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ALBERTA RETIRED TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER



## Back to the Office

We're excited to say that staff have returned to their offices last week, and we're preparing to open our offices to you, our members.

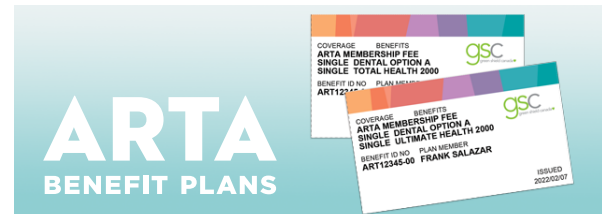
Beginning June 13, 2022, ARTA members can visit the office **by appointment only**. These appointments can be booked online at [arta.net/contact](https://arta.net/contact) or [myarta.net](https://myarta.net) (under Contact Us), or by calling the office directly.

ARTA staff will be wearing masks while meeting with visitors, and it is strongly recommended that visitors wear masks to these meetings as well. We ask that you reschedule your appointment if you feel sick, to protect both staff and fellow members.

A reminder that we are in a new location to serve you better:

15505 137 Avenue NW,  
Edmonton, AB T5V 1R9

[BOOK APPOINTMENT](#)



## Printing Your Benefit ID Card

Your membership automatically renews when you are on an ARTA Retiree Benefit Plan. If you have an old benefits ID card that has an expiry date of June 30, 2022, you can print a new Benefits & Member ID card with no expiry date on it from [myarta.net](https://myarta.net), under My ID Card & Documents. Or, you can request a new one be mailed to you using the Contact Us form on [myarta.net](https://myarta.net). While you wait for your new card, you can continue to use your existing card — your benefits are not impacted by the membership expiry date.

[VISIT MyARTA.net](#)



## Escape starts here

Enter for your chance to WIN \$5,000 in CASH  
or 1 of 2 secondary prizes of \$1,500!



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## Purchase medical supplies through ARTARx!

ARTARx has partnered with Pharmacy2Home to give members the option of having medical supplies shipped directly to their homes. This program is available to all members, no matter where in Canada you reside or what benefit plan you're on. With over 15,000 medical products available, you'll be able to purchase just about any medical device you need, without ever leaving home! Pharmacy2Home has warehouses all over Canada, so no matter where you live, you can expect your order to arrive within 1-2 business days.

Learn more about Pharmacy2Home and start using it today:

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## Making Puzzles

The Wellness Committee at ARTA is committed to providing our members with information on staying well in retirement.

This month's article focuses on puzzles and how it brings about wellness.

Each month a committee member will provide our members with useful information on emotional, spiritual, intellectual, physical, financial, or social wellness. You can find the blog posts on [arta.net](https://arta.net) under the WELLNESS tab.

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## Photo Contest Reminder

This is a reminder that the deadline for the 2022 Photo Contest is 4:00 p.m., May 31, 2022.

The categories for 2022 are:

- **Travel**
- **Nature**
- **Making It**
- **Ten**

We are accepting digital submissions. New or old, all photos are welcome; there are no expiry dates on a masterpiece.

You can find the official contest rules, descriptions of the four categories, and entry form by clicking the button below.

[PHOTO CONTEST](#)



## 2022 Scholarships

Applications for the ARTA-TW Insurance Degree Scholarship and the ARTA Certificate/Diploma Scholarship are welcome from direct relatives (children, grandchildren, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> generation nieces and nephews) of current ARTA members. For more information, please visit the ARTA Scholarship webpage.

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## Fundraising for Ukrainian Education

The Canadian Ukrainian Foundation is working to ensure that displaced children can continue their studies by accessing books, school supplies, and the proper instruction. If you would like to donate to the cause, you can do so through the CUF's partner organization, The Ukrainian Foundation for College Education (UFCE) Trust.

Cheques can be sent directly to:

UFCE Trust  
c/o 12412-28 Avenue NW  
Edmonton, AB T6J 4E4  
ATTN: Ukraine Education Fundraiser

Donations can also be made by e-transfer to the UFCE Trust at [info.ufcetrust@gmail.com](mailto:info.ufcetrust@gmail.com).

If you have want to know how the donations will be used or would like to learn about other ways you can help, contact [obilash@ualberta.ca](mailto:obilash@ualberta.ca).



**MAY IS HEARING AWARENESS MONTH**

Celebrate Hearing Awareness Month with a free trial of the latest advanced or premium digital hearing aids. Exclusive, 30-day no obligation\* trial offer for ARTA members and their family.

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## ARTA's 2022 Wellness Challenge

From April 1 until June 30, track your time spent being active **or** steps, and you could win some great ARTA prizes! For more information, and for some ideas on how to get active, visit the link below.

**WELLNESS CHALLENGE**

## ARTAficial Flavours



*So we agree, loser has to wear the Vancouver jersey.*

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