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Issue



LCCA WAVE

From winter connections to spring momentum,
the LCCA is buzzing with activity!

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear LCCA Wave Editor...

"I really like the new LCCA WAVE look. Everyone in your group is to be congratulated. Thank you!"

Cheryl Leask

"The Wave feels fresh, organized, and intentional, while still very much reflecting the heart of the LCCA — community, connection, events, and familiar faces." **Sherry Gifford**

"Advance discussion...before changing the name of the LCCA Community Centre and the Newsletter might have been a preferable alternative rather than a fait accompli... if finding enough volunteers or expenses continues to be serious enough to slash so many pages then discussion and communication with members would appear to be necessary." **Freda Page**

"The new format is amazing!!! Love love love it and the photo of Ethel's smiling face is a delight. Thanks for your hard work." **Jane Brown**

LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

Welcome to the second edition of the WAVE newsletter!

After launching our first issue, we were truly grateful for the support and encouragement we received. This edition builds on that momentum, bringing you fresh perspectives, updates, and highlights we believe you'll enjoy.

This newsletter is more than just content—it's a space for connection. Thank you for reading, sharing, and being part of our growing community.

We look forward to continuing the conversation and hearing your comments.

Regards,
Ethel

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LCCA WAVE Editor
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**LCCA
SEMI-ANNUAL
GENERAL
MEETING**

**SAGM
SAT MAY 23, 2026
9:30AM**

Doors open at 9:30am for registration and coffee.
Meeting starts at 10:00 am



Additional information
will be emailed to all
members by
Apr 23, 2026

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Good day! As I sit here writing this message, I am looking out the window and can barely make out the end of the driveway through the blowing snow. After weeks of horrifically cold temperatures that kept most people sheltered in their warm houses, we get rewarded with a temperature increase and more snow. Yuck — just plain and simple... yuck. Hopefully we will see an early arrival of spring with more palatable weather patterns. For now, stay warm and stay safe. Summer will get here.

To keep our members from suffering from winter boredom, the Social Committee and Activity Leaders are working hard to keep participation activities running and introducing some new ones. Bingo is making a comeback, and LCCA's versions of popular game shows encouraging member participation are popular as well. Please try to come over to the Clubhouse and get involved in some of these activities to keep the winter blahs at bay.

"Your LCCA membership, and the joy it delivers, is the perfect way to keep the winter blahs at bay"



ROB LEPAGE
LCCA PRESIDENT
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A little birdie told me that the Spring/Summer LC Blooms Contest will be back in full swing for 2026! You can read more about what's on the way in the Event Spotlight on page 13. It looks like the perfect time to start your garden planning while we wait for the snow to leave us. This longtime Lagoon City favourite always brightens up the 'hood'.

It looks like this year will be a busy one for sure. There is plenty going on in the Township, and LCCA is working diligently to have plenty of events and activities throughout the spring, summer, and fall. Please come out and support us. We do all this for you, our members. As always, if you have any suggestions on how to improve what we do, or any ideas for interesting activities, please reach out to a committee member.

My plan is to keep this message short this time, as it looks like I have snow to shovel today. If you are planning any travel in the next few months, be diligent, stay safe, and enjoy yourself wherever the road (or plane) may take you. I hope to see everybody back soon, safe and ready to enjoy the best place on earth — Lagoon City!

Rob

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MEMBERSHIP UPDATES

Welcome

**WAVE hello to our newest
LCCA Members!**

Ana Marca

Lisa Clarke

Lora Newell & Walter Giessler

Jackie Dahlke

Josette Petitpas & Bill (William) Hickey

See you at the
Clubhouse!



MARCH

Betty Ritchie 6

Bill McGarrity 21

Susan LaRose 23

APRIL

Nancy Mroz 10

Susie Halenda 14

Freda Page 24

Would you like your birthday included in a future newsletter? Please send your name and birthday month and date to newsletter.lcca@gmail.com

IN MEMORIAM



Terry Kehoe

Mar 8, 1941 – Dec 20, 2025

Terry was an active and social man. We moved to Lagoon City in the fall of 2012. Together, we soon made friends with our Turtle Path neighbours and joined LCCA. Terry golfed and played poker with the guys regularly. Prior to moving to Lagoon City, he was an avid snowmobiler for many years. Terry supported the community, serving on the Lagoon City Car Rally Committee for 4 years. After a long and courageous fight against cancer, Terry passed away on December 20th, 2025.

