

## Wednesday, February 1, 2023

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### Employee Compensation Seminar (Ajax Pickering Board of Trade)

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 1 9:00 am - 10:30 am

Address: Hilton Garden Inn, Toronto/Ajax 500 Beck Crescent, Ajax

Learn how to attract and keep talent by taking a look at employee compensation.

### BACD Start Up Session

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 1 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Start Up Session: An overview of the fundamental elements of success for every business (Business Concept, Marketing & Sales, Operations and Finance) and gives the steps needed to start successfully and to grow.

### Regional Council Meeting

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 1 9:30 am

### Launch Winter 2023

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 1 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: University of Toronto Scarborough, Highland Hall Event Centre, 1265 Military Trail, Scarborough

The University of Toronto Scarborough invites employers looking to fill paid co-op/intern positions to network with students at this free event - Launch Winter 2023. Visiting campus is a strategic way to promote your brand to students and see the talents that our students have to offer. You'll meet prospective applicants of various experience levels, all of whom are eager to start their co-op work terms in 2023. And depending on your business, there may be federal and provincial subsidies to hire a co-op student.

Light refreshments will be available throughout the event. Exhibit space will be accepted on a first come, first served basis.

## Thursday, February 2, 2023

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### 2023 Black History Month

Date and Time: Thursday, February 2 8:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Ajax Convention Centre, 550 Beck Crescent, Ajax

Join the Ajax Pickering Board of Trade, Clarington Board of Trade, Greater Oshawa Chamber of Commerce and Whitby Chamber of Commerce at this incredible Black History Month event. This half-day event will feature tremendous speakers and an opportunity to network. In addition to Isaac Olowolafe and Randell Adjei, a business panel will be on hand to discuss support available to the business community!

## Together We Rise Durham: Excellence Through the Arts

Date and Time: Thursday, February 2 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm



**Black  
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### Together We Rise Durham: Excellence Through the Arts

You're invited to attend Durham Region's Black History Month celebration!

Together We Rise Durham: Excellence Through the Arts celebration will feature keynote speaker Cameron Bailey, CEO of the Toronto International Film Festival (TIFF).



The evening will highlight Black talent and showcase artistic displays with live music, performances and more!

Join us February 2 from 6 to 8 p.m. at The Robert McLaughlin Gallery, 72 Queen Street, Oshawa

Refreshments will be served. For more information, visit [durham.ca/BlackHistoryMonth](http://durham.ca/BlackHistoryMonth).

### Event Details

**Date:** Wednesday, February 2, 2023

**Time:** 6 to 8 p.m.

**Address:** The Robert McLaughlin Gallery, 72 Queen Street, Oshawa

Register by January 31. We look forward to seeing you there!

## **Ajax Community Theatre - Wrong Window!**

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## Saturday, February 4, 2023

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### Port Perry Winter Antique Show & Sale

Date and Time: Saturday, February 4 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: Scugog Community Recreation Centre 1655 Reach St. Port Perry L9L 1P2

Port Perry 25th Annual Winter Antique Show at the Scugog Community Centre. Over 25 antique dealers from across Ontario. Admission good for both days. Light lunch available. All proceeds support Lake Scugog Historical Society projects.

### Saturday Studio at the RMG

Date and Time: Saturday, February 4 10:30 am - 3:00 pm

Address: 72 Queen St.

This class is filled with art making that inspires creativity and imagination! Each week will be a new adventure with sculptures, paintings, drawings, printmaking, and more using artist quality materials!

**Saturdays, January 21 to March 4**

No class February 18

\$100 Members/ \$110 Non-members

**Ages 5-8            10:30am-12pm**

**Ages 9-12        1-3pm**

## **Kazuo Nakamura: Influence and Legacy**

Date and Time: Saturday, February 4 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 72 Queen St.

