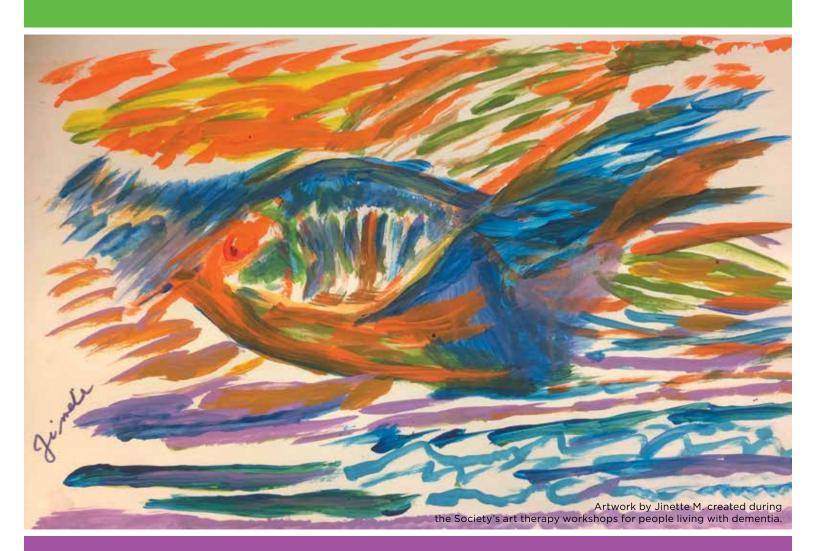
# AlzheimerSociety

## **SPRING-SUMMER PROGRAM APRIL TO AUGUST 2019**



Our professional counsellors are here to listen to you and guide you towards services and resources in your community. Contact us!

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#### **Alzheimer Society of Montreal**

**Alzheimer Service Centre** 4505 Notre-Dame Street West, Montreal 514-369-0800 | info@alzheimermontreal.ca

#### **Opening Hours**

Spring | Monday to Friday 9 a.m to 5 p.m. **Summer | Monday to Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.** Friday 8:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.





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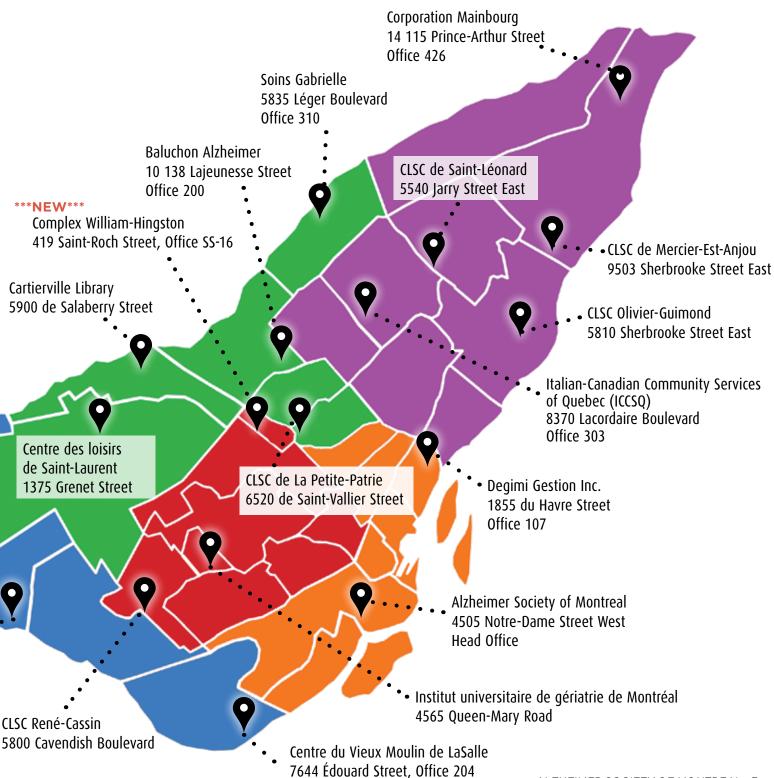
## THE COUNSELLING-**NETWORK**

Do you care for someone living with Alzheimer's disease or a related form of dementia? Would you like to talk about your situation and the challenges you are facing? Do you need support and want to know where you can find it?