Love and rest peacefully – Dorcas Kehoe

REMEMBERING OUR MEMBERS NEIGHBOURS & FRIENDS



WHAT'S HAPPENING

DATE	START TIME	EVENT/ACTIVITY	INFO ON PAGE
SUN MAR 1	2:00PM	EUCHRE TOURNAMENT \$2@DOOR	<u>9</u>
THU MAR 5	3:00PM	BOOK CLUB	<u>11</u>
SUN MAR 8	1:30PM	BINGO \$10@DOOR-5GAMES	<u>9</u>
SUN MAR 14	3:00PM	MIX N' MINGLE - IRISH THEME	<u>19</u>
SUN MAR 29	2:00PM	EUCHRE TOURNAMENT \$2@DOOR	<u>9</u>
MON MAR 30	7:00PM	TRIVIA NIGHT \$3@DOOR	<u>9</u>
THU APR 2	3:00PM	BOOK CLUB	<u>11</u>
SAT APR 11	7:00PM	SPRING FLING , MEMBERS \$20, GUESTS 25	<u>15</u>
SUN APR 12	1:30PM	BINGO \$10@DOOR-5GAMES	<u>9</u>
SAT APR 25	11:00AM	LCCA OPEN HOUSE	<u>19</u>
SUN APR 26	2:00PM	EUCHRE TOURNAMENT \$2@DOOR	<u>9</u>
MON APR 27	7:00PM	TRIVIA NIGHT \$3@DOOR	<u>9</u>

SAVE THE DATE!

- FRI MAY 22 – Legion Dance, Gold Dust Women - [Info Pg, 15](#)
- SAT MAY 23 – Semi-Annual General Meeting (SAGM) - 9:30am
- SAT MAY 23 – Mix N' Mingle - [Info Pg 19](#)

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EUCHRE SUNDAY

MAR 1 | MAR 29 | APR 26 | MAY 31

2:00PM - 5:00PM | \$2 AT THE DOOR

Cash at the door. Arrive by 1:45pm

INFO: BRENDA SCHUURMAN

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MONTHLY THURSDAY BOOK CLUB

MAR 5 | APR 2 | MAY 7 | JUN 4

****NEW TIME 3PM - 4:30PM BIRCH RM**

Passionate Readers meet the
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MONTHLY MONDAY NIGHT TRIVIA

MAR 30 | APR 27 | JUN 1

7:00PM | \$3 AT THE DOOR

Arrive by 6:45pm, Bring a team
(max 5) or Join others.

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LCCA Rings in 2026 with Energy & Connection

The LCCA kicked off 2026 in wonderful style, helping members beat the chill during the coldest months of January and February. Alongside our popular regular activities; Cards, Bingo, Trivia Nights, Line Dancing, Yoga, Power Walking and more, we enjoyed experiences that brought fresh energy and renewed connection to the Clubhouse.



Darts Tournament Winners: Linda, Dave, Bonnie & Sue



Soup Kitchen

Members embraced a five-week Goal Setting Workshop series, sparking inspiration for a strong and intentional year ahead. We also enjoyed a lively Highland-style Mix n' Mingle, a fun-filled Saturday Dart Tournament (with first-place bragging rights going to Linda, Dave, Bonnie & Sue!), and, of course, delicious homemade creations from our LCCA Soup Kitchen Master Chefs.

A heartfelt thank-you to our incredible volunteers and activity leaders who so generously give their time to make

these moments possible. The Goal Setting Workshop has inspired interest in expanding Personal Growth, Health, and Wellness programming in the months ahead. Let us know your thoughts? We are always open to new ideas and welcome more helping hands.

