



# Newsletter

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# Bollywood Movie Night-Building Relationships

## Councillor Shelley Carroll joins families at Parkway Forest CC



A Community-Building Project

Connecting Communities and making a difference is the motto with which the enthusiastic.

dedicated members of WEConnect Community Services have stepped into the field of social work/ community Services, you may name

Power of relationships in solving some of the deep human challenges need to be considered for Community Development

> it any thing but the aim is to serve humanity to the best of our capacity. In our post event( Food Drive ) meeting the volunteers and committee

members decided upon organizing an entertainment evening for the neighbourhood. "Family nights are a great way to create a sense of community" said Poonam, they help residents to get connected to the each other and the organization as well. And we thought of having our first Bollywood Movie

Our thanks to the volunteers from Maple and North York,, staff at Parkway Farest Community Centre Maple Civic Library

### Area Councillor Shelley Carroll hands over the Certificate of Appreciation





Night for families at the community Centre which was an ideal platform to bring residents together for quality time. This way the donors of food drive project could meet the WEConnect group in person and the women and youth volunteer could be recognized in presence of their families and entire neighborhood. It was meant to be a community-

building project so no tickets affair. Area Councillor Shelley Carroll, who very kindly consented to be our chief guest and handed over the certificates of appreciation to the youth and women volunteers for their time and dedication to serve the community they live in. At 6:00 pm the organizers and the volunteers were there to greet and to direct people, keep

the flow going smoothly to the main hall. At six thirty the chief guest, Councillor Shelley Carrol arrived at the venue. She was welcomed by President Ravi Pandey. The hall was full. Councillor was very pleased to know about our programs and services, especially Intergenerational project for Seniors. She appreciated the way youth has been involved in teach-







#### An Evening filled with Fun, Food and Quality Time



ing technology to seniors. Councillor Carroll also spoke about how this new Community Centre developed and the community members input was so very important in what it is today.

One could see the instant and easy connection between



the ward members and the councillor. During the interval at 8:00 pm heavy snacks and juice was served & people dressed in their ethnic wear availed the photo opportunity with their ward councillor. At the end of the film lucky draw prizes for children were announced.





We would like to give a very special thanks to Mr. McKay, Officer Dale Smith 33 division, Staff at the Parkway Forest Community Center for their cooperation, Belamita for Creative input, Poonam, Amat, Mrs. & Mr. Al-maghrabi, Soha, donors from North York and Maple, Media Support Hindi Abroad, Documenting Support AIMS. With great year round programs and services our stability results from the loyal dedication and hard work of our volunteers and from

individuals, businesses who financially support what we do year after year for our community.WE operates on a tiny budget for each Project. Our current aim is to encourage individual sponsors from within the community to support such projects.

WEConnect relies heavily on an army of volunteers. "We all offer what we can offer, which is kindness and a listening ear, genuine and caring human contacts with people." says Jaya.

There are many in the community who would like to get involved in the activities of common good to meet those needs. Please stay tuned as another project is in the pipeline and outreach and invites will start soon along with already running social activities. If you would like to be a part of our programs register at <a href="https://www.weconnectcs.com">www.weconnectcs.com</a> to donate, volunteer or become a member .