Join us for a conversation about the lasting impact and legacy of artist Kazuo Nakamura. The discussion will be led by panelists Louise Noguchi (artist), Bryce Kanbara (artist and recent Governor General Award recipient), and John Hatch (art historian). Kazuo Nakamura laid the groundwork for younger generations of Japanese Canadian artists and achieved great success in his lifetime. This event compliments the current exhibition at The Robert McLaughlin Gallery, *Kazuo Nakamura: Universal Pattern*, on view until March 5<sup>th</sup>.

Refreshments will be served.

This event is open to the public, but [registration](#) encouraged.

## **Wadded UP! FMX Tour**

Date and Time: Saturday, February 4 2:20 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 99 Athol Street East, Oshawa, ON

Back and bigger than ever! The Wadded UP! Freestyle Motocross Tour returns to the Tribute Communities Centre in Oshawa on Saturday, February 4, 2023.

Bring out the whole family to experience all the nonstop, high-flying action as the pros perform gravity-defying tricks like nac-nacs, superman seat grabs, back flips and so much more. You'll be blown away as riders fly more than three stories high in the air.

And it's not just FMX to get excited about. Wadded Up's full lineup of daring BMX riders will be crashing the party as well, including X-Games gold medalist and Oshawa native Mike Varga.

Plus, kids get to be part of the show with Kids Power Wheel Races! Bring your own Power Wheel and a helmet to race a round the track in front of a packed house.

Want to meet Mike and the other riders before the show? Buy passes for the pre-show party in the pits to meet the riders, sign autographs and take photos down on the stadium floor.

### **Schedule**

VIP Pit Party Access- 1:00pm (Gate 1 opens at 12:45pm)

Regular Pit Party Access - 1:20pm - 2:00pm

Gates Open for FMX Event - 1:20pm

FMX Event Starts - 2:20pm

## **The Canada Finland Chamber of Commerce 50th Anniversary Gala**

Date and Time: Saturday, February 4 6:30 pm

Address: The Waterside Inn, Port Credit

The Canada Finland Chamber of Commerce (CFCC) celebrates 50 years of creating valuable connections and long lasting relationships among Canadian, Finnish, and European businesses. Since 1971 CFCC has designed opportunities for organizations and professionals to come together finding those with mutual interests and a diverse set of skills and service offerings. Over these 50 years, we have promoted international relationships and supported the growth of CFCC members through educational, social, and business events.

On our 50th anniversary, we look back five decades of success stories, friendships and collaborative growth. And it is with excitement that we invite you to join us in this celebration at our very special 50th Anniversary Gala!

## **Kid Koala X Lealani**

Date and Time: Saturday, February 4 7:00 pm - 11:00 pm

Address: Biltmore Theatre - 39 King St. East, Oshawa

Kid Koala returns with this high energy party set. Half DJ set, half turntable, guitar, drum sampler mayhem. Featuring Los Angeles' Lealani on vocals, guitar and MPC.

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## **Tuesday, February 7, 2023**

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### **What's Brewing? (Greater Oshawa Chamber of Commerce)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 7 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Address: Rocpal Custom Cabinets, 223 King St. West, Oshawa

Come join your Greater Oshawa Chamber of Commerce for an informal coffee and networking event.

### **BACD Business Fundamentals: Financials & Operations**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 7 9:30 am - 11:30 am

In this session we discuss Financials and Operations. By understanding the accounting and financial basics and developing these operational strategies, you can create effective and efficient systems for running your business.

### **Planning and Economic Development Committee Meeting**

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 7 9:30 am



# Wednesday, February 8, 2023

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## EV Innovation & Technology Conference 2023

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 8 8:00 am - 7:00 pm

Address: Barrett Centre For Technology Innovation, Silver Bell Lane, Toronto

This one-day event brings together the brightest minds working to accelerate and transform electric vehicle manufacturing in Canada

## Works Committee Meeting

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 8 9:30 am

## Transportation Symposium, Day 1: The Economic Benefits of World-Class Transit (Toronto Region Board of Trade)

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 8 11:30 am - 5:00 pm

Address: 100 Queens Quay East - 3rd Floor

The most influential transportation event in the Toronto region is back for 2023 with our eighth annual Transportation symposium, which consists of two half-day sessions on February 8 and March 30. Attendees will have a chance to join the discussion on the most critical transportation issues facing our region alongside leading experts, influencers and policy-makers. Don't miss Toronto's biggest, most insightful transportation event of the year.

