



We're Expanding!

A seventh phase of design and proposed construction for Finlandia Village has been prepared by Sedun + Kanerva Architects, working with a team of engineering and specialist consultants.

Roadway + Parking

A new roadway completes the route between the two entries to Finlandia Village, adding new parking and a central landscaped area for Lepokoti, the new Tammi House and the new Finlandia Apartments.

Tammi House

A new long-term care facility is designed as an addition to Hoivakoti, with 32 private rooms on three sides of a courtyard, a server and dining room, amenity spaces, chapel, personal care and hairdressing.

Finlandia Apartments

A canopy marks the main entry to a lobby with elevators and stairs leading to 10x two-bedroom apartments with private balconies and panorama views on each of the second and third floors.

Bridge

Access to the second level assembly hall is from a new second level bridge from Lepokoti.

Place for Congregation

The main assembly hall is flanked by tall windows with retractable screens for light control. A large lobby area has accessible washrooms, closets and a service kitchen. At the front, sliding doors open to a raised stage with a vestry, a retractable screen for projected film / text, and a room for the storage of tables and chairs.

Finlandia Offices

A suite of offices with a meeting room is accessible from the main elevators and stairs, or from a private exterior west entry, with a canopy, adjacent to the parking lot.

Living Learning Classrooms

The lower-level teaching facility is accessible from the main elevators and stairs, or from a private exterior west entry, with a canopy, adjacent to the parking lot.

Annual General Meeting

The Sudbury Finnish Rest Home Society Annual General Meeting of members will be held on Tuesday, September 26, 2023 at 6:30 pm in the Voima Hall.

The nominating committee will accept nominations to fill volunteer Board of Director positions.

**Interested candidates are invited to submit a written nomination including contact information, consent and qualifications *by Monday September 11, 2023* to the attention of the Nominating Committee
C/o David Munch, Finlandia Village
233 Fourth Avenue, Sudbury ON, P3B 4C3**

Finlandia Village



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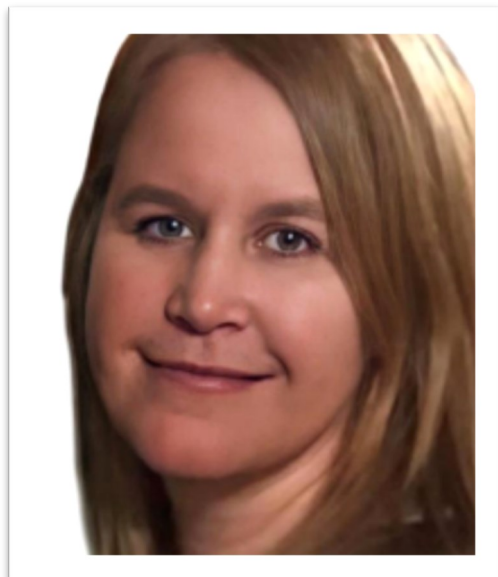
Staffing Announcement

Finlandia Village is pleased to announce that Anne Punkkinen has been awarded the position of Nurse Practitioner in the Hoivakoti Nursing Home.

Anne has a very accomplished background in nursing and graduated with her Nurse Practitioner Certificate from Laurentian University in 2015. Anne has worked in many roles during her career in nursing, including midwifery, occupational health, teaching as well as front line care. Anne's education, experience and compassion for others makes her a valued addition to our Finlandia team within the Nursing Department.

Anne's office will be located with the charge nurse on Main Street in Hoivakoti.

Please join us in congratulating and welcoming Anne to the Village.



Beep Beep... We're on a Roll!!



Our Bussi has been putting in the miles since the end of June, safely transporting our folks to various shopping outings, Hannah Lake, Silver City and more!!

