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# Tuesday, September 28, 2021

### 9-1-1 Management Board Meeting

Date and Time: Tuesday, September 28 9:30 am

# **Business Financing for the Black Female Entrepreneur (DRABPE)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, September 28 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

he Government of Canada has made funds available for loans to Black businesses. This webinar is designed to help Black female entrepreneurs (and other members of the Black community) become better prepared to secur e the funds needed to grow their business. Presented by Susan Henry, Director of Microfinance & Economic Inc lusion at Alterna Savings and Frances Delsol, Executive Director of the Black Business and Professional Assoc

iation (BBPA).

#### Virtual BACD Biz Lunch

Date and Time: Tuesday, September 28 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm

Here is an opportunity for you to meet other business owners and to open new relationships - you never know what could transpire from those connections.

### **Accessibility Advisory Committee Meeting**

Date and Time: Tuesday, September 28 1:00 pm

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### Writing Successful Web Content (The Ontario Digital Main Street Initiative)

Date and Time: Tuesday, September 28 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Great website content can help you achieve your site's desired results - whether that's more sales, more signups, or more visitors. But before you've put a pen (or cursor, if you like) to page, you have to do your research. This webinar will help you write better content for your website that will appeal to your target audience, as well as search engines such as Google.

#### You'll learn:

- How to write for your target audience
- How to develop a consistent voice and tone for your brand
- The tricks professional copywriters use to create website content that speaks to your ideal client or customer
- What role search engine optimization (SEO) plays in content development
- How often to refresh the content on your website, and whether you need a blog or not

#### **Behind the Scenes Conservation Tour**

Date and Time: Tuesday, September 28 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 270 Simcoe Street N

This event will allow guests to experience Parkwood in a new way. In this walk and talk intimate session, you will take a unique tour of the mansion with Parkwood's Curator and Conservator Miriam Harris/ Along the w

ay you see completed conservation projects, while learning about the tools, resources and methods that were us ed in the conservation process. In addition you will have the chance to see other artifacts that are in need of con servation and learn about the methods that will be used.

### **Energy from Waste - Waste Management Advisory Committee Meeting**

Date and Time: Tuesday, September 28 7:00 pm

# Wednesday, September 29, 2021

### The Importance of a Defensible Workplace Investigation (Clarington Board of Trade)

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 29 8:30 am - 9:30 am

This webinar will provide participants with the skills and tools necessary to conduct an effective, legally compli ant workplace investigation.

#### Topics include:

- Why Investigate? Legal requirements and practical considerations.
- The importance of the investigative process how to ensure your investigations pass muster
- Investigation Mistakes and how to avoid them.
- The Verdict and Next Steps You've conducted the perfect investigation now what?

### **Durham Region Transit Commission Meeting**

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 29 9:00 am

### **Regional Council Meeting**

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 29 9:30 am

#### **BACD Business Plan Masterclass**

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 29 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Are you already in business and wanting to put together your business plan for growth or financing options? Th is hands on masterclass will take you through the steps of writing your business plan and financial projections.

### **Social Media Content: Strategy and Planning (Ontario Digital Main Street Initiative)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 29 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Social media is a never satiated content beast - it's always hungry for more! It can be tough to keep up with soci al media content creation, but if you create and repurpose your content smartly, you can stay ahead of the curve.

Discover how in this workshop, where you'll learn the tricks of how to efficiently plan a month's worth of soci al media content in one sitting.

#### You'll learn:

- How to create a content plan that reaches your social media goals
- How to establish the best voice for each of your business's social media channels
- Tactics and ideas for repurposing content, so creating content doesn't become your full-time job
- How to share content across different social media channels without just copying and pasting
- How to build (and populate) an editorial calendar
- How to create and reuse "evergreen" content

# Thursday, September 30, 2021

### **BACD Start Up Session**

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

This session covers the essential steps to starting a small business including registering a business name, license s & permits, HST, business banking, insurance and hiring employees.

### Startup Grind Presents Planes, Trains, Automobiles and Boats!

Date and Time: Thursday, September 30 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Join Spark Centre and Launch Lab at Startup Grind September 30<sup>th</sup> as Robert Weese from B2B Sales Connecti ons sits down with trailblazers in the transportation sector who are revolutionizing the way we move!

# **Durham Region International Film Festival Drive-in Series**

Date and Time: Thursday, September 30 5:30 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: Whitby Town Hall (parking lot behind the municipal building) 575 Rossland Rd E. Whitby ON L1N 2 M8

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Click here for dates and the full lineup of feature films

All screenings will be held at the Town of Whitby Municipal Building

(south parking lot), located at 575 Rossland Rd E.

Curious about COVID-19 safety protocols at our drive-in screenings?

Click here to read our Frequently Asked Questions.

#### Tickets to each event will be \$15 per vehicle.

Currently, only members of the same household can share a vehicle.

Vehicle can seat as many people as seatbelts available.

No dogs.

No entry after the "latest arrival time" stated on your ticket

#### **Ticket details for each event:**

#### **June 24**

Theme: PRIDE

Both films are French, with English subtitles

Wanted: Strong Woman (15 mins)

Marilyn Cooke 1:54 (102 mins) Yan England

Location: 575 Rossland Rd E, Whitby, ON (the parking lot behind the Municipal Building)

Earliest arrival time: 7:30pm Latest arrival time: 8:50pm

Show starts at dusk

#### **July 29**

Theme: Canadian Mosaic

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Becoming Labrador (70 mins)

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Theme: Caribbean Heat

Pick (11 mins) Alicia K. Harris

Home Again (104 mins)

Sudz Sutherland

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Theme: Asian Heritage

At the Botton of the Sea (11 mins)

Caroline So Jung Lee
Window Horses (129 mins)

Anne-Marie Fleming Location: 575 Rossland Rd E, Whitby, ON

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Theme: Creative Spirit

Chocolate (4 mins)

Charlene Moore

Falls Around Her (100 mins)

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Marking Orange Shirt Day and the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, we present Darlene Naponse's *Falls Around Her* as our last feature presentation of the season. The film stars Tantoo Cardinal as Mary Birchbark, an Anishinaabe musician whose fame causes unexpected turmoil when she returns to her Northern Ontario reserve to reconnect with the land and her roots.

In collaboration with the DRIFF team, *Falls Around Her* director Darlene Naponse has personally selected the short film *Chocolate*, directed by Charlene Moore, to open the evening.

A limited number of complimentary tickets to this screening are available for Indigenous community members. Please contact us at <u>v-chair@driff.ca</u> to claim a ticket.

For trailers and more, visit driff.ca/shifting-the-narrative-creative-spirit

Show starts at dusk.

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There will be accessible washrooms available on site.

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# Saturday, October 2, 2021

### The Welder's Wife Market Days

Date and Time: Saturday, October 2 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Address: 1420 Conc 4 Thorah, Beaverton, ON

The Welder's Wife Fall Market Days will be held on Saturdays commencing Saturday Sept 11 and running every Saturday including Saturday October 9, 2021, from 9-1

It's Our Third Annual Event, we've just had to get creative in how we coordinate it around the Health and Safet y Protocols

The Health and Safety of Everyone is most important and all protocols are strictly monitored during the Event

We will have 12-15 Local Artisans/Vendors set up Outdoors, in Our Rural Space surrounding The Welder's Wif e Home & Cottage Store

We look forward to seeing you out supporting your Local Artisans/Vendors, it really is a good time

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