Events Calendar

Sunday, September 25, 2022

KMs for CCD: 8 Days of Wellness

Date and Time: Sunday, September 25 12:00 am

Address: Virtual/ Purple Woods Conservation Area (October 1, 2022)

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Ride 4 United Way

Date and Time: Sunday, September 25 08:00 am - 1:00 pm

Address: Scugog Community Recreation Centre - 1655 Reach St, Port Perry, ON L9L 1P2

14th Annual Ride 4 United Way Durham Region
Sunday, September 25, 2022 - 8:00 AM

35K, 60K, 100K

www.ride4unitedway.com

Riding your bike is good for your mental and physical well being. You may register as an individual or start a team.

All proceeds support our work to battle poverty and it's impacts and causes.

The more than $600,000 raised to date has helped to change many lives in the Durham Region. Help us battle poverty and it's impacts. It has never been more clear that the battle against poverty has profound impacts on the economic health of the entire community.

We're grateful to all of our riders and donors, and sponsors for their support.

Help us make our 14th annual ride our best ever.

Second Chance Wildlife Sanctuary Yard Sale

Date and Time: Sunday, September 25 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: 2060 Concession Road 7

Sale of giftware, glassware, books, arts/prints, electronics, toys, small appliances, CD's, DVD's, records and more.

Union Cemetery Tour

Date and Time: Sunday, September 25 02:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 1450 Simcoe Street South, Lakeview Park

Join the Oshawa Museum and Parkwood National Historic Site on Sunday, September 25 to tour through Oshawa's largest cemetery, Union Cemetery. Join us as we tour through the World War I and World War II sections, sharing stories of local citizens who were active in the war efforts. The tours begin at 2pm at the front gates of Union Cemetery.

Cost: $5/person or free for members of the Oshawa Historical Society, Parkwood National Historic Site, and members of the Royal Canadian Legion.

Tour runs rain or shine!

It is recommended that participants park at the nearby Oshawa Civic Recreation Complex (99 Thornton Road South) as parking at Union Cemetery is very limited (5 minute walk)

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Durham Active Transportation Committee Meeting

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Tuesday, September 27, 2022

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Web Presence 101 - Ensuring Your Foundation Is Set (Digital Main Street)

Date and Time: Tuesday, September 27 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Your customers are on the web. Having a strategy for your online presence allows you to market your small business online so customers can easily find you. In this workshop hosted by the Toronto Digital Service Squad they'll discuss the importance of getting your business online and where to start with developing your online presence.

The RMG, At Gallery Homeschool

Date and Time: Tuesday, September 27 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: The Robert McLaughlin Gallery, 72 Queen St. Civic Centre Oshawa, ON L1H 3Z3

Tuesdays, September 20- November 8 (8 sessions)

$80 Members / $90 Non-Members
Ages 5-10

Welcome back! Join us for this loved and popular class which is truly inspired by our exhibitions and personal reflections. We foster a multi-dimensional approach that encourages individuality and imaginative problem solving skills using quality fine art materials. Spaces are limited.

Registration is now open!

Accessibility Advisory Committee Meeting

Date and Time: Tuesday, September 27 01:00 pm

Energy from Waste - Waste Management Advisory Committee Meeting

Date and Time: Tuesday, September 27 07:00 pm

Wednesday, September 28, 2022

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Durham Region Transit Commission Meeting

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 28 09:00 am

Regional Council Meeting

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 28 09:30 am

Wednesday Live Quarter Horse Racing at Ajax Downs Racetrack

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 28 12:55 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 50 Alexanders Crossing

Join us Wednesdays for Live Quarter Horse Racing at Ajax Downs Racetrack.

Live racing and family fun all season long!

Check out our website at www.ajaxdowns.com or find us on social media!

Also check our other event days - One Sunday a month & Thanksgiving Monday for live racing, prizes, giveaways and special events.

