# Sunday, September 15, 2024

## Orono Crown Lands - guided hike with the Oak Ridges Trail Association

Date and Time: Sunday, September 15 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: GPS: 43.97542,-78.62809

Join us for a guided forest hike at Orono Crown Lands in Clarington.

This hike will be 1.5-2 hours at a slow to moderate pace (3.5 km per hour). This hike location is a gem that includes a trail along Wilmot Creek and an old railway overpass. A tireless group of volunteers maintain the trails a t this location

Non-members are asked to contact the hike leader by 6 pm the day before the hike. This will allow us to contact you if there are any changes to the planned hike.

Please wear closed toe footwear (no sandals) and carry water.

The Oak Ridges Trail Association hike leaders have completed hike leader certification training through Hike O ntario and first aid training.

There is no fee to park at this location but a loonie donation is appreciated at their donation box. Donations go towards trail maintenance and major bridge building project.

Meet up by 9:45 for a prompt 10:00 am start.

Parking: IMPORTANT - we will be parking and meeting at the Ochonski Road parking lot (NOT at the Taunton Road lot) 5400 Ochonski Road (intersection of Ochonski Road and Station Street)

Karen Graham 289-356-7366 (text or call)

# **Uxbridge Art on the Fringe Festival**

Date and Time: Sunday, September 15 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Address: Uxbridge Museum Historical Centre, 7239 Concession 6, Uxbridge, ON L9P 1N5

September 14-15, 2024 at the Uxbridge Museum Grounds. Over 30 artists, live music all day and amazing foo d – all in one place.

Check out the amazing lineup of over 30 artists at this year's Uxbridge Art on the Fringe Festival plus great foo d from Gangster Cheese, and live music in the Gazebo all day. Come out and enjoy the Museum Grounds and t he artists.

==> For visitors on the Uxbridge Studio Tour: we are a sticker stop for your card.

More details on artists, musicians and food at: <a href="https://artistsofuxbridge.com/art-on-the-fringe-festival/">https://artistsofuxbridge.com/art-on-the-fringe-festival/</a>

Admission FREE, Exhibits and washrooms accessible.

## An Evening with Elton Rohn 2024

Date and Time: Sunday, September 15 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: 50 King St E, Oshawa

PART OF THE DURHAM ROCK & BLUES FESTIVAL

Presented by: Durham Rock and Blues Festival Inc.

The Return of Elton Rohn!

Returning from their sold out show in November at the Regent Theatre.

Back By Popular Demand, Elton Rohn returns to the Regent! You asked for him, you got him.

Their enormous North American tour comes back to the theatre closing the Rock N Blues Fest Sunday Sept 15, 2024. Over 400 shows and counting this band is on fire. They've been called the best Elton John tribute in the world.

The only Elton John tribute asked to play the Elton John convention in Las Vegas. Davey Johnstone (Elton's long time guitarist and musical director) called the band "the best 70's Elton John tribute in the world".

Recommended Age: 14+ Age Restriction: 7+

# Monday, September 16, 2024

## **Thomas Mac-90s Country Broken Hearts Tour**

Date and Time: Monday, September 16 7:00 pm - 11:00 pm

Address: 39 King St E, Oshawa

Cabin Media Presents:

**Thomas Mac**, a Nashville resident was offered his 1st record deal at the age of 20, also asked to perform for the 1st time on TheGrand Ole Opry stage that same year. Thomas has found a way to walk the line between moder n and traditional country. Today, T-Mac has an enormous social media presence with millions of views and over 5million followers across all social platforms. His best friend is COOPER ALAN. Thomas has wrote many son gs for artists before touching a stage. This is a show you will not want to miss!

September 16th 2024

Doors: 7:30pm

General Admission Standing Capacity

Age Restrictions: 19+

# Tuesday, September 17, 2024

#### Paint Night in the Park

Date and Time: Tuesday, September 17 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 900 Brock Street South, Whitby

Join Local artist Mina Daya in the park behind the Lynde House Museum to paint your own masterpeice inspire d by the lavender growing in the Heritage Garden!