Our counsellors are available to meet caregivers at a number of service points throughout Montreal and offer the following services: free and confidential counselling, information, resources, and support.

To discuss your situation and make an appointment: 514-369-0800 info@alzheimermontreal.ca

260 Spring Garden Street Carrefour des 6-12 ans de Pierrefonds-Est inc. 4773 Lalande Boulevard Foyer Dorval Ste. Anne's Hospital 225 de la Présentation Avenue 305 Anciens-Combattants Boulevard



## CONFERENCE

## FINANCIAL PLANNING AND DEMENTIA



Part 1 — ENGLISH **Financial Considerations when Dealing with Dementia** 

**CARLO GAGLIARDI** Financial Planner Associate Portfolio Manager



Part 2 - ENGLISH **Power of Attorney, Mandate in Case** of Incapacity, Advanced Medical **Directives: Differences and Usefulness** 

ME HÉLÈNE GUAY, BCL, LLM Attorney in Health Law, Persons and Elders' Law

Wednesday, May 15, 2019 6 to 7:15 p.m. — FREE

The conference will be followed by a question period.

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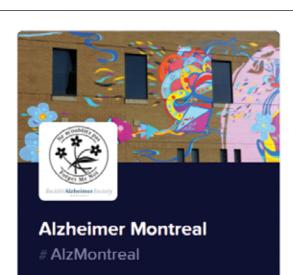


I care for someone with

Alzheimer's

- Connect with our team of health care professionals.
- → Meet other caregivers.
- → Benefit from up-to-date information about dementia.
- → Access resources and find support.

www.huddol.com/join/AlzMontreal



A space to share information, strategies, experiences, and concerns with others who are caring for someone with Alzheimer's disease or a related form of dementia.



## CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUPS

## WHO are these groups for?

Family and friends of people living with Alzheimer's disease or a related form of dementia. longdistance caregivers included.

## WHY join a support group?

- To access practical information and strategies to integrate into your daily life and that can help you plan for the future.
- To experience a reassuring environment, free from judgement, that allows for you to openly share what you are going through.
- To realize that you are not alone and that others are experiencing similar challenges.
- To make a connection with the Alzheimer Society of Montreal and a vast network of resources.

## WHERE do the groups take place?

The groups take place in different locations across the island of Montreal at various times and dates. Additional groups may be formed according to the needs of participants.

## WHO facilitates the groups?

A team of skilled and compassionate professionals facilitate our caregiver support groups.

## **HOW** do I register or find out more?

Contact one of the Alzheimer Society of Montreal's counsellors:

514-369-0800 | info@alzheimermontreal.ca



The Alzheimer Society of Montreal's team of support group facilitators.



THE GROUPS FOLLOWED BY AN ASTERISK (\*) ON PAGES 6 TO 9 ARE OFFERED SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH A GROUP FOR PEOPLE LIVING WITH DEMENTIA.

COME WITH THE PERSON YOU CARE FOR AND GET THE SUPPORT YOU BOTH NEED!

## **WEEKLY GROUPS**

Weekly groups for caregivers are held year-round at various service points across the island of Montreal. The groups are offered in **English** or **French** and are led by our team of experienced facilitators. There are two types of weekly groups for caregivers: **information and support** and **meditation**.

### **INFORMATION AND SUPPORT — 8-WEEK GROUPS**

This group meets once a week for 2 hours, over 8 weeks. It covers a variety of topics, including: an overview of Alzheimer's disease and related forms of dementia, various aspects of communication, understanding responsive behaviours, taking care of yourself as a caregiver, and the different community resources available in your area.

COST: \$60 for the 8-week session. It is not necessary to have already received services from the Alzheimer Society of Montreal to participate in this group.