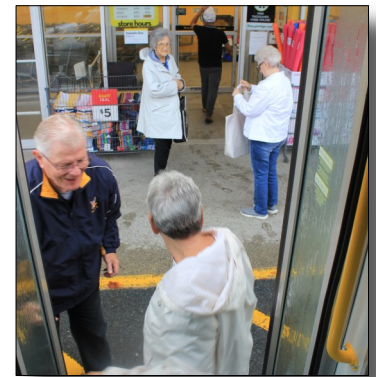


A very special thank you to our AMAZING Volunteer Bussi Drivers, Stan, Timo & Graham... our Riders are very appreciative of the kindness and superior transportation services you have provided for them this past summer. **KIITOS!!**



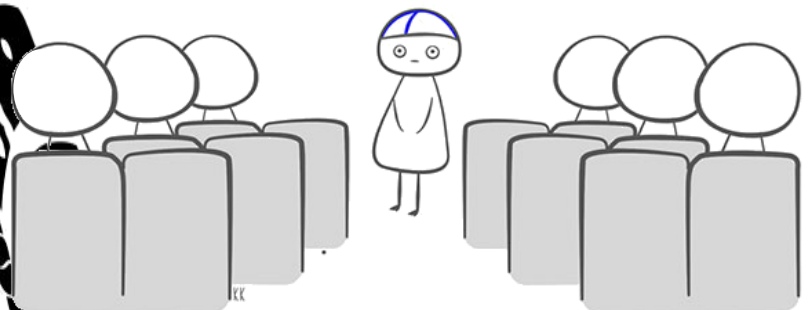
FV Team Members will be attending the next Tenants Association Meetings to discuss future outings, time changes to our current schedule and more!

PLEASE NOTE: The Bussi will not be available from **Tuesday, September 12th to Friday, September 15th**



FINNISH NIGHTMARES

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THE BUS IS "FULL".

If you or someone you know can check the boxes below, we have a great opportunity for you!!



Do you have an interest in helping seniors in our community?



Do you have a G-Class drivers license in good standing?



Are you over the age of 21 years and have a minimum of 5 years of driving experience?



Do you enjoy driving and have a few hours to spare each month?

To join our team of Bussi Volunteer Drivers or for more information, please contact:

Jeanna de la Morandiere—Volunteer Program Coordinator

705-524-3137 Ext. 269

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With your help, seniors will live independently and be more socially engaged through participating in special outings and off site activities.



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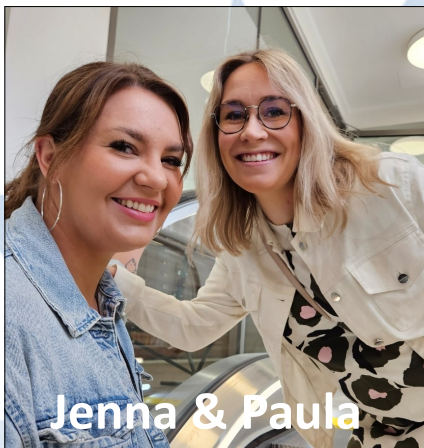
Heinäkuun Suomen-matkansa aikana Stefan Skogberg tapasi joukon entisiä Finlandia Villagen työharjoittelijoita (vuosilta 2013-2019). Heillä kaikilla on paljon hyviä muistoja harjoittelukaudeltaan ja jokainen haluaisi tulla käymään ja tavata täällä olevia ystäviä ja tuttavvia.

Ercan (Eki) Alkovic, Jenna Hiipakka, Sini Hotari, Anna-Maria Malm, Mea Mattila, Satu Mäki-Hakola, Paula Niittymäki ja Juha-Matti Tolvanen lähettävät lämpimät terveiset ja kaiken hyvän toivotukset ystäville ja tuttaville Finlandia Villagessa.

GREETINGS FROM FINLAND

During his July vacation in Finland, Stefan Skogberg met some of our former placement students. They all have fond memories of their time at Finlandia Village and would like to come for a visit in the future.

Ercan Alkovic, Jenna Hiipakka, Sini Hotari, Anna-Maria Malm, Mea Mattila, Satu Mäki-Hakola, Paula Niittymäki and Juha-Matti Tolvanen send warm greetings to everyone at Finlandia Village!



