



Ribfest Comes to Port Perry Waterfront July 29, 30 and 31, 2016

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Greetings!

The Port Perry Rotary Club will be holding its first annual Rotary Ribfest on July 29, 30 and 31 at Palmer Park and the Port Perry waterfront

In keeping with its past tradition of hosting community events on the Port Perry waterfront, the Rotary Club of Port Perry will be moving in a new direction, organizing and hosting Port Perry's first ever Ribfest. Community and business leaders, like yourself, are invited to help make the first Port Perry Rotary Ribfest a success this summer.

How can you participate in what is expected to become Port Perry's largest and most successful waterfront event? Spread the word and become a sponsor! Simply review the attached Sponsorship Information Package which lists the many benefits and ways your business can participate in this successful event. Then select the Sponsorship level which best suits your desired level of exposure and budget.

Complete the attached Sponsor Information Sheet and submit, along with your payment, to the Rotarian who presented you with this sponsorship opportunity. For further clarification or assistance please feel free to contact the Chair of Sponsorships, Dave Cash: sponsor@portperryribfest.ca

The Port Perry Ribfest promises to be a family friendly event, expected to quickly develop the reputation of being the "must-attend" event of the summer. We will offer delicious foods and tasty brews, great music venues, interesting vendor booths and midway rides for children.

As an international service organization, Rotary's motto is "Service Above Self". Rotarians aspire to this motto by volunteering their expertise and time organizing events such as this one. Funds raised at this event continue to serve both our local and international communities.

All members of the Rotary Club of Port Perry hope you will help us to showcase your business to the thousands of people who will be attending this remarkable event.

We are planning an extensive media campaign as a lead up to this event, including advertising in the local newspapers where all the sponsors will be highlighted.

For your business to be included in this and other Ribfest advertisements, sponsorships must be received by January 30, 2016.

For additional information on this year's first ever Ribfest and sponsorship opportunities, please contact the Chair of Sponsorships, Dave Cash at sponsor@portperryribfest.ca

Port Perry Ribfest, 2016 - "Service Above Self"



More Details about the Rotary Club of Port Perry ...

The Rotary Club of Port Perry has been proudly serving our community since 1981. It is a group of dedicated men and women who follow the motto "Service Above Self." Their main purpose for being Rotarians is to serve others, in our local community and at the international level.

Some of the many projects of the Port Perry Rotary Club have involved building community facilities, such as the Rotary Gazebo in Palmer Park and the Rotary Boardwalk connecting downtown Port Perry with residential developments to the north.

The Rotary Club has also been a major financial supporter of other community facilities, having raised hundreds of thousands of dollars over the years for expansions at the Port Perry Hospital, Scugog Memorial Library, Durham College and UOIT. Currently, our fundraising is focussed on supporting the "*Your Hospital, Your Future*" capital renovations at the Port Perry Hospital

One of the most popular of our club's projects (and in fact our first community project) was hosting a Christmas dinner with all the fixings and a night of entertainment for seniors in and around Port Perry. At its 34th annual dinner in 2015, the club provided this "evening out" for nearly 200 seniors.

Port Perry Rotary has been locally active in many other ways such as providing bursaries at the primary, secondary and university levels, dictionaries for public school children and assisting those in the community with physical needs. The list goes on. To itemize all of this club's community projects would take more room than is available in one page.

At the international level, the Port Perry Rotary Club is a major supporter of Rotary International's efforts to eradicate Polio as a disease in the entire world. We are within only a few years of accomplishing this goal.

The Club has also provided safe drinking water for an orphanage and school in India, an ambulance for another community in India, emergency housing for disaster areas around the world and other similar projects. More information on our Club can be found at our web site www.rotaryclubofportperry.ca. You can follow us on Twitter @RotaryPortPerry.

All net proceeds from the Port Perry Ribfest will be invested in these and other community and international projects.