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LCCA Book Club — New Members Welcome!

Are you an avid reader who enjoys exploring a variety of genres and engaging in relaxed, friendly conversation about great books? If so, the Lagoon City Book Club may be just the place for you!

Our Book Club has been bringing readers together for over 14 years, and we're always happy to welcome new faces. We have recently updated our meeting time and now gather at **3:00 pm on the first Thursday of each month at the LCCA Clubhouse.**

We are grateful for the wonderful support of the **Ramara Township Library, which supplies copies of our selected titles for members. This convenient service means there is no need to purchase the books**, making participation easy and affordable. Please contact Eileen Graham to obtain details on becoming a Library member, and securing your copy of our next read!

More Information: **Eileen Graham; geoffgraham@rogers.com**

LCCA BOOK CLUB

READING LIST

Meeting – Title – Author

MAR - "We Were The Lucky Ones" -
Georgia Hunter

APR - "The Names" - Florence Knapp

MAY - "The Women" - Kristin Hannah

JUN - "Looking for Jane" - Heather
Marshall

JUL - "The Little Liar" - Mitch Albom

AUG - "Flight of Dreams" - Ariel Lawson

SEP - "Fair Rosaline" - Natasha Solomon

OCT - "Remarkably Bright Creatures" -
Shelby Van Pelt

NOV - "Tomorrow and Tomorrow and
Tomorrow" - Gabrielle Zevin



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Did you know we have a community paperback library at the LCCA Clubhouse?

All members are welcome to browse, borrow, and enjoy a good read – board games and puzzles too!

Donations are always appreciated — paperbacks only, please (no hardcovers). Happy reading!

Mary Ann Deebank
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WHAT'S IN A NAME?

You may have noticed that in recent communications we've begun referring to our building more often as the **LCCA Clubhouse**.

To be clear, our organization remains the Lagoon City Community Association (LCCA) — our registered name and community role have not changed.

So why the subtle shift in language? Across Ontario, the term Community Centre is commonly used for municipally owned, publicly funded facilities (for example, the Ramara Centre in Brechin or Joyland Beach Community Centre). Because the LCCA building is privately owned by the Association and fully supported by member fees, fundraising, and donations, we felt it was helpful to use wording that more accurately reflects who we are.

We are a not-for-profit, volunteer-led social and recreational private club — and the building truly exists for you, our members. In that spirit, "Clubhouse" simply better captures the welcoming, member-driven home we have built together.

This has been an organic evolution in how we reference the space. Looking ahead, we will likely update exterior signage to reflect this language more clearly. For today, **we value member input and welcome your thoughts.**

Most importantly, the heart of our LCCA home remains the same: a vibrant community made possible by dedicated volunteers and engaged members.



Lorraine

LORRAINE BRUCE HELMKAY
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EVENT SPOTLIGHT

Hey gardeners,
Blooms is Back!



For those of you who are new to our neighbourhood, Lagoon City Blooms is a friendly event to recognize our many amazing gardeners and to encourage more of you to discover your green thumbs! Jane Brown, our Booking Director, is this year's Chairperson.

How does it work?

- Ballots will be available, starting in May. You can nominate any residence - categories are for individual homes and condos, plus condo complexes.
- The contest is open to all Lagoon City residents, to nominate or be nominated.
- Judging is done in early July by guest judges from the Horticultural Society of Ontario. Awards and bragging rights will be presented at the LCCB BBQ on Tuesday, July 14.

How can you participate?

- If you are willing and able, get your gardening on this spring! It's good for the soul and a great way to burn calories.
- Take a walk around the neighbourhood in search of prize-worthy gardens. You can nominate a friend, a neighbour, a home with a great garden or even yourself.
- Come to the BBQ to celebrate with your neighbours, the nominees and the winners. Tickets will be available to LCCA members, their guests, and all local residents. It's a great way to introduce a neighbour to the LCCA community.

Details on ballots and BBQ tickets will be in the next newsletter.

If you have any questions, please contact Jane Brown at thebrowns@sympatico.ca.



