

The Link to Let's Do Lunch

A monthly newsletter for members and friends of Let's Do Lunch

Summer 2011



Have A Safe & Happy Summer



Hello Summer

As another season comes to an end and we welcome the warm weather of summer all of us at **Let's Do Lunch** would like to extend our wishes for a wonderful summer ahead and hope all our members, friends and community members have time to enjoy family and friends throughout the summer months.

Debbie, Sue & Anne



Let's Do Lunch—Have A Heart

was another wonderful luncheon which touched the hearts of all in attendance. Raising awareness for Wyatt's Warriors and listening to Laura Celsie share the

heartbreaking story of her little nephew Wyatt; while sad, was also enlightening to know more of us are now aware of this number one heart defect which kills more children than all childhood cancers combined.



Royal Ashburn once again provided an excellent venue and the heart healthy luncheon prepared by Chef Eng which centered around blueberries was delicious! The briefcase fundraiser was a success, thanks to Sue Sutcliffe and the many prizes on the Auction table plentiful. Special thanks to the many volunteers who help us with our luncheons! We appreciate all you do. Special thanks to Sam Gonsalves who stepped in to help capture all the Kodak moments at the luncheon as well.



The generosity of our **Let's Do Lunch** members and community enabled us to raise over 2000.00 for Wyatt's Warriors and we hope many of you will continue to support Laura as she strives to keep the memory of Wyatt alive for all the little warriors still battling this terrible disease.

To help, visit their website at: <http://www.wyattswarriors.ca/>




Together, fighting for Canada's smallest warriors

Believe in SickKids Hope for the future Remember those who have lost their fight



We Invite you to...

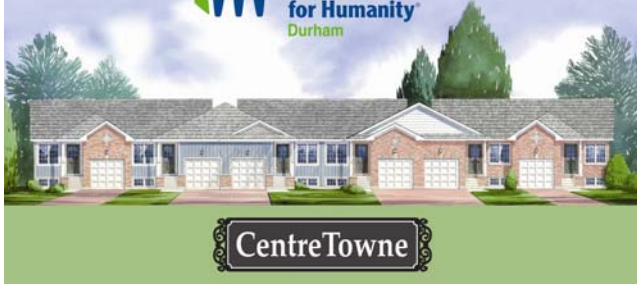
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At a \$75.00 Value, it's a great way to connect with some of Durham's most dynamic business owners!

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Let's Do Lunch—Supporting Habitat for Humanity

Habitat for Humanity Durham announced the building of 24 new homes for Oshawa last month and **Let's Do Lunch** is excited to announce them as our next charity for our upcoming fall event. We are excited to be working with Mary Bone, Executive Director for Habitat for Humanity Durham and Kathy Chateauvert for this luncheon and look forward to sharing more details with you soon.

The Oshawa project will be built in four stages. Some site preparation work will be done this year, with ground being broken on the first phase next spring. It will take four years to complete the project at a cost of \$4.6 million. Habitat for Humanity Durham

will have to raise that amount and are kicking off a huge fundraising campaign looking to Durham Region companies and individuals to create financial partnerships for Centretown.

During a ceremony in Oshawa to announce the building of the 24 homes Mary Bone, told the crowd of about 100 the project provides “affordable home ownership, It’s what we’re about. It’s breaking the cycle of poverty,” Ms. Bone said. “It’s a hand up and not a handout.”

The 24 families will be selected on an application basis and will have to meet “specific criteria”. Eligible families will be buying their home at fair market value, with a zero interest loan. Mortgage payments are geared to 25 percent of the gross annual income. These mortgage come back to their Humanity Build Fund to be recycled into future builds. Eligible families also have to be willing to partner with Habitat for Humanity Durham by providing 500 hours of sweat equity to Habitat for Humanity Durham as a means of down payment towards the purchase of their home.

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 Take advantage of the space you have (35 characters)

 Sell yourself, not the company you work for

 Be sure it represents you well—in your target market’s eyes

 Include the keywords you expect your target market will type in when searching for someone like you.



For more articles on LinkedIn visit Sue’s website at: www.awebthatworks.com.



Thank You Let's Do Lunch

I have thoroughly enjoyed my time with **Let's Do Lunch**, after all how could I not working along side Sue and Debbie! Although it was only for a short time, my placement has overall been a rewarding experience. Along the way, I’ve met some fantastic people and I hope to keep these connections

throughout the following years. My placement with **Let's Do Lunch** has given me the opportunity to apply some of my skills and knowledge learned from my time at Durham College. It has also given me the opportunity to explore and broaden my skills. I am very thankful I had a chance to be a part of **Let's Do Lunch**, even if it was only for a few weeks, the positive energy and friendly atmosphere truly made it a great place to work. Thank you to everyone who made my experience with **Let's Do Lunch** so wonderful!

