



July 2022 CHAMBER UPDATE



Chamber Office

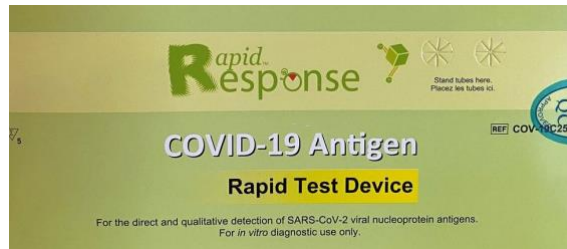
The Chamber Board of Directors meeting for July is cancelled. The next scheduled Board of Directors meeting will meet in person on August 16th, 2022, beginning at 8:00 a.m. Directors and members can also join via ZOOM meetings. All members are welcome to attend the meeting in person, or reach out to the Chamber office for the Zoom link.

The Chamber office is open Monday to Friday from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm.

Vacation Alert: The Chamber office will be closed from July 25 - August 2nd, reopening on Wednesday August 3rd at 9:00 a.m.

If you are planning an event, please contact the Chamber office, we can help spread the word.

Our office has a very good supply of Rapid Antigen Tests and are available to local businesses who employ under 150 employees. Contact the office to place your order and arrange pick up



COMMUNITY EVENTS

Mark your calendars!
It's back!!!!

The Downtown Renfrew BIA presents:

THAT SUMMER NIGHT

Thursday July 28th 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

That Summer Night is an evening of late summer shopping and live entertainment!

Many of our Chamber members will be open late.
[ShopLocalLoveLocal](#)

To enhance your evening shopping, musicians will be playing downtown for the evening



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4-9 p.m.
Downtown Renfrew

*An evening for late shopping and live entertainment!
We'll see you in Downtown Renfrew!*



Chamber Member Celebration

Congratulations to
A Sense of Country on your 11th Anniversary

SAVE THE DATE -
Saturday July 30th!!!

They will be celebrating their 11th Anniversary. Join them all day for prizes, treats and specials you don't want to miss and so much more!!!

PLUS the first 50 kids receive a coupon for FREE yes FREE Ice Cream from
The Valley Scoop [#shoplocal](#) [#downtownrenfrew](#) [#11yearsinbusiness](#)



"Local Jobs"

"One of the many benefits of being a Chamber member is being able to post your job opportunities on this page."

Let us help you with your hiring needs by posting your job opportunities on our page. Just send the

"Proud Member" Tent Cards

Our new "Proud Member" of the Renfrew & Area Chamber of Commerce tent cards are available to all members who would like to display at their businesses.

Chamber office your job ad's and I will add it the website page.

Visit the website by clicking on the link below.

<https://renfrewareachamber.ca/local-jobs/>

email - info@renfrewareachamber.ca

[Renfrew & Area Chamber of Commerce](#)

Please contact the Chamber office if you would like one or two tent cards
613-432-7015 info@renfrewareachamber.ca

Enterprise Renfrew County is offering FREE Virtual Workshops for the month of July.

There are two more workshops available. The Chamber has attended the first two and they have been very informative.

Contact Enterprise Renfrew County to register for these valuable free virtual workshops at:

Tel - 613-639-5853

[email - ercinfo@countyofrenfrew.on.ca](mailto:ercinfo@countyofrenfrew.on.ca)



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THURSDAYS

7, 14, 21, & 28 JULY, 2022

11:00 AM TO NOON



TO REGISTER CALL OR EMAIL

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2022 Chamber Scheduled Events

New to the Frew / Community Information - Wednesday September 21, 2022 - this years event will be held at the Ma-te-Way Activity Centre, in partnership with the Town of Renfrew Parks and Recreation Department. Let the Chamber office know if you would or an organization would like a table at this years event. New residents "Welcome" to the area packages are currently being assembled for the event with brochures, business cards, pens, note pads from local businesses in the area. If you would like to add your business brochure

Annual Community Awards Celebration - Thursday October 20, 2022 - nominations are now being accepted, click on the link to nominate a business, organization or individual.

[2022 Annual Community Awards Nomination Form](#)

This years awards are:

Citizen of the Year, Community Champion of the Year, Outstanding Business Achievement Award, Inclusive Employer Champion, New Business Award, Young Person of the Year Award
Visual Artist / Artisan of the Year, 2022 Local Hero Award

Our members contributions over the years have helped the Chamber deliver this premier community achievement event in Renfrew. If you would like to sponsor an award for this great community event, please contact Gail at the Chamber office. Below is an outline of your investment as a Gold Sponsor.

GOLD Sponsor, valued at \$500. Award Sponsor

- Podium time to express greetings from your business
 - Podium time to announce award recipient and hand them their plaque
 - Sponsor's name prominently associated with the individual award and Sponsor's named engraved on the award
 - Placement in multi-media presentation
 - Placement in all newspaper advertising, emails, media releases, event signage and banners, event program and all pre and post-event promotions.
 - Two complimentary tickets to the awards celebration.
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Doucett Insurance is the Chambers Plan group benefits exclusive advisors. They can help you find the employee benefits plan that's right for you, your employees, and your business.

Whether you're a first-time buyer shopping for the best plan or you're considering a switch from your existing plan, they are happy to talk with you about group benefits for your business.

<https://doucettinsurance.ca/contact-us/>

You can also contact the Chamber office for more information regarding this plan.

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