

## "The Pulse May, 2017"

## Activities

**Wednesday, May 3, 2017:** the OHSG Executive Committee meeting will be held at the Holland's house 6029 Voyageur Drive, Orleans ON K1C 2P5. From 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Monday, May 15, 2017: The Guest Speaker is Dr Calum Redpath and his title is "Cardiac Electrophysiology: Repairing the Rhythms of the Heart." Dr Calum Redpath is a Clinician-Scientist and Staff Cardiologist in the Department of Electrophysiology at the University of Ottawa Heart Institute and Assistant Professor in the Division of Cardiology, Department of Medicine at the University of Ottawa.

Dr Redpath received undergraduate medical training in Glasgow, Scotland and was awarded membership of the Royal College of Physicians & Surgeons of Glasgow (MRCP) in 2000. The work of his PhD studied human cellular cardiac electrophysiology. Dr Redpath's research focuses on the prevention, detection and treatment of all arrhythmia-related disorders with a special interest in atrial fibrillation. His research interest's span from single atrial cells all the way to population based studies and are primarily aimed at a greater understanding of arrhythmia mechanisms, particular focus on atrial fibrillation. He joined the University of Ottawa Heart Institute (UOHI) in 2010.

**April presentation on the types of cardiac imaging** used at the UOHI along with May's presentation above will familiarize members with the June's presentation on the new Hybrid operating rooms that will be in the new section of the UOHI and used at the sub floor of the older section of the hospital.

**The Summer OHSG Members Picnic at Britannia Beach** will be held on the second Monday July 10, 2017, our normal third Monday evening was not available this year. Mark your calendars with the date change for the major summer event for our group. Monday July 10, 2015, the OHSG annual summer picnic to be held. This will replace our monthly speaker. The picnic is to be held at Britannia Park Trolley Station 2805 Carling Ave., direction to find, at the intersection of Pinecrest and Carling take the direction north towards the Ottawa River and follow the road to the

Trolley Station. The Trolley Station is reserved between 4:00 p.m. To 7:30 p.m. Kentucky Fried Chicken will be served from 5:00 p.m. To 6:30 p.m. Condiments, plates, cups, utensils etc. will be supplied by OHSG. Everyone is asked to bring a salad or dessert (pot luck) to share with everyone as well as their own non-alcoholic beverages. Mary Cameron will be giving us more information in shortly.

**Bonnie Quinlan, RN, MScN** the Advanced Practice Nurse, Cardiology, University of Ottawa Heart Institute has informed us that Ottawa Heart Institute Patient Education Classes on Atrial Fibrillation is scheduled for Monday April 24, 2017, 9:00 am to 10:00 am. Held in the Central Foustanellas There is no registration required and all welcome!

**The Foustanellas Auditorium** will be closed for two months, July and August. July we have our summer picnic and for August 21, 2017, we have requested and have reserved the Rehabilitation Center area on the second floor of the UOHI. An evening program is being put together that will be both educational and entertaining to help us be ready for the start of the fall season in September.

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