Register online - www.lyndehousemuseum.com/events or by phone - 905-665-3131

# **Transit Advisory Committee (TAC) Meeting**

Date and Time: Tuesday, September 17 7:00 pm

# Wednesday, September 18, 2024

## Million Dollar Quartet The Smash Hit Musical

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 18 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Whitby Centennial Building, 416 Centre St S, Whitby

The Tony Award nominated musical Million Dollar Quartet is set on December 4th, 1956, when an extraordina ry twist of fate brought Johnny Cash, Carl Perkins, Jerry Lee Lewis and Elvis Presley together at Sun Records in Memphis for what would be one of the greatest jam sessions in Rock 'N' Roll history. Million Dollar Quartet brings that legendary December night to life with an irresistable tale of broken promises, secrets, betrayal and ce lebrations that is both poignant and funny. This show has taken the world by storm since it's Broadway debut in 2010 and has become an instant classic amoungst audiences across the world. Don't miss you chance to see this amazing retelling of the birth or Rock 'N' Roll.

#### Matthew Good and His Band

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 18 7:00 pm

Address: 39 King St E, Oshawa

Matthew Good and his band are bringing the Zero Hours tour to Oshawa on September 18!

#### Matthew Good and his Band at the Biltmore Theatre

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 18 7:00 pm

Address: 39 King Street East, Oshawa

MODO Live and Biltmore Theatre Presents:

Matthew Good and his Band

W/ special guests

September 18 2024

Doors: 7pm Show: 8pm

Age restrictions: 19+

Valid government-issued photo identification required

General admission standing capacity

## Million Dollar Quartet The Smash Hit Musical

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 18 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm

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# Thursday, September 19, 2024

# Doing Business With Lakeridge Health (Clarington Board of Trade)

Date and Time: Thursday, September 19 9:00 am - 10:30 am

Address: Garnet B. Rickard Recreation Complex, 2440 Hwy. 2 Bowmanville, ON L1C 3K2 Canada

Join the Clarington Board of Trade and Invest Clarington on September 19th for a session all about doing busin ess with Lakeridge Health. Gain insight into Lakeridge Health's procurement process, items and services they ty pically purchase, and learn how to become a potential local supplier, helping them meet their needs.

# Driving Growth on a Budget: Low-Cost Marketing Ideas for Success (BACD)

Date and Time: Thursday, September 19 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Join us for an engaging and informative workshop where we dive into the world of low-cost marketing strategi es.

# Meet Up Mash Up for Autistic Adults

Date and Time: Thursday, September 19 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Address: 95 Magill Drive, Ajax

Drop in from 10 - 3pm for games & crafts

Multi-sport in the gym from 12:15 - 1:30

Group swim 1:30 - 2:30

\*For Adults 18 + and your families to get out of the house, active, and connected to a supportive community.

\$100 annual fee

Become a member by clicking here

#### **Harvest Dinner**

Date and Time: Thursday, September 19 5:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Address: 1604 Champlain Avenue, Whitby

The W. Galen Weston Centre for Food (Weston Centre) at Durham College (DC) is pleased to announce the 20 24 Harvest Dinner, our annual signature event where guests come together for a dining experience under the sta rs.

This year's event will be guided by Bistro '67's Executive Chef, Raul Sojo, and will showcase the work of DC's students and faculty. The college's horticulture and food and farming students have tended to and harvested the fields, and will work side-by-side with students from the culinary, hospitality, tourism and special event programs to execute an evening in celebration of the Weston Centre's field-to-fork philosophy.

# **Eastside Harmony Open Auditions**

Date and Time: Thursday, September 19 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 78 Church Street S, Ajax

Love to sing? Eastside Harmony Chorus is looking for a few new voices!

Here's what to do...

- 1. E-mail Karen at membership@eastsideharmony.org to book an audition time slot, for the evening of Sept. 19th. (Another day may be available by arrangement.)
- 2. Prepare to audition with any song you like. Be ready to sing it from memory, without sheet music. (We are an 'acapella' chorus, so we sing unaccompanied all you need is your voice!) Music reading ability is welcome, but good pitch is essential.
- 3. Come at your assigned audition time, ready to meet some new friends and find out more about Eastside! New members can look forward to singing in our holiday show, in December.

# Yoga at the RMG

Date and Time: Thursday, September 19 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: 72 Queen St. Civic Centre, Oshawa

\$15/person

Ages 13 and up. Children aged 13 to 16 require parental supervision.

Breathe, stretch and flow at the RMG! We're hosting Yoga with local instructors, <u>Kimmel Alcide</u>, The Everyda y Yogi, and Jessi Hoey owner of Nirmana School of Yoga. They will guide you through 1 hour of a guided min dful experience.

Rain or shine, experience our Isabel Gallery or Backyard on the 3rd Thursday of each month. We look forward to healing the mind and body through breath and stretch with you.

