

## Sunday, November 12, 2023

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### OPG Sundays: Cozy Cottages

Date and Time: Sunday, November 12 10:30 am - 12:30 pm

Address: 72 Queen St. Civic Centre Oshawa, ON

Join us for air-dry clay sculpting! We will explore the themes of our current exhibitions and create art based around community, home and connections.

Free admission, no registration required.

### JOPLIN MEETS HENDRIX

Date and Time: Sunday, November 12 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: Regent Theatre - 50 King St. E Oshawa

*Presented by: Blackrose Entertainment*

**JOPLIN MEETS HENDRIX** is a phenomenal show that blends the best songs of two iconic musicians - **Janis Joplin** and **Jimi Hendrix**. **Robin Benedict** (Janis) and **Toney (Wild T) Springer** (Jimi), along with their backing band, put on a remarkable experience and exciting performance from the era of 60s peace and love. This show takes you back to a time when everything was simple and music made the world a better place.

Come and watch the most spectacular Tribute show to these two classic musical heroes. Joplin meets Hendrix will exhilarate you for years to come.

**Recommended Age: 14+**

**Age Restriction: 7+**

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## **Win-Win Selling: Embracing Value-Based Sales (BACD)**

Date and Time: Monday, November 13 9:00 am - 10:30 am

In this seminar, you'll learn a fresh way of approaching sales and how to create win-win situations for your clients and your business!

## **Kicking off Do It In Durham Entrepreneurship Week 2023 (BACD)**

Date and Time: Monday, November 13 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Address: Town Brewery 1632 Charles St, Whitby, ON, Canada

Let's Kick Off the Do It In Durham Week Together! This week we celebrate the job creators, innovators, business owners and entrepreneurs who deserve to be recognized for their substantial contribution to our economy.

## **Tuesday, November 14, 2023**

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## **Finance and Administration Committee Meeting**

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

## **DIID – Introduction to Data Privacy & Canadian AI Regulatory Considerations**

## **(BACD and Spark)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 14 10:00 am - 11:00 am

During this session, Bereskin & Parr LLP will discuss the current state of data privacy in Canada and provide a high-level overview of the regulatory environment and the potential upcoming changes, so that companies can take the proper steps to be compliant and navigate the regulations.

## **North Durham Building Business Forum**

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 14 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: Trail Hub, 722 Chalk Lake Road Uxbridge, ON L9P 1R4

Join fellow rural business leaders at Trail Hub in the Township of Uxbridge for the return of the North Durham Building Business Forum. This high-energy event aims to inspire new ideas, share knowledge and best practices applicable to a wide range of businesses, help business leaders make strategic connections, and share information about business supports available throughout Durham Region.

Limited seating is available and lunch will be provided.

**Registration closes November 12, 2023 at 11:59 p.m.**

Attendees are welcome to walk the trails and experience the beauty of Durham Region at the end of the event.

Before exploring the trails, please submit a waiver in advance, dated for November 14, 2023: <https://app.waive.relectronic.com/render/templateByRefId/TrailHubWaivers>

For more information about the trails, visit [TrailHub.ca](https://TrailHub.ca)

## **Chamber Rocks at 5 o'clock - The Joint BBQ @ Eldorado Golf Club**

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 14 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Eldorado Golf Club, 615 Winchester Road East, Whitby

This time we're visiting proud member, The Joint BBQ @ Eldorado Golf Club!

Grab a beverage and connect with professionals in a casual atmosphere. Sample some amazing beverages at your own cost, while included in your price is various foods. Bring your business card for a chance to win a prize!

## **Durham Environment and Climate Forum**

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 14 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: Ontario Tech University, Science Building Atrium, 31 Founders Drive, Oshawa, Ontario.

The Durham Environment and Climate Advisory Committee (DECAC) and the Durham Climate Roundtable are hosting the first annual Durham Environment and Climate Forum - an evening to take stock of progress on climate action, and celebrate the achievements of environment and climate change leaders in Durham Region.

The evening will highlight environmental and climate achievement and appreciation through the Durham Environmental Achievement Awards Ceremony, a presentation of the first annual Climate Roundtable Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Climate Action report and the launch of the Durham Climate Dashboard.

This hybrid event will take place in person and will be livestreamed for virtual attendees. Please indicate your attendance option when [registering for the event](#).

For questions related to the Durham Climate Roundtable, please contact [BrilliantEnergy@OntarioTechU.ca](mailto:BrilliantEnergy@OntarioTechU.ca). For questions related to the Durham Environmental Achievement Awards, please contact [DECAC@durham.ca](mailto:DECAC@durham.ca).

