

# NORTH BAY & DISTRICT Chamber of Commerce



September 6, 2017  
Chamber News  
Update

## Business After Hours 2017 Mark your calendar!

Thursday,  
September 21, 2017  
hosted by



117 Chippewa Street West  
North Bay, ON  
4:30 pm to 7:00 pm

Wednesday,  
October 18, 2017  
Mini-Trade Show  
hosted by



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4:00 pm to 7:30 pm

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Dear Chamber Members,

The Canadian Chamber of Commerce welcomes you to join a network conference call with Adriana Vega, our Director of International Policy. Adriana will provide an update on the state of play of the NAFTA negotiations following the end of the second round held in Mexico City.

NAFTA is Canada's single most important preferential trade agreement. In preparation for the third round, to be held in Canada in late September, participants will be debriefed on what to expect as negotiations continue to unfold.

You must register to receive the call-in coordinates. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact [Angela Roy](#).

**Monday Sept 11, 2017 at 11:30 a.m. EDT**  
[Click here to Register](#)

We look forward to your participation.



## Mix & Mingle

Join the Young Professionals  
at the Moose on  
**Thursday, September 7, 2017**  
Starting around 4:30 pm on the  
patio if the weather allows  
(otherwise inside)

Please  
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So we can  
reserve  
space in  
advance.

Call 705-  
472-8480  
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[HERE](#)  
to email  
Patti

All  
members  
welcome!



Everyone welcome! This is just a casual meet and greet organized by the Young Professionals group of the North Bay & District Chamber of Commerce



## Corporate Tax Changes Will Hurt Small Business

### Are you a business owner? Is your business incorporated?

You could be facing a larger tax bill and big compliance costs from the government's new proposals to change the way corporations are taxed.

Here are three things you need to know about the tax changes proposed by the federal government:

**Do you employ family members?** The government wants to scrutinize their compensation to apply a much higher tax rate on income they consider unreasonable".

**Do you invest the profits from your business?** The federal government is proposing to tax that income at an effective rate of 70%.

**Do you want to pass your business on to your children?** Tough new rules make it difficult for younger kids to get the capital gains exemption. They could be double-taxed.

Small and medium-sized businesses (SMEs) are the engine of the Canadian economy – estimates range from 85 to 90% of all businesses in Canada are SMEs.

The chamber network across Canada is using its collective voice on this issue; your voice as a business person needs to be heard as part of this initiative.

**Join us**  
**Monday, September 18, 2017**  
**11:30 am to 1:30 pm**  
**@ The Grande**

For a special presentation by  
**Dean Decaire, CPA, CA, CFP**  
Partner, BDO North Bay & Sudbury

What this will mean to your business if Canada Finance moves forward with the proposed changes to federal taxation on corporations.

**Pre-registration only!**

**Please call the Chamber office,**  
**705-472-8480 to reserve your**  
**seat. Or click [HERE](#) to email**  
**your registration.**



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**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH, 2017**

**@ PINWOOD GOLF COURSE AT RAMADA RESORT**  
**4 Person/9 Hole Scramble / 7:30pm Shotgun Start**  
**6pm BBQ, Glow Gear, Prizes, Games, Silent Auction & More**

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You can also call 705-477-3643 for more information

# CELEBRITY NIGHT

Wednesday | September 13, 2017 | 5 p.m. - 7:45 p.m.

Habitat Celebrity Volunteers to Serve Dinner

Enjoy dinner and drinks | Proceeds to Habitat

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**2018 Ford World Women's Curling Championship**

## NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

for many committees from March 17th to 25th!

See the volunteer video on our website

<http://www.curling.ca/2018worldwomen/volunteers/>

and click here to register

<https://volunteer.curling.ca/2018fwcc>

**BE A PART OF YOUR COMMUNITY!**

For more information contact Amanda at [amanda.mackenzie@curling.ca](mailto:amanda.mackenzie@curling.ca).



## Would you like to volunteer????

The proposed guideline is approx. 30 hours; however specific hours may be discussed with the committee. Check out the volunteer video by clicking [HERE](#).

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# MAYOR'S CASINO ROYALE FUNDRAISER

SEPTEMBER 16, 2017

In support of: Canadore College Student Food Bank, Creative Industries (formerly CBACH) and North Bay Food Bank  
Hosted by Canadore College

## JOIN US for a GALA EVENING of CASINO FUN and HORS D'OEUVRES!

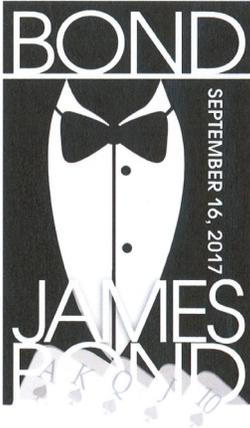
Dress in your tuxedo, suit or gown.

Martinis to be shaken by a celebrity guest!

Feel the excitement of gambling on authentic casino tables with professional dealers! While you play you are supporting our local charities, and your winnings will allow the chance to win great prizes!

There will also be great items to be auctioned at the end of the evening.

Feast on special hors d'oeuvres from some of the finest restaurants in North Bay.



Doors Open at 7:00 pm • Casino Games 7:30 to 11:30 pm  
Auction begins at 11:35 pm

### Ticket \$125

Purchase tickets online at <https://events.canadorecollege.ca/alumni/?p=214>

Location: Canadore College Aviation Campus, 55 Aviation Lane, North Bay, ON

If you have any questions or are interested in a Sponsorship Package, please contact any of us at the numbers below.

