



News From YOUR CHAMBER

May 2017

Know someone who could be a Chamber member?
*Have them contact us at napaneechamber@bellnet.ca
or call 613.354.6601*

Welcome New Chamber Members:

Chris Jackson Homes (Remax) - 613.888.1017

Herbal Roots - 613.354.4080

CARLOFT.CA - 613.308.9696



**The Chamber is currently looking for a Summer Intern. Visit
www.napaneechamber.ca for more information.**

Meeting the Chamber Board

With a renewed vigour and vitality, the Napanee & District Chamber of Commerce is pleased and proud to present the Chamber's Board Members over the next few newsletters. In the April newsletter, we introduced the President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. Here is a closer look at some of our amazing Board of Directors:



Director - Leanne Boomhour

As a long-time resident of Napanee, Leanne has been involved in the business community in different capacities over the past 15 years. In her role as Business Account Manager and Agricultural Specialist with RBC, Leanne provides advice and service to local businesses and farms across the region. As a Director, she looks forward to sharing her knowledge with existing and new members so we can all see our community thrive.



Director - Geoff Courneya

Owner of TheDistinguishedLife.ca (an e-commerce platform), Geoff who manufactures and lives in the town of Napanee joined the Chamber of Commerce to ensure the 21st-century voice of online business can be heard with respects to how the town grows forward and outward. This include, both brick and mortar operations as well as business branding far beyond the town borders.

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Director - Rebecca Wilkinson

Rebecca is an Account Executive with 88.7 myFM radio. Having just moved back to her hometown last year, Rebecca wanted to become more invested in her community. Rebecca sees her being part of the Chamber board as a way of learning more about the people and businesses who are such an important part of Greater Napanee. At the same time, it's a chance for her to give back to the place that gave her, her start in life.

Mark Your Calendars

REGISTER NOW AT - www.napaneechamber.ca

I LOVE MY JOB

BUSINESS BREAKFAST ON:

EMPLOYEE RETENTION

**MAY 24, 2017
7:30AM TO 8:30AM
(DOORS OPEN AT 7:00AM)**

**SHELIN POOLS LOUNGE
SPC ARENA, NAPANEE**

**TO REGISTER, VISIT
WWW.NAPANEECHAMBER.CA**

**\$5 Members
\$10 Non Member**

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Investors Group

"Reduce employee turnover by making it a priority! Surveys show, that 64 % of employees said that they were extremely likely to begin or increase their job search, based on the Wall Street Journal website. Don't risk losing your top talented people to the competition. Join, Brad Way from FlexBEN, Jennifer Maloney CFP from Investors Group, Brad Labadie from East Central Ontario Training Board and Tricia Cammaart from Zeal Health and Fitness in this early morning business breakfast. This is a great chance to explore ideas, recognize job satisfaction and get a better understanding of retaining your workforce."

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Thank you!

Congratulations to Stephen Huza, winner of the Northern Pikes Concert tickets - thanks to myFM 88.7 who hosted April's Business After Hours on April 26, 2017. For more on 88.7, drop by their offices at 11 Market Square, Napanee.

The Business After Hours happens the last Wednesday of every month at a different business that is a member of the Chamber. Is it time to have your turn? Contact us today!

Business Buzz - You Should Know

- The Town of Greater Napanee has been working on a new app which will be used to highlight events and activities. Check it out at: greaternapanee.live
- The Health and Safety Orientation eLearning bundle provides three mandatory courses at a discounted rate. **Get three eLearning modules for the price of two (\$40) and ensure that you stay compliant.** This health and safety eLearning bundle consists of the following courses: **WHMIS 2015, Workplace Harassment and Workplace Awareness.** Get yours today at <http://www.pshsa.ca>
- Have a chance to Stargaze in North Frontenac throughout the spring and summer months. For up to date information and events in the **Land O' Lakes** region, follow them on facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/DiscoverLOL/>
- **TransCanada Asks Call or Click Before You Dig**
For projects, big or small, always contact Ontario One-Call Centre before beginning any ground disturbance to request a locate. The free service ensures TransCanada and any other utility owners will mark the location of utilities on your property helping to prevent accidents, injuries and interrupted service. In Ontario, call 1.800.400.2255 or visit www.clickbeforeyoudig.com.



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- **Quinte Conservation** wants you know that the 2017 camping season at Depot Lakes starts in two weeks. Do you have your camp site booked? Book your site at DepotLakes.com!
- Meet the deadlines for **AODA** - the solution is just a click away! June 6th 8:15-12:00 noon in Belleville. \$25 per person. To register visit: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/accessibility-guidelines-challenges-and-solutions-tickets-33089790454>
- The name has changed but the service is still great! Contact Brad Way, Personal & Business Advisor and Employee Benefits Specialist today at **FlexBEN** (formerly Marlin Financial Services Inc.).
- The Home and Garden Tour is back! Enjoy stepping foot in some amazing homes and beautiful gardens throughout Napanee on June 3 , from 10:00-4:00pm. Passports are \$25 and can be bought at the L&A Seniors Outreach Centre or at Gray's IDA.
- Make business accounting simple again! Monday, May 15th from 1:30-4:00pm, learn about cloud computing. To register go to www.lennox-addington.on.ca. The cost is \$10 (plus tax and fees) per participant.



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