CENTRE-WEST OF MONTREAL	
Institut universitaire de gériatrie de Montréal   4565 Queen-Mary Road	
Tuesday   6 to 8 p.m.   FRENCH	April 16 to June 4

WEST OF MONTREAL		
CHSLD Bayview   27 Lakeshore Road, Pointe-Claire		
Thursday   7 to 9 p.m.   ENGLISH	April 18 to June 6	
Carrefour des 6-12 ans de Pierrefonds-Est   4773 Lalande Boulevard		
Friday   10 a.m. to 12 p.m.   FRENCH April 19 to June 7		

NORTH OF MONTREAL		
Cartierville Library   5900 de Salaberry Street		
Wednesday   6 to 8 p.m.   FRENCH	April 17 to June 5	
Centre de loisirs communautaires Lajeunesse   7378 Lajeunesse Street		
Tuesday   6 to 8 p.m.   FRENCH April 16 to June 4		



IF YOU REQUIRE RESPITE SERVICES TO ATTEND A SUPPORT GROUP, CALL US AT 514-369-0800 TO DISCUSS YOUR SITUATION.



#### **SUMMER SESSION — 8-WEEK GROUPS**

CENTRE-SOUTH OF MONTREAL		
Alzheimer Society of Montreal   4505 Notre-Dame Street West		
Thursday   7 to 9 p.m.   FRENCH	July 11 to August 29	
Thursday   7 to 9 p.m.   ENGLISH	July 11 to August 29	

WEST OF MONTREAL	
CHSLD Bayview   27 Lakeshore Road, Pointe-Claire	
Thursday   7 to 9 p.m.   ENGLISH	July 4 to August 22

EAST OF MONTREAL	
CLSC Olivier-Guimond   5810 Sherbrooke Street East	
Tuesday   7 to 9 p.m.   FRENCH	July 9 to August 27

#### **INFORMATION AND SUPPORT — NEW 6-WEEK FORMAT**

As a result of the feedback received from our participants, we are proud to launch this 6-week information and support group as a pilot project. This revised program will allow caregivers to receive all the necessary information to better understand the diagnosis and requirements of the person they are caring for, as well as their own needs. A shorter version of the program does not mean fewer tools, but rather an improved way of presenting them.

Register now, we look forward to hearing your thoughts!

COST: \$60 for the 6-week session. It is not necessary to have already received services from the Alzheimer Society of Montreal to participate in this group.

CENTRE-SOUTH OF MONTREAL		
Alzheimer Society of Montreal   4505 Notre-Dame Street West		
Wednesday   7 to 9 p.m.   FRENCH April 17 to May 22		
Wednesday   1:30 to 3:30 p.m.   ENGLISH April 17 to May 22*		
*Offered simultaneously with a support group for people living with dementia.		

EAST OF MONTREAL		
CLSC Olivier-Guimond   5810 Sherbrooke Street East		
Tuesday   7 to 9 p.m.   FRENCH	April 16 to May 21	
CLSC de Saint-Léonard   5540 Jarry Street East		
Tuesday   1:30 to 3:30 p.m.   FRENCH	April 23 to May 28	

### **MEDITATION** (WEEKLY GROUPS)

Meditation helps to reduce stress, lower distress and exhaustion, and enhance our responses to challenging situations. Join us and replenish your energy stores!

COST: Participants are encouraged to make a donation to the Society. It is not necessary to have already received services from the Alzheimer Society of Montreal to participate in this group.

EAST OF MONTREAL	
CLSC Olivier-Guimond   5810 Sherbrooke Street East	
Wednesday   1:30 to 3 p.m.   BILINGUAL	May 15 to June 12

## MONTHLY GROUPS



#### **REGISTRATION REQUIRED!**

### **SUPPORT**

Once caregivers have completed a weekly information and support group, they are encouraged to join a monthly group to continue receiving peer support and share information. The topics discussed reflect the reality and needs articulated by the participants.

COST: \$60 from September to June. A weekly information and support group must be completed before joining a monthly group. It is possible to join a monthly group at any time (on a pro rata basis).