## Transit Executive Committee Meeting

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 8 1:30 pm

## Modern CEO: From Start-Up to Scale-Up - The Playbook (BACD)

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 8 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Join us for our NEWEST Modern CEO Program! Together in 5 LIVE weekly sessions you'll be transforming the way you work in your business by kickstarting your journey to high-performance.

## You're A Good Man Charlie Brown

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 8 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: Centennial Building - 416 Centre Street, Whitby L1N 4W2



## Health and Social Services Committee Meeting

Date and Time: Thursday, February 9 9:30 am

## PROBUS Club of Durham West

Date and Time: Thursday, February 9 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 75 Centennial Road, Ajax Community Centre, HMS Room, Ajax ON

PROBUS clubs provide opportunities to meet with others with similar interests. Meeting new people, making new friends, discovering new interests are just some of the advantages of being a PROBUS member.

Our members are retired business and professional persons residing in Durham Region, including Pickering, Ajax, Whitby, Brooklin, Oshawa and other areas. Our monthly meetings feature informative and entertaining speakers. They usually consist of a business portion of about a half hour, a thirty minute socializing and coffee followed by a stimulating 45 minute presentation by a guest speaker. Meetings end at noon. Along with monthly social events and 21 activity groups who meet regularly, its a great way to meet new people. See our website on How to Join at <https://durhamwestprobus.org/page-18068>

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## **Friday, February 10, 2023**

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### **Durham Region's Hockey Helps the Homeless Pro/Am Tournament**

Date and Time: Friday, February 10 9:00 am - 8:00 pm

Address: Delpark Areana

Lace up and hit the ice with former NHL and Olympics pros in a charity fundraising event raising funds for Durham Youth Services - the region's only emergency shelter for at-risk and homeless youth.

At Hockey Helps the Homeless, we leverage Canada's affinity for hockey to raise awareness and financial support for the homeless through education, fundraising, and by partnering with solutions-based local homeless support agencies.

We believe that every Canadian should have a safe place to call home and the supports that they need to thrive. To ensure all homeless and at-risk Canadians have a fighting chance, we host Pro-Am hockey tournaments across Canada where players raise funds to make a direct impact in their own community.

### **Scugog Chamber of Commerce Business Excellence Awards**

Date and Time: Friday, February 10 6:00 pm

Address: Great Blue Heron Casino and Hotel

You'll be treated to an incredible gourmet meal created by the Head Chef at the Great Blue Heron Casino followed by our "Business Excellence Awards" ceremony, live music, entertainment, and more!

### **Beer and Film**

Date and Time: Friday, February 10 7:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 1390 Hopkins St. Unit #3

DRIFF is screening the short film "The Test" on Friday February 10th at Five Paddles Brewing Company in Whitby. The screening begins at 7:30pm.

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## Saturday, February 11, 2023

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\$100 Members/ \$110 Non-members

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**Ages 9-12        1-3pm**

### Black Experience Townhall

Date and Time: Saturday, February 11 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: Newcastle Community Hall, 20 King Avenue West, Newcastle, ON L1B 1H7

Durham Black Network invites you to join our FREE Black Experience Townhall in partnership with The Municipality of Clarington and The Clarington Public Library on **Saturday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023, 5 pm Eastern in recognition of Black History Month** at the Newcastle Community Hall, 20 King Avenue West, Newcastle, ON L1B 1H7. We are focusing on Healthcare and Mental well-being; looking at systems, barriers, policies and how we can move forward as a community.

nity through Expert Speakers Tanis Henry, Registered Nurse; Dr. Jean Henry, Psychotherapist and Nicole Perryman, Social Worker; Community Dialogue; Networking; Breakout Session; Entertainment; a Healing Activity with Tessa Sebro; Yoga & Pilates Specialist; and our Award Presentation recognizing leadership in Black Excellence & Allyship right here in Durham Region. A modernized approach to recognizing Black History Month, engaging the community, and addressing systemic barriers.

