Your membership in the Meaford Chamber of Commerce shows your commitment to our community and allows us to continue our support of:

Your business through our business directory, networking, promotion, training, health care benefits and savings on printing, advertising, automotive and banking services

Our Local Economy through advocacy, connections with local business, government organizations, developers, regional economic & tourism organizations, etc. We have assisted in the startup of several local initiatives including the Municipal Farmers Market and the Apple Harvest Craft Show.



Our signature event, Dragons' Den Meaford has contributed to the startup of at least 10 local businesses in it's first 3 years.

Our Community through our connections and partnerships, promotion of local organizations and the organization of major community events such as Canada Day and the Community Awards Dinner and Presentation. Originally started as the Meaford Board of Trade in 1897 and incorporated in 1953 the Meaford Chamber of Commerce, is still in business for business and for the growth and prosperity of Meaford.



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Membership Benefits

The Meaford Chamber of Commerce has well established contacts and partnerships with local businesses, service organizations, volunteers, media outlets, grant programmes and regional business and tourism organizations.

We are known as the local resource for networking, information and business services.

For Your Business

Website Listing

Be included in the searchable Business Directory on the Chamber site. Premium ads are available to promote your business to a wide audience.

Group Insurance Benefits

Comprehensive group products: life, disability, extended health care, dental, vision and prescription drug packages.

Member Discount Programs

As a Chamber member receive additional discounts and benefits from VISA, MasterCard, Interac Direct Payment, Bell Mobility, TELUS, and CAA.

After Fives

After Fives are opportunities to promote your business and network with leaders in the business community. Members host After Fives to showcase their business in their own unique setting. The Chamber offers these events monthly.

E-Blast

Keep up-to-date on Chamber events, business news. community events and opportunities



with the weekly Chamber Member E-Blast and Community Connection. Get introduced as a new member when you join and submit your business events to have them promoted at no charge.

Display Opportunities

Chambers can display their business cards and brochures in the display racks at the office.

Chamber Window

Every month a Chamber member is offered the Chamber's front window to display and promote their products.

Co-operative Advertising

The Chamber regularly purchases blocks of advertising space in several local publications. The space is then sold back to members at a discount. Save up to 50% off regular rates!

Member-to-Member Benefits

Members support each other by providing exclusive benefits.

Business Information Services

The Chamber of Commerce has resources and contacts for information that is important for your business including marketing, government organizations and programs, etc.

Canadian Chamber of Commerce



Being a part of the largest and most powerful business lobby groups gives you a voice in issues that directly affect your livelihood. Also, improve your business' bottom line by taking advantage of CCC benefit programs such as fuel discounts at ESSO-branded service stations, home, auto & travel insurance through Johnson Inc., online training courses through the Chamber eLearning Centre.

For Our Local Economy

Government and Municipal Relations

Advocacy on issues directly affecting you and your business community. The Chamber's **Business Development Committee brings** issues forward to the Municipality, Council and regional organizations on your behalf.

Visitor Information and Relocation Information

The Chamber of Commerce is recognized as the first point of contact for people visiting or relocating to a community. Our staff refers any business, relocation or visitor inquiries to our members.

Breakfast Meetings & Seminars

The Chamber facilitates seminars with informative and relevant speakers for your professional development.

For Our Community

Through our connections and partnerships, promotion of local organizations and the organization of major community events, the Chamber of Commerce will continue to be the hub of our community.

> A vibrant community is essential to the success of your business.