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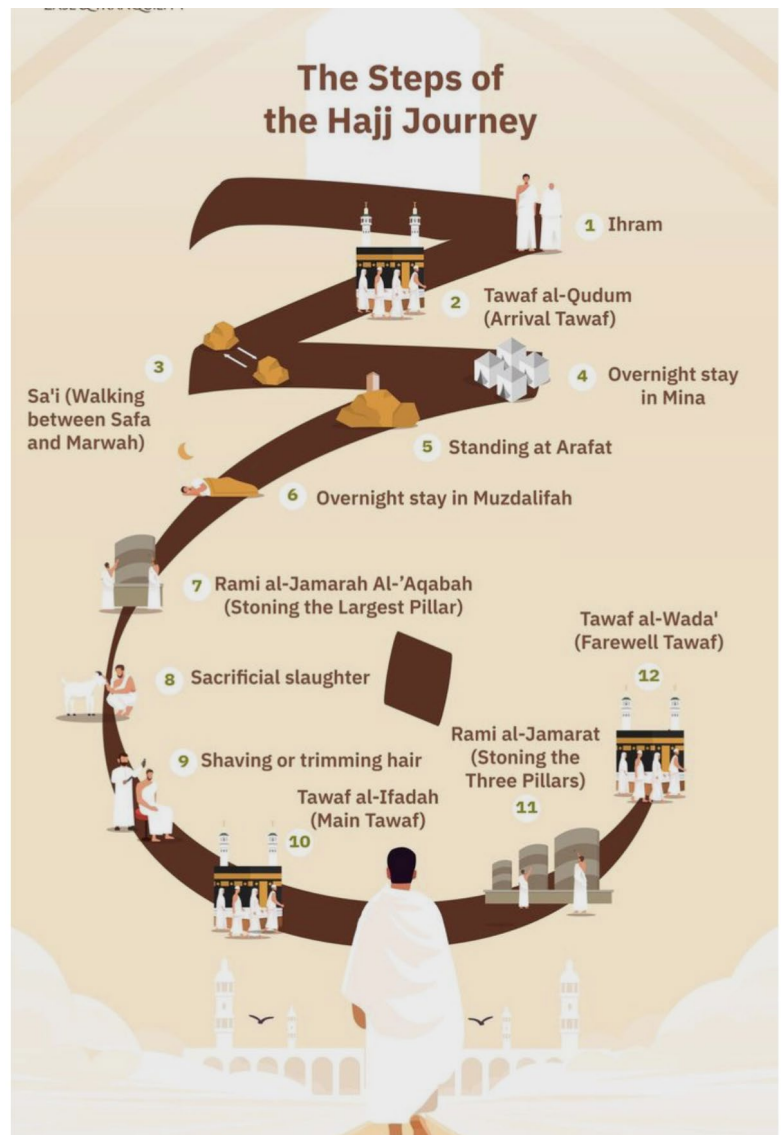
"Breathe Deep. Walk Lakeside."

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"Find. Apply. Succeed."

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"Tariffs and Tensions"



IBA-PU ALUMNI CANADA

ALMA MATER MAVERICKS

By the time this newsletter reaches you, the sacred month of Hajj will have begun. May this spiritually rich time bring peace, reflection, and blessings to you and your families. **Eid-ul-Adha Mubarak** from all of us — may your celebrations be filled with warmth, joy, and togetherness.

As we move through a season that still carries the crispness of late winter and the freshness of spring, we hope the weather will ease into comfort after Eid. Until then, our alumni spirit remains alive through our gentle hikes and thoughtful *Chatters That Matter* gatherings. Following Eid, we will embrace the season with longer hikes and deeper connections. Stay warm, stay connected, and may the days ahead be full of light and renewal.

We eagerly await your thoughts, ideas, and feedback.

[Please send them to ibapuac@gmail.com](mailto:ibapuac@gmail.com)

UPCOMING EVENTS

SOCIAL & EDUCATIONAL EVENTS

Summer on the Horizon – Let's Shape It Together

As the days grow longer and the air carries the gentle promise of summer, we find ourselves at the perfect moment to dream, plan, and come together. This season is not just about sunshine and warmth, it's about connection, joy, and shared moments that stay with us long after the sun sets.

We warmly invite **you**, our valued alumni members, to share your ideas for summer events. Whether it's a family-friendly picnic, a lakeside hike, a cultural evening, or something entirely new, we would love to hear what *moves you*.

Please feel free to send your suggestions through our **WhatsApp group** or reach out individually. We are looking for inclusive ideas, activities that can bring everyone together, from the youngest to the wisest among us.



