# Sunday, April 28, 2024

#### James Gray live at The Second Wedge

Date and Time: Sunday, April 28 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: The Second Wedge Brewing Co., 14 Victoria Street, Uxbridge

We're excited to welcome back James Gray! About James: A unique finger style guitarist, with a vocal that is ha untingly beautiful, Gray, often accompanied by a rather droll, humorous stage patter, immerses himself in each and every song with a soulfulness and attack that is infectious and disarming. With a broad grin and good nature d chuckle, Gray will often smile into the microphone and state matter of factly that he wants you to remember who he is. "James Gray is a dynamic singer/songwriter with a spirited, compelling sound that speaks to us all. With a stage presence that commands your attention his music is expressive and soulful. He garners followers wherever he performs. James is a musical talent not to be missed!" ~ Pam Carter, Mariposa Folk Festival Presi dent

## Monday, April 29, 2024

#### **Swing into Spring**

Date and Time: Monday, April 29 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: 312 Townline Road Ashburn ON

Join us for the Swing into Spring event at WindReach Farm on April 27 from 10am - 2pm. This event kicks off our 35th year with professional sheep shearing, wool demonstrations, wheelchair accessible wagon rides, childr en's activites like face painting and and food trucks so you can find a place on the Farm to relax for lunch.

WindReach Farm offers unique and innovative nature and farming related experiences to individuals with physi cal, congnative and intellectual challenges. As a charitable, not-for-profit organization, WindReach Farm offers a fully accessible, barrier-free facility and programs devoped specifically to meet the needs of People with exce ptionalities.

#### **Stories in the Studio - Crime Series**

Date and Time: Monday, April 29 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: Blue Heron Books, 62 Brock Street West, Uxbridge

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## Tuesday, April 30, 2024

#### **Homeschool Art Class Spring 2024**

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 30 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: 72 Queen St. Civic Centre Oshawa, ON

Tuesdays, March 26 to May 14 from 10am to 11:30am

Ages 5-8 (this class is full)

Ages 9-12

#### **\$80 Members / \$90 Non-Members**

We program to streamline programming suitable for students of vary abilities and skills development. These pr ograms are inspired by our exhibitions and personal responses to the art on the walls! We foster a multi-dimensi onal approach that encourages individuality and imaginative problem solving skills using quality fine art materi als. Spaces are limited.

Sign up here!

## Wednesday, May 1, 2024

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

Date and Time: Wednesday, May 1 8:30 am - 9:30 am

Address: The Goodberry, 55 Baldwin Street, Brooklin

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. Join the Java Jolt Facebook group and watch our calendar for more details. Read the full Java Jolt Guidelines here.

#### **Coffee Connect (Ajax Pickering Board of Trade)**

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

Address: McLean Community Centre 95 Magill Dr, Ajax

Our next Coffee Connect will be hosted at the Ajax Public Library's Makerspace located at the McLean Branch. A collaborative workspace for customers to create, invent and learn!

We invite you to join us for a morning full of meaningful conversations, great connections and a tour of the workspace.

#### **Special Transit Advisory Committee Meeting**

Date and Time: Wednesday, May 1 7:00 pm

## Thursday, May 2, 2024

#### 2024 TD Economic Update Breakfast (Oshawa Chamber of Commerce)

Date and Time: Thursday, May 2 7:30 am - 9:30 am

Address: Harmony Event Centre/Courtyard by Marriott, 1011 Bloor Street East, Oshawa

Join Us for the 20th Annual TD Economic Outlook Update Breakfast.

This is an informative and engaging event focused on providing attendees with insights into the current and future economic landscape and the opportunity to network with the Greater Oshawa business community.

#### **Clarington Energy Summit (Clarington Board of Trade)**

Date and Time: Thursday, May 2 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: Ontario Power Generation-Darlington Nuclear Information Centre, 1855 Energy Dr., Courtice

Durham Region and Clarington communities are leading the way in innovative, clean energy solutions that are impacting the world. The time is now for Clarington, home to Darlington Nuclear, and nuclear industry to unite, creating the valuable opportunity to connect, explore partnerships, and celebrate opportunities supporting nuclear innovation in a future supported by clean energy solutions.

Join the Clarington Board of Trade as we bring together leaders in the nuclear industry, and Clarington businesses and learn about the Darlington New Nuclear Project which is leading the way in the advancement of Small Modular Reactor (SMR) technology in Canada. Learn about the local, national and global impact of this project and the opportunities this creates for local businesses in supporting nuclear vendors serving projects shaping the future of nuclear power generation.

#### Meet Up Mash Up for Autistic Adults

Date and Time: Thursday, May 2 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Address: 95 Magill Drive, Ajax, ON

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

#### Masterclass presented by Invest Durham: Fintech Illuminated

Date and Time: Thursday, May 2 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: Centennial Building; Theatre, 416 Centre Street South Whitby

Join us for an insightful Fintech seminar featuring Sid Paquette, head of RBCx, the technology and innovation arm of RBC dedicated to helping Canadian tech companies scale across every stage of their growth journey.