#### Reserve your spot!

Limited spaces available. Bring your own mat. Water is not allowed inside gallery spaces during indoor events. All sales are final, no refunds. If event is cancelled, registrants will be contacted and refunds will be issued. Tic ket sales close at 4PM the day before the event.

#### Upcoming classes:

- July 18
- August 15
- September 19
- October 17
- November 14

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

Date and Time: Thursday, September 19 7:00 pm

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# The Mic Is Open

Date and Time: Thursday, September 19 7:30 pm - 10:00 pm

<sup>\*</sup>We kindly request a minimum attendance threshold of 20 participants to ensure the successful execution of the session, otherwise the event will be cancelled.

Address: 60 Randall Dr., Ajax ON

# 'The Mic Is Open' – A Night of Supportive and Entertaining Performances!

Artists are building community, getting more creative and discovering new opportunities to perform. 'The Mic I s Open' - for YOU!

#### Dates:

- 1. Thursday, August 15th, 2024
- 2. Thursday, September 19th, 2024
- 3. Thursday, October 17th, 2024
- 4. Thursday, November 21st, 2024
- 5. Thursday, December 19th, 2024

**Time**: 7:30PM

Venue: Drums N Flats (60 Randall Dr, Ajax)

Join Durham's premier open mic night where artists of all types come to shine! Witness a vibrant showcase of s poken word, poetry, music, comedy, and motivational speeches.

# Take advantage of our exclusive group discounts:

- Buy 2 tickets, get the 3rd one 50% OFF: Use code 50OFFTHIRD at checkout
- Buy 3 tickets, get the 4th one FREE: Use code 4THFREE at checkout

Whether you're a seasoned performer or stepping on stage for the first time, our welcoming atmosphere is perfect for everyone. Bring your guitar, your poems, or just yourself – the mic is open to all!

Enjoy a night of diverse talents, meet fellow artists, and maybe even discover a new favorite act. Don't miss this chance to perform, connect, and be inspired!

Bring your friends and have a memorable experience!

#### THE MIC IS OPEN REGISTRATION LINKS:

August 15th: eventbrite.com/e/949095850237?aff=oddtdtcreator

**September 19th:** https://www.eventbrite.com/e/969075860987?aff=oddtdtcreator

October 17th: <a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/970448456457?aff=oddtdtcreator">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/970448456457?aff=oddtdtcreator</a>

**November 21st:** <a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/970458235707?aff=oddtdtcreator">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/970458235707?aff=oddtdtcreator</a>

**December 19th:** <a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/970460191557?aff=oddtdtcreator">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/970460191557?aff=oddtdtcreator</a>

# Friday, September 20, 2024

## Java Jolt (Whitby Chamber of Commerce)

Date and Time: Friday, September 20 8:00 am - 9:00 am

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

Java Jolts are a great way to connect! Come join us!

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.

## Yoga in the Garden

Date and Time: Friday, September 20 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Address: 1450 Simcoe Street South, Oshawa

Yoga in the Garden is back! Get your Zen on in the beautiful Henry House Heritage Gardens this summer!

Starting Friday, June 7, at 9 a.m., we're on the mat and ready to flow. Classes are free drop-in one-hour session s, with donations accepted. All proceeds go to the Oshawa Museum. This series continues every Friday mornin g, rain or shine, through September (temperatures permitting).

All levels of yogis are welcome! Please bring any props that support your practice. Also, not all yogis enjoy pet s and animals during their practice. If you bring a pet, they must always be on a short leash.

To see a complete list of instructors, visit the Oshawa Museum website or our Facebook page.

About the Oshawa Museum: The Oshawa Museum preserves and promotes awareness and appreciation of Oshawa's history for a diverse audience's education, enrichment and enjoyment. As the only community museum in

Oshawa, we take great pride in showcasing our city's history from the earliest First Nation occupation to the en d of WWII. The OM is administered by the Oshawa Historical Society, a not-for-profit charitable institution, as an external agency of the City of Oshawa.

## A Taste of Heritage

Date and Time: Friday, September 20 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Address: Uxbridge Historical Centre, 7239 Concession Rd. 6, Uxbridge

Celebrate Local Food Month at the Uxbridge Historical Centre with a cooking class led by local chef, Chef Ale x Page! Learn about herbs and how we can use them from UHC's very own Heritage Herb Garden, learn more a bout historical cooking and the home of early Uxbridge settlers, and finish off the night with a delicious heritage meal, sourced with fresh, local ingredients!