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## MASTERWORKS SERIES - MIGHTY BRUCKNER 6TH - TIMOTHY CHOOI PLAYS BRUCH

Date and Time: Saturday, February 11 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: 50 King St E, Oshawa ON

The rich and seductive music of Max Bruch's Violin Concerto No. 1 is a feast for the music lover. The concerto is followed by a must for any orchestra enthusiast: the exceptionally powerful and beautiful Symphony No. 6 by Anton Bruckner—an evening of Romantic era symphonic music mastery.

**Recommended Age: 14+**

**Age Restriction: 7+**

## You're A Good Man Charlie Brown

Date and Time: Saturday, February 11 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: Centennial Building - 416 Centre Street, Whitby L1N 4W2

# Monday, February 13, 2023

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## Land Division Committee Meeting

Date and Time: Monday, February 13 9:00 am - 4:30 pm

# Tuesday, February 14, 2023

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## Finance and Administration Committee Meeting

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 14 9:30 am

## Durham Agricultural Advisory Committee Meeting

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 14 7:30 pm

# Wednesday, February 15, 2023

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## Breakfast with the Mayor (Clarington Board of Trade)

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 15 7:30 am - 9:00 am

Address: Diane Hamre Recreation Complex, 1780 Rudell Rd., Newcastle

Mayor Adrian Foster will be joining us for breakfast to share updates from the Municipality of Clarington on developments, projects and growth within the community.

A great opportunity to meet the Mayor, keep current on community developments and collaborative efforts supporting local projects.

## Committee of the Whole Meeting

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 15 9:30 am

## 2023 Mayors Luncheon: Culture of Change and Innovation (Oshawa Chamber of Commerce)

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 15 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Harmony Events Centre, Courtyard by Marriot, 1011 Bloor St. E., Oshawa

The Greater Oshawa Chamber of Commerce's Annual Mayor's Luncheon returns to the Harmony Event Centre/Courtyard by Marriott.

Hear from His Worship Mayor Dan Carter as he makes his annual Mayor's State of the City Address live and in person!

Your ticket purchase includes a fresh lunch prepared by The Harmony Event Centre/Courtyard by Marriott Oshawa

## **Getting Money: What Lenders and Investors Want (BACD)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 15 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Find out what financial and non-financial information is used to evaluate a loan request and the steps to prepare for it.

## **Business After 5 (Clarington Board of Trade)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 15 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Fionn MacCool, 2350 Durham Regional Highway 2, Bowmanville

Meet us after work at Fionn's for some networking after 5!

You'll have the opportunity to engage with other like-minded business individuals seeking to build a sense of community and network, while enjoying some delicious appetizers.

## **Thursday, February 16, 2023**

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## **Women Rising Symposium (Ajax Pickering Board of Trade)**

Date and Time: Thursday, February 16 8:30 am - 3:00 pm

Address: Pickering Casino Resort, 888 Durham Live Avenue, Pickering

Join us for our 4th Women in Business Symposium! Come on out to build a strong network of businesswomen in our community and work together to inspire, share ideas, experiences, and opportunities with women in business. Everyone is welcome to attend! Breakfast and lunch are included.

## **9-1-1 Management Board Meeting**

Date and Time: Thursday, February 16 9:30 am

## **BACD Start Up Session**

Date and Time: Thursday, February 16 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Start Up Session: An overview of the fundamental elements of success for every business (Business Concept, Marketing & Sales, Operations and Finance) and gives the steps needed to start successfully and to grow.