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Provincial Investment Supports Ramara Water Infrastructure

"The funding will allow us to move forward with critical water and wastewater upgrades that protect public health, strengthen climate resilience, safeguard Lake Simcoe and ensure Ramara has the safe, reliable infrastructure needed to support housing stability and long-term growth."

Basil Clarke
Mayor, Township of Ramara



Unbiased reporting of events deemed important to LCCA members

While many are enjoying (or enduring!) the winter season, please remember to support our local businesses — this can be a challenging time of year for them.

At the February 23 Ramara Township Council meeting, a number of Brechin residents spoke during public comment to express concerns about the Low-Pressure Sewer Servicing Project and its financial impact on what is largely a senior community. Council acknowledged the feedback as part of its continuing consideration of the project.

Separately, the **Province of Ontario announced a significant investment in Ramara Township's water and wastewater systems.** While this funding will not reduce current costs, it is expected to support future infrastructure needs and may help moderate proposed increases.

The following is a brief excerpt from the official announcement:

"The Township of Ramara is grateful for the Province of Ontario's \$30 million investment through the Municipal Housing Infrastructure Program – Health and Safety Water Stream (MHIP-HSWS) to support critical water and wastewater infrastructure upgrades in our community.

Read the Province's full news release here:

<https://news.ontario.ca/en/release/1006933/ontario-investing-700-million-in-critical-water-infrastructure-to-protect-communities-and-support-housing>

This provincial investment supports water and wastewater upgrades in Ramara focused on:

- *Protecting public health*
- *Strengthening climate resilience*
- *Safeguarding Lake Simcoe*
- *Modernizing aging, highly regulated infrastructure*

Projects funded include upgrades to wastewater infrastructure in Bayshore Village and Lagoon City/Brechin, installation of tertiary filtration and real-time monitoring to prevent sewage spills and reduce phosphorus, replacement of outdated spray irrigation systems, upgrades to the Brechin/Lagoon City Water Treatment Plant to support further growth and development, and the expansion of safe, clean drinking water to underserved homes in South Ramara."

RICK DRIFFIELD
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RAMARA TOWNSHIP COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

- “Committee of the Whole recommended receiving Report ID-07-26 regarding the Maple Trail, Lone Birch Trail, Ridge Avenue, and Simcoe Road Low-Pressure Sewer Servicing Project and that capital charge payment options be presented to affected property owners, including:
 - A lump-sum payment option payable no later than April 15, 2026
 - A financed option payable over a 20-year repayment term, beginning on the June 2026 tax bill.”
- “Committee of the Whole also recommended that the Director of Financial Services/Treasurer be directed to enter into a loan agreement to finance the cost of the low-pressure sewer portion of the project for 2026.”
- “Council received the Integrity Commissioner’s Final Report dated Dec 9, 2025, regarding Code of Conduct Complaint - Final Report - Councillor Sherri Bell and adopted and enacted the recommendation contained in the report”
- “Recommendation Report BP-01-26: Official Plan and Zoning Bylaw Amendment Files OP-4/23 & Z-11/23 1506 and 1646 Highway 12 & 2440 and 2530 Concession Road 1 LCP Quarry Limited was deferred pending the outcome of a staff report.”

Additional Ramara Township Highlights: WWW.RAMARA.CA/NEWS

POWERED BY OUR MEMBERS

How the LCCA is Funded

As many members know, the LCCA is proudly 100% self-funded. Our operations are supported by membership fees, donations, advertising, and funds generated through events and activities.

While membership dues form an important foundation, they do not fully cover the costs of operating and maintaining our Clubhouse. Ongoing care of the building, programming, and community events requires additional support throughout the year.

In the past, there was a strong push tied to our Building Forward initiative. While that chapter has closed, the need to generate supplemental funds remains — but we are thoughtfully working to move away from placing pressure on individual activity leaders to carry that responsibility alone. Instead, we are evolving towards a more coordinated, community-wide approach to sustainable fundraising.