SAVE the DATES for SISU

6th SISU FAMILY WALK

Saturday September 16, 2023



PRESIDENTS DINNER

Thursday, November 16, 2023



Register and make a donation
or confirm your participation today!
by calling Patricia Clizia 705-524-3137 Ext. 249

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SISU Family Walk with Lasalle Secondary School Saturday September 16 ,2023

Here's how you can participate !

- 1. Gather a team and pick up a pledge form** from the HK Reception to raise funds for senior fitness.
- 2. Sponsor a team, join a team, make a donation online or share with family and friends to FUNdraise!**
Visit www.finlandiavillage.ca to make an online donation.
- 3. Make a donation** to support senior fitness
 - Cash or Cheque (payable to Finlandia SISU Foundation) may be dropped off at HK Reception or SISU Office –LK 3rd floor
 - Credit Card donation may be made by contacting Patricia Clizia—705-524-3137 Ext. 249
- 4. Participate in the online auction** NOW OPEN
www.32auctions.com
- 5. Join us to celebrate and thank the students** when they arrive
GREATER SUDBURY POLICE PIPE BAND will join us!
Thank you signs are available outdoors at LK beginning at NOON
Signs will be dropped off to Residents in Rivitalo who are invited out to their driveways to recognize the students and celebrate their last part of the walk on Rivitalo Drive (anticipated anytime after NOON.)



**JOIN us
to WALK
with SISU**

NEW Walk onsite this year!

- 11:00 am VOIMA Hall doors open
- 11:00 am Registration/Donations/T-shirt for participants
- 11:15 am Meet outdoors at Lepokoti Block F for a warm up and select route
- 11:30 am Walking groups depart
- 12:00 pm Arrival of Lasalle Secondary School Walkers to VOIMA Hall
Greater Sudbury Police Pipe Band, Finnish lunch and entertainment follows.

WALKING GROUPS - SELECT A GROUP TO WALK WITH

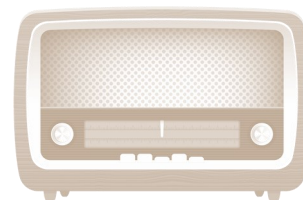
- Stroll** —Strolling and Rolling –walk the pace that works for you on a paved surface
- Walk** —Walking and Talking—for moderate walkers who walk at a comfortable pace
- Trek** —Walking Briskly—for seasoned walkers & Trail Trekkers



We recently welcomed special guest, Kristiina Frechette, who is a member of our Ethics Committee, a NOSM student, and a very talented singer, pianist and violinist. Kristiina played an orchestral piece appropriately named “Finlandia” written in 1899 by Finnish Composer Jean Sibelius.