#### **Classic Movie Night - Back To The Future**

Date and Time: Thursday, May 2 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 50 King St E Oshawa

Starring: Michael J. Fox, Christopher Lloyd, Lea Thompson

PG / 1h 56min / Adventure, Comedy, Sci-Fi

Accidentally sent back in time in a time-travelling DeLorean, 17 year old Marty McFly faces some unusual surprises when he experiences some of the adventures and times of his teenage parents and cannot reveal anything about himself or the future.

Recommended Age: 10+ Age Restrictions: 6+

ADVANCE TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE.

ADMISSION: \$7.00 Online (in advance) OR \$5.00 Cash Only at Door (one hour before start time) All Children & Students \*FREE (No Ticket required) \*Children must be accompanied by an Adult \*High School, College and University students please show student ID

Door Prizes! Cash Concession Available Fill out a ballot for future movies

#### Live Music Bingo at The Second Wedge Brewing Company

Date and Time: Thursday, May 2 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: The Second Wedge Brewing Co., 14 Victoria Street, Uxbridge

Hosted and PERFORMED by Geoff Holt, Live Music Bingo combines a game of chance with a test of your m usic knowledge. No preregistration needed, just show up, grab a beer and enjoy.

#### Drink and Draw in the Loft at The Second Wedge

Date and Time: Thursday, May 2 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: The Second Wedge Brewing Co., 14 Victoria Street, Uxbridge

Calling all experienced and budding artists and creatives: Join us for our Drink and Draw sketch jam every othe r Thursday evening! This informal gathering is open to those aged 19+ interested in starting or maintaining sket ching or drawing practice, for fun and creative growth. (More into stitching, making or writing? Come on over – you can practice your craft among friends here too!) Bring your own supplies. Drop-ins are welcome! About your host: From time to time, John Allen is seen backed into a corner sketching at the Wedge. He's an avid sket chbook keeper always having several going at any one time. He sees it akin to an artist's physical training progr am. Designing for TV/film and new media demanded him to swap his pens for a mouse, and despite his passion for staying current with the latest digital tools, he maintains the practice of hand sketching for a variety of reaso ns, not least for the pure joy of it.

## Friday, May 3, 2024

#### Mother's Day Tea 2024

Date and Time: Friday, May 3 10:30 am - 2:30 pm

Address: 72 Queen St. Civic Centre Oshawa, ON

Seatings at 10:30am, 12:30pm and 2:30pm

\$55/adult and \$28/kids under 12

Come join us for tea on Mother's Day at The RMG. <u>Farm + Wild</u> will be hosting seatings for the whole weeken d. Daniel and his team will be serving the best Durham has to offer, so bring all the moms for delicious prix fix e. Afterward, please tour our exhibitions and visit to the RMG Shop to make your day complete for a full experience at our gallery.

Reserve your spot!

#### **Clarington's Got Talent Youth Showcase**

Date and Time: Friday, May 3 7:00 pm - 9:30 pm

Address: Firehouse Youth Centre

Clarington's Got Talent Youth Showcase hosted by Bowmanville Rotary Club in partnership with Clarington Y outh Centres with all proceeds being donated. Currently seeking talented Clarington youth aged 12-18 for our f irst annual event being held at Firehouse Youth Centre on Friday May 3 at 7pm. Admission only \$5.00 and refr eshments and snacks will be offered.

#### **RMG Friday: Emerging Visions**

Date and Time: Friday, May 3 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: 72 Queen St. Civic Centre Oshawa, ON

This month, we're celebrating a brand new exhibition at the RMG! Please join us on the lower level in Gallery A at 7:15PM for opening remarks with Durham College students and staff to recognize the opening of <u>Emergin</u> <u>g Visions</u>. Emerging Visions is an annual exhibition of thesis projects by the third-year Fine Arts class at Durha m College.

In the studio, create your very own D.I.Y. planter pot stake using polymer clay! No art experience required. Age s 12+

#### DRIFF Screening

Frida in the Sky | Directed by Dani Sadun | 6:14 minutes

Frida, an 8-year-old engineering prodigy, builds an airplane behind her mother's back to follow in her Abuela's legacy.

## Stephen Fearing Presented by Music by the Bay Live

Date and Time: Friday, May 3 8:00 pm - 11:00 pm

Address: 301 Watson Street W., Whitby

With a mesmerizing blend of roots, folk, and Americana music he has cultivated national and international audi ences, building them 'old school' through countless performances at intimate venues, concert halls, and festival s. Stephen Fearing is one of Canada's great musical storytellers — not to mention one of its most acclaimed gu itarists.