CENTRE-SOUTH OF MONTREAL			
Alzheimer Soo	Alzheimer Society of Montreal   4505 Notre-Dame Street West		
1st Monday of the month 4th Monday of the month* 1st Thursday of the month**			
7 to 9 p.m.   FRENCH	1:30 to 3:30 p.m.   FRENCH	4 to 6 p.m.   ENGLISH	
* Offered simultaneously with a group for people living with dementia.			
** 2 groups offered during this time slot: 1 for caregivers of spouses, 1 for caregivers of parents.			

EAST OF MONTREAL			
CLSC Olivier-Guimond   5810 Sherbrooke Street East			
4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month	4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month		
1:30 to 3:30 p.m.   FRENCH	7 to 9 p.m.   FRENCH		
CLSC de Rivière-des-Prairies   8655 Perras Boulevard			
2 <sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month 7 to 9 p.m.   ENGLISH			

WEST OF MONTREAL	
CHSLD Bayview   27 Lakeshore Road, Pointe-Claire	
1 <sup>st</sup> Monday of the month	1 <sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the month
7 to 9 p.m.   ENGLISH	7 to 9 p.m.   ENGLISH



#### **MEDITATION**

Our experienced group facilitator invites you to participate in a group discussion followed by 20 minutes of mindfulness meditation. As a group, you will explore how to find joy, peace, and tranquility in this sometimes-stressful life.

This group is for caregivers who are curious to discover mindfulness meditation. No previous experience is required.

COST: Participants are encouraged to make a donation to the Society. It is not necessary to have already received services from the Alzheimer Society of Montreal to participate in this group.

NORTH OF MONTREAL	
CLSC de La Petite-Patrie   6520 de Saint-Vallier Street	
1st Thursday of the month	1:30 to 3 p.m.   BILINGUAL

#### **BEREAVEMENT**

Caregivers grieving the passing of the person they cared for are invited to join this group to discuss their grief and to share in the experiences of other participants.

This is an open group and regular attendance is not required; participants need only register by the Friday before each meeting between 9 a.m. and 12 p.m. A minimum of 5 participants is required to open a group and a maximum of 12 can register.

This group is led by a facilitator who is trained to accompany participants through the grieving process.

COST: \$6 per meeting or \$60 for the year. It is not necessary to have already received services from the Alzheimer Society of Montreal to participate in this group.

CENTRE-SOUTH OF MONTREAL	
Alzheimer Society of Montreal   4505 Notre-Dame Street West	
1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month	1:30 to 3:30 p.m.   BILINGUAL



## SERVICES FOR PEOPLE LIVING WITH DEMENTIA

## INDIVIDUAL CONSULTATIONS

Have you been diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease or a related form of dementia? Would you like to talk about your situation and the challenges you are facing? Do you need support and want to know where you can find it?

We are here to help you. For more information and to make an appointment: 514-369-0800 | info@alzheimermontreal.ca

## INFORMATION AND SUPPORT GROUPS

These groups provide information about the following topics: Alzheimer's disease and related forms of dementia, strategies for autonomous living, navigating the health care network, and the resources available in the community.

COST: \$60 for the 6-week session.

CENTRE-SOUTH	OF MONTREAL
Alzheimer Society of Montreal   4505 Notre-Dame Street West	
Wednesday   1:30 to 3:30 p.m.   ENGLISH	April 17 to May 22
Offered simultaneously with a support group for caregivers.	



Stephen M. and Michel D., participants in the Society's Monday Meet-Ups program, during a zootherapy activity.

## SERVICES FOR PEOPLE LIVING WITH DEMENTIA



### MONDAY MEET-UPS

Every Monday afternoon, you are invited to join a group of people living with dementia to share in discussions, participate in physical activities, and stimulate your brain through cognitive exercises and other creative activities. This program is for people living with dementia who wish to join a social program, meet new people, and share enjoyable moments. Bring your lunch to eat with the group before the program.

#### COST: \$60 for the session.

CENTRE-SOUTH	OF MONTREAL
Alzheimer Society of Montreal	4505 Notre-Dame Street West
Monday   1:30 to 3:30 p.m.   BILINGUAL	April to August
NB Summer break is from July 22 to August 11 inclusive.	

