NORTH BAY & DISTRICT Chamber of Commerce

January 29, 2015

Chamber News Update

Business After Hours

Mark your calendars!

Thursday, February 26, 2015
co-hosted by
The Labour Market Group & Yes Employment!
149 Main Street East

Thursday, March 26, 2015
hosted by
406 Squadron RCAFA
406 First Avenue West

CAA North Bay introduces...
North Bay and District Chamber of Commerce

Discover Tuscany

September 29 – October 8, 2015

CLICK HERE
FOR MORE INFORMATION

AAA Vacations CAA

For more information contact
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CAA North & East Ontario
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TO LEARN MORE - CAA is hosting a presentation February 3rd at 6:30 pm, 955 McKeown Avenue
Call Judie to register, 705-474-8230 ext. 2901

@discoverynorthbay

THIRD ANNUAL

Winter Reception

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WINE & CHEESE
Thursday • February 26 • 2015
4:30 pm to 6:30 pm

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North Bay 2015
Special Olympics Ontario Winter Games

Special Olympics starts with the opening ceremonies TONIGHT in North Bay!

January 29 to February 1, 2015

A warm welcome to all the participants, coaches and families!

Special thank you to all the volunteers!

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Calling ALL Northern Ontario Manufacturers and Related Industry!

Industry Briefing on Productivity & Management Skills

This FREE networking event is open to all manufacturers, including those directly supplying manufactured product to the industry!

On behalf of our supporting community partners - we invite you to join us for a special presentation!

Issues Affecting Manufacturing

Al Diggins,
President and General Manager,
Excellence in Manufacturing Consortium

Kevin Lenko,
Lean Network Facilitator, LMS Program,
FSA, Excellence in Manufacturing Consortium

Join our briefing on the current state of the issues manufacturers and related industries are facing and the opportunity for Northern Ontario industry.

- Learn about an upcoming new initiative EMC will be launching designed to teach new management skills and productivity systems, supported by productivity cluster networks, at a significantly reduced cost.

Lean Management System Program

Chad Metcalf,
President, Value Stream Solutions Inc.

EMC's Lean Management System Initiative, supported by **FEDNOR** will provide Northern Ontario manufacturers with the ability to train up to 3 managers to better identify, manage and sustain Lean within their enterprise, with this project focused at the senior level.

Learn how during this program, we will focus in on learning and implementing processes related to:

- Understanding the Principal Elements of a Lean Management System.
- Implementing Visual Management and Controls.
- Identifying and designing Leader Standard Work.
- Developing processes for Accountability.
- Learning to be a Sensei versus a Manager through the use of Lean tools.

Don't just take it from us

Since attending the sessions, our team has identified the benefits of a successful lean program. The ability to share our experiences in a forum that allows participation with an educational approach has helped us break barriers and build our bench-strength. Always available, we can reach out to EMC and Value Stream Solutions for guidance and support. Mike Roach - Production Supervisor, Food Sector

Event Details:

Date: February 5, 2015
Location: North Bay, Ontario
Time: 8:00-10:00am

Who should attend?

CEOs, CFO's, Presidents, Senior Managers, Continuous Improvement Leaders: Managers, who want to build competitive advantage, improve productivity locally and expand competitiveness globally.

Agenda Items:

- **Welcome, Introductions**
- **Issues Affecting Manufacturing**
- **Lean Management System Program**
- **Roundtable Networking/Q&A**
- **Adjournment**

Register by email.

For more information::

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TWO DAY ANTI-OPPRESSION WORKSHOP

MARCH 11TH & 12TH

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Topics:

- > Stereotypes, Prejudice & Discrimination
- > Power & Privilege
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- > Race, Racism & Whiteness
- > Intercultural Communication
- > Newcomers to Canada

This interactive workshop uses anti-oppressive practice to engage participants in social analysis. Social analysis involves situating social issues and problems as operating within "a system", where there are different actors and interests, policies, and structures. Workshop participants will be given the tools needed to continue anti-oppressive work in their workplaces, agencies and communities.

Join us while we discuss and analyze different types of oppression, and how as a group we can become more inclusive.

2 Day Workshop: $100

*fee covers facilitator, materials and lunch for two days

Early bird registration *(by Feb. 20)*
SAVE $20

North Bay Newcomer Network
Changing the face of North Bay

Register with Meg Ramore at 705-495-8931
megramore@nbdmc.ca

North Bay & District Multicultural Centre
Immigrant Settlement Services

Regional Robotics Competition coming March 26, 27 and 28, 2015

The organizing committee would like to know if any local member restaurants or eateries would like to offer some sort of discounts for teams attending the Regional Robotics competition March 26, 27 and 28.

Most teams will be requiring at least one if not more meals outside the venue at the University and the expected number of participants is approximately 900. Send me an email and I can forward your offer to the committee and they will highlight your restaurant at the event. In your email please send me your logo, what you would like to offer (ie/ 10% discount, complimentary dessert, or whatever you determine is best) and also let me know how you want them to be recognized if they show up at your restaurant (ie/ Robotics shirt or ID, call ahead for reservations and/or a coupon that they need to bring with them).

The committee is open to suggestions, send an email to Patti at the Chamber now, 705-472-8480 and she will ensure that the committee receives your offer.

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