

Become a Member



\$300 Annual Investment

Credibility and reputation that comes with being a Chamber Member

Basic Directory Listing with link to website - Boosts your SEO!



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Access to our Networking Events such as: our after hours networking events, Golf day and more!

Connection to relevant community and business information

Money saving programs to enhance your business from companies such as:

• ESSO - Save 3.5 cents per litre of fuel purchased at ESSO and Mobil branded stations.

• Employee Group Benefits - Canada's #1 employee benefits plan for small business. Exclusive to Chamber Members

And more!

APPLY NOW

Joining the
Bracebridge Chamber
opens doors to a
wealth of advantages!

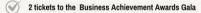
Benefit from networking opportunities, access valuable discounts and benefits, receive marketing support, and stand stronger with our advocacy efforts.

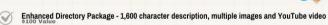
Visit our website to explore these perks and choose the appropriate tier for your business.

SILVER MEMBERSHIP

\$600 Annual Investment

Two E-blasts per year





Your logo on our homepage for the year

1 ticket to the Mayor's breakfast

All Bronze perks

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GOLD MEMBERSHIP

\$1,000 Annual Investment

Exclusive Leader's Lunch



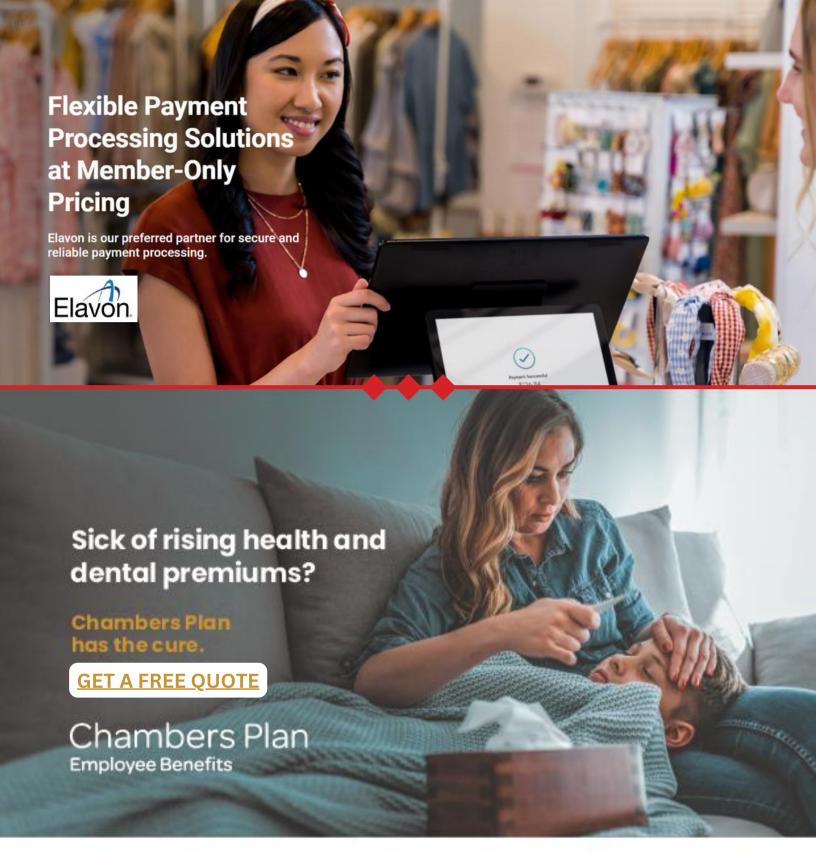
Strongest supporter of our advocacy work

2 tickets to the Business Achievement Awards Gala

Single block, full colour, map ad for your business - Distributed to 10,000 visitors

All Silver + Bronze perks

APPLY NOW



Real benefits for your business



Chambers Plan's not-for-profit structure, combined with pooling among its 30,000 members, equals one of the industry's lowest average renewals, at 3.9% over the last decade.





CALLING ALL ARTISTS!

Showcase your work in the annual Gravenhurst Autumn Arts Tour!



FEE: \$100 (includes print brochure listing, online listing, print and social media event promotion AND signage for your location)



DEADLINE TO REGISTER: Friday, August 16

* Must register by August 16 to be included in the brochure

September 28 & 29 | 10 am to 4 pm

Gravenhurst.ca/ArtsTour

NOW HIRING



MUSKOKA Location



WE OFFER

- Full-time, year-round employment with seasonal positions available,
- Ongoing training and career advancement opportunities,
- 3. Health benefits package,
- Start at higher than industry average salaries

ARBORIST, TREE CLIMBER and GROUNDWORKERS

SEND RESUME

contact@arborworks.ca

WE CONNECT JOB SEEKERS AND EMPLOYERS!