### **ART THERAPY**

Through this activity, people living with dementia have the opportunity to express themselves and enhance their wellbeing. The workshops provide meaning to the present moment and allow participants to maintain their dignity.

#### COST: \$60 for the session. No previous artistic experience is required.

CENTRE-SOUTH	I OF MONTREAL
Alzheimer Society of Montreal   4505 Notre-Dame Street West	
Monday   10 a.m. to 12 p.m.	Thursday   1:30 to 3:30 p.m.
Tuesday   1:30 to 3:30 p.m.	Friday   10 a.m. to 12 p.m.



Jürgen B., participant in the Alzheimer Society of Montreal's art therapy workshops.



Olive B., participant in the Society's art therapy workshops, with her artwork.

## SERVICES FOR PEOPLE LIVING WITH DEMENTIA AND THEIR CAREGIVERS

## **ACTIVITY CENTRES**

The Alzheimer Society of Montreal currently operates in three activity centres located in Ahuntsic, Lachine, and Westmount. Each centre employs qualified staff and volunteers who possess the knowledge and experience to meet the individual needs of participants and reassure family members. The activity centres provide caregivers and families with a few hours of respite on Saturdays, while also offering stimulating activities to their participants living with dementia. There is a service fee of \$20 per Saturday.



PLACES ARE AVAILABLE IN **OUR THREE** ACTIVITY **CENTRES!** 

AN ASSESSMENT IS REQUIRED TO **BEST MEET THE NEEDS OF THE** PERSON LIVING WITH DEMENTIA.



Participants at the Westmount activity centre enjoying some games and puzzles.



Zootherapy activity with Nathalie R.

## IN-HOME RESPITE AND STIMULATION PROGRAM

Qualified professionals provide caregivers with a planned period of respite, varying from 2 to 4 hours per week. This service provides stimulating, therapeutic, and socially engaging experiences to its participants living with dementia in a reassuring setting. Fees are based on a sliding scale and determined according to revenue.

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The In-Home Respite and Stimulation Team.



Cooking activity at the Westmount activity centre.

## SERVICES FOR PEOPLE LIVING WITH DEMENTIA **AND THEIR CAREGIVERS**

### **ART LINKS**

People living with dementia and their caregivers are invited each month to the Montreal Museum of Fine Arts for a guided tour and a creative workshop.

The Art Links program is a partnership between the Montreal Museum of Fine Arts Sharing the Museum program and the Alzheimer Society of Montreal.

COST: Free.

#### Montreal Museum of Fine Arts | 2200 Crescent Street

Friday | 2 to 4 p.m. | BILINGUAL

April 26, May 24, June 14



Guided tour of the Montreal Museum of Fine Arts.



Philippe P. and his daughter, Anne Marie, at Art Links.



REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED THE MONDAY **BEFORE THE** ACTIVITY, AT THE LATEST.

FOR INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER. CONTACT MARIE-SOLEIL BLANCHET, ART THERAPIST. 514-369-0800. EXT. 1104



### TALES AND TRAVELS

People living with dementia and their caregivers are invited to discover different countries at this series of weekly workshops. The aim of the Tales and Travels program is to encourage interaction, conversation, and expression through travel-oriented discussions. Participants will explore each country by using books and objects, storytelling, listening to music, and other similar activities.

COST: Free for Library members. Registration is required.

## Westmount Public Library | 4574 Sherbrooke Street West

Friday | 1 to 3 p.m. | BILINGUAL

May 17 to June 14

Please note that priority is given to Library members. For information and to register, contact Daniel Miguez at 514-983-5530.



## SERVICES FOR PROFESSIONALS AND ORGANIZATIONS

## TRAININGS FOR HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS

## **Learning to Care Better**

In partnership with the Federation of Quebec Alzheimer Societies, the Alzheimer Society of Montreal is proud to offer training for health care professionals.