One easy way to help:

When you’re tidying up at home, consider dropping off your empty alcohol bottles and beer cans at the LCCA lobby collection point. Our volunteer team returns them, and the deposits go directly back to supporting the Clubhouse. With recent changes to Beer Store returns, this may be a convenient option for many households.

Turn Your Empties Into LCCA Support



We’d love your ideas.

If you have creative, fun, or practical fundraising suggestions that could benefit the whole association, please share them with the Board. Our goal is to build approaches that are inclusive, sustainable, and community-driven.

As always, thank you to our members, volunteers, advertisers, and event leaders whose ongoing support keeps the LCCA vibrant and thriving.

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Our LCCA Open House is just around the corner, and we're inviting our wonderful members to help us share the Lagoon City spirit.

On Saturday, April 25 from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM, the Clubhouse will be buzzing as we showcase the many activities, events, and friendly connections that make LCCA such a special part of our community.

This is where you come in!

If you've enjoyed being part of LCCA — whether through social events, clubs, volunteer opportunities, or simply the friendships you've made — we encourage you to invite a neighbour, friend, or newcomer to attend with you.

There's nothing more powerful than a personal invitation from someone who already knows the value of belonging. Let's work together to warmly welcome new faces and continue building the vibrant, connected community we all enjoy.



**YOU'RE INVITED —
HELP US
SPREAD THE
WORD!**

The LCCA Open House is coming up, and we would love your help inviting friends and neighbours to discover what Lagoon City Community Association is all about!

This is a wonderful opportunity for prospective members to:

- Learn about our many social activities, clubs, and events
- Meet friendly faces from our community
- See how easy (and fun!) it is to get involved
- Discover the value of being part of the LCCA



LCCA

OPEN HOUSE

SAT APRIL 25TH
11:00AM - 2:00PM

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Happy to Answer Any Questions:
Sherry Gifford, LCCA Membership Director
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**We hope to see you,
and your guests, on
April 25!**

SHERRY GIFFORD
Membership Director
membership@lcca.ca



Where Neighbours Become Friends

LCCA Mix N' Mingles are free casual events that bring Lagoon City neighbours together for conversation, connection, & good company.

Future Mix n' Mingle' Events
May 23rd, June 20th, Sep 19th

We are always looking for volunteers to host these events, you will have support! Please consider helping out.

Contact Laurette Woods, Social Director,
laurettewoods@gmail.com

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All activities are open to members, with some free and others available for a small fee at the door.

For more details drop-in, reach out to the Activity Coordinator, or email us at info@lcca.ca.

**Please
bring dry inside-
shoes to events
& activities**



ACTIVITY		DATE/TIME	CONTACT
DROP-IN DARTS		WED 7:00PM	Marilyn Ramsay marilyn_ramsay@hotmail.com
DROP-IN DARTS		FRI 7:00PM	Lorne Hemphill lhempill102@hotmail.com
CHAIR YOGA		TUE 11:30AM FRI 10:00AM	Diane Daly 99ddaly@gmail.com
MENS CARDS		MON 7:00PM TUE 7:00PM	Ted Maillet drydock@rogers.com Larry Twist twistr55@gmail.com
LADIES CLUB		TUE 1:00PM	Shirley Smith smith7120lagoon@gmail.com Yvonne Taylor yvonne45p@gmail.com
YOGA		SUN 10AM TUE 10AM THU 11AM	Ron Deebank ronandmare@rogers.com
BRIDGE		MON 1:00PM	Nancy Huddleston nehuddleston@rogers.com Lesley Edwards lesley_edwards_5@yahoo.com
LINE DANCING		TUE 5:00PM	Dawn Cox linedancer1@live.ca
POWER WALKING WORKOUT		MON 10AM WED 10AM FRI. 9AM	Maureen Rusnell mrusnell@hotmail.ca Rhonda Moriarty rootoo.moriarty@gmail.com
TABLE TENNIS		MON 10AM WED 10AM FRI 10AM	Mike Wall michael.wall50@yahoo.ca
MAH JONGG		FRI 1:00PM	Sara Musson sarajm302@hotmail.com
BID EUCHRE		THU 6:00PM	Carol & Chris Rogers: Cirogers@hotmail.com chrsgrogers@hotmail.com