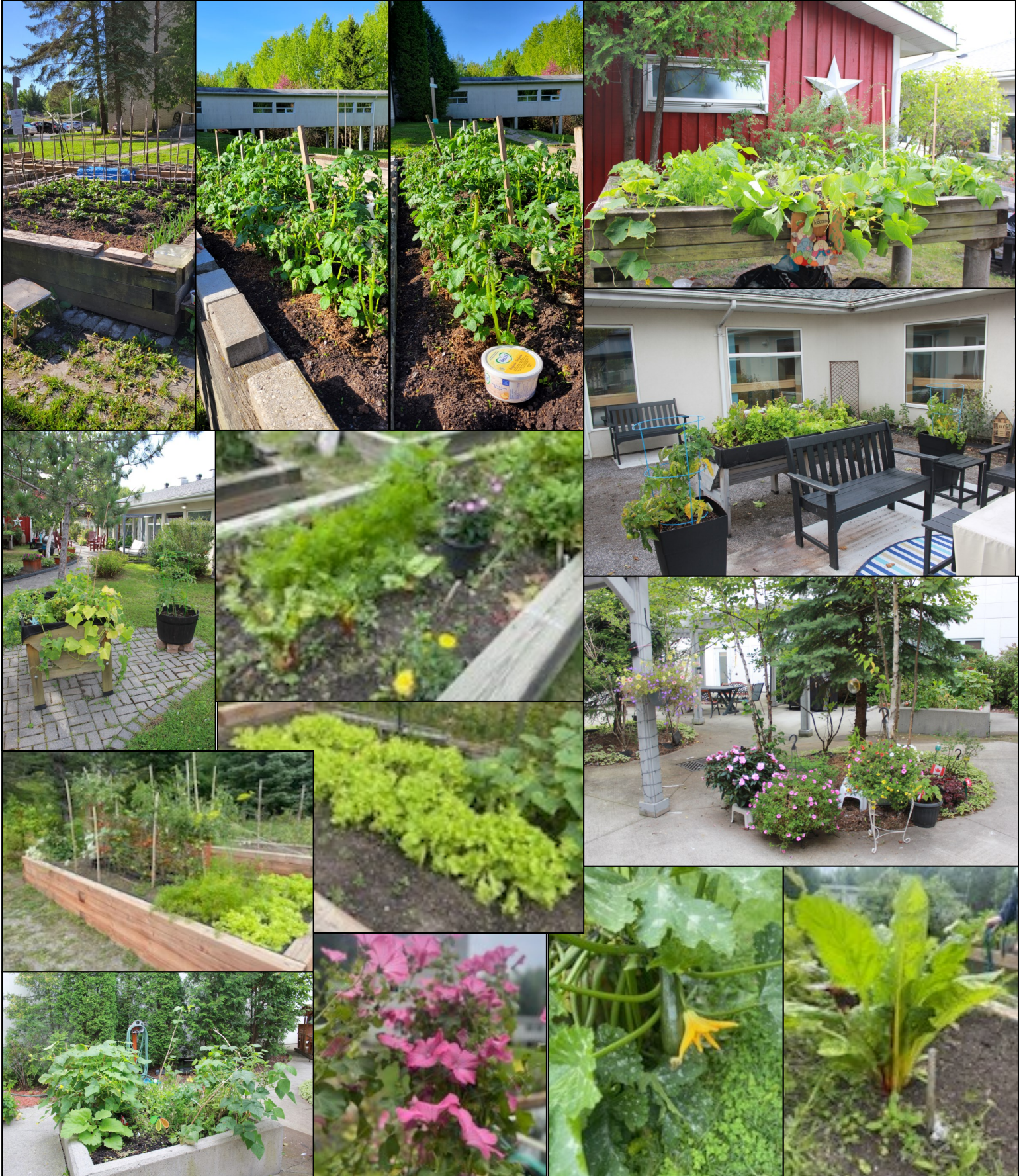


James Skarnikat, a senior living music specialist, 'Jimmy's Old Time Radio Show', put on a rockin' show for our folks this past August and was thoroughly entertaining. Jimmy has performed over 2100 care home concerts coast to coast, and is a leader in virtual entertainment on YouTube.





Residents across the Village have been busy gardening since spring, and their green thumbs sure have proven their amazing efforts!



Holidays and Observances

SEPTEMBER

- 04 Labour Day
- 10 Grandparents Day
- 21 World Alzheimer's Day
- 23 First Day of Fall
- 30 Day of Truth and Reconciliation

OCTOBER

- 09 Thanksgiving
- 31 Halloween

NOVEMBER

- 05 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS ENDS
- 08 Indigenous Veterans' Day
- 11 Remembrance Day
- 12 Finnish Fathers' Day (FI)

DECEMBER

- 06 Finnish Independence Day (FI)
- 21 First Day of Winter
- 24 Christmas Eve
- 25 Christmas Day
- 26 Boxing Day
- 26 St. Stephan's Day (FI)
- 31 New Years Eve



Volunteer Opportunities

- Friendly Visiting (day & evening)
- Life Enrichment Support
- SISU Foundation Events
- Kotopiha Garden Initiatives
- Seniors Fitness & Wellness Centre
- Cultural & Special Event Support
- Volunteer Entertainers
- Volunteer Run Programs
- High School 40 Hours Service

**We are currently in need of
volunteers for Friendly Visiting**

**Contact Jeanna
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