12-HOUR	9-HOUR	
Daily Care for People with Alzheimer's Disease.	Daily Care for People with Alzheimer's Disease (Responsive Behaviours – Advanced Training).	
These trainings are accredited by		
15-HOUR	l'Ordre des travailleurs sociaux et	
A Training Program Specially Designed for Administrators.	thérapeutes conjugaux et familiaux Québec and l'Ordre des infirmiers infirmières auxiliaires du Québec.	
	Daily Care for People with Alzheimer's Disease.  15-HOUR  A Training Program Specially	

Trainings are available at a reduced rate for groups of 10 to 15 people with your choice of time and location. For more information, contact Teresa Anuza, Coordinator — Educational Services: 514-369-0800, Ext. 1211 | tanuza@alzheimermontreal.ca

## FREE TRAININGS FOR ORGANIZATIONS FINANCED BY L'APPUI

#### 18-HOUR PROGRAM FOR RESPITE WORKERS

This **free three-day training** is for professionals who work at not-for-profit organizations financed by l'Appui that provide respite services to caregivers of people living with Alzheimer's disease or a related form of dementia.

#### 6-HOUR PROGRAM

This **free training** is for volunteers and administrative staff of not-for-profit organizations financed by l'Appui that provide respite services to caregivers of people living with Alzheimer's disease or a related form of dementia.

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For more information, contact Teresa Anuza, Coordinator — Educational Services: 514-369-0800, Ext. 1211 | tanuza@alzheimermontreal.ca

## SERVICES FOR PROFESSIONALS AND ORGANIZATIONS

## WORKSHOPS FOR HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS

## **CORE TRAINING PROGRAM (4-HOUR MODULES)**

#### MODULE 1

## **UNDERSTANDING ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE AND RELATED DISORDERS**

A clinical examination of the fundamentals of Alzheimer's disease, utilizing a person-centred approach.

#### **MODULE 2** MEMORY'S FOOTPRINTS

An interactive training focusing on understanding the life experiences of the person living with dementia.

## **CALENDAR 2019** Tuesday 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. **FRENCH**

Module 1	April 30
Module 2	May 14
Module 3	May 28
Module 4	June 11

#### **ENGLISH**

#### Module 1 April 23 Module 2 May 7 Module 3 May 21

Module 4 June 4 \$240 for the 16-hour core

#### MODULE 3 **COMMUNICATION IN ACTION**

An examination of changes in communication and an introduction to techniques and strategies for improving the quality of life of people living with dementia.

## MODULE 4 **DAILY LIVING WITH ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE -ROUTINES AND ACTIVITIES**

A training focusing on strategies and interventions for meeting the specific needs of people living with dementia.

Advanced

Training

#### COST: \$60 per module.

Special group rates are available. A certificate is presented to participants upon completion of the initial 4 modules.

### **MODULE 5** INTIMACY, SEXUALITY AND DEMENTIA

An in-depth examination of how the human need for intimacy, love, and sexual expression may be affected by dementia.

> Please note that there are prerequisites for this workshop.

CALENDAR — MODULE 5	
1 to 5 p.m.	
ENGLISH	FRENCH
Tuesday   June 18	Thursday   June 20

training.

For more information and to register for a training program, please contact Teresa Anuza, Coordinator — Educational Services:

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## Alzheimer Society

## SERVICES FOR PROFESSIONALS **AND ORGANIZATIONS**

## PUBLIC CONFERENCES

The Alzheimer Society of Montreal offers free conferences to groups of 15 or more people from not-for-profit organizations.\*

The conferences last for approximately 1 hour, including a question period.

\* A minimal fee is required from private organizations.

## **CONFERENCE 1**

## **DEMYSTIFYING ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE AND RELATED DISORDERS**

This conference covers common questions about: memory loss, Alzheimer's disease and related forms of dementia, symptoms, diagnosis, the progression of the disease, risk factors, and prevention. The speaker reassures those in attendance about the difference between normal aging and Alzheimer's disease.

#### **CONFERENCE 2**

## AN INTRODUCTION TO **ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE AND COMMUNICATION STRATEGIES**

This conference covers common questions about Alzheimer's disease and related forms of dementia as well as an introduction to strategies for responding to changes in communication and behaviour.

