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Pontiac Chamber of Commerce

Hiring and Training

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Pontiac Job Fair

The Chamber has joined forces with Emploi-Québec to organize the Salon Accès Emploi 2012 – to be held at the Sieur-de-Coulonge High School on Friday, March 16th, 2012 from 10-4.

A day of networking between employers and job seekers is planned including business speakers. The perfect opportunity to assist you with filling positions within your business. In addition, in order to meet potential candidates, you can be an exhibitor. Kiosks prices start at \$50 per space.

The Job Fair event is a key forum to promote your business – a major event which attracts hundreds of visitors each year. An ideal forum to recruit employees to your business and, due to the time of year which this event is held, to recruit students for summer employment.

For more information, contact Ginger at bizdev@pontiacchamberofcommerce.ca or 819-647-5775.

Chamber Events

General Member Meeting

Thursday, February 16 – 6:00 pm

Ferme Livamia – Mansfield

Guest Speaker – Rémi Bertrand,
Director General of the MRC

Topic— Pontiac Technology Center
and Resort, Inc.

Information on upcoming events and
updates on Chamber business.

RSVP required for meal.

Salon Accès Emploi 2012

March 16, 2012

Sieur de Coulonge High School
250 ch. de la Chute
Fort-Coulonge

Organized in partnership with Emploi
Quebec.

Business kiosks available

– contact Ginger at [bizdev@](mailto:bizdev@pontiacchamberofcommerce.ca)

pontiacchamberofcommerce.ca or
819-647-5775 for details.

Business Events

Monthly SADC Business Breakfast

First Wednesday of the month

7:30 am

SADC Office – Campbell's Bay

If you have a business or Pontiac event
you would like advertised, please
contact the chamber.

Agricultural and Tourism Training Needs

A survey has been created through Heritage College, in cooperation with CÉGEP de Outaouais, Western Quebec School Board, Commission scolaire des Hauts-Bois-de-l'Outaouais and Emploi Quebec. This is a detailed survey asking for input to assist them in creating educational and training programs for residents and business people in the Pontiac region. The Chamber endorses this program and encourage you to complete the survey – it will help advance business in the Pontiac.

Those of you in the tourism and agriculture industries should have received a survey asking for your input on developing these new and exciting educational programs. Please return the completed survey in the included pre-stamped, pre-addressed envelope! If you haven't received a survey form or you are in another industry but have ideas, suggestions and opinions, please contact Greg Graham, Project Coordinator, at 819-648-2567 or ggraham@cegep-heritage.qc.ca.

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Sign up a Non-Member to the Pontiac Chamber of Commerce Chamber – and receive a benefit for yourself!

We all know of other Pontiac businesses who could benefit from being a Chamber member. The Chamber feels the best person to contact these businesses to encourage them to join the Chamber would be another Chamber member. You know the benefits – both to your own business and to business in the Pontiac.

As a thank you, if you refer a non-member to the Pontiac Chamber of Commerce and they join for the current membership year, you will receive a \$25 refund towards your own membership renewal with the Chamber the following year!

The referral does not apply to existing Chamber members or those who have previously been members. The maximum for refunds will be 4 referrals per member for each membership year. Just make sure to mark your own name and business at the bottom of their membership form.

If you would like a membership form to pass along, please visit the Chamber web site at www.pontiacchamberofcommerce.ca or just ask and we will send copies to you.

All Pontiac Businesses Welcome!

Quarterly General Member Meeting

Thursday, February 16 – 6:30 pm

Ferme Livamia, 61 chemin du Lac à truite, Mansfield

Guest Speaker Topic— Pontiac Technology Center and Resort, Inc.

Rémi Bertrand, Director General of the MRC

6:30 pm – Networking and social time — a ‘Medieval Table Buffet’ will be provided at a charge of \$28.00 (reservation required)

7:00 pm – Guest speaker

7:30 pm – Quarterly General Member Meeting

Information on upcoming events and updates on Chamber business.

RSVP required for meal by February 13, 2012:
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Support Those Who Support You
Small Businesses Make Small Towns Work!

Consider this when you're buying ...
As business operators, our actions shape our communities.

Welcome to the Chamber!

Businesses who have joined the chamber since the last newsletter.

Pontiac Propane

RP Mechanical

Studio 332

Veteran Gas Bar

Check the chamber web site for links to these businesses.

Support your local businesses!

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News, article suggestions and letters to the editor are welcomed and encouraged. Content will be edited to fit the space available. We welcome press releases and news from our local business community.
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Chamber Benefits

Being a member of the Pontiac Chamber of Commerce means that you are also affiliated with the Canadian Chamber of Commerce (CCC) — www.chamber.ca and the Quebec Chamber of Commerce (FCCQ) — www.fccq.ca
You and your business can take advantage of benefits listed on their web sites.

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member of the canadian chamber of commerce network
membre du réseau de la chambre de commerce du canada

Fédération des chambres
de commerce du Québec



fccq

Group Insurance Benefits

Visit the new web site / view the video!

<http://www.chambers.ca>

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Would Like to Join the Chamber?

Membership fee of \$100 entitles you to all chamber benefits. Membership valid from April 1st to March 31st.

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