



**OttawaHeartSupportGroup**  
Health Education Activity Research Target



## **"The Pulse December 2018"**

**Wednesday, December 5, 2018: the Ottawa Heart Support Group (OHSG) Executive Committee meeting** will be held at the Hollands House 2019 Voyageur Dr, Orleans ON K1C 2P5 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

### **Activates:**

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**Monday, December 10, 7:15p.m. – 9:30 p.m: Mary and Roy Cameron will host** "The OHSG Members and Guests at the Annual Christmas Party" This year we are including awards presentation for deserving members for their hours of time and work helping us put together our monthly meetings. Without the volunteers help, putting the evening together would be very difficult.

The Annual OHSG Christmas Party will be the last OHSG function for the year. The Christmas party will be held at the University of Ottawa Heart Institute, second floor in the Foustanelas Auditorium, 40 Ruskin Street, Ottawa, starting at 7:15 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Our numbers have increased this year, so we are looking forward to a great turnout. For those who have not been to one of our parties in the past we all contribute one of our favourite dishes to the party table. It seems to work out wonderfully each year and we have a fun time together. Our group will supply coffee, tea, punch, utensils and meat platter. Our executive is looking forward to seeing everyone for a wonderful, social evening. Christmas is the time to share, to enjoy, and to partake in good food and great friendships.

**January 21, 2018** is the first meeting of the New Year. We have Dr. Glineur the director of the robot surgery program who performed the first mitral valve repair using the da Vinci Surgical Robot in the hybrid operating room at the tower, which was taped and we will see the operation first hand. Presentation Title "Invasive Mitral Valve Repair"

After extensive training in the United States in robotic cardiac surgery, specializing in mitral valve repair, Dr. Glineur started the robotic mitral valve program at Clinique Saint-Luc Bouge, Namur, Belgium, in December 2011. He also received his "Agrégé de l'Enseignement Supérieur" (corresponding to the PhD degree) in 2011.

Dr. Glineur has done extensive research in coronary revascularization physiology. While still in training, he conducted several prospective randomized trials on coronary revascularization surgery focusing on full arterial grafting. He is one of few top world experts on fractional flow

reserve testing for surgical coronary revascularization. Dr. Glineur is also an internationally recognized specialist in robotic cardiac surgery, especially for minimally invasive mitral valve repair.

## University Ottawa Heart Institute Members Honored at City Hall

Four members of the University of Ottawa Heart Institute received the **Order of Ottawa 2018 Award**, quite an achievement.

### Congratulations to All

Inductees are: Barbara Farber, David Rattray, (Chair and Director of the University Heart Institute Foundation, Graham Bird (Elected member of the University of Ottawa Heart Institute Board of Directors), and Dr. Marc Ruel (Heart Institute Chief of Surgery.)

All Inductees above are extremely valuable in moving the UOHI to become a true Cardiac Institute recognized world wide

### The OHSG Website

The Ottawa Heart Support Group Website "ottawaheartsupportgroup.com" is powered by The Trailing Edge (TTE) Computer Store. We have been very lucky to have our association with the TTE. They have provided gifts for our draws during our special occasions and provide computer maintenance and advice on problems that we may encounter. Now the weather is starting to change it does not take long to get to the store location using the 417 and Richmond Road selecting a time after 9:00 a.m. and going home prior to 3.15 p.m.



**REMEMBER- Do not put money in the machines for parking on Ruskin Street after 7:00 P.M.**

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