Brett Butt

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 28 08:00 pm - 9:30 pm

Address: Regent Theatre Ontario Tech 50 King St E, Oshawa, ON L1H 1B3

Presented by: CKDO 107.7 FM 1580 AM In Association with Blackrose Entertainment

Born in Tisdale, Saskatchewan, BRENT BUTT discovered early that being funny was a good way to get attention. Brent honed his comedy in school and at the age of 20 moved to the city to pursue a career in stand-up. Within months he was headlining top clubs in Toronto, and within a couple years he was touring internationally and appearing at major festivals.

His television specials quickly secured his reputation as one of the funniest people in the country, but he was also busy creating his own TV series – a sitcom called CORNER GAS. It became an instant hit with unprecedented ratings and numerous accolades including an International Emmy Award nomination, and was named "Funniest Show on TV" by TV Guide readers. Canada's favourite comedy is now shown in over 26 countries including the US. The final episode of the series was "the highest (rated) on record for a Canadian scripted series since it began keeping track in 1994". Brent's follow-up series HICCUPS ran for two seasons.

Brent Butt is returning to the Regent Theatre by popular demand. Tickets will go quickly, so don't delay!

Recommended Age: 16+
Age Restriction: 12+
In 2013 Brent was honoured with a Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal for his contributions to community and country. That same year Brent's first feature film entitled NO CLUE and directed by Carl Bessai was released. Brent wrote, starred in and produced the film under his Sparrow Media banner. The highly anticipated feature film return to Dog River with CORNER GAS: THE MOVIE saw the entire beloved cast reunited to the delight of rabid fans and new fans alike and the movie would go on to receive a special Golden Screen Award at the 2016 Canadian Screen

Awards. Re-imagined by creator and star Brent Butt, an all-new animated version of the iconic comedy franchise entitled CORNER GAS: ANIMATED debuted in 2018. The 13 episode animated season premiered on

The Comedy Network immediately becoming the #1 rated show in the history of Canada's The Comedy Network . So successful in fact the series is now airing on CTV primetime and concurrently streaming on CRAVE TV. Production is now underway on the second season of CORNER GAS: ANIMATED. With Brent performing, writing, executive producing, and even directing, there is little doubt the future holds many untold achievements for one of Canada's brightest stars.

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BACD Start Up Session

Date and Time: Thursday, September 29 09:30 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.

ConnXGEN Social at 8Bit Beans Arcade

Date and Time: Thursday, September 29 05:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: 8Bit Beans Arcade, 100 Brock Street South, Whitby

ConnXGen Social offers a networking opportunity in a relaxed and fun setting. You do not have to be a member to join!

Who should attend:

- Professionals and entrepreneurs under 30 interested in networking with like-minded individuals, growing their career and learning the basics of personal finance

- Post-secondary students and recent grads interested in making connections and growing their network in Durham Region
- Lovers of Arcades #SupportLocal

Harvest Feast at The Villa

Date and Time: Thursday, September 29 06:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: 13350 Highway 12, Sunderland

Unforgettable evenings: Open-air dining on the terrace at The Villa

Indulge yourself. Join us and Chef Alex Page for a themed, gastronomic multi-course menu featuring local farm-to-table ingredients.

Tickets include all food and beverages.

On the menu:

"Chef's Menu" - 5-courses based on Chef Alex Page's 2022 Dishing Up Durham Feature Finds - inspired by local farms' summer growing season.

Durham Region Anti-Racism Taskforce Committee Meeting

Date and Time: Thursday, September 29 07:00 pm - 9:00 pm

DRIFF Fall Festival - Day 1

Date and Time: Thursday, September 29 07:30 pm

Address: The Centennial Building - 416 Centre Street, S., Whitby

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Opening Night Screening: https://www.driff.ca/driff-day-1

The Courthouse Theatre: Centennial Building | 416 Centre Street South | Whitby

Blind Spots | Germany | 8 mins

Directed by: Luis Schubert

The shooting of a sex scene triggers a conflict between an intimacy coordinator and the director on a film set.