## **Durham Environment and Climate Advisory Committee Meeting**

Date and Time: Thursday, February 16 7:00 pm

## **You're A Good Man Charlie Brown**

Date and Time: Thursday, February 16 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: Centennial Building - 416 Centre Street, Whitby L1N 4W2

## **Friday, February 17, 2023**

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### **Java Jolt (Whitby Chamber of Commerce)**

Date and Time: Friday, February 17 8:00 am - 9:00 am

Address: The Food And Art Café, 105 Dundas Street West, Whitby

Twice a month, join members and non-members for a coffee to discuss business-focused topics which will be posted in advance in the Facebook group. For members, by members, this long-standing program continues its primary objective to support the business community and give them an opportunity to network and refer.

### **Special Regional Council Meeting**

Date and Time: Friday, February 17 9:30 am

### **You're A Good Man Charlie Brown**

Date and Time: Friday, February 17 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: Centennial Building - 416 Centre Street, Whitby L1N 4W2

### **Mardi Gras Party with Loco Zydeco Presented by Music by the Bay Live**

Date and Time: Friday, February 17 8:00 pm - 11:00 pm

Address: Avalon Lounge Port Whitby Marina 301 Watson St W, Whitby, ON L1N 1A2

Beads and bling: It's a Mardi Gras thing

Music by the Bay Live celebrates Mardi Gras season with Loco Zydeco, a six-person, high energy, Canadian Zydeco band, based in Toronto, Ontario.

Winning over enthusiastic crowds with an energetic blend of contemporary and traditional Zydeco,

they have created a unique take on Louisiana's most exciting musical export, in all it's toe-tapping, hip-shaking glory.

Loco Zydeco's first two albums "Yeah, You Right, Eh!" (released independently in the fall of 2003,) and

"This Great White North, Eh!" (released by Flaming Cheese Records in the fall of 2006,) have enjoyed commercial, community and college radio play across North America. Their third album, "Time To Turn The Key," was released by Flaming Cheese Records in October 2008, and has enjoyed both North American & European airplay. Their latest album, "Loco Zydeco" was released in 2017, by Squirrel Head Music.



July 12th, 2002 marked Loco Zydeco's debut at The Toronto International BBQ & Blues Fest. Since then they have energized audiences and made new fans at major festivals across Ontario and into Quebec and New Brunswick. Electrifying performances have solidified their reputation as one of Canada's most entertaining Zydeco bands, with shows often becoming a free for all of audience participation. Extra rubboards are always available for anyone adventurous enough to join the band on stage

In 2023, Loco Zydeco will celebrate the 20th anniversary of their debut album

Tickets: <http://musicbythebaylive.com/tickets/>

## **Saturday, February 18, 2023**

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### **You're A Good Man Charlie Brown**

Date and Time: Saturday, February 18 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Centennial Building - 416 Centre Street, Whitby L1N 4W2

### **"Take Your Power Back" featuring the Rob Tardik Band and Kimberley Black**

Date and Time: Saturday, February 18 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 78 Church St. S., Ajax

Rob Tardik and his band, along with Kimberley Black (both residents of Durham Region), take their audience on a journey of overcoming trauma, building resilience, and inspiring hope through the art of storytelling, music, and dance. "Take Your Power Back" features Kimberley's miraculous story of survival after an attempted murder in the midst of the pandemic, and promotes the beauty of humanity in times of crisis through community support and love. Set to new music by the Rob Tardik Band, including "B Positive" a song written by Rob in recognition of Kimberley's resilience, positive spirit, and blood type, along with interludes of choreographed dance performances, "Take Your Power Back" promises a night of pure inspiration!

### **Tebey w/ Five Roses**

Date and Time: Saturday, February 18 7:00 pm - 11:00 pm

Address: 39 King St. East Oshawa, ON L1H 1B2

Tebey is coming to Oshawa on February 18th 2023 with Five Roses. Tickets are now on sale, get your today!

