

## Sunday, December 11, 2022

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### OPG Sunday: December 2022

Date and Time: Sunday, December 11 10:30 am - 12:30 pm

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

The RMG encourages families to take some time and enjoy the art making process through creativity and collaboration.

**Free admission.**

**This is a drop in event. No registration is required.**

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### CHRISTMAS REFLECTIONS with Durham Chamber Orchestra

Date and Time: Sunday, December 11 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: Town Hall Theatre Port Perry - 302 Queen St

Durham Chamber Orchestra performs a traditional family concert with your favorite seasonal music. Enjoy the Nutcracker Suite with lovely Ballerina's in live performance, Holst Christmas, the beautiful Fantasia on Canadian Christmas Carols, seasonal sing-alongs and many more.

Music Director/Conductor Carlos Bastidas welcomes guest artists Vocalist: Alesandra Felica and Pianist: Carol Salamone

## **Good Lovelies Christmas Tour**

Date and Time: Sunday, December 11 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: 20 Queen Street Port Hope, ON Canada L1A 2Y7

## **Good Lovelies Christmas Tour**

This December, the Good Lovelies will once again be taking their annual Christmas show across Ontario and bringing their classic holiday songs, timeless winter selections, and original material to Port Hope!

Accompanying the Good Lovelies (Caroline Brooks, Kerri Ough and Susan Passmore) is a stunning backing band of some of Canada's finest musicians. As a six-piece ensemble, this band will have you tapping your feet, laughing, and singing along by the end of the show. This is a must-see concert.

The Good Lovelies first united in 2006 for a one-off performance and has since compiled a catalogue of studio albums, EPs, a live album and a Christmas collection. They have toured extensively across Canada, the US, Europe, UK, and Australia and have earned a JUNO Award, a Juno Nomination and four Canadian Folk Music Awards along the way.

## **The DRIFF/Cinechats Alliance Presents: The Best of DRIFF Shorts**

Date and Time: Sunday, December 11 3:00 pm

Join us for an afternoon of nine outstanding short films submitted to DRIFF, specially curated by Cinechats founder John Arkelian for their creativity and their discussion value. You'll want to talk about these films afterward, and John is just the right person to encourage relaxed and thoughtful exchanges of perspective. Over the 97 minutes of screenings, you'll giggle, gasp, ponder, and maybe even cheer. Then, have the satisfaction of a great conversation over a beverage as you savour leaving ordinary life behind for an afternoon.

See what's playing: <https://www.driff.ca/best-of-driff-shorts>

Get tickets: <https://tickets.biltmoretheatre.com/driff>

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## **Monday, December 12, 2022**

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### **Black Business & the Skilled Trades | Brilliant Catalyst & DLF Webinar**

Date and Time: Monday, December 12 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn exactly how you can become a successful business owner through direct advice from successful business owners & skilled trades experts.

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## **Tuesday, December 13, 2022**

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### **Finance and Administration Committee Meeting**

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 13 9:30 am

### **BACD Business Fundamentals: Marketing & Sales**

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This session will help you create a marketing plan that targets your ideal customer and help you identify the marketing tactics.

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## **Wednesday, December 14, 2022**

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### **Christmas Cocktails (Clarington Board of Trade)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 14 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: Visual Arts Centre, 143 Simpson Ave, Bowmanville

Join us at the Visual Arts Centre for cocktails, hors d'oeuvres, and to celebrate the holiday season with fellow members of the business community.

### **ConnXGEN Trivia Night (Whitby Chamber of Commerce)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 14 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: Brock St Brewing Company, 244 Brock St. South, Whitby

Join us for our Last ConnXGEN Event of the Year!! You do not want to miss out on TRIVIA NIGHT! We encourage all attendees to wear ugly/tacky holiday sweaters! ConnXGen Social offers a networking opportunity in a relaxed and fun setting. You do not have to be a member to join!

## **Thursday, December 15, 2022**

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### **BACD Business Fundamentals: Financials & Operations**

Date and Time: Thursday, December 15 9:30 am - 11:30 am

In this session we discuss Financials and Operations. By understanding the accounting and financial basics and developing these operational strategies, you can create effective and efficient systems for running your business.

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### **President's Social (Scugog Chamber of Commerce)**

Date and Time: Thursday, December 15 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: Old Flame Brewing Co., 135 Perry St, Port Perry

Join us at the 2022 President's Social, as we say a huge thank you to this year's Chamber President Michael Filipp! We'll be gathering at Old Flame Brewing Co. for drinks, appetizers, and laughs on December 15th. Tickets include one drink ticket and appetizers. We have lots to celebrate as a Chamber this year, we hope to see you there!

## **Friday, December 16, 2022**

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

Date and Time: Friday, December 16 8:00 am - 9:00 am

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

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.

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## **A Gift of Art Christmas Event**

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Address: Newcastle Community Hall

FREE ADMISSION!

Friday December 16th 6-9 and Saturday December 17th 10-4:30

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Over 30 vendors showcasing one of a kind Artwork, Cards, Paintings and creations, even some yummy treats to enjoy this holiday season!

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## **BACD Start Up Session**

Date and Time: Saturday, December 17 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: Oshawa Public Library 1661 Harmony Road N, Oshawa, Ontario



## Holiday Dreams - A Spectacular Holiday Cirque

Date and Time: Saturday, December 17 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

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

Looking for something new and exciting to do this holiday season? Look no further than Holiday Dreams, A Spectacular Holiday Show! This amazing holiday show is coming to Oshawa's Tribute Communities Centre on Saturday, December 17 and features holograms, projection mapping, holiday music and incredible lasers, along with a cast of award-winning acrobats, daredevils and cirque-performers.

Created as a modern alternative to holiday shows, Holiday Dreams presents a fast-paced exciting cirque-style show that is appealing to everyone. Produced by Las Vegas-based production company, Q Productions Las Vegas, the show presents holographic technologies as seen only in Vegas productions. The show also features projection mapping and interactive lasers. The performers include award-winning acrobats to seasoned talent seen in shows like America's Got Talent and Outrageous Acts of Science. Added spectacles such as elves catapulting themselves off ramps while riding scooters to BMX Bikes and Extreme Rollerbladers to acrobats diving off a giant T rampwall and all the way to comedic performances, Holiday Dreams delivers a totally unique spectacle.

Show creator and producer Fernando Quevedo says "I wanted the show to present high-end technology and amazing talent seen only in Vegas shows. We have holograms that are truly magical. We have Lady Light, an award-winning laser performer that 'bends' light and manipulates lasers; we have a lot of audience interaction and comedy." says Fernando. He adds, "I also wanted to create a show that celebrated the spirit of the Holidays and would serve as a bridge for families from different generations to come together and experience something together. We are all absorbed in our little technological worlds. Theater allows a communal experience. A place for all to gather and laugh, cheer and be awed. There's something truly wonderful about that."

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## MASTERWORKS SERIES - THE SONG OF THE EARTH

Date and Time: Saturday, December 17 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: 50 King St E, Oshawa ON

An evening of the great Gustav Mahler's deepest symphonic expressions, including his Totenfeier followed by the composer's masterpiece of earthly beauty The Song of the Earth. Two symphonic imperatives in one evening! These are works filled with expressions of the profoundest of human thoughts and experience.

**Recommended Age: 14+**

**Age Restriction: 7+**

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