195 Wellington St, Unit 11, Bracebridge (705) 646-0475 • agilec.ca/ES















Diversity and Inclusion Training for Small Employers

Sponsored by the District of Muskoka's IDEA Advisory Group



Complimentary workshops include:

Safer Spaces: 2S-LGBTQ+ Cultural Competency with The Gilbert Centre Indigenous Awareness with Kelly Brownbill Bystander Intervention with Julie S. LaLonde

September 10 12:30 - 4:30pm September 12 12:30 - 4:30pm October 9 1:00-4:00pm

October 29 1:00 - 3:00PM Noember 6 1:00 - 3:00PM November 14 1:00 - 3:00PM



^{*}All workshops are conducted virtually over Zoom, spaces are limited.



PROGRAM INFORMATION

Building Improvement Grant/Loan Program

Energy Efficiency Retrofit Grant/Loan Program

Facade Improvement Grant/Loan Program

Housing Grant/Loan Program

Property Improvement Grant/Loan Program

Signage Improvement Grant Program

Tax Increment Equivalent Grant



2024-25

APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN

Would business training, mentorship and \$5000 help you start or grow your small business?

- Business Planning Help
- Local Business Mentorship
- Opportunity for a \$5000 grant

Questions?

- www.muskokasmallbusiness.ca
- admin@muskokasmallbusiness.ca
- **©** 705-646-9021

Learn More & Apply

by August 8th at: form.jotform.com/MuskokaSBC/SCP











AUGUST 24 | OUTDOOR MUSIC FESTIVAL

DUNNING BUTCHERS



CACHE CREEK and more

BLUE MOON

\$25 EARLY BIRD | \$35 AT THE DOOR

BEER GARDEN PRESENTED BY LAKE OF BAYS BREWING CO.

THIS IS A RAIN OR SHIN E EVENT



SCAN TICKETS

OMORRISON MEADOWS, BRACEBRIDGE @MUSICATTHEMEADOWS | WWW.CLSM.ON.CA

















We are hosting TWO

Charity BBQ Events!s

When:

Friday August 2nd - 12:00 nn -4:00pm

Friday August 16th - 12:00nn-4:00pm

Please join us and help support the YWCA of Muskoka, 100% of all donations go to support this wonderful non profit organization!

Great Prizes to be won!!! Tickets available for a **Bakerstone Gas Cooking Center with Pizza** Oven or a 6 piece steel outdoor dining set with umbrella tickets available August 1 -16th winners will be drawn on August 17th!

Don't Miss out!

BRACEBRIDGE RONA





Music at the Meadows

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

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\$250

BRONZE SPONSOR

\$500

Advertisement included in upcoming CLSM newsletter logo and company name included on CLSM website logo and company name included throughout all dvertising material

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SILVER SPONSOR

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Four (4) tickets to the event Logo and company name included throughout all advertising material

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Sign with company name identifying as Gold Sponsor at

- at the event Public thank you on social media Public thank you from Emcee at the event

All proceeds to help provide food & housing security for the people we support

A charitable donation receipt will be issued | Community Living South Muskoka | 15 Depot Drive, Bracebridge, ON P1LOH1
Phone: (705) 645-5494 | Fax: (705) 645-4621 | www.dsm.on.ca | www.morrisonmeadows.com

