A social, fun, and recreational program where we play bingo together! Mondays, once a month **Time:** 6:30 pm - 7:45 pm

Cost: \$2.00 Call to register and for dates

Yoga Program

Get active and stretch this Winter! Tuesdays, start date to be determined Time: 10:30 am - 11:30 am Cost: \$4.00 per week, pay as you go



The best way to play



Langs Youth Wellness Hub (YWH) Langs, 2nd Floor - 1145 Concession Rd







Cooking Healthy Together Cooking Program

Do you enjoy cooking or want to learn how? Then this program is for you! A program that focuses on skill development and team

Tuesdays (starts Jan. 9th) **Time:** 1:00 - 2:30 pm **Cost:** \$2.00 per week Pre-Registration is required

Retired & Ready - Older Adult Program 50+

A program focused on health promotion, connection, recreation and fun!

Mondays, (starts Jan. 15th) dates varv

Time: 1:30 - 3:30 pm Cost: \$2.00 per week

New Adult Program! Walk, Talk & Sort the Socks Program

A program for adults with a focus on socializing and connecting with others. A program where you can walk with one another on the Langs walking track, enjoy coffee and talk about different table talk topics with one another. Bring those little tasks that are no fun to do on your own, like sorting your mismatched socks!

Thursdays, (starts Jan. 11th) Time: 10:00 - 11:30 am Cost: Free