#### **CONFERENCE 3**

## **VISITING SOMEONE WITH DEMENTIA** - WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW

This conference covers common questions about Alzheimer's disease and related forms of dementia, as well as information about what to expect when visiting someone with Alzheimer's disease and practical ideas for spending time together.

#### **CONFERENCE 4**

#### CARING FOR THE CAREGIVER

This conference covers a short overview of Alzheimer's disease and related forms of dementia and is followed by a discussion about caregiving, ways to support the caregiver, and how to reduce some of the stress related to caregiving.

Family and friends are encouraged to attend.

#### **CONFERENCE 5**

#### **AMBIGUOUS LOSS**

The issue of loss and grief is one of the most significant that arises when supporting people with Alzheimer's disease or a related form of dementia. Ambiguous loss is different from the loss and grief of death because closure is not possible and grief cannot be fully resolved while the person with dementia is alive. Fortunately, understanding loss and grief can ease the effects of the disease.

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## **ALZHEIMER CAFÉ CALENDAR -** *ALL ARE WELCOME!*

	CENTRE-SOUTH OF MONTREAL — Les Petits Frères   FRENCH
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month   1 to 3 p.m.   4624 Garnier Street  Mont-Royal and Laurier metro stations
APRIL 10	Caregiver Testimonial: Communicating Sincerely with my Partner Living with Dementia Presented by Rose-Marie Gautier, caregiver.
MAY 8	Independent Living Solutions for Seniors: an Interesting Option for Caregivers  Presented by Véronic Poirier, Sales and Marketing Manager at Retirement Concepts - Manoir de Casson, special care counsellor and professional home economist at the Université de Moncton.
JUNE 12	Let's Talk about Dementia Presented by Jacinthe Duval, counsellor at the Alzheimer Society of Montreal.

	EAST OF MONTREAL — Langelier Library   FRENCH
3 <sup>rd</sup> Friday of the month   1:30 to 3:30 p.m.   6473 Sherbrooke Street East Buses 33 (West), 185 (West) or 197 (West) – Langelier metro station	
APRIL 19	Caregiver Burnout: Prevention, Signs, and Finding Support Presented by Melanie Levy, BSc, MSc, MSW student at McGill University and intern at the Alzheimer Society of Montreal.
MAY 17	<b>Transitioning to Long-Term Care: What to Keep in Mind</b> Presented by Sylvie Riopel, Community Partnership Coordinator at the Regroupement des aidantes et aidants naturels de Montréal (RAANM).
JUNE 21	Preventing Elder Abuse Presented by Me Hélène Guay, BCL, LLM.

CE	CENTRE-WEST OF MONTREAL — Atwater Library and Computer Centre   ENGLISH	
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month   1 to 3 p.m.   1200 Atwater Avenue</b> Atwater metro station		
APRIL 16	Grief: the Obscure Companion of Dementia  Presented by Jessica Seidman, Coordinator — Clinical Services at the Alzheimer Society of Montreal.	
MAY 21	Caregiving as a Team: Family Dynamics and the Caregiver Experience  Presented by Francine Cytrynbaum MSW, special care counselling teacher, Vanier College, trainer and support group facilitator, Alzheimer Society of Montreal.	
JUNE 18	The Joy of Breathwork and Movement for Health and Well-Being Presented by Amrita Choudhury, instructor and dance therapist at E.N.C.O.R.E for Seniors.	

## SERVICES FOR ALL





## **ALZHEIMER CAFÉ CALENDAR -** *ALL ARE WELCOME!*

NORTH OF MONTREAL — Ahunstic Library   FRENCH		
Wednesday   7 to 9 p.m.   10300 Lajeunesse Street Bus 31 (South) – Henri-Bourassa metro station or Buses 140 (East) or 180 (West) – Sauvé metro station.		
APRIL 24	The Role of Caregiver and its Impacts Presented by Jessica Smith, Coordinator – Support to Family Caregivers Program at the YWCA Montreal.	
MAY 15	Leaving a Legacy: How to Write Your Autobiography Presented by Nancy Mbatkia, author and speaker.	