Leah Williams—Durham College Placement 2011

Welcome to New Let's Do Lunch Members:

Brian McRobert—Durham Bungalows.ca
<http://www.letsdolunch.info/author/durhambungalows-ca/>

Yvonne Eglinski—Fifth Avenue Jewellery
<http://www.letsdolunch.info/author/y-eglski>



2nd Annual Fundraiser for Camp Bucko at Heartland Equestrian.ca
 June 25th, 2011 10:00am—2:00pm



B-U-C-K-O

Burn **C**amp for **K**ids in **O**ntario

Help Send a Deserving Child to Camp!

- Boston Pizza for Everyone
- Whitby Fire Truck & Safety House
- Horse Show with our amazing students
- World's Largest Kool Aid Cup
- Kid's Carnival & Prizes
- Huge Yard Sale (helen@heartlandEquestrian.ca)



Vendor tables are available for a \$10 donation and a minimum \$25 gift prize donation for the auction table (Bring your own table & chair)

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SPECIALISTS IN DURHAM'S BUNGALOW LIFESTYLE

Member Profile—Durham Bungalows.ca

Let's Do Lunch member Brian McRobert, McRobert Homes is expanding his real estate business to include a brand new venture—Durham Bungalows.ca. Durham Bungalows is a Multiple Listing System specifically created for active adults interested in bungalow living. "Bungalows are our

specialty, whether buying, selling or already living the bungalow lifestyle", explains Brian. For Buyers—Our team of professionals will work with you to find the exact style and level of luxury you're looking for, from Chicago style to sprawling ranch style. Visit www.DurhamBungalows.ca to browse new listings, learn about event and amenities, and discover the perks of bungalow living. For Sellers—When you list with a bungalow specialist, you can confidently expect to get maximum return on your investment. Bungalows and their value, are what we know best. For Owners—If you're already enjoying the bungalow lifestyle, visit www.DurhamBungalows.ca to share your stories, opinions and photos while connecting with other owners.



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 Brian S. McRobert, Sales Representative & Bungalow Specialist



Summer Birthday Wishes to Let's Do Lunch Members:

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| Lorne Soehner—June 16th | Tanya Scarlett—June 21st |
| Donna Hunt—July 8th | Sue Pitchforth—July 8th |
| Sherry MacDonald—July 9th | Franchea Barrieau—July 12th |
| Marty Britton—July 27th | Diane Howson—August 15th |
| Shayne Traviss—August 20th | Heidi Micelli—August 23rd |
| Marilyn Garry—August 29th | |

Have A Wonderful Day!



The Habitat for Humanity ReStore is celebrating 20 years.

Since 1991, the ReStore has been helping families in need of affordable housing across Canada by selling new or gently used home renovation materials at great low prices. So stop in today and reduce, reuse, Restore.

Habitat for Humanity Durham

ReStores celebrate this amazing milestone by hosting a BBQ & "Beauty on a Budget" Seminars!

85 Chambers Drive, Unit 6, Ajax
or
555 Simcoe St. South, Oshawa



BBQ Times
11:00 am—3:00 pm
Both Stores



The Rock's very own
Rita MacInally,
Morning Show Host
will be there too!

Featuring

Room for a Change's

Sue Pitchforth
will be hosting

"BEAUTY ON A BUDGET"
Seminars!

In both stores!

11:30 am—Ajax
(outdoor theme)

1:30 pm—Oshawa
(indoor theme)



Member News

Reminder:
Send Your
Member News
or
Events

before the 15th of Each
month to have
advertised in the
following month's news-
letter.

Email:

anne@letsdolunch.info

Josh & Adam's Lemonade Stand

IN SUPPORT OF
SickKids
FOUNDATION

June 26th, 10:00 am—4:00pm
Viking Rugby Club—Raglan

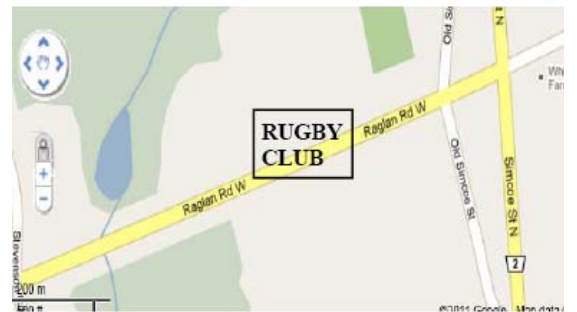
In February 2008 Joshua Vanderven suffered serious kidney injuries as the result of a toboggan accident. During a 4 week stay at the Hospital for Sick Children for his injuries we experienced world-class care and were continually impressed with the treatment Josh was given. Without a doubt it was a situation we never wanted to be in, but we can't say enough about how thankful we are for the treatment he was given at SickKids. Josh is now 8 years old and is a very healthy and active little man. He is able to play sports and live the same, regular lifestyle of all his friends. Though his damaged kidney will never fully recover from the accident, the other kidney compensates, facilitating regular functioning in his body. Josh and Adam's Lemonade Stand is about giving back. We invite you to attend the event in June—it's sure to be a lot of fun with face painting, a silent auction and, of course, lemonade! If you are unable to attend please consider making a donation online at: <http://bit.ly/SickKids>

To donate to the auction or for more information please

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Your support is very much appreciated!

Sharon Vanderven



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