



2008 Corporate Sponsor

NEWS & VIEWS

September 2008

COMING EVENTS
MARK YOUR CALENDAR

September 18, 2008

Networking Breakfast
8:00am-9:00am
Hosted by **cbm Canada**,
3844 Stouffville Rd.
Free to Members,
\$15.00 Non-Members

September 25, 2008

Annual Business Awards
Meadowbrook Golf & Country Club,
6:30 pm - Meet and Greet
7:30 pm - Dinner
11939 Warden Ave
\$63.00, Members
\$73.50, Non-Members
(Includes GST)

October 23, 2008

Networking Breakfast
8:00am-9:00am
Hosted by **Parkview Village**,
12184 9th Line
Free to Members,
\$15.00 Non-Members

November 20, 2008

Networking Breakfast
8:00am-9:00am
Hosted by **Birkett-Hassard**
Insurance Brokers Ltd.
6262 Main St.
Free to Members,
\$15.00 Non-Members

December 4, 2008

Christmas Luncheon
Sleepy Hollow Golf & Country Club
13242 Tenth Line
12:00 noon

Advance Registration & Payment
Required For All Events.

Ontario Chamber of Commerce

Ontario Caucus Update

During the months of July and August the Ontario Caucus has moved through the Ontario resolutions in preparation for the Canadian Chamber convention. In mid August they moved into non-Ontario resolutions; Finance, Environment, Industry, Government Operations, International, Justice, Social Transportation. Just another way your chamber is looking after your businesses.

Bring us your Brochures

We encourage our members to advertise their businesses by submitting brochures (no larger than 4 x 9) and or business cards so that we may display them in the train station lobby.

Want to Host a Breakfast?

We are now taking bookings for 2009. Why not host a breakfast in your place of business; it's a great way to showcase your business.

Winterizing Your Pool by the Experts

Now that summer is unfortunately coming to an end it's time to start thinking about closing your pool. It's important that you winterize your pool properly so that you are not faced with costly repairs in the spring due to freezing.

Winterizing your pool is not a difficult job, you just need to remember that water increases its volume by about 10% when it freezes, and will break anything it is contained in if it has no room to expand. All the equipment and lines must be drained or blown free of water and sealed off to prevent water from re-entering during the winter months. Once this is complete, test and balance the water and add a chlorine shock and algaecide and cover the pool for the winter.

If you are unsure of how to properly winterize your pool you should contract a pool professional to do it for you. Submitted by: Matt Michell, Betz Pools Ltd.

**BUSINESS OWNERS PLEASE
ATTEND**

Sept. 9, 2008 "Special Council Meeting" for consideration of Official Plan and Zoning By-Law amendments submitted by Calloway Reit (Stouffville), Inc. regarding Hoover Park Town Centre.

**STOUFFVILLE IGOMA
PARTNERSHIP (SIP)**

Join us for a fun night with superb entertainment everyone is sure to enjoy!

The Whitchurch-Stouffville Town Council and Chamber of Commerce invite you to attend the
**4th Annual Fundraising
Dinner and Auction**

Friday, October 17, 2008
EastRidge Church Complex
12485 10th Line, Stouffville

To purchase tickets, please contact the Whitchurch-Stouffville Chamber of Commerce at 905-642-4227, or EastRidge Evangelical Missionary Church at 905-640-3911 ext. 42.

Drive carefully! Remember, it's not only a car than can be recalled by its maker.

2008 Business Awards

Come on out and help honour the best of the best in Whitchurch-Stouffville. The theme for this years Business Awards is "A Little Bit Country!", so grab your hats and boots and mosey on over to Meadowbrook Golf & Country Club, 11939 Warden Ave., maybe you'll bump into a Dolly Parton or Garth Brooks look a like.

Please call 905-642-4227; we are now taking reservations for seats and or tables of 8; cheque or credit cards accepted.

Annual Business Award Sponsors



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2008**

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Go Sales and Tourist Information

Monday-Friday 7:30am-5:00pm
Saturday 7:30am-4:00pm

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

**Michael Roseman CA Professional
Corporation**

6 Opal Court
Stouffville, ON L4A 8C2
Tel: 905-642-2348
Fax: 416-753-7204

Accounting

JUST A REMINDER

Your membership is due as invoiced. Having to spend time chasing members to pay is not in your best interest or ours. We provide a service to our members and are very proud of the service we provide, so 90 days overdue means we revoke membership and all services, as stated in our by-laws.

"EACH ONE BRINGS ONE"

**267 MEMBERS AND COUNTING;
COME ON MEMBERS AND SEE IF
WE CAN DOUBLE THAT NUMBER
BY SEPTEMBER 30, 2009.**

Patience is the ability to idle your motor when you feel like stripping your gears.