Wendy Abdallah, 705-498-9724 or 705-495-8339, [Wendy.Abdallah@ontario.ca](mailto:Wendy.Abdallah@ontario.ca)

Mark Deacon, 416-805-7482, [mark.deacon@gartner.com](mailto:mark.deacon@gartner.com)

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Kim Devine, 705-474-7600 ext. 5150, [Kimberley.devine@canadorecollege.ca](mailto:Kimberley.devine@canadorecollege.ca)

\* The casino games winnings have no cash value.

# MAYOR'S CASINO ROYALE: SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES

September 16, 2017

Canadore College Aviation Campus, Main Hanger

We are so pleased that you are considering supporting the Mayor's Casino Royale through a sponsorship package. The generosity of our sponsors plays a critical role in supporting the great work being done by the three North Bay organizations who will receive the proceeds from this event - the Canadore College Student Emergency Food Bank, Creative Industries, and The North Bay Food Bank.

We look forward to discussing the following options for sponsorship and we encourage you to review the information below.

**ROYAL FLUSH: (\$6,500 Sponsorship)** This package includes 10 tickets to the event, your business logo on most printed and virtual materials related to the event and at the event (posters, pop up banners, 'Players Card', projection screen and more!), a helicopter ride for 2 to arrive at the event in Bond-style, limousine transportation home, 20 martini tickets, photo opportunities for you and your guests with the celebrity guest, and 5 VIP parking passes.

**MI6: (\$3,000 Sponsorship)** This package includes 4 tickets to the event, your business name and logo on a pop-up banner beside a casino game, on the projection screen and on the 'Players Card', 8 martini tickets, a photo opportunity with the celebrity guest and 2 VIP parking packages.

**SECRET AGENT: (\$2,000 Sponsorship)** This package includes 2 tickets to the event, your business name and logo on the projection screen, 4 martini tickets, a photo opportunity with the celebrity guest, and 1 VIP parking pass.

**BANGERS & MASH: (Restaurant In-Kind Food Donation)** This package includes 2 tickets to the event, your business logo on the back of the 'Players Card', your business logo and information on a dedicated pop-up banner, your name and logo on each serving tray along with your restaurant's food, your name and logo on the projection screen, and 4 martini tickets.

**DIAMONDS ARE FOREVER: (Donation of Items for the Live Auction or Casino Draw):** This package includes your business name and logo displayed on a pop-up banner beside the Auction and Draw items and on the projection screen. Enhanced and individualized recognition will be given to those who donate items in excess of \$2,000 in value.

**ALL OR NOTHING TICKET PACKAGE (1500.00--Tax receipt available):** This package includes 4 tickets, transportation both ways, 12 martini tickets and 600 Bonus chips.

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2nd Floor

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Ceux-ci sont invités à la première rencontre le mercredi 13 septembre à 19 h à l'École secondaire publique Odysée. La pièce sera le 28 octobre au Compagnons.

RSVP à Sylvia Antinozzi par courriel antinozzisylvia@hotmail.com ou par téléphone 705-474-2734

# Students are back, and fall is just around the corner.

September 5, 2017 is here already. Summer is winding down quickly and fall is just around the corner. Parents are scrambling to get their kids back to and in school...where did the summer go???

As we start to prepare for the cooler weather and eventual snow, it is great to see the activity that has begun over the last couple of weeks... the annual arrival of our post secondary students and families attending Canadore College, Nipissing University, and CTS Canadian Career College. The influx of this student population, is a huge boost to our local economy and welcome to first time students and welcome back for those returning.

Many studies have been done that try to capture the economic value of what these students bring to our community. Suffice to say that over the course of the next eight to ten months, millions of dollars will be spent on rent, food and education. Our colleges and university are one of the largest generators of economic spin off, not to mention the employment income from the employees that work in these institutions.

Over the first few weeks of arrival to our City, we are very privileged to watch and assist in many of the charity events that the student

bodies engage in and give back to their adopted community. The leaders of the student bodies, recognize the importance of giving back and participating in our community. We have had the opportunity to sit down with many of them and their enthusiasm is contagious. Our members at the Chamber say, "welcome home!".

On Thursday of last week, the DIA announced the winner of "Win this Space" contest and SugarDaddy Cupcakes & Catering were the grand prize winner. Nathan and John Serran and staff were the successful applicants out of ten hopeful businesses that participated in the competition. They will be setting up shop in the downtown and expect to expand right out of the starting gate. These two are young, energetic and extremely personable young men with a vision and we are confident that they will be successful.

Last weeks column, focused on the Federal Government's proposed legislative changes that will affect incorporated businesses across Canada. We are seeing a ground swell of opposition to these changes and many questions surrounding them. On September 18<sup>th</sup>, your North Bay & District Chamber of Commerce has partnered with Dean Decaire from BDO Canada LLP and will be presenting a lunch and learn session, on what these proposed changes will mean to business owners. Limited space will be available and please watch for our announcement and registration details over the next few days.

Peter Chirico is the President & CEO of the North Bay & District Chamber of Commerce.



**NORTH BAY & DISTRICT Chamber of Commerce**

## Mini -Trade Show & Business After Hours

Wednesday, October 18th, 2017

Location: Titanium Transportation  
348 Birches Rd  
Booth Setup: 3:00 pm  
Trade Show: 4:00 pm - 7:30pm  
BOOTH COST: \$125 plus HST  
Limited Space Available

The Chamber of Commerce is taking over the **BUSINESS AFTER HOURS** to showcase our chamber members and what services and products they have to offer.

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