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WHAT: MIRAMICHI LODGE'S 50th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION EVENT.

WHERE: MIRAMICHI LODGE, 975 PEMBROKE STREET WEST, PEMBROKE.

WHEN: WEDNESDAY AUGUST 14TH 12:00 PM at MIRAMICHI LODGE

On Wednesday, August 14th, the residents of Miramichi Lodge Long-Term Care Home have invited their families, staff, volunteers and local dignitaries to join them in celebrating the Lodge's proud history of providing quality long-term care in Pembroke and area for the past 50 years.

Fifty years ago, the first Miramichi Lodge opened its doors to new residents at 400 Bell Street in Pembroke. Fast forward to 2005, and the County of Renfrew and City of Pembroke both contributed to provincial funding to construct a new, state of the art "A" facility at its current location at 975 Pembroke Street West. Numerous local people and businesses contributed to the capital campaign that ensured this new Home included an auditorium, known as the Community Centre. It is only fitting that the residents requested entertainment be provided in this space to celebrate this occasion and the Miramichi Lodge Foundation has coordinated many local entertainers to perform throughout the afternoon's celebration starting at 1:00 pm.

Prior to that, local dignitaries will bring greetings and officially open the "Green Garden Oasis" at noon in the garden area.

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