

## Tuesday, April 2, 2024

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### Starter Company Plus Information Session

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 2 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Address: Virtual information session

Starter Company Plus is a fast-track training program designed to guide you in developing your business plan and cash flow projections with opportunity to pitch for a grant.

The Spring information sessions are scheduled for April 2 and 4. Attend a virtual info session to receive an application form for the next available training session in May 2024.

Register online to attend one of the two information sessions offered.

## Wednesday