

NORTH BAY & DISTRICT Chamber of Commerce



August 24, 2016
Chamber News
Update

Business After Hours 2016 Mark your calendar!

**Thursday,
September 22, 2016**

4:30 pm to 7:00 pm
hosted by



390 Airport Road



**Wednesday,
October 19, 2016**
Mini-Trade Show
(during Small Business Week)

* see booth registration on page 2



**Thursday,
November 24, 2016**

4:30 pm to 7:00 pm
hosted by



Please visit the [Events Calendar](#)
for more events
throughout the year

**Advocacy
Connections
Growth
& Value**



T Zone North Bay is committed to helping people get or stay active on our low impact machines!

For those with different ailments such as arthritis, diabetes, sciatica, low back pain, planter fasciitis, MS, fibromyalgia or have other limited abilities or conditions, we can help...

Our machines help improve muscle, flexibility and circulation to name a few things while you tone and lose inches!

Ask us about our Infrared Sauna, Himalayan Salt Lamps & Bath Salts!

We are very excited to be hosting the September 2016 After Hours Chamber Event and look forward to teaching **YOU** all the benefits you have been missing out on!

Thursday, September 22, 2016
4:30 pm to 7:00 pm
390 Airport Road



Nominations for Evening of Excellence Awards are now open!

Do you know a business that is well deserving of an award this year?
Nominate them now or self-nominate your company.

Send me an email now - all that is required at this point is the company name, who best to contact at the company, a phone number and what category best suits the nomination. Evening of Excellence Awards is scheduled for Thursday, October 20, 2016 - mark your calendars now.

Award categories are:

New Business of the Year
(1-3 years in business,
non-franchised and
independently owned)

**Young Professional
of the Year**
(30 years and under)

**Business of the Year
(16+ employees)**
(minimum of three years
in business)

Not For Profit of the Year
(Revenue and fundraising
must directly benefit North
Bay & District; must not
receive core government
funding)

**Small Business of the Year
(1 to 5 employees)**
(minimum of three years
in business)

**Innovation/Environment/
Social Entrepreneurship
Business of the Year**
(leadership in innovation,
technology, environmental
preservation and/or social
entrepreneurship)

**Small Business of the Year
(6 to 15 employees)**
(minimum of three years
in business)

Success Story of the Year
(demonstrated growth in
their industry and must be
in business a minimum of
3 years)

* Nominees will be contacted in the next few weeks to be interviewed for the nomination.



Mini -Trade Show & Business After Hours

Wednesday, October 19, 2016



Booth Setup: 3:00 pm
Trade Show: 4:00 pm - 7:30pm

BOOTH COST: \$125 plus HST
Limited Space Available

Part of "Business Week" events - **BUSINESS AFTER HOURS MINI-TRADE SHOW**
to showcase our chamber members and what services and products they have to offer.

Company Name: _____

Contact: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Please Invoice: ☐

Payment Enclosed by Cheque: ☐

Visa # _____ Exp: _____

M/C # _____ Exp: _____

Card Holder's Signature: _____

Do you require Electrical ?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Do you require a Table?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Do you have your own display?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

For More Information contact the Chamber of Commerce - Phone: 705-472-8480
Please Fax this form to the Chamber of Commerce - Fax Number: 705-472-8027
Email: sue@nbdcc.ca

Thank You for Your Support!



At left: Young Professionals went out on the town last evening for their monthly dinner club.

The group first did the Urban Quest challenge, an hour amazing race style activity that highlights the history of North Bay in the downtown core. Once the "race" was over, they went for a nice networking dinner at the Moose!

Congratulations to Tyler, Ryen and Jordan - our top "race" team. Thanks to everyone who participated.

NORTH BAY'S BIGGEST ROAD HOCKEY TOURNAMENT EVER



**Make it a team-building
event for your employees...
or go challenge another
business to go head-to-head
on the rink!**

**Or make a team of family and friends.
Six rinks. Three-on-three play. No
goals.**

On Saturday, September 17th the **2016 YMCA Road Hockey Fall Classic** takes place at North Bay's Lee Park, bringing together players of all ages and skill levels for a day of fun where every cent raised benefits the **YMCA Strong Kids Campaign**, helping children, youth and families in our community lead healthier, more active lives.

At just **\$125 per team of 4-6 players**, it's easy for businesses to make a real impact on the lives of children and families in the North Bay area. When you contribute to the **YMCA Strong Kids Campaign**, you help us send kids to camp, after school programs and organized sports, building the blocks of self-confidence, leadership, empathy and kindness.

Help us do more for North Bay – register your business and challenge others to join in the fun! Be sure to visit the YMCA on August 30-31 for a special two-day registration event featuring the RE/MAX Hot Air Balloon, a community BBQ, open house, fun activities and more!

Visit **YMCARoadHockey.com** to find out more and register your team today! It's a perfect opportunity for team building and a great way for your business to be seen giving back to the community.

[CLICK HERE](http://YMCARoadHockey.com) to register your team now!