Experience Canadian Folk Icon, Stephen Fearing Presented by Music by the Bay Live in an intimate setting whe re his guitar playing, stories, and song-craft will shine.

## Saturday, May 4, 2024

#### **Duffins Trail parkrun**

Date and Time: Saturday, May 4 9:00 am - 10:15 am

Address: Kingston Rd W & Elizabeth St, Ajax, Ontario, L1T 2W8

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!)

#### Lake Scugog Studio Tour 25th Anniversary

Date and Time: Saturday, May 4 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Address: Lake Scugog Studio Tour, 175B Queen Street, Port Perry, Scugog

May 4th and 5th 2024, you are invited to come celebrate local art with The 25th Anniversary Lake Scugog Stud io Tour. In this free tour, you'll explore 12 unique sites around Port Perry, showcasing the works of local artist s-from pottery, sculpture and paintings, to clothing and jewelry! There's even a hop-on hop-off town trolley to t ake you to most sites-and again, admission is free! So come enjoy the Lake Scugog Studio Tour, Sat. May 4th a nd Sun. 5th 10am-5pm For more information visit www.scugogstudiotour.ca

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### **Doors Open 2024**

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

Address: 72 Queen St. Civic Centre Oshawa, ON

In 1987, architect Arthur Erikson was commissioned to design an addition to the RMG's existing 1969 buildin g. Erikson's interest in the play of light and shadow is evident in the RMG's large skylight and upper level curve d windows. Join us at 2PM for a tour of the RMG building.

Let's celebrate Arthur Erikson's love of light and shadow! From 10:30AM to 12:30PM, join us for a hands-on art making activity encourage participants to use their imagination to create beautiful lighted sculptures.

Doors Open Oshawa is a free, annual event that provides an opportunity to explore Oshawa's diverse heritage a nd cultural sites. Spend a day discovering local history first-hand and celebrating our community's heritage.

#### Jane's Walk

Date and Time: Saturday, May 4 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Address: 65 Harwood Ave S. Ajax, ON

In celebration of Jane's Walk, discover the early years of Ajax at 13 stops.

Defence Industries Limited (DIL) operated from 1941 to 1945, employing more than 9,000 staff and producing over 40 million shells. At the time, it was the largest munitions plant in the British Empire.

Want to view historic photos at each stop of the tour? Bring your phone/device and log onto <u>ajax.ca/DILtour</u>. No registration required.

## Minii Adventures Season Roll-Out Skills Jam

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

Address: 722 Chalk Lake Rd

# Season Roll-Out Skills Jam

Get ready for some serious fun at the Season Roll-Out Skills Jam! We like to call these jams our version of "pla ying bikes" – you know, like the good old days of practicing and having a blast on two wheels.

When was the last time you practiced that skill or technique?

Now's the perfect time to shake off the winter dust and gear up for an epic mountain biking season!

## What's Included in Your Skills Jam:

 $\checkmark$  2.5 hours access to all the obstacles, features and stations set up by seasoned riders to practice at your pace. Gain insight and instruction from professional mountain bike instructors.

✓ Small Group Sizes to ensure an effective, safe and personal learning experience.

✓ Personalized Feedback & Video Analysis

✓ Complimentary drinks and snacks.

Time:

Skills Jam: 10:00 am - 12:30 pm

Ride Out: 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Location: The Trail Hub

# **Upcoming Classes:**

Saturday May 4th

Sunday May 5th

#### **Doors Open Oshawa**

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

Address: 50 Centre St. S.

Join the City of Oshawa for Doors Open Oshawa.

Doors Open is a province-wide initiative from Heritage Ontario. It encourages people and communities to lear n more about the communities around them.

This free event allows guests to go behind the scenes and learn more about our community.

For more information about this event and all of the City of Oshawa Events please visit us at <u>www.oshawa.ca/e</u> <u>vents</u>

#### Saturday Studio Spring 2024

Date and Time: Saturday, May 4 10:30 am - 2:30 pm

Address: 72 Queen St. Civic Centre

Saturdays, April 6 to May 11

Ages 5-8 10:30am-12pm

Ages 9-12 1-2:30pm

#### \$70 Members/ \$80 Non-Members

This 6 week class is filled with art making that inspires creativity and imagination! Each week will be a new adv enture with sculptures, paintings, drawings, printmaking, and more using artist quality materials!

Sign up here!

#### Local Artisan Market

Date and Time: Saturday, May 4 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

Address: 103 Mary Street W, Whitby

Join us for our artisan markets at Unique Town Boutique, sponsored by @mellonaproducts

These markets will showcase the incredible talent and creativity of our community's artisans at Unique Town B outique May 4th, 2024, 11-3pm, and support the amazing local artists and entrepreneurs.

https://calendar.durham.ca