## **Convergence Music and Art Festival Launch Party**

Date and Time: Friday, September 20 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: 72 Queen Street, Oshawa

Kick off Oshawa's Convergence Music and Art Festival at the RMG! The launch party will be taking place at the Gallery on Friday, September 20. During the Festival, find us at the ARTBLOCK and at the Family Zone.

RMG Friday: Convergence Launch Party

September 20, 2024

7-10pm

Location: The Robert McLaughlin Gallery

Join us to celebrate the launch of the <u>Convergence Music & Arts Festival</u>. Enjoy a live musical performance by Joel Anderson, art-making activities, exhibitions, and food from local restaurants.

#### **ARTBLOCK**

September 21, 2024

11am-7pm

Location: Former Oshawa GO Bus terminal

At the <u>Convergence Music & Arts Festival</u>, the City of Oshawa and The Robert McLaughlin Gallery are co-presenting ARTBLOCK, an art-centered festival Zone showcasing local artistic talent. This area will include a public art exhibition in the former Oshawa GO Bus terminal, art by local artists, participatory art activities and more

#### **Family Zone**

Saturday, September 21, 2024

11am-7pm

Location: Family Zone

Join us in the <u>Family Zone</u> at the Convergence Music and Art Festival! We will be designing our own unique band t-shirt art using watercolour resist techniques to create awe-inspiring creations.

## Million Dollar Quartet The Smash Hit Musical

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# Saturday, September 21, 2024

#### **Kilometres for CCD**

Date and Time: Saturday, September 21 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Cullen Central Park, 4015 Cochrane St, Whitby

Walk with us on Saturday, September 21st at Cullen Central Park in Whitby.

Kilometres for CCD is an annual fundraising walk organized by Community Care Durham (CCD) to raise fund s and awareness for CCD's vital support services.

Join your family or friends for a leisurely walk on the paved trails at Cullen Central Park in Whitby. Enjoy a pancake breakfast, activities and walk as much, or as little as you like.

The event begins at 9:00am, with silent auction and prize winners announced shortly before the event ends at 1 2:00pm.

Registration is only \$5 and includes the pancake breakfast, 2024 Kilometres for CCD hat and activities for the whole family! Limited spots available.

# **Duffins Trail parkrun**

Date and Time: Saturday, September 21 9:00 am - 10:15 am

Address: Kingston Rd W & Elizabeth St, Ajax

A free, fun, and friendly weekly 5k community event. Walk, jog, run, volunteer or spectate – it's up to you!

The event takes place at Duffins Trail (we start near the parking lot), Elizabeth St & Old Kingston Rd, Ajax, O N L1T 2W8

Please follow the website link to register and obtain a barcode (this is VERY easy!)

#### **Harvest Festival**

Date and Time: Saturday, September 21 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: Grass Park, 41 Baldwin St, Whitby, ON L1M 1A2

Celebrate the start of the fall season featuring farmer's market, wagon rides kids' zone with inflatables, balloon artist, face painters and scarecrow scavenger hunt. Entertainment at the main stage in Grass Park, and street perf ormers throughout. Check out stores and restaurants on Baldwin Street to shop sidewalk sales and meet our loc al business owners.

Please visit <a href="https://www.whitby.ca/en/play/harvest-festival.aspx">https://www.whitby.ca/en/play/harvest-festival.aspx</a> for more information and road closures.

## **Culture Days**

Date and Time: Saturday, September 21 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: Palmer Park, 175 Water St, Port Perry and Scugog Arts Space, 175B Queen St, Port Perry

Experience the vibrant arts and culture events of Culture Days in Scugog! Enjoy live music, art demonstrations, workshops, and explore Indigenous culture—all for free! For more details, visit scugogarts.ca/culture-days/

Visit us in Palmer Park and Scugog Arts Space - both in Port Perry.

# **Town Trolley Tours**

Date and Time: Saturday, September 21 10:00 am - 9:00 pm

Address: Port Perry

Hop on the Town Trolley to experience Port Perry! The Trolley will be visiting each Culture Days location hub to take you where you need to go to experience all the arts and culture events for free!

If you're looking for an incredible personalized tour or event then please contact us to organize your stellar event! Whether a family event, excursion, tourist or historic visiting, you will have a wonderful experience with our great staff to organize and tour in our pristine vehicles.

# **Introduction to Kayaking**

Date and Time: Saturday, September 21 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: Palmer Park, 175 Water Street Port Perry

On Saturday September 21st join us at the kayak launcher on the dock. We will have a tandem kayak and a quasi tandem available for people that want to get their first taste of kayaking and experience the lake. Discuss all the ingress and exit points around the lake including in Kawartha Lakes with us!

