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Unveiling Programs at Allan Reuter Centre Sneak Peak At Fall Programs

Cambridge, Ontario. September 15, 2008...The Adult 50+ crowd in Preston, one of three downtown areas of Cambridge, will have a chance tomorrow to learn about community centre programs and meet the key players at the Allan Reuter Recreation Centre, 507 King Street, East.

"We want people to experience the feeling of being part of the Allan Reuter Centre community and learn first hand about what the programs and services are all about," says Jim King, Commissioner of Community Services.

The annual Open House is scheduled for Tuesday, September 16th, between 4:30 pm - 7:30 pm.

"It's a showcase of the centre and it includes introductions to the volunteers and staff who keep our centre vibrant. It will also feature exhibits, demonstrations, tours, entertainment and a barbeque," says Debra Gilpin, Area Recreation Manager.

People like the President of the Operating Board of the Allan Reuter Centre, Allan Gray, will take part. Gray is one of ten board members who are community volunteers representing all facets of the community. Also a member of the centre, Gray has been volunteering since 1994.

The event has been taking place for more than a decade. In the past, more than 100 people attended the Open House.

The City of Cambridge has three 50+ recreation centres. The annual membership fee is only \$24.80 which includes the goods and services tax. Members are entitled to receive discounts for courses, activities and events. The membership is good at all three 50+ centres: Allan Reuter (Preston), David Durward (Galt) and G.E. Ted Wake Lounge (Hespeler).

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