



McGill Faculty Club Newsletter

A big thank you to all members who attended the “Deep South” evening. Despite tough competition from the Habs and Bruins game that night, the event was a success! With artists from McGill and Université de Montréal forming the talented RoxiSix Band, soothing jazz, blues and gospel filled the Ballroom throughout the evening.

Since the “Deep South” cuisine theme was quite appealing and unique, we are back in May counterbalancing with lighter vegetarian meals. Cuisine “Végétarienne du Monde” will introduce you to international tempting and mouthwatering dishes.

Vegetarian Escape around the World

McGill Faculty Club from
May 2nd to May 6th 2011



Cuisine “Végétarienne du Monde” May 2nd to 6th

Let your taste buds escape around the world! Savour international vegetarian cuisine at the Faculty Club. From couscous to root veggies to quinoa salads, you’ll definitely be tempted by these tasty light meals. Let Nasi Goreng, chili, marinated and grilled vegetables satisfy your cravings. A great way to discover healthy meals of the world!

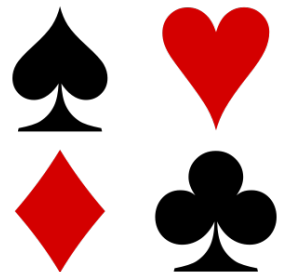
For menu: www.mcgill.ca/facultyclub/restaurant/vegweek

Bridge

Tuesdays, May 3rd and 17th, Maude Abbott Room, 2-4 p.m.

Calling all bridge players to the Faculty Club! The McGill Committee for Retired Professors hosts this event twice a month and welcomes players of all levels. Challenge an old chum or a new pal to a friendly match over tea or a few drinks.

For more information, contact: [Dorothy Thomas Edding](#) and/ or 514-932-8478.





Mother's Day Brunch

Sunday May 8th, Faculty Club Ballroom, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.

An event dedicated to all mothers! Come celebrate this special day with the women of your life and the rest of the family too. Enjoy a delicious brunch while taking in the harmonious melodies played by a trio. A perfect way to spend time with loved ones.

Make your [reservation and see menu](#) today!

Children 3- 6 years: \$9.00; Children 7- 12 years: \$15.00; Children 13 years and older & adults: \$29.50 plus taxes.

International Snooker League Tournament

May 8th to 14th

Come be a spectator at this international event. Learn some of the rules that are so different from standard pool playing. The McGill Faculty Club will be hosting 10 top teams from around the world. A game of skill and strategy, watch professionals chalk their cues as they take precise shots at snooker balls. A nail-biting tournament!

For more details: www.internationalsnookerleague.com or call Carel Folkersma at 6391



Centraide Trivia Night

Wednesday, May 11th, Faculty Club Ballroom, 5:30 p.m.

Hosted by Faculty Club President David Harpp, it's Centraide Trivia Night's 6th and final session of the semester. Set your mind into high gear for some fabulous prizes.

Expected to be a sold-out event of 30 teams of four, make sure to sign up in time for the battle of the brains! Come witness this semester's Grand Prize winner claim the "Dinner for Four with Wine" award. Watch team "Ananas," "DarVaders" and "Boom Down Go Fudd" take on the frontrunner "Ministry of Truth" for the top honour!

To check your standings and view photos, visit:

www.mcgill.ca/facultyclub/trivia

For Round 6 registration, visit: www.mcgill.ca/facultyclub/restaurant/trivia

**Lobster Festival at the Faculty Club
May 16th to 27th**

By popular demand, we have extended the Lobster Festival to 9 days this year! Shipped in from the Magdalen Islands, these fresh crustaceans will melt in your mouth. Treat yourself to this tasty seafood dish and imagine yourself admiring the shores of the Atlantic Ocean. The Faculty Club will also have a large tank with live lobsters on display.

Ne touchez pas!
For more [details and menu](#):



June 2011: The Faculty Club will be closed as of Thursday, June 23rd and the Club will be ready to welcome you back on Monday, August 29th for another great semester. We plan to continue many of the successful events that took place this past year including music interludes, Trivia nights and Sunday Brunches.



DID YOU KNOW?

"I tried to recollect a Pierre Elliott Trudeau story as best as I could. Already retired from office, he came to the Faculty Club for a pre-lunch beverage with his friend Prof. Storrs McCall from McGill's Department of Philosophy. I was sitting at a table next to the fireplace having a drink with Erik Skovsbo, Prof. McCall's former neighbour. Mr. Trudeau and Prof. McCall joined us at our table and ordered whiskey sours. Upon arrival of the drinks, the former Prime Minister uttered the words: "I like this so much. Had I been around here more often, I would have perhaps become an alcoholic and never amounted to very much."

Antal Deutsch, Emeritus Professor of Economics & member of the Faculty Club Council.

If you have anecdotes relating to the Faculty Club, drop us a line and tell us your story.

Every day is Mother's Day, but Sunday, May 8th will be special, come and celebrate this special day at the Faculty Club.

**David N. Harpp
President, Faculty Club**

**Carel Folkersma
General Manager**