# **Artist Demonstrations with Port Perry Artists Association**

Date and Time: Saturday, September 21 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: Palmer Park, 175 Water Street, Port Perry

Explore a variety of artist demonstrations hosted by professional local artists at Culture Days in Port Perry! See the schedule below:

10am-11am: Painting without a Brush with Brad Dusto

Want to learn to paint without a brush? Check out this unique demo with artist Brad Dusto as he shows you ho w to create art work using various implements and props.

11am-12pm: Gelli Printing with Bille von Roeder

Join mixed media artist Bille von Roeder as she demonstrates the basics of gelli printing. Learn how to create a unique print and what materials are necessary.

12pm-1pm: Painting Wildlife with Gail Collins

Join artist Gail Collins as she demonstrates techniques for painting wildlife! Gail will share tips and tricks on h ow to create texture and softness when painting realistic looking animal fur.

1pm-2pm: Acrylic Landscape Painting with Hildy Smith

Join artist Hildy Smith as she delves into local landscapes using acrylic paint. Learn basic techniques to illumin ate any landscape!

2pm-3pm: Oil Painting with Stephanie MacKendrick

Join oil painter Stephanie MacKendrick as she demonstrates basic techniques to create beautiful landscape artwork.

3pm-4pm: Painting in Black and White with Lauren Walker

Join acrylic artist Lauren Walker as she teaches the basics of creating monochrome pieces! Lauren will demonst rate how to make a painting look like an old black and white photo.

Founded in 1999, the Port Perry Artists' Association is a community of artists whose work includes a variety of forms – realistic, representational and abstract in a variety of media, including acrylic, watercolour, oil, pastel, pencil and ink.

It is the mission of the PPAA to provide an avenue for artists to develop camaraderie in a creative and respectful environment with all members contributing time and talents. To further artistic understanding and encourage a rtistic growth of its members in the community at large, by promoting interest, education, knowledge and skills in the fine arts. To provide the opportunity to participate and sell original and fine art in community venues and

two annual art exhibits.

The PPAA provides an opportunity for artists to learn and share information, techniques and ideas. Workshops offered by professional artists further the PPAA's commitment to artistic growth. In order to help foster and enc ourage the pursuit of artistic development in our community, especially our youth, the PPAA provides an annual bursary to a grade 12 art student accepted or enrolled in a postsecondary art programme.

Located in the historic town of Port Perry on the shores of Lake Scugog, the PPAA holds two fine art shows ea ch year in Port Perry – the second weekend in June at the Latcham Centre and the second weekend in November at the Scout Hall. These shows provide opportunities for the public to purchase original art by local artists.

The PPAA is a member of the Scugog Council for the Arts and Pine Ridge Arts Council. The PPAA exhibits wo rk at various local venues where members are given an opportunity to display and sell their creative works and has had exhibitions at the Kent Farndale Gallery in Port Perry.

# Paint a Derby Car!

Date and Time: Saturday, September 21 10:00 am - 6:00 pm

Address: Palmer Park, 175 Water Street, Port Perry

Back once again by popular demand, Derby Car Painting! Every year Scugog Arts acquires a beautiful wreck car for Culture Days, which then gets set up as the ultimate canvas for anyone to paint on.

This event is for everyone! Kids, adults, teens - everyone is encouraged to unleash their inner artist and let loose! This is a fun and unique way to explore your creativity! We have paint, brushes, and an entire vehicle for you to cover with dots, spots, flowers, and vibrant colours.

This event is a messy one, be sure to bring clothes you will not mind getting dirty.

#### Lavender-Blu Garden Tour & Lavender Make-and-Take Crafts

Date and Time: Saturday, September 21 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 2375 Bank Road, Seagrave

Take a stroll amongst stunning lavender fields for a self-guided tour of Lavender Blu's Eco-Garden! This is a perfect opportunity for the whole family and those who enjoy learning about eco-friendly gardening and lavender farming. Take a break from strolling amongst the lavender fields to create your own lavender sachet. Perforate and decorate your own envelope filled with lavender buds provided by Lavender-Blu Farm.

Since 2007 Lavender-Blu has been hand-crafting value added lavender products and teaching the public about the multifaceted beauty of lavender via workshops and community-based activities. Lavender-Blu is a small family business comprised of a hobby farm, a lavender garden and a lavender artisan studio. Our mandate is to beautify our community, to create unique hand-made artisan products as well as to educate individuals on the subject of lavender.

