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Supporting Entrepreneurial Dreams

On July 10th, we gave \$30,000 to 8 local entrepreneurs to start, expand or purchase businesses. These inspiring individuals applied to the [Starter Company Plus](#) program this past spring, completed 3 months of training, and successfully pitched to our Economic Development Committee.



Congratulations entrepreneurs - you've earned it! See all of the recipients [here](#).

Ready to be our next success story? Apply [here](#) or [email us](#) to talk about your business ideas.

Embracing Digital Tourism



Padding Tours

Bruce County is known for its winding rivers that are perfect for padding. Explore the Saugeen and Sauble Rivers in your canoe or kayak for a picturesque paddle that you won't forget. [View Padding Tours](#)



Motorcycle Tours

Enjoy the beautiful scenery that Bruce County has to offer, right from the seat of your motorcycle. With peninsula, shoreline and farmland rides, these routes are sure to give you a taste of what Bruce County is all about. [View Motorcycle Tours](#)

EXPLORE
the **BRUCE**

In today's technological age, we know people are planning trips and looking for information online. Four interactive Bruce County maps and tours can now be found online:

- [Cycling](#)
- [Padding](#)
- [Lighthouses](#)
- [Motorcycling](#)

Start your next adventure [here on the Tours page](#).

Prefer a hard copy brochure? Don't worry - look for these tours in print in 2018!

Building Vibrant Communities

2017 has been a busy year for Spruce the Bruce applicants and it's been so exciting to see the amazing transformations completed so far! Check of the new Port Elgin Splash Pad (recipient of a "[Destination Infrastructure Grant](#)"):



"Amazing things can happen when a community works together towards a common goal."

- Town of Saugeen Shores



Hawk's Nest Returns to Bruce and Grey



Due to last year's successful event, the [Saugeen Economic Development Corporation \(SEDC\)](#) in partnership with the [Bruce Community Futures Development Corporation \(Bruce CFDC\)](#) are once again planning to deliver the Hawk's Nest! This Dragon's Den inspired competition encourages entrepreneurs from various sectors to pitch their business ideas in competition for a possible \$30,000+ investment in their business. Free training for interested contestants begins in September. Contact [SEDC](#) or [Bruce CFDC](#) for more information.

Bruce County Economic Development Workshop: Coming this Fall

Our ever-popular "Operator Outreach" event has joined forces with the provincially-funded "Bridges to Better Business" to bring you a fantastic fall workshop. Plus, we'll host it on two separate dates, in two separate locations! More details are coming soon, but please **save the dates**:

Oct 25th, 4:30 - 9pm: Bruce County Museum & Cultural Centre

Oct 26th, 4:30 - 9pm: Tobermory Community Centre

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