Stay the Night | Canada | 94 mins

Directed by: Renuka Jeyapalan

At a time when dating apps and casual hook-ups are the "new romance standard," reserved and very single

Grace feels like an outcast. But when she meets Carter Stone, a professional athlete on the outs who has his own decision to make, she wonders if maybe Carter is the perfect solution to her problem. After their first attempt at a one-night stand goes awry, they end up spending the evening walking and talking through the streets of Toronto, leading them to a connection neither of them expected.

Putting It Together

Date and Time: Thursday, September 29 07:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Address: Oshawa Little Theatre, 62 Russett Avenue, Oshawa, ON, L1G 3R5

Putting it Together is a musical revue showcasing the songs of Stephen Sondheim, the most prolific composer of our time. Featuring almost 30 tunes, this show is performed by only 5 people who are thrown together in a Manhattan penthouse, thus showcasing the great talents of our cast.

Running September 29th to October 15th.

AODA or easy access seating and groups are available by calling the box office during normal business hours, Wed-Sat 10am to 2pm at 905 723-0282

Masking is highly recommended but not required for these performances.

Durham Region International Film Festival

Date and Time: Thursday, September 29 07:30 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: Biltmore Theatre, Oshawa

Film-related activities, film programming (screenings) and Awards Night

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Friday, September 30, 2022

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DRIFF Fall Festival - Day 2

Date and Time: Friday, September 30 05:00 pm

Address: St. Francis Centre - 78 Church Street S., Ajax

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5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m: Nibbles and Beverages in the Lounge

5:45 p.m. - 6:45 p.m: Industry Panel | SPOTLIGHT: Producers and Directors
Film producers and directors both have major responsibilities during the filmmaking process: script, talent, budget, schedule, camera, artistic aspects, post-production and marketing. Learn from and engage with a panel of DRIFF and local filmmakers about their key responsibilities, challenges and excitement while capturing their vision for the screen.

7:00 p.m: Centrepiece Screening

Edgy | Germany | 2 mins
Directed by: Kilian Armando Friedrich, Ann-Kathrin Jahn, Jonas Kleinalstede, Schnekenbühl Katharina & Paula Tschira
Edgy lives in a world of blue blocks, but somehow he doesn’t seem to fit in.

Bulldog | Germany | 95 mins
Directed by: André Szardenings
Twenty-one-year-old Bruno lives in Spain with his mother Toni, who is only fifteen years older than her son. The suffocating and excessively close relationship with his mother is defining for him. When his mother starts a relationship with Hannah and she moves into the bungalow they share, Bruno finds himself in a crisis and has to decide between his own life and his relationship with his mother.

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Hockey Night in Oshawa: Oshawa Generals Home Opener (Oshawa Chamber of Commerce)

Date and Time: Friday, September 30 07:30 pm - 11:00 pm

Address: Tribute Communities Centre 99 Athol St. Oshawa

Join us for an evening at the good ole' hockey game!

On Friday, September 30th our Oshawa Generals take on the Ottawa 67's for the Oshawa Generals 2022-23 Season Home Opener at The Tribute Communities Centre.

Your ticket includes admission to the game, game time snacks and a drink, networking and socializing, exciting Zamboni action, and more!

A TRIBUTE TO RUSH - FEATURING MY FAVORITE HEADACHE

Date and Time: Friday, September 30 08:00 pm - 10:30 pm

Address: Regent Theatre Ontario Tech 50 King St E, Oshawa, ON L1H 1B3

Presented by: Blackrose Entertainment

Hailing from Toronto, My Favorite Headache (MFH) has striven for years to put together a show that faithfully reproduces the music of Rush. MFH have been performing Rush from all eras for 7 years and they capture that "Rush sound". The band plays with incredible accuracy, super-high energy and power! The voice of Frank Marino sounds so much like Geddy Lee it's uncanny!"

"Keeping RUSH music alive in the concert halls is our motto and we hope that you can join us to celebrate their music." -MFH

Saturday, October 1, 2022

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Durham College Farmer's Market

Date and Time: Saturday, October 1 09:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 1604 Champlain Ave, Whitby

Durham College student workers host a weekly farmers market and garden tours at Durham College Whitby Campus under the outdoor classroom, Fridays 2pm-5pm and Saturdays 9am-12pm. Join us for garden tours and browse our selection of fresh produce, baked goods, and more!