### **Take Your Power Back featuring The Rob Tardik Band and Kimberley Black**

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## **Monday, February 20, 2023**

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### **Family Day at Trail Hub**

Date and Time: Monday, February 20 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 722 Chalk Lake Rd

#### **Celebrate Family Day Feb 20th at Trail Hub!**

We will have nature and family focused activities, games and food specials happening from 10am to 4pm.

## **GUIDED SNOWSHOE HIKES**

### **Experience the beauty of our trails on a FREE guided snowshoe hike!**

This activity is perfect for the whole family and requires no experience. Our resident trail expert will take you through an introduction to using snowshoes and then on a guided hike around the Trail Hub property. The length and difficulty will be based on the ability of the participating families.

**Guided Hike Times:** 10am and 2pm.

**Location:** Meet outside the lower level chalet doors with your equipment.

**Registration:** No registration is necessary but you must purchase a trail pass.

**Don't have snowshoes? Not a problem! We rent adult and kids sizes.**

Rentals are available on a first come first served availability for \$25 per adult, \$20 per youth pair.

## **FAMILY DAY ACTIVITIES**

### **Take part in a variety of fun filled activities for kids and families with the Trail Hub Family Day Activities Pass!**

Take part in one or all of the below activities:

#### **FAMILY FEUD**

Compete against your family, friends or other community participants in this lighthearted take on the gameshow 'Family Feud'.

Time: 1-2:30 pm.

Sign up is required. Check in at the lower level of the chalet.

## **OUTDOOR GAMES**

Test your agility and balance in our Egg Race and Giant Jenga set or play Picasso in the snow with our natural food colouring. Stop by our Snowman Making station where you can make and decorate your own snowman with naturally available items.

## **NATURE ART**

Enjoy a variety of of nature inspired activities.

**Purchase your Activity Pass below or on Feb 20th inside the lower level of the Chalet.**

## **Winterfest – Monday, February, 20, 2023 from 11 a.m. – 4 p.m.**

Date and Time: Monday, February 20 11:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 1955 Audley Rd, Ajax, ON L1Z 0L2

It's fun. It's free. It's on Family Day. It's Winterfest!

It's time to put on your snow pants and celebrate the winter season with your family. Join us on February 20 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Audley Recreation Centre (1955 Audley Rd. N.) for winter themed activities including:

- Afiwi Groove School drum & dance performance and interactive experience at 1:30 p.m. in the Community Hall
- Ajax Library—Audley Branch: 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. - open for regular services plus 'Warm Up' crafts
- Free swims from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. and 2-4 p.m.
- Free Family Fitness Zumba® try-its at 11:30 a.m. and 12: 15 p.m. in the Group Fitness space. Indoor Shoes required.
- Horse and wagon rides from 12-4 p.m.
- Hot chocolate (while supplies last)
- Inflatables and games
- Mad Science fun stations
- Make your own s'mores (while supplies last)
- Outdoor birds of prey shows and demonstrations by Hawkeye Bird and Animal Control - 11:30 a.m., 1 and 2:30 p.m.
- Princess magic show at 12:30 and 2:30 p.m. on stage in the Community Hall
- Road hockey (weather permitting)
- Sensory Zone
- Snow painting station by Town of Ajax Library
- Strolling entertainment
- and more!

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## Tuesday, February 21, 2023

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### What's Brewing? (Greater Oshawa Chamber of Commerce)

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 21 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Address: Rocpal Custom Cabinets, 223 King St. West, Oshawa

Come join your Greater Oshawa Chamber of Commerce for an informal coffee and networking event.

## Wednesday, February 22, 2023

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### BACD Business Fundamentals: Business Planning

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 22 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Find out the differences between a business plan, a business model canvas and the planning required in starting your own business.

## Thursday, February 23, 2023

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### Your business. Their next film. Learn how to conduct business with the film and television industry.

Date and Time: Thursday, February 23 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Chestnut Hill Developments Recreation Complex 1867 Valley Farm Road Pickering, ON L1V 3Y7

Join Durham Region's film offices and industry professionals and engage in panel discussions, trade show, networking, and delicious food.