NORTH OF MONTREAL — Cartierville Library   FRENCH		
Last Tuesday of the month   1 to 3 p.m.   5900 de Salaberry Street  Bus 69 (Serres/Grenet) – Henri-Bourassa metro station		
APRIL 30	Managing Stress and Anxiety Presented by Franca Turco, counsellor at the YWCA Montreal.	
MAY 28	The Role of Drugs in the Management of Major Neurocognitive Disorders  Presented by Alexandre Lahaie, pharmacist, M.Sc., CIUSSS Centre-Sud-de-l'île-de-Montréal, Hôpital de Verdun, GMFU des Faubourgs, Special Projects Coordinator at the IUGM.	

NORTH OF MONTREAL — Yves-Ryan Library   FRENCH		
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month   1:30 to 3:30 p.m.   4740 de Charleroi Street Buses 48 (East) or 469 (East) – Henri-Bourassa metro station	
APRIL 11	The Role of Drugs in the Management of Major Neurocognitive Disorders  Presented by Alexandre Lahaie, pharmacist, M.Sc., CIUSSS Centre-Sud-de-l'île-de-Montréal, Hôpital de Verdun, GMFU des Faubourgs, Special Projects Coordinator at the IUGM.	
MAY 9	Using our Dreams to Improve our Well-Being Presented by Franca Turco, counsellor at the YWCA Montreal	
JUNE 13	The Benefits of Mindfulness Meditation  Presented by Gilberte Fleischmann, caregiver meditation group facilitator at the Alzheimer Society of Montreal.	

## SERVICES FOR ALL





## **ALZHEIMER CAFÉ CALENDAR - ALL ARE WELCOME!**

WEST OF MONTREAL — Beaconsfield Library   ENGLISH		
2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month   1 to 3 p.m.   303 Beaconsfield Boulevard Bus 200 (West) – Fairview terminus or Buses 211 (West) or 405 (West) – Lionel-Groulx metro station		
APRIL 11	Caregiver Burnout: Prevention, Signs, and Finding Support Presented by Melanie Levy, BSc, MSc, MSW student at McGill University and intern at the Alzheimer Society of Montreal.	
MAY 9	<b>Parkinson's and Dementia</b> Presented by Danielle Blain, Regional Director — Quebec, Parkinson Canada.	
JUNE 13	The Challenges of Communication Presented by Liliana Ponce De Leon, counsellor for the Alzheimer Society of Montreal.	



Our professional counsellors are on hand to answer your questions at every Alzheimer Café.



An interactive workshop during one of our Alzheimer Cafés.























THANK YOU TO OUR ALZHEIMER CAFÉ PARTNERS!

# CONFERENCE, ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, AND VERNISSAGE



# Ambiguous Loss: Steps in the Journey of a Loving Caregiver

Clara C. Vernhas Breyne

Caregiver for her husband living with dementia

Thursday | June 13, 2019 | 4 to 5:30 p.m.

Presentation in French, questions in English and French

**Alzheimer Society of Montreal** 

4505 Notre-Dame Street West, Montreal, H4C 1S3

Free - Space is limited

For information and to register:

514-369-0800 | info@alzheimermontreal.ca

This conference will be followed by:

5:30 p.m. | Annual General Meeting of the Society — 6 p.m. | Vernissage CREATIVE HEARTS

## **CREATIVE HEARTS**

**VERNISSAGE** of artwork created by participants in the Alzheimer Society of Montreal's art therapy program

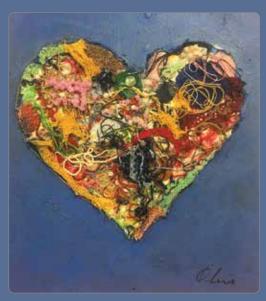
THURSDAY, JUNE 13, AT 6 P.M.

Alzheimer Society of Montreal

4505 Notre-Dame Street West, Montreal

Please confirm your attendance info@alzheimermontreal.ca | 514-369-0800

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Artwork by Olive B., created during the Society's art therapy workshops for people living with dementia