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LCCA

Board Meeting Highlights



**JAN 5 & FEB 10, 2026
LCCA Board Meetings**

- **Membership:** Five new members have joined since the previous Board meeting of November 10. We are committed to attracting more members (ideas welcomed). A promotional card has been created for new residents.
- **Communications:** A policy change was made to LCCA email distribution: all members will receive emails containing newsletters, updates about events / activities and important Association information and may opt out (previously the policy suggested opting in). Feedback has been welcomed and received about the visual identity refresh and alignment of our communication channels. We are discussing possibly enhancing the communication about upcoming events (utilizing the main room). A subcommittee will be formed to discuss IT solutions (technology savvy volunteers welcome).
- **B Board:** Hardware to mount a projector in the main room was installed and wiring is complete. Carpet in the main hall has been steam cleaned. Work is complete on the closet by the ladies washroom on main floor (shelving will be added). New parking lot solar lights are satisfactory except when heavy snow covers them – so the new Mews lights are also beneficial. Snow removal costs have increased due to having a new contractor and necessary salting. All folding tables have been fixed. Fire extinguisher inspections and AED testing is done monthly. Recycling pick up is likely ending.
- **Social:** Our Christmas dinner was very successful; Dart Tournament, Soup Kitchen, Great Lagoon City Price Off, and Spring Fling are planned for Jan-April. We welcome (and need) volunteers.
- **Booking:** Life Goals workshop held Jan 17 - Feb 17 (weekly over 5 Saturdays). Blooms Committee will be refreshed. Annual review of room rental rates will occur.
- **Finance:** We changed our insurance provider resulting in annual savings (note: deductible is higher)
- **Meetings:** Next LCCA Board meeting: March 10th, 2026

Key takeaways from recent Board discussions, projects, and planning initiatives

Submitted by
Lynn Wilson,
LCCA Secretary



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AROUND OUR NEIGHBOURHOOD

► BRECHIN & RAMARA TOWNSHIP

RAMARA PUBLIC LIBRARY

Spring Programs (Mar–Apr)

Children's storytimes, adult programs, craft nights, and seasonal workshops.

More info: <https://www.ramarapubliclibrary.org/>

Upcoming programs:

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/o/ramara-township-public-library-59581631213>

- **TAX CLINIC** The Ramara Library, along with CVITP - Barrie and amazing volunteers, will be holding a tax clinic! One hour time slots are available between March 24th and April 24th and must be pre-booked. Eligibility includes being a Ramara resident, having a Ramara library card, a modest income and other requirements. Please call 705-325-5776 or email info@ramarapubliclibrary.org



BRECHIN MARA LEGION

Regular activities include darts, Good Food Box pickups, seniors programs, and community socials.

More info: <https://brechinlegion.ca/>

- **Join The Royal Canadian Legion** - Membership is Free for 2026 In honour of the Legion's 100th anniversary, anyone 18 years of age and older can join free for the 2026 membership year (January through December).
- **FRI MAR 6TH – LADIES AUXILIARY LUNCH AT BRECHIN MARA LEGION** (11:30 – 1:30)
- **FRI APR 10TH – LADIES AUXILIARY LUNCH AT BRECHIN MARA LEGION** (11:30 – 1:30)

► BRECHIN CHURCH SERVICES

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► GOOD TO KNOW

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Good Doctors is located in Brechin at 3242 Ramara Road 47 with an on-site nurse and telemedicine online assistance. Book your appointment via their website: <https://gooddoctors.ca/site/good-doctors-ramara/>

The Couchiching OHT Unattached Patients

Program is open to all residents of Ramara who do not have a designated family physician. Learn more via their website: <https://coht.ca/couchiching-oht-unattached-clinic/>

Know something happening locally?

If you're aware of a not-for-profit or community event coming up, let us know — we're happy to help spread the word. **Newsletter.LCCA@gmail.com**

Calendar

MARCH 2026

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