### **NOVEMBER 2024**

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Virtual and in-person Guest Speaker Movie				1 <b>8:00</b> Socializing <b>10:00</b> Art Therapy <b>2:00</b> Karaoke <b>3:00</b> Members' Choice
4 8:00 Socializing 10:00 Pictionary 2:00 Card O 3:00 Members' Choice	5 8:00 Socializing 10:00 Pool Tournament 2:00 Anxiety & Depression 3:00 Members' Choice	6 8:00 Socializing 10:00 Members' Meeting 2:00 Mood Walk® 3:00 Members' Choice	7 8:00 Socializing 10:00 Scrapbooking 2:00 Wellness Group 3:00 Members' Choice	8 8:00 Socializing 10:00 Movie Marathon 2:00 Staff Meeting - Centre Closed
11 <b>8:00</b> Socializing <b>10:00</b> Name the Tune <b>2:00</b> Family Feud <b>3:00</b> Members' Choice	12 8:00 Socializing 10:00 Meditation 2:00 Anxiety & Depression 3:00 Members' Choice	13 8:00 Socializing 10:00 Euchre Tournament 2:00 Positivity in a Hat 3:00 Members' Choice	14 8:00 Socializing 10:00 Guided Meditation 2:00 Wellness Group 3:00 Members' Choice	15 <b>8:00</b> Socializing <b>10:00</b> Art Therapy <b>2:00</b> Karaoke <b>3:00</b> Members' Choice
18 <b>8:00</b> Socializing <b>10:00</b> What Am I? <b>2:00</b> Crib Tournament <b>3:00</b> Members' Choice	19 8:00 Socializing 10:00 Meditation 2:00 Anxiety & Depression 3:00 Members' Choice	20 8:00 Socializing 10:00 Charades 2:00 Living with a Concurrent Disorder, Heather Bennison 3:00 Members' Choice	21 8:00 Socializing 10:00 Sharing Circle 2:00 Wellness Group 3:00 Members' Choice	22 8:00 Socializing <b>10:00</b> Movie Marathon <b>2:00</b> Movie & Critique 3:00 Members' Choice
25 8:00 Socializing 10:00 Chess/Checkers 2:00 Bingo 3:00 Members' Choice	26 8:00 Socializing 10:00 Meditation 2:00 Anxiety & Depression 3:00 Members' Choice	27 8:00 Socializing 10:00 Chair Yoga 2:00 Journalling 3:00 Members' Choice	28 8:00 Socializing 10:00 Skip Bo Tournament 2:00 Wellness Group 3:00 Members' Choice	29 <b>8:00</b> Socializing <b>10:00</b> Art Therapy <b>2:00</b> Karaoke <b>3:00</b> Members' Choice

#### LIVING WITH A CONCURRENT DISORDER

The Peer Support Services program is pleased to welcome guest speaker Heather Bennison from the North Bay Regional Health Centre on Wednesday, Nov. 20 at 2 pm. Heather is the Concurrent Disorders Resource Lead for the North Eastern Ontario Knowledge Team.

She will talk about living with a concurrent disorder, which refers to the presence of both a mental health condition and a substance use disorder, and how it can be challenging as each condition influences the other.

People with concurrent disorders may experience heightened emotional distress, difficulty maintaining relationships, and struggles with daily functioning. Recovery is possible through comprehensive care, including therapy, medication, peer support, and lifestyle changes, but it often requires ongoing effort and resilience.

#### **NEW HOURS IN EFFECT!**

As of Oct. 1, the Peer Connections centre in North Bay has new hours of operation:

MONDAY - FRIDAY 8 AM - 4 PM

For more information, call **705-498-9925** or email **peersupport@nbd.cmha.ca** 

## **PEER CONNECTIONS**

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#### **HOURS OF OPERATION**

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Monday to Friday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

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Are you feeling anxious, alone or overwhelmed and looking for someone to talk to?

Peer Line: 705-498-9925 Members' Line: 705-494-8088



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# CALENDAR OF EVENTS NOVEMBER 2024

