



Warton & District Chamber of Commerce

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The agenda of the Warton and District Chamber of Commerce (WDCC) is to champion the importance of business development, to partner with local festivals, events and other Chambers, and to promote the area as an outstanding place to shop, live, play, do business and return to time after time.

2019-2020 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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If you want to go quickly, go alone. If you want to go far, go together.

BENEFITS:

- ✓ Learn about government issues that affect business
- ✓ Add your own voice to the Chamber's lobbying efforts at all levels of government
- ✓ Businesses benefit from the Chamber's promotion of the region and community
- ✓ **Buy Local!!!** The Chamber promotes local products & services
- ✓ Credibility --- be recognized by community as a Chamber member
- ✓ Chamber staff will act as a referral service, directing customer traffic your way
- ✓ Access to export stamp
- ✓ Web listing on Chamber website
- ✓ Complimentary advertising on our Facebook
- ✓ Promotion of business networking opportunities
- ✓ Weekly e-newsletters featuring chamber members and upcoming events

- ✓ Group Home & Auto Insurance
- ✓ Group Employee Benefits
- ✓ First Data Merchant services at lower prices than large banks
- ✓ Discounts for UPS Courier
- ✓ Medoc Travel Insurance
- ✓ Better rates and services on Esso Business cards
- ✓ Pet Insurance Coverage
- ✓ Pragmatic Conferencing for medium to large business
- ✓ Accessibility Works: Responsibilities under the new Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA). OCC offers various workshops and resources to keep Businesses informed

YOUR CHAMBER WORKING FOR YOU

The WDCC is fundamental to the economic growth of our community. Through introductions, facilitating projects, maintaining data and new development, we strive to always keep our members connected. We are proud of our accomplishments and feel that in an age of technology we have raised the bar in many ways.

RECENT ACHIEVEMENTS

- Warton Facebook page has over 1,500 page followers and post reaches of up to 4,000 per week
- Hosted a well-received and well-attended 6th Annual Job Fair
- Hosted several 'Breakfast with the Mayor' grass roots discussions between community members and our Town's Mayor to increase communication
- Promotion of events to local businesses for networking opportunities
- The Chamber organized events like Santa Claus Parade, 2016 Warton Willie Festival, and 2015 Canada Day (partnered with Warton Optimist Club)
- The Warton Revitalization Committee (a sub-committee of the Chamber) has been a driving force behind cleaning up Bluewater Park and the renovations of the Parkette
- Hosted 2016, 2017, 2018 "Warton Home & Leisure Show"
- Has a successful working relationship with the Warton BIA and works in partnership with the Warton BIA to create events and promote Downtown Warton

WE GOT IT IN WIARTON!!