



## Municipal Election Meet & Greets

### North Bay

September 11, 2018 - 6 to 8 pm  
The Grande Event Centre

### Papineau-Cameron

September 13, 2018 6:30 to 8:30 pm  
Mattawa Golden Age Centre

### Callander

September 17, 2018 6:30 to 8:00 pm  
Callander Community Centre

### Bonfield

September 18, 2018 6:30 to 8:30 pm  
Parish Hall

### Calvin

September 19, 2018 6:30 to 8:30 pm  
Calvin Community Centre

## Business After Hours 2018 Mark your calendar!

Thursday,  
September 27, 2018  
hosted by

NIPISSING UNIVERSITY STUDENT UNION



4:30 pm to 7:00 pm  
100 College Drive, North Bay, ON

October is Business Week!  
October 15th to 19th, 2018  
Watch for upcoming events during  
that week such as: Bell Evening  
of Excellence Awards, Business  
After Hours Mini-Trade Show  
and workshops/seminars.

North Bay & District  
Chamber of Commerce

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## Long-Time Chamber Manager Passes



Glen DeVuono was the Chamber manager for the North Bay & District Chamber of Commerce for 33 years (1966 to 1999). Glen passed this past weekend on Saturday, August 25, 2018 at the age of 81 years old.

From his obituary (which he wrote): He was proud of having been part of a small group of Chamber Members who began development of our lakefront in 1975, by carving a beach and playground from what was a junkyard and jungle. Glen was a 50-year club curler, a member of a fiercely competitive bridge group and spent countless hours enjoying the log cabin which he built in Chisholm in 1979. In his earlier years, Glen was Manager of the Sault Star Wawa Bureau, Past President of the Wawa Lions Club and Honourary Member of Branch 429 Royal Canadian Legion.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the North Bay Humane Society, Nipissing Serenity Hospice or a charity of your choice. Cremation has taken place. At Glen's request, there is no funeral or visitation. A celebration of life will be held Saturday, September 8, 2018 at the North Bay Granite Club from 1 pm to 4 pm. We hope old friends, past curling colleagues, and Chamber friends that can attend, will stop by and meet the family. He is survived by his three sons, Dean (Cindy), David (Moreen), Perry (Sue), 9 grandchildren and his sister Angeline.

## How might we?

As we head into the Labour Day weekend, we certainly must be thankful for the beautiful summer that we have enjoyed. Although some of our neighbors to the West and North of us had forest fire issues, we are all grateful for the efforts of so many people and emergency response personnel who worked so hard, to keep us safe. Thank you to each one of them, as sometimes when these disasters occur, we forget about the brave men and women who, through their actions, let us sleep at night.

Congratulations to the North Bay Bass Masters for hosting the Ontario Bass Nation, Hank Gibson qualifying Tournament here in North Bay. Many months of preparation by the host committee and City staff, brought an incredible number of visitors/participants to North Bay and Lake Nipissing. The launch on Saturday morning was great to watch and hopefully

we will see additional tournaments back here in North Bay. Not only does it promote our community across the Province, but also, provides a good boost to tourist spending in our region. Great job to all involved and we hope to see it back.

With summer winding down and the fall approaching, we will soon be in full election mode for the upcoming municipal and school board slates. For the most part, the campaigns are slowly beginning to be laid out for all to see. The political rhetoric is also starting to creep in and unfortunately, it is likely to increase as Election day approaches. From a Chamber and personal perspective, the election campaign should not be about personal peevs or personalities. Rather than looking back and being critical about past decisions, the discussion should be about "How Might We?".

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## Election 2018

October 22, 2018

Have your say in who  
represents your municipality

Click Here  
and tell us  
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## Outdoor Movie Night & BBQ

**Friday, Sept 14th**  
 Admission & BBQ- free  
 One Kids Place court yard

doors will open 6pm  
 movie will start at dusk



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Please participate in this exciting two part event as we continue to make collaboration within our region a priority.

**REVERSE TRADESHOW**  
2:00 - 4:00 PM

Share your procurement processes at the reverse tradeshow with regional businesses.

Develop new relationships with local contacts so we can foster a regional supply chain.

**BUSINESS AFTER-HOURS**  
4:00 - 6:00 PM

Wrap-up the event by joining us for a North Bay & District Chamber of Commerce After-Hours, where you can network with like-minded industry professionals.