PAST EVENTS

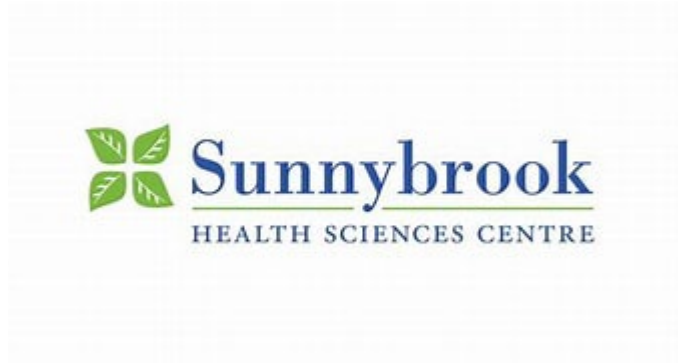
SOCIAL & EDUCATIONAL EVENTS

In May, our hiking adventures gently unfolded along the serene lakesides. These early outings served as a warm-up, an invitation to stretch our legs, reconnect with nature, and build our rhythm for the season ahead. After Eid, we will shift gears and set out on more invigorating journeys along the rugged and scenic patches of the Bruce Trail. Come join our next hike.

Everyone is welcome—no registration needed!

Just show up at the trail and you'll be warmly greeted by fellow hikers. It's a great way to stay active, connect with others, and enjoy the beauty of the outdoors. **Why not join the next one?**





ENGAGED CITIZENSHIP

COMMUNITY IMPACT

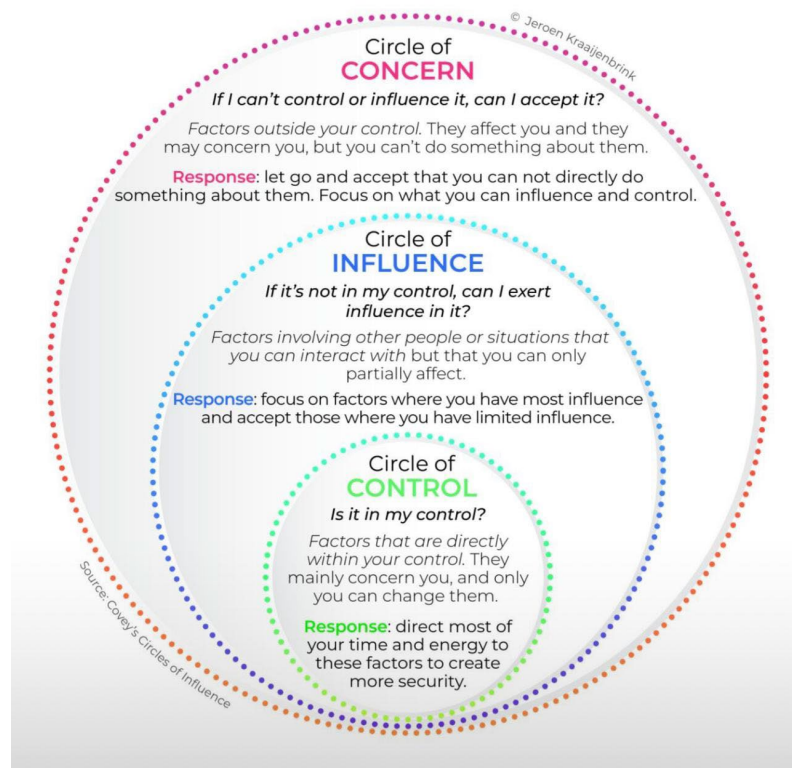
The Alzheimer's and Dementia Awareness Series, held in collaboration with Sunnybrook Hospital, continued through May.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT RESOURCES

TECHNOLOGY & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- [The Big 5 personality traits you can change with practice - Big Think](#)
- [Every Entrepreneur Needs a Mentor – Here's Why - SFU VentureLabs](#)
- [Joe Davis: Is generosity the most underrated leadership skill? | TED Talk](#)
- [How to fit learning into your busy work schedule | INTHEBLACK](#)
- [ASUS Zenbook Duo UX8406MA-PZ103W Laptop | ASUS Store](#)
- [Understanding burnout: how to recognise and manage it | INTHEBLACK](#)
- www.remotewoman.com
- www.flexjobs.com
- [How to source your dream job | London Business School](#)
- [mit-sloan-idea-to-action.pdf](#)
- [Palmstreet - Live Shopping for Plants, Crafts, & More](#)
- [Workplaces are lonelier... and that's a problem](#)

The Three Circles of Influence



EDUCATIONAL CONTENT

ARTICLES & LEARNING RESOURCES

- [The U.S.-China Trade War Is the Return of Geoeconomics | Stanford Graduate School of Business](#)
- [Does a 'buy Canadian' strategy work for investing?](#)
- [strategy+business | accelerating performance](#)
- [Competing on Imagination | BHI](#)
- [Seeing stars: consumers think products with star ratings are better than they really are](#)
- [What is an innovation ecosystem? | MIT Sloan](#)
- [Passion, Grit, Resilience: The Formula for Success | Entrepreneur](#)
- [A Moment for Canada to Reset Its Economy | BCG](#)
- [Global Finance Magazine - Cover](#)
- [Don't Be an "Authentic" Leader | INSEAD Knowledge](#)
- [Insights for Success in Entrepreneurship](#)
- [Reinventing your company for growth | PwC](#)
- [Trump's Tariffs Lead Investors to Question the Future of the Dollar | Stanford Graduate School of Business](#)
- [Overcoming Feelings of Inferiority in an AI World - Ivey Business Journal](#)