walkamile in their shoes

Walk A Mile in Their Shoes Sunday, September 29, 2024 11 to 2:00pm



Raising funds for YWCA Muskoka

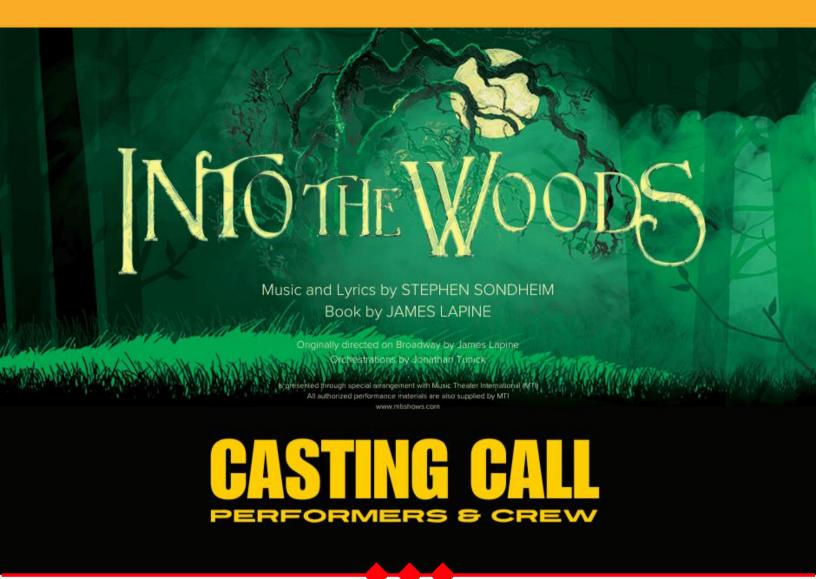
Donate Now





theatre muskoka

Rene M. Caisse Memorial Theatre 100 Clearbrook Trail, Bracebridge, P1L 0A3 tickets & information: www.theatremuskoka.ca





Destination Northern Ontario Fixed Roof Accommodation Survey

Recent data from the CBRE Accommodation Survey reveals encouraging trends in Northern Ontario's hospitality industry for 2024. The region has experienced an overall increase in occupancy rates across various accommodation types, signalling a recovery in the tourism sector.

The survey indicated that Northern Ontario's overall occupancy rate has risen by 3 percentage points, from 47% in 2022 to 50% in 2023. This growth is reflected across different accommodation categories, with each segment improving. Hotels, motels and resorts in Northern Ontario have seen a modest increase, with occupancy rates climbing from 49% in 2022 to 50% in 2023, representing a 1 percentage point gain. This slight uptick suggests a gradual return of travellers to traditional lodging options in the region.

The most significant growth was observed in the housekeeping cabins and cottages segment. This category experienced a substantial 9 percentage point increase, with occupancy rates jumping from 42% in 2022 to 51% in 2023. This surge may indicate a growing preference among tourists for more secluded and self-contained accommodation options.

Lodges and remote outposts also saw a positive movement, with occupancy rates increasing by 2 percentage points, from 48% in 2022 to 50% in 2023. This growth suggests a renewed interest in wilderness experiences and outdoor activities among visitors to northern Ontario.

These improvements across all accommodation types indicate a broader recovery in Northern Ontario's tourism industry. The region's diverse offerings, from urban hotels to remote wilderness lodges, appear to attract a range of visitors, contributing to the overall growth in occupancy rates. As the tourism sector continues to rebound, these positive trends may signal increased economic activity and opportunities for the hospitality industry in Northern Ontario.

Community Grants for not-for-profit organizations are available on an annual basis. To learn more about eligibility and criteria, please review the **Community Grant** Application.

Deadline to apply: Monday, September 9 at 4:30 p.m.

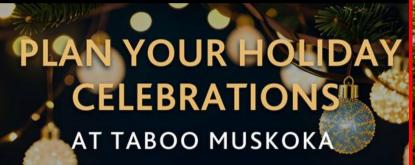
COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM

Receive a one-time funding opportunity to help support community programs and development.









and you will enjoy the panoramic views of Lake Muskoka while dining and dancing the night away

Host your custom party on any available date with help from our team of experts!







INCLUDES:

Festive décor, set with round tables, white linen, serving staff, bar staff, and a fabulous Holiday Dinner.

Minimum 25 Maximum 85

TO INQUIRE & BOOK PLEASE CONTACT 🙆 Lisa. Edlington@taboomuskoka.com



Ask us about our special overnight guestroom rates!

taboo MUSKOKA

The Town of Bracebridge invites professional and amateur authors to submit an original children's story to be considered for the Woodchester Storybook Trail. The selected author can receive up to \$1,000 and have their story featured along the 500-metre trail in the urban forest at 15 King Street. Read more:

https://ow.ly/qhuZ50SybzH

STAY · DINE · RELAX · MEET · EXPLORE



About the Bracebridge Chamber of Commerce

The Bracebridge Chamber of Commerce is a membership-based, politically independent, not-for-profit organization that supports businesses of all sectors to convene, collaborate, advocate and create solutions for the regional economic prosperity of Muskoka. We enable this by providing our members with exclusive business opportunities, networking events, a united voice for improving business competitiveness across all sectors, and access to innovative insight and relevant solutions. The Bracebridge Chamber of Commerce knows that vibrant competitive & economically sustainable business communities are the foundation for a prosperous Muskoka.

Please visit our website for more information at:

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