- ▶ Share your procurement process with regional suppliers
- ▶ Showcase your organization to a regional audience
- ▶ Network and meet new partners

**REGISTER A BOOTH TODAY.**

**PLEASE BOOK BY SEPT. 14** by contacting the Municipality of East Ferris at 705-752-2740 or by email at: [municipality@eastferris.ca](mailto:municipality@eastferris.ca)

\* There is no cost to attend

**THURSDAY  
SEPTEMBER 20**  
EAST FERRIS COMMUNITY CENTRE

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Education Centre Gym

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The Municipality of East Ferris is pleased to present "Power Hour" a series of workshops for business and entrepreneurs in our area.

BROWN BAG LUNCH SESSIONS FOR SMALL BUSINESS SUCCESS

# POWER HOUR

## Leadership

EAST FERRIS  
Business Community Networking



Bring your lunch and join us over the lunch hour to discover how honing your leadership skills can help propel you to reach your small business goals.

**When:**  
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12TH  
12:00 PM

**Where:**  
EAST FERRIS COMMUNITY CENTRE  
1267 VILLAGE ROAD  
ASTORVILLE, ON

SPECIAL GUEST & EAST FERRIS RESIDENT:

*Lori Burns*

Founder of Horse Ability

In addition to being the founder of Horse Ability, Lori is also the Program Director and Lead Facilitator. Horse Ability specializes in offering Equine-Assisted Activities and Therapies to diverse groups of participants. Lori's programs focus on the development and strengthening of essential life skills for the participants, using horses as the teachers.

Lori began her career in corporate Facility Planning and Project Management where she facilitated large construction projects from conception through to completion.

**PLEASE REGISTER BY SEPTEMBER 10<sup>TH</sup>**  
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at 705-752-2740 or by email at:  
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**ROTARY SPLASH PAD FUN EVENT**  
 Saturday, September 8, 2018  
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 Behind North Bay Museum

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“How Might We?” This column has touched on this subject many times over the past year. Discussions with Mike Campigotto and the need to change the conversation in our City and district, continues to refer back to this question. This is a truly powerful question and one that when we look at the future of our City and Districts, is probably one of the most important for each candidate to ask, on any issue. The failure to look forward and heap blame or criticism on past decisions, lacks the foresight that will be required to advance our communities for success, in the future. As a community, we need to embrace a positive but realistic outlook on what can be accomplished. It is not just about stating that we have to work together, but to

actually do it and live it.

We live in a democratic society where we can speak freely, but with the advent of social media and instantaneous communication, “send or post”, should have additional safe guards built in for users. After reading some of the recent postings by some candidates, they might want to have a second set of eyes or safeguards in place, to save them from themselves!!!

Please make sure that any one that is eligible to vote gets registered, if not already done so. It is important for the future of all of us.

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



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- Facebook link

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The North Bay & District Chamber of Commerce has joined forces with the North Bay Foodbank by engaging our membership in the support of a major change effort underway in North Bay. We are sending out a **Chamber Challenge** and calling on you to support the North Bay Foodbank's resilience project. Support can be straightforward, by engaging in the following ways:

1. **Donation Bin** - Engage your organization to donate periodically by bringing in just one extra food item at lunch. You can support this effort by accepting a dedicated donation bin from the Foodbank and promote filling the bin using “**dress down Fridays**” in exchange for a food item or many other creative methods to align and engage the team at your workplace.
2. **“Just 1” Habit** - Promoting the game-changing idea that a social habit of donating just one of the “**foods of the month**” each time we shop for food, will supply enough food to feed those most in need.
3. **Community Capital** - Choose one of the **capital packages**: Community Supporter, Community Partner or Community Leader and contribute a reoccurring amount or one time support to the North Bay Foodbank and reap the **recognition benefits** of their new reach via a redesigned website and enhanced social reach.

As a member that invests in this project's success, you will reap a return on investment that is unmatched – positive local community impact. The North Bay Foodbank is piloting many new concepts to promote adopting individual and corporate habits that are intended to become broader norms that have the potential to end food insecurity beyond just our community. [CLICK HERE](#) to start your North Bay Food Bank Chamber Challenge. Or [CLICK HERE](#) to see other ways your workplace can be involved.