# Music on the Patio at Applewood Farm & Winery

Date and Time: Saturday, September 21 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 2055 Saintfield Road, Sunderland

It's fall fun on the farm at Applewood Farm & Winery! Stop by Applewood's farm side patio to listen to musici an Mike Burns play songs that you know and love. Free sample of ice wine to everyone participating in Culture Days!

## Vinyl Records Trivia

Date and Time: Saturday, September 21 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: Latcham Centre - 121 Queen Street, Port Perry

Guess the correct era of vinyl record samples in order to gain points and win a chance to spin the prize wheel! D rop by Palmer Park at anytime to play a 5-10 minute game with your family or friends, talk music with music e xperts, and have fun! The prizes may include store discounts, free vinyl records, and gift certificates. Hosted by Archaic Records and Mary Street Records of Port Perry.

## Two Blokes Cider Culture Days Fun & Live Music

Date and Time: Saturday, September 21 12:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 21300 Simcoe Street, Seagrave

Visit the farm at Two Blokes Cider to walk the orchard, visit sheep, play lawn games (such as cornhole, KanJa m, giant Jenga and giant Connect-4), and participate in activities for kids (such as sandboxes, blocks, and climbi ng features). From 5-8pm enjoy live music by Kevin California!

## Improv at Trent Presents: Shortform Improv and Skits & Skills Workshop

Date and Time: Saturday, September 21 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Old Flame Brewery, 135 Perry Street, Port Perry

Shortform Improv Show:

Come see Trent University's best improvisers perform scenes, tell stories, and of course make jokes - based sole ly on your suggestions! This entirely improvised show is sure to crack a smile with the spontaneous antics of I mprov at Trent's silliest performers.

Skits and Skills Workshop:

Improv is a simple yet hilarious artform anyone can excel in, regardless of experience. Come join Improv at Tre nt's workshop filled with games, exercises and lessons on the fundamentals of improv.

#### About Improv at Trent:

Improv at Trent is a student-run collective dedicated to the craft of improv theatre. Hosted at Trent University, o ur club runs workshops throughout the school year to allow Trent students the opportunity to learn about and tr y their hand at improv. Furthermore, Improv at Trent hosts a variety of teams each year which focus on the diffe rent disciplines and aspects of improv performance. Between our workshops and team shows, we hope to provi de as much accessibility to this hilarious artform as possible, providing a safe space to learn, explore and grow in one's own improv journey.

Presenters include:

Thomas Parry, Kathleen Morgan, Thomas Payne, Sophia Hanley, Lily Austin-Ward, Iain Dunfield, Rio Azuero-Espinoza, Elli Wilson, Ty Ryan and Nick Toth.

# **Culture Days Open Mic**

Date and Time: Saturday, September 21 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Palmer Park, 175 Water Street, Port Perry

For Culture Days 2024, join us for an outdoor pop-up open mic at the gazebo in Palmer Park!

Small Town Open Mic supports and connects local songwriters and musicians to inspire creativity and provide a welcoming performance space. It runs every Thursday at Old Flame Brewery in Port Perry from 7-10pm. On September 21st, we'll be taking a field trip to Palmer Park with Scugog Arts to join in an exciting celebration of arts and culture.

At Small Town Open Mic, you can: share your new songs with strangers (and new friends); appreciate some of the great music local talent has to offer; and collaborate with other musicians.

There is a 3 song limit per set, with a maximum of 15 minutes of stage time per act. We can't wait to hear you!

#### **Decorate Your Bike Parade and Contest**

Date and Time: Saturday, September 21 1:00 pm - 1:30 pm

Address: Palmer Park, 175 Water Street Port Perry

Decorate your bike at home and then ride it proudly during the Bike Parade on Culture Days!

Riders can begin to assemble at the boardwalk by the playground in Palmer Park at 12:45, and the parade will begin at 1pm. The parade will begin there, head down the boardwalk, and then back. The judges will then make their decision, and the prizes will be awarded at 1:30pm

There are 5 winning categories:

- Best Bike Creature
- Best Fairy Tale Bike
- Best use of Recycled Materials
- Best use of Nature
- Best Sports Bike

Be sure to bring your best work, Bike experts from Side Hustle Bikes will be Judging the contest! To participat e and potentially win a prize in this year's Decorated Bike Parade and Contest your bike must be decorated, and the rider must be costumed.