41st Juried Art Exhibition

Date and Time: Saturday, October 1 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 143 Simpson Avenue, Bowmanville, ON, L1C 2H9

For over 45 years, the Visual Arts Centre of Clarington (VAC) has produced a diverse range of exhibitions and public programmes to connect people of all ages and backgrounds through contemporary art. This year, we are excited to welcome back our Juried Art Show Exhibition after a 2-year hiatus. Following an open call in August 2022, the VAC received over 180 submissions from artists across the Durham Region and Greater Toronto Area. Selections were narrowed down to a final 35 artists. The following exhibition showcases varied subject matter and media from painting, photography, drawing, sculpture, and video artworks created over the past four years. For the first time in the juried show's forty-one-year history, emerging artists under the age of eighteen have been invited to exhibit their work.

Saturday Studio at The RMG

Date and Time: Saturday, October 1 10:30 am - 3:00 pm

Address: 72 Queen St. Civic Centre Oshawa, ON L1H 3Z3

Saturdays, September 24-November 19 (6 sessions)
No class October 8

Ages 5-8 10:30am-12pm
Ages 9-12 1-3pm

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!

Registration is now open!

DRIFF Fall Festival - Day 3

Date and Time: Saturday, October 1 01:00 pm

Address: The Biltmore Theatre - 39 King Street E., Oshawa

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DRIFF Day 3 will offer two programmes for a full day of film festival events. Tickets for each programme is $10.

driff.ca/driff-day-3

*A limited number of full day passes are being sold for $15 while supplies last.

**Schedule is subject to change. Check driff.ca closer to the event date.

October 1, 1:00 p.m: DRIFF DAY 3 | Afternoon Programme | $10

1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m: Foley Workshop
SPECIAL INDUSTRY EVENT
In filmmaking, Foley is the reproduction of everyday sound effects added to films in post-production. They are created by the sound artist mimicking the actual sound source in a recording studio and can be anything from the swishing of clothing and footsteps to squeaky doors and breaking glass. Participate in this special Foley presentation to learn how everyday items are used to enhance the auditory experience of the movie.

2:15 p.m. - 3:15 p.m: Industry Panel
DIALOGUES: Behind the Scenes with Cast and Crew
From Los Angeles to Toronto to locations around the world, the film industry relies on film cast and crews with a wide array of skills in the field of film and video production. Engage with and learn from industry professionals who work in these exciting, well-paying careers: 1st Assistant Director, Bench Carpenter, Actress, Art Director and Location Manager.

3:30 p.m: Homegrown Shorts

The Other Side | Canada | 8 mins

Directed by: Jordan Settembrini
An enthusiastic hiker leads his city-boy friend through a strange forest, after claiming to have found the discovery of a lifetime. It is soon learned that some things are better left undiscovered.

Flames | Canada | 7 mins
Directed by: Matthew Manhire
Two young men being pressured to pursue wrestling by their grandfather have an experience that liberates them, while blowing their grandpa's mind.

Feeling Fine | Canada | 21 mins
Directed by: Fateema Al-Hamaydeh Miller
Sara & Cameron, two actors who refuse to quit their shared Meisner class after they break up, deal with grief, closure and reminiscing their connection in this short that both honours and pokes fun at the experience of heartbreak.

Involuntary Wingman | Canada | 7 mins
Directed by: Alex Ef
Faced with the threat of blackmail, sixteen-year-old David is forced by Owen the incel to get him a date with his crush, Sierra. But when the relationship proves impossible, David learns to face Owen head on.

DRUH | Canada | 20 mins
Directed by: Aaron Ries
Three teenagers embark on a weekend scout trip in the wilderness of Ontario, where they're challenged by their leaders to compete for a badge that pits them against each other in this tale of masculinity and coming of age.

