

Lest We Forget

Who is the Grinch who stole 2020's Christmas Treasures Bazaar?

It's no surprise; we all know who the Grinch is that stole the Christmas Treasures Bazaar! Yes it's the **Covid19 Grinch!**

We at Rideau Park are missing the excitement and anticipation of this, our annual Christmas Bazaar Week. More than anything we miss seeing YOU; our family, our friends, the Mayor, the Ward Councillor, the local MPPs and the many strangers whose faces are familiar but whose names we do not know. Like Santa Claus - the Deli Pies, the Baked Goods, the Jams and Jellies, the Books, the treasures of the General Store, the Boutique, the Jewellery, the Christmas Crafts, the Silent Auction - return every year, except this year. And how we miss gathering together in the comfort of the Tea Room!

But there are still ways to support the UCW:



Suggestions for Fall and Winter

Recipes to keep you warm?

Twitter accounts to follow?

Great podcasts to listen to?

Share with us and we will try to include some suggestions in the next newsletter.*

You are invited to the Zoom UCW Finance
Meeting***

Stay safe! We miss you all!

If athletes get athletes foot, what do astronauts get? Missile toe!

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Bazaar donations by eTransfer ** 2

Bazaar donations by cheque to Rideau Park UCW** 3

BAZAAR DONATIONS BY CREDIT CARD THROUGH CANADA HELPS.**



The Asterisk File

*We know it's been a challenging time - and we don't know when life will return to something more recognizable. In the meantime, let's share some ideas about how to pass the time in the cold weather - either to improve ourselves, or to laugh ourselves silly - whatever we need to do. If you have some suggestions on things to do, listen to, cook, etc., please share them with us and we'll include some in upcoming editions of the UCW News. Just email us at lisadler@hotmail.com and nandjdurkee@ncf.ca.

**If you would like to make a "virtual bazaar" donation by eTransfer, you can use the email address ucwfinance@rideaupark.ca. Please put the word "bazaar" in the note section. You can also mail a cheque to the church, to the attention of UCW Treasurer. Cheques made payable to Rideau Park UCW. You can also give by credit card by using the Donate Now button - just visit <u>rideaupark.ca</u>, click on Donate Now, scroll down to the Canada Helps link, click, then choose the UCW option (#4) in the drop down menu, and complete the form.

***If you would like to attend the Zoom UCW Finance meeting on Monday, November 30th at 1:30 p.m., please email nandjdurkee@ncf.ca before November 25th to receive a meeting invite. We will email you the budget, donation recommendations, Memorial Fund project list, and other documents, based on the survey results, before the meeting.