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ABOUT US

November 4, 2011

- Since 1908, the Renfrew & area Chamber of Commerce has been an active and progressive non-profit voluntary organization promoting the civic, commercial, industrial and tourist development progress of this great community.
- The Chamber is a catalyst and a volunteer organization where business and professional people work together for the common good.
- Year-round promotion of Renfrew and the area as a destination for tourist and business is a priority.

SPOTLIGHT ON...

Tammy Logan— Information Officer

WHAT GREAT BUSINESSES WE HAVE IN OUR BACK YARD

The Bridges to Better Business Event was a very informative day. Along with many new and current businesses showcased at the trade show, the Entrepreneur Panel was motivational to all .

What great stories the panelist shared. The questions from the audience sparked real and enthusiastic responses and made you realize that with hard work and determination you can reach your dreams and beyond.

The Entrepreneur Panel consisted of:

Jon Pole – MyFM Radio

Profit Magazine has recognized MyFM Radio as one of the TOP 100 companies in the 23rd annual Profit 200 ranking of Canada’s Fastest-Growing Companies

David Watson – Arnprior Fire Trucks Corp.

An Arnprior manufacture of high-end fire trucks and emergency vehicles sold to municipalities in North America. They have 100 employees including professional engineers, draftsmen, CAD operators, certified welders and support staff.

Jennifer Brearley – Castlegarth

9 years ago along with her husband Matt, Jennifer opened a rural eatery on the Burnstown Road. Castlegarth has received the Star of Excellence in the 2008-09 & 2009-10 ‘Where to Eat’ in Canada restaurant guide.

Kylah Dobson – Rainbow Heritage Garden

Using no hydroelectricity Kylah and her husband Zach produce 200 varieties of organic produce outside of Cobden. They sell at the Carp’s Farmers Market and the Ottawa Lansdowne Farmer’s Market as well as they host and increasingly popular program called Community Supported Agriculture, or CSA. They were one of fifty-five innovators voted to receive the 2010 Premier’s Award for Agri-Food Innovation Excellence.

 * Would you like
 * your business
 * featured?
 * Or do you know of
 * a business or person
 * who should be
 * recognized?
 * Do you or your
 * business have item
 * you would like to
 * share?
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 * If so call or e-mail
 * the Chamber office
 * (613) 432-7015
 * info@
 * renfrewareachamber.ca



Remember to take time on November 11th for 2 minutes of silence at 11:00 am in remembrance of those have paid the ultimate price for us.

Join the Renfrew Legion at Low Square for Tribute Services

Support the Capital Cup Snowcross Championships at Calabogie Peaks Resort



Snowmobile Racers and fans from across Canada and the US will gather December 3 & 4 at Calabogie Peaks Resort to celebrate the 2nd annual Capital Cup. Fans will watch a total of 41 races over the Saturday and Sunday event. Race classes involve all snowmobilers from Novice racers, Children, Juniors, Girls, Women, Veterans (30+), Masters (40+) and Professionals. The CSRA will be awarding over \$160,000 in cash prizes during the 11 event winter circuit.

The Capital Cup Snowcross is a partnership between Avan Racing, the Canadian Snowcross Association (CSRA) and Calabogie Peaks Resort. To help fund event costs, Calabogie Peaks is selling 'Race' sponsorships.

Race sponsorships are described in the package below and cost only \$300 each and **include \$200 of ticket value!**

As a race sponsor you will have visibility before, during and after the event. Your sponsorship will include:

- Announced as race class sponsor - minimum of 4x each event day
- Four weekend admission passes for the race event (value \$120)
- Trackside banner or sign*
- Logo in event program
- Your company brochure displayed inside the ski lodge
- Your logo with hyperlink on the Calabogie Peaks website
- Sponsorship thank you in local media
- 2 full day ski lift tickets for Calabogie Peaks Resort valid anytime during the 2011/2012 winter season (value \$80)
- If you do not have a banner or sign, we can produce a 3' x 10' heavy duty one for you at a cost of \$100 and will return it to you after the event.

To view the complete sponsorship package please go to

http://www.calabogie.com/Newsletter_Images/Oct26_2011/Snowcross_Sponsorship.pps



Renfrew and Area Seniors' Home Support and the Canadian Hearing Association

is once again hosting a free hearing assessment clinic on November 23, 2011 in the Home Support office at 180 Plaunt St., Unit #3. For more information and to book an appointment, please call 613-432-7691

Renfrew Victoria Hospital Auxiliary CHRISTMAS House Tour 2011

27 Ruttan Rd.,
Horton Township

577 Raglan St. S,
Renfrew

270 Lochiel St. S,
Renfrew



818 Kedrosky Dr.
Renfrew

97 Erindale Ave.
Renfrew

219 Opeongo Rd.
Renfrew

**Six unique and beautiful homes,
guaranteed to please.**

Sunday, December 11, 12.30 to 5 p.m.

Drop by the Renfrew Victoria Hospital and enjoy...

Victorian Bone China Tea, 1 to 4.30 p.m., RVH Cafeteria (included in ticket price)

RVH Gift Shop - 20% off all merchandise 12 to 5 p.m.

Renfrew Art Guild exhibit

\$25.00 per person

All Proceeds to RVH CT Scanner

Tickets available at the following locations with **cash or cheque**

- **Aikenhead's Drug Store**, 226 Raglan Street South, Renfrew
- **RVH Gift Shop**, 499 Raglan Street North, Renfrew
- **Renfrew Home Hardware Building Centre**, 555 O'Brien Rd., Renfrew

Ticket purchases by credit card or for information, call 613-432-3088 or email, rvha2011housetour@yahoo.ca

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Does your business sell or feature locally made products from the Ottawa Valley?

If so, we want to help spread the word to consumers!

With the holiday shopping season almost upon us, many consumers are looking for that unique "made in the Ottawa Valley" product but have difficulty finding it. We want to make it easier for consumers to find these products by compiling a list of locations where they can be purchased.

We call it the **Ottawa Valley Holiday Shopping List**.

Please tell us what locally made product(s) you feature, who makes them and where they are from.

(Locally made products can include goods, services, food, music, crafts, artwork, etc, and must be made in Renfrew or Pontiac Counties.)

Please submit your list to the OVTA by November 11th.

The Ottawa Valley Holiday Shopping list is a free promotional opportunity that will run from November 14 to December 31.



Don't forget to visit the Flower Factory's open house Saturday November 12th 9~5
4-180 Plaunt St., and Annprior's 2nd Annual Bridal Show,
Sunday November 13th 11~4.

Both hosted by Christina Ouellet of the Flower Factory.



HOOT FOR HOSPICE

Exciting evening for ladies to experience camaraderie through food and entertainment.

*Music: A Tribute to The Music of Elton John:
The Yellow Brick Road Band*

MC: Mark Papousek



*Tickets available at Mulvihill Drug Mart 1231 Pembroke St W Pembroke
and Stone Meadows 212 Raglan St S, Renfrew*

Tables of 6 or 8 \$40 per person includes dinner and entertainment

Team Prize for Best Decorated Table, Door Prizes, Silent and Live Auction

All Proceeds to Hospice Renfrew