Sledgehammer | Canada | 12 mins
Directed by: Kyle Marchen
Brooke, who works on the side as a cam girl, receives a sensitive package in the mail. Upon arrival, it is clear that the package has been intentionally damaged, which has become a recurring event. A corrosive urge to retaliate takes hold in the young woman’s mind. After filing a complaint, Brooke is contacted by the perpetrator, a mail man with an unsettling interest in her. She decides to take control and plays out her reprisal to its climax. What Brooke fails to anticipate is being left in a sobered and assailable state.

Feeling the Apocalypse | Canada | 7 mins
Directed by: Chen Sing Yap
A psychotherapist struggling with climate anxiety explores what it means to live in a dying world.

[DINNER BREAK]

October 1st, 7:00 p.m: DRIFF DAY 3 | Evening Programme | $10

7:00 p.m: Closing Night Screening

Movie Theatres: Lights and Sound | Canada | 6 mins
Directed by: Jamie Robertson
Art house cinema is dying. Many Independent theatres sit vacant as would-be patrons amble past extinguished marquees. At night, they come to life — the lights, the popcorn, the magic of the cinema. But in the age of "home streaming," is this experience enough? Only you, the viewer, can decide.

Revival69: The Concert That Rocked the World | Canada | 95 mins
Directed by: Ron Chapman
This documentary transports viewers back to Toronto’s Varsity Stadium in 1969, when a gutsy and visionary pair of concert promoters barely out of their teens, tries to create a music festival featuring the original rock and roll bands from the 1950s. The concert was almost cancelled, until a last minute request to John Lennon and Yoko Ono saved the festival, turning it into “the second most important event in rock & roll history.” The

film features appearances by John Lennon, Eric Clapton, Chuck Berry, Little Richard, Jerry Lee Lewis, Bo Diddley, Gene Vincent, The Doors and Alice Cooper.

Following the screening, we will have a Q&A with industry insiders, the awards ceremony, drinks and nibbles. Dance and schmooze at the afterparty featuring the local favourite Lunar Circus Band.

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Celebrating Islamic Culture throughout History

Date and Time: Saturday, October 1 02:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 250 Beatrice Street E., Oshawa ON L1G 7T6

Canadian Council of Muslim women will be co-hosting a free family event in association with Oshawa Public Libraries on October 1st. Mayor Dan Carter will be proclaiming Islamic history month at the event and will speak briefly. We will have various activity stations: henna, colouring, craft, and information boards made by youth. Light refreshments will be served.

October is Islamic History Month in Canada, and an opportunity to learn about Muslim contributions to the sciences, humanities, medicine, astronomy, and other disciplines that have greatly benefited civil progress.

The theme this year is to share the culinary contributions of Muslims to health, wellness, social peace, and societal harmony. Find out more at https://www.islamichistorymonth.ca/

To paraphrase the essence of Prophet Muhammad's ﷺ Hadith: "There are blessings and abundance in sharing of food" and "A Muslim is not one who sleeps with a full stomach, while their neighbours sleep hungry."

In-person programs will comply with current COVID safety regulations.

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THE POWER OF HUEY - SPORTS ALBUM LIVE

Date and Time: Saturday, October 1 08:00 pm - 10:30 pm

Address: Regent Theatre Ontario Tech 50 King St E, Oshawa, ON L1H 1B3

Presented by: Blackrose Entertainment

THE POWER OF HUEY - The band has the pure musicianship to honor the original songs and their arrangements, while still attacking the material with a raw rock and roll ferocity. Made up of only the best Professional Musicians, The Power of Huey performs the 'Sports' album Note for Note and Cut for Cut – They have re-recorded the album at insight Recorders Studio and have been performing together for the last 10 years!

Sports is the third album by American rock band 'Huey Lewis and The News', released on September 15, 1983. It reached number one on the Billboard 200 on June 29, 1984, and catapulted the band to international fame. The album has been certified 7× Platinum by the RIAA. Sports was ranked number 2 on the Billboard year-end album chart for 1984. The album spawned four top-ten hits on the Billboard Hot 100 and a fifth went top 20. Sports also did very well internationally, where most of its singles charted in the top 40 or above in multiple countries.

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