Durham Region offers a wealth of unique filming locations and is quickly growing as a preferred destination for the film and television industry. Production companies purchase a wide variety of goods and services from across the Greater Toronto Area, including equipment, accommodations, transportation, food, personal services, post-production, costumes, construction, florists and much more! Most of these are available in Durham Region so let's keep that spending here.

## **You're A Good Man Charlie Brown**

Date and Time: Thursday, February 23 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: Centennial Building - 416 Centre Street, Whitby L1N 4W2

## **Friday, February 24, 2023**

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### **RESOUND Choir Trivia Fundraising Evening!**

Date and Time: Friday, February 24 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Address: Trent University, Oshawa. 55 Thornton Rd S, Oshawa, ON L1J 5Y1

RESOUND Choir is hosting a fundraising TRIVIA night.

We will have a cake auction (made by our members and bakers in the community!), funny hat contest with prizes, photo booth and tons more! We will also be auctioning off some AMAZING baskets of goodies (one is a liquor basket!). We have a liquor license too. Please come and join in the fun. Our choir is full of great people and you will be assured a great night. Tickets can be found [HERE: EVENTBRITE LINK](#)

### **Friday Night Live: Open Mic and Showtune Karaoke Night**

Date and Time: Friday, February 24 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 78 Church St S

Winter blahs getting you down?

Sick of singing in the shower and want to show off your inner Broadway star or rock idol? Maybe comedy or spoken word is your thing.

Join us for our first Open Mic and Showtune Karaoke Night where you can showcase your hidden talents in a respectful non-judgmental space. It's time to let those talents shine!

Tickets can be purchased [here](#)

### **Friday Night Live - Open Mic and Showtune Karaoke Night**

Date and Time: Friday, February 24 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 78 Church St. S., Ajax

Live from Ajax - it's Friday Night Live! Join us for this fun new series of events at the St. Francis Centre, that are designed to get you out of the house, having a laugh with friends or making some new ones. It's a great way to kick off the weekend!

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## **Saturday, February 25, 2023**

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### **Saturday Studio at the RMG**

Date and Time: Saturday, February 25 10:30 am - 3:00 pm

Address: 72 Queen St.

This class is filled with art making that inspires creativity and imagination! Each week will be a new adventure with sculptures, paintings, drawings, printmaking, and more using artist quality materials!

**Saturdays, January 21 to March 4**

No class February 18

\$100 Members/ \$110 Non-members

**Ages 5-8            10:30am-12pm**

**Ages 9-12        1-3pm**

### **You're A Good Man Charlie Brown**

Date and Time: Saturday, February 25 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Centennial Building - 416 Centre Street, Whitby L1N 4W2

### **Clarington Celebrates Black History Month**

Date and Time: Saturday, February 25 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: Clarington Public Library - Bowmanville Branch - 163 Church Street, Bowmanville

**Clarington Celebrates Black History Month!** Join us **Saturday, February 25, 2023** from **6:00 to 8:00 p.m.** at the **Bowmanville Branch** of the Clarington Public Library, Museums, & Archives for local Black vendors, artists, authors, and more for an immersive experience to celebrate Black History Month. This event is coordinated by Clarington's Anti-Black Racism Subcommittee and Diversity Advisory Committee, in partnership with the Municipality of Clarington and the Clarington Public Library, Museums and Archives. Reach out to [diversity@clarington.net](mailto:diversity@clarington.net) for more information.

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Date and Time: Saturday, February 25 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: Centennial Building - 416 Centre Street, Whitby L1N 4W2

## Tuesday, February 28, 2023

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### BACD Biz Lunch

Date and Time: Tuesday, February 28 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Kelseys Original Roadhouse 419 King Street West, Oshawa

Our networking lunch is for BACD clients and business owners in Durham Region who'd like to have an opportunity to network and get to know each other in a casual and fun setting. This is a great time to learn to network effectively and to share ideas, opportunities and challenges.

<https://calendar.durham.ca>