



McGill Faculty Club Newsletter

Faculty Club Newsletter, February 2019 Edition

The year 2019 is off to a great start at the McGill Faculty Club! As always, the Robbie Burns Night was a grand success and was sold out again this year. The evening was filled with Scottish traditions, including music, dancing, poetry and of course haggis. Fun was had by all amid a festive atmosphere. A special thank you to Professor Kenneth McKenzie for being such an amazing M.C.



Soon it will be Valentine's Day and Cupid is ready to aim his arrow. The day of love is traditionally celebrated on February 14th and is named after two saints: St. Valentine of Rome and St. Valentine of Terni. In pre-Christian times, the middle of February was a period of pagan fertility festivals throughout Europe and a time when birds chose a mate. See below for details of the St. Valentine's special menu.

Please be reminded that likely the best, full breakfast in the city is available every weekday starting at about 7:30 am. The cost is about half that in local hotels and the atmosphere is quiet and private. It is ideal for Departmental budgets when entertaining visitors and/or new hires.



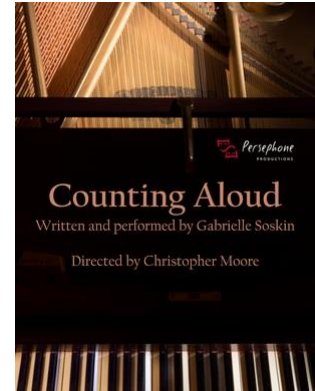
Bridge on Tuesday, February 5th and 19th, 2019 - Maude Abbott Room from 1:15-4:15 pm

Twice a month, throughout the academic year, the McGill Committee for Retired Professors organizes bridge matches. As always, novices and experts are welcome to join in the games and be in on the fun. It's a great way to socialize with others who share a passion for this friendly game of strategy.... a popular event that's both relaxing and challenging.

For more information, contact: Dorothy Thomas Edding at 514-932-8478.

The McGill Faculty Club presents a Dinner Theatre event on Wednesday, February 6th, 2019: “Counting Aloud” by Gabrielle Soskin.

Cocktail at 6:30 pm – Performance at 7:00 pm and Dinner at 8:15 pm.



Here is a little bio on Gabrielle Soskin – Playwright/Performer:

Gabrielle came to Montreal from her native England in 1970. A graduate of the Bristol Old Vic Theatre School, Trent Park College, and Concordia University, Gabrielle started her theatrical journey as an actor before becoming a teacher and a director. She has had a challenging and fascinating career over the years, participating in the training of many vital young artists in the community and directing every genre imaginable. In 2000, she created Persephone Productions, a not-for-profit theatre company, mandated to give emerging theatre artists work opportunities in their respective areas of expertise.

Dinner and Performance @ \$42.00 per person.

To reserve just follow this link:



St. Valentine's Day Special Menu Thursday, February 14th in the Main Dining Room.

Share your meal with that special someone in the Faculty Club dining room where Chef Léo and his team will have prepared a unique menu for you to enjoy. This menu will be available for lunch and dinner. Click [HERE](#)

Upcoming Event



- Centraide Trivia Quiz: Round 4 – Thursday, March 14th, 2019

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