## **Durham Agricultural Advisory Committee Meeting**

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## **Wednesday, November 15, 2023**

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### **Committee of the Whole Meeting**

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

### **Unlocking Excellence: The Art of Smart Hiring for Leaders (Brock Board of Trade)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, November 15 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Selecting individuals who will thrive is not an innate skill. In our engaging 2-hr interactive virtual workshop, you'll learn a structured process and techniques to help you pinpoint ideal candidates for your job openings, company culture and team dynamics.

### **Inclusive Excellence: Unleashing Business Success Through Diversity (BACD)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, November 15 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Join us as we explore the business benefits of embracing the diversity of our communities and workforce, and chart a course towards a more equitable, innovative, and successful future for organizations of all sizes and missions.

## **TechEx is Back for Do It In Durham!**

Date and Time: Wednesday, November 15 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: Spark Centre 2 Simcoe St. South, Suite 300, Oshawa, Ontario, Canada

At TechEx on November 15th, as part of Do It In Durham Entrepreneurship Week, we're bringing you some of Durham Region's latest and greatest tech and innovation!

## **Thursday, November 16, 2023**

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### **Show & Sell: How to Use Video & Photography to Promote Your Small Business (BACD)**

Date and Time: Thursday, November 16 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Get comfortable using videos and photos to help promote your biz and start attracting more of your ideal clients.

### **Virtual Roundtable Discussion (Brock Board of Trade)**

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

Join us for a virtual Zoom Roundtable event where you'll be part of a dynamic community of small to medium sized business leaders. Engage in insightful discussions with 3 to 4 fellow business owners, sharing experiences and gaining valuable insights from those who've faced similar challenges. We'll create a supportive break room atmosphere where you can network, brainstorm innovative solutions and bolster your business acumen. Don't miss out on the chance to be a part of a close-knit community dedicated to mutual success.

### **Member Appreciation - Clarington Board of Trade**

Date and Time: Thursday, November 16 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: The Park CoWorking, 182 Wellington Street, Bowmanville

We have a lot to celebrate and appreciate! The Clarington Board of Trade has been serving the business

community for 25 years and we would not be here without you, our members.

We invite you to join us, and our Board of Directors, at a celebration of appreciation as we honour you, our valued members. Meet businesses who have been members from the beginning, to the most recent. Learn how members define value and their drive to commit to their goals, how they commit to community, and how CBOT plays a role in connecting both.

## **Bright and Merry Market**

Date and Time: Thursday, November 16 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: City Hall and Memorial Park

Join the City of Oshawa for a free festive evening including our annual tree lighting, holiday market, food vendors, visiting with Santa, caroling, live entertainment, children's activities and more!

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

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

## **Elf the Musical**

Date and Time: Thursday, November 16 7:30 pm

Address: 62 Russett Ave

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## **Friday, November 17, 2023**

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

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

Address: The Food And Art Café, 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. 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.

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## **PA Day Camp: November 2023**

Date and Time: Friday, November 17 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 72 Queen St. Civic Centre Oshawa, ON

PA Day camp is all about creativity and art adventuring!

Campers are encouraged to interact with art in fun and playful ways as they share their thoughts, and express their ideas through art. We will get hands on with some messy and imaginative art making activities that will truly inspire all budding artists.

**Friday, November 17, 2023 from 9am to 4pm**

**Ages 5 to 10**

**\$45 Members/\$55 Non-Members**

Here's how PA Day Camp will look:

- Drop-off between 8:45am and 9am
- Small camp cohort
- Mask friendly camp for staff, volunteers and participants
- Rigorous cleaning throughout the day
- Pick-up at 4pm

## **The Ultimate Guide to Creating a Successful Social Media Strategy (BACD)**

Date and Time: Friday, November 17 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

With a winning social media strategy, you'll be able to focus your efforts on what really matters – growing your business.

## **Durham Nuclear Health Committee Meeting**

Date and Time: Friday, November 17 1:00 pm

## Jon Pardi

Date and Time: Friday, November 17 7:00 pm - 11:00 pm

Address: Tribute Communities Centre - 99 Athol Street East, Oshawa

ACM and CMA Award-winning Singer/Songwriter/Producer Jon Pardi announced his first official headlining run across the globe, the 2023 Mr. Saturday Night World Tour, produced by Live Nation. Named after his latest critically-acclaimed album, Mr. Saturday Night, the tour kicks off in Belfast on Aug. 25 followed by multiple dates across the U.K. plus stops in Amsterdam, Hamburg, Oslo, and Stockholm. Pardi then returns for the North American leg of the Mr. Saturday Night World Tour, and rolls through Knoxville, Savannah, St. Louis, Fort Worth, Las Vegas, and more including dates in Ontario and B.C.

Tickets on sale at [www.tributecommunitiescentre.com](http://www.tributecommunitiescentre.com)

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## TIM HICKS - CAMPFIRE TROUBADOUR

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

Address: Regent Theatre - 50 King St. E Oshawa

*Presented by: MODO-LIVE*

Known for his sure footed, every-man approach and party ready anthems, multi-platinum artist **Tim Hicks** will be giving fans the unique opportunity to experience his music in the most intimate way with the Campfire Troubadour Tour this fall.

Inspired by the Canadian summer nights of sitting around a campfire sharing stories and singing songs, Hicks will be performing acoustic arrangements and stripped down versions of fan favourites, along with the tracks from his new record Campfire Troubadour Vol 2. A five time JUNO Award nominee and CCMA Award winner, Tim Hicks has earned four Platinum selling singles, a Double Platinum single, nine Gold singles and nineteen Top 10 radio hits in his decade of releasing music.



**Recommended Age: 12+**  
**Age Restriction: 5+**

## **Saturday, November 18, 2023**

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### **Downtown Whitby Christmas Market 2023**

Date and Time: Saturday, November 18 11:00 am - 6:00 pm

Address: Celebration Square (405 Dundas St. W.)

Get ready for the fifth-annual **Downtown Whitby Christmas Market** on **Saturday, November 18 (from 11:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m.)** at Celebration Square (405 Dundas St. W.)!

Each year, the Christmas Market allows friends and families to come together to celebrate the spirit of Christmas and enjoy a magical outdoor market, fun and festive activities, live performances, delicious local food, and the best holiday shopping in Durham Region. The event is FREE and attendees of all ages are welcome.

The Downtown Whitby BIA is very excited to host this annual holiday-focused celebration and we can't wait to see you there!

### **Christmas Market Opening**

Date and Time: Saturday, November 18 11:00 am - 5:00 pm

Address: 175B Queen Street

Scugog Arts invites you to a Christmas Shop of original hand-crafted art and authentic indigenous craft. Local artists have created unique work for those near and dear to your heart this Christmas. On this opening day we are holding a reception with refreshments.

### **Scugog Arts Christmas Shop**

Date and Time: Saturday, November 18 11:00 am - 5:00 pm

Address: Scugog Council for the Arts, 175b Queen Street, Port Perry, Scugog

Scugog Arts invites you to a Christmas Shop of original hand-crafted art and authentic indigenous craft. Local artists have created unique work for those near and dear to your heart this Christmas. Handmade and Original Opening Day with Refreshments: Sat Nov 18, 11-5 Candlelight Ceremony Drop In: Fri Nov 24, 5-8 pm Drop in to print your own Christmas Cards Sat, Nov 25, 12-4 pm, 2 cards \$15 Cider Sipper Refreshments While You Shop: Sat Dec 9, 11-5

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## ROD STEWART EXPERIENCE

Date and Time: Saturday, November 18 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: Regent Theatre - 50 King St. E Oshawa

*Presented by: Blackrose Entertainment*

**Doug Varty** pays a music tribute to "Rod" Stewart British rock singer-songwriter. DOUG VARTY'S FOREVER YOUNG, the Ultimate Tribute to **ROD STEWART**. It takes a special kind of performer to create the voice and stage presence of Rod Stewart, the timeless vocalist known for hits like "Hot Legs," "Forever Young", "Maggie May" and "Do Ya Think I'm Sexy." Doug Varty is that performer. And just like Rod, whenever he performs, Doug Varty makes the stage (and the surrounding area) his playground, interacting with the crowd, dancing with, and singing to audience members.

*"It's about creating something special, something memorable. Rod's the minister of fun, and he knows how to show an audience a good time. So that's what I do." "I love doing the Rod Stewart show – re-creating the ultimate front man".* You'll recognize Stewart's soulful rasp, his trademark outfits and swaggering stage moves when you see Doug Varty's FOREVER YOUNG.

*"Oh yeah, when the hair's right and I've got those black trousers on, watch out!"*

**Recommended Age: 14+**

**Age Restriction: 5+**

## Bywater Call Presented by Music by the Bay Live

Date and Time: Saturday, November 18 8:00 pm - 11:00 pm

Address: 301 Watson Street W., Whitby

Meghan Parnell and Dave Barnes are the driving force behind Bywater Call, a powerhouse 7-piece Southern Soul, Roots Rock band out of Toronto, Canada.

Since Bywater Call was formed in 2017, they have been Maple Blues and Independent Blues Award nominated and have made waves in the Canadian Festival Circuit. In November 2021, Meghan was a featured performer at the Women's Blues Review at Toronto's historic Roy Thompson Hall.

The band has also had the opportunity to tour Europe twice, including most recently in May and June of 2022, featuring a mainstage appearance at the Netherlands' premiere blues festival MOULIN BLUES. Performances there have been praised in Dutch and German media, with references to Meghan as one of the best singers in blues and roots today. In January 2023, the full band will make an appearance at the famed International Blues Challenge in Memphis, Tennessee to represent the Grand River Blues Society. They will also be returning to Europe in August and September of this year and Fall 2023.

<https://calendar.durham.ca>