\$150 PER PERSON INCLUDES:

- Green Fees • Golf Cart (for 2 players)
- Lunch • Dinner • Silent Auction
- 2 Gifts (registration & post play)

PLUS A CHANCE TO WIN:

- Trip for 2 to attend 2017 Masters in Augusta, Georgia
- \$10,000 toward a Kitchen Renovation
- Door Prizes

HOLE SPONSORSHIPS: \$500

All proceeds support the North Bay Symphony and our music education programs, which reach youth throughout North Bay and across the region. From elementary in-school programs to the String School and Youth Orchestra, NBSO is proud to inspire an appreciation and love of music in our youth.

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705.476.1495

The North Bay



Celebrating 40 years of Inspiring Community Through Music

FORE



NORTH BAY SYMPHONY

The Concerto

CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT



Proud Sponsors:

Tim Hortons

Monday, September 12
North Bay Golf & Country Club
705.476.1495

MONEY and RESOURCES for employers*

BEFORE YOU HIRE check out the following:

The Apprenticeship Job Creation Tax Credit (AJCTC)

- A non-refundable federal tax credit of up to \$2,000 per apprentice, per year, in the first two years of apprenticeship in a Red Seal trade
- Find more information on the Canada Revenue Agency website at cra-arc.gc.ca (enter AJCTC in the Search bar)
- Find more information on Red Seal Trades at red-seal.ca

The Apprenticeship Training Tax Credit (ATTC)

- A refundable provincial tax credit of up to \$5,000 per apprentice, per year, to a maximum of three years or \$15,000
- Find more information on the Ontario Ministry of Finance website at fin.gov.on.ca/en/credit/atcc

The Apprenticeship Completion Employer Bonus

- A taxable provincial cash grant of \$1,000 for each apprentice you employ. To qualify, the apprentice must complete the training and pass the Certificate of Qualification
- Find more information at tcu.gov.on.ca/eng/employmentontario/employers/appr_completion

*All tax credits, subsidies and grants are subject to change and availability. Other wage subsidies and employer incentives may also be available. Contact the **Employment Ontario - Employment Services** provider in your area for the most up-to-date information. Your local service provider can be found by calling the **Employment Ontario Hotline** at 1-800-387-5656.

Hiring an APPRENTICE made easy



What are employers SAYING?

"We have a long history of hiring apprentices and have always found them hardworking and eager to learn. They are an invaluable part of our team and an important part of building for the future."

- Lori White, Owner, Bouffard Plumbing & Heating Inc.

"I strongly believe that apprentices trained by us are the key to keeping this company moving forward."

- Larry Therrien, President/General Manager, LaRo Construction

"Sponsoring apprentices is an opportunity to positively impact the future of the workforce and industry. Participation is an investment well returned, don't miss out."

- Cora DeMarco, Human Resources, Technica Group Inc.

"We have two apprentices right now that are definitely an asset to our business. It is so important to pass on the skills that have taken you a lifetime to acquire."

- Eva Edwards, Franchisee/Owner, Trade Secrets

Our PARTNERS

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- Employment Options Emploi
- Greater Sudbury Chamber of Commerce
- Northeastern Ontario Construction Association
- The Mid North Network
- Rainbow District School Board
- Workforce Planning for Sudbury & Manitoulin
- YMCA Sudbury Employment Services



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10th Annual

Our Hospital Walk/Run

Sunday, October 16, 2016

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Walk/Run for your community, your family, and yourself!



North Bay Regional Health Centre Foundation

Fondation du Centre régional de santé de North Bay



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AUG 19 - SEPT 19



CANADIAN
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NORTHGATE

Giving back to SCHOOL



Supply girls with the tools they need to succeed!

Donate in support of Big Sisters and their Go Girls program. Give girls the supplies they need for a successful school year!

HOW TO DONATE* (AUG 19 - SEPT 19)

OPTION 1

Donate in the form of a Northgate gift card. Purchase your gift card and the full amount will be used to buy supplies.

OPTION 2

Donate in the form of a money order and the funds will be used to purchase supplies.

OPTION 3

Purchase supplies and bring them directly to Northgate Guest Services.

* Visit Northgate Guest Services for more information.

For every \$50 donated, one girl will receive a backpack along with pens, pencils, notebooks etc to prepare her for the school year.

Donate and enter to win a \$500 Northgate gift card!

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[CLICK HERE](#) to send us your information.



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CONQUER THE RIDGE MUD RUN CHALLENGE



Laurentian Ski Hill



900 Ski Club Rd, North Bay, ON
Saturday September 17th, 2016

North Bay's Premier Mud Run Challenge featuring: military inspired obstacles, official race timing, post-race celebration - vendors and much much more!

REGISTER NOW
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North Bay Regional
Health Centre



Centre régional
de santé de North Bay

The North Bay Regional Health Centre is developing its 2017-19 Strategic Plan and you can help inform this plan by taking a short, 10 minute survey by Aug. 30 (see link below). Thank you to those who have already taken the survey — we encourage you to share this link with your friends, family and colleagues.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SP-Community>



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