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YOUR GUIDE TO
SMALL BUSINESS

Great resource now completely updated!

Previously known as *Starting a Small Business in Ontario*, the Guide had been available to entrepreneurs for over 15 years and had become one of the most widely visited publications on the Ministry website.

The updated Guide contains information and resources to help entrepreneurs with the start-up and early growth phase of small business ownership. It provides:

- A general outline on how to plan and start a business in Ontario, including a simplified business plan template
- Topical content in an easy-to-read format with links to relevant materials
- A centralized source of federal, provincial and municipal government information and resources relating to entrepreneurship

Take a look for yourself and definitely bookmark!
Your Guide to Small Business

Have you registered yet?

Join the other small businesses that see the value of connecting with other area businesses for networking, learning and a tradeshow open to the public! There's no other event like it in Grey Bruce, register today!



Colour it Local business expo

Friday September 30, 2016
Harry Lumley Bayshore Community Centre, Owen Sound
Networking | Workshop | Business to Business Showcase | Luncheon | Business to Public Expo

Book Now to be an Exhibitor!
\$50 per booth includes attendance for 2 participants

Agenda:
9:00 am - 11:30 am Colour it Set Up
12:00 pm Lunch and Lunch with Keynote Speaker
1:30 pm Luncheon Change Up Part 1 (Pre-Expo only)
2:30 pm Luncheon Change Up Part 2 (Pre-Expo only)
3:30 pm Lunch and Business Networking
4:00 pm - 7:00 pm Open to the Public
7:00 pm Tear Down

Keynote Speaker: Rick Smith
If marketing decisions were black and white, we'd all know what to do.
How do you choose to market? How do you choose to market when you know what to do? How do you choose to market when you know what to do? How do you choose to market when you know what to do?
Rick is a business developer and communications professional who has been at Microsoft, Ontario Health Services and the University of Waterloo. He has also founded two successful businesses called The Story Brand Strategy & Creative. In addition, Rick is a member of the Harry Lumley Bayshore Community Centre and the Ontario Chamber of Commerce.

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Upcoming Workshops

Getting and Keeping Your Records Straight

Is your filing system one big shoe box with a year full of receipts? Join Jane Gallagher and learn the ins and outs of getting your paperwork in order (and how to keep it in order). Jane will share tax and organizing tips to help you be better prepared for future tax years.

\$15.00 (includes HST)

Thursday September 22nd, 9:00 am - 11:30 am

BEC Training Room

Facilitator: Jane Gallagher

Colour it Local Business Expo
Register now to be an exhibitor at this unique 2 in 1 event. The day includes lunch with keynote speaker, networking, business to business activity and trade show that will be open to the public.

Cost is \$50, this includes exhibitor booth and admission for 2 people
Friday September 30th
Bayshore Community Centre, Owen Sound

Basics of Bookkeeping (Three part workshop)

\$95 (HST included)

Wednesday October 5th, 12th & 19th

6:30pm - 9:30pm

BEC Training Room



Morgan Farrell – Stage Ten Consulting

Morgan is using Starter Company to develop a Business Plan and access funding and mentoring to expand the business that he started in 2013. Stage Ten Consulting offers consultation and training for Technical Remote Viewing. His first objective is to develop training units that can be undertaken by students at their own pace instead of the current one on one process. A second is to expand his on line and web media marketing. Remote Viewing and its refinement Technical Remote Viewing were developed by the Defence and Intelligence Establishments in the United States during the cold war. After the program was halted, the material was declassified and persons who gained experience with it in the military began to commercialize it.

Contact Morgan:
<http://www.stagetenconsulting.com/>

*Facilitator: Jane Gallagher
This three part Bookkeeping Workshop will allow you to use the tools and information to confidently understand your financial statements and your own books.
Class size is limited to 8 to allow a hands-on, individual learning opportunity for everyone.*

Introduction to Quick Books (Two part workshop)

\$80 (HST Included)

Wednesday November 2nd & 9th

6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

BEC Training Room

Facilitator: Jane Gallagher

The first session of Quick Books provides participants with an overview and access to a trial version of the program. The second session will be questions and answers to address specific issues. Knowledge of basic bookkeeping principles is required. Limited to 8, you must bring your own laptop. (This workshop does not cover the online version of Quick Books)

Register Now!



Grey County is home to exceptional innovation in agriculture, food, and rural entrepreneurship. We work with leaders at home and abroad to make sure we're delivering the tools that our communities and businesses need to succeed. That's why we're shining a spotlight on creative technological innovation in

Time Management Workshop offered by Saugeen Economic Development Corporation



Saugeen
Economic Development Corporation
Agriculture, Forestry, Environment, Innovation

Our location:
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Map Directions:
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Phone: 519.799.5750
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We provide the opportunity to work with a business trainer and interact with other business owners to gain new ideas, growth strategies and success tools.

In-House Workshops



Time Management Workshop

As a business owner, you have many demands on your time; work, employees, clients, customers, vendors & suppliers, family and personal time. How do you make it all work?

Join us for a 2-hour, interactive session on time management – "Just in time" for the busy, back-to-school & back-to-work fall season!

Tuesday, August 30th

9:30 – 12:30 p.m.

This seminar will help you develop a foundation to manage not only your time, but also your energy, creativity and planning. Learn to work more efficiently, without burnout and how to set realistic goals for both business and personal success.

- Manage information with a simple, DIF system
- Manage your activities and resources.
- Manage your goals

Workshop led by Patricia Q. Campbell, PhD, owner of **Love to Learn** business & professional coaching, both online and in workshop settings.

Pre-registration required/\$35 per session
No Charge for Business Excellence Training Program Clients

agriculture with a new event you won't want to miss:

Ag 4.0: The Next Big Thing is a two-day Summit and Innovation Tour that will provide opportunities for producers to learn from fellow agricultural innovators and technology leaders, as well as create an environment where agricultural and food producers can connect and problem-solve with professionals from the creative and technological fields.

Early-bird prices will run until September 15, 2016... or until tickets run out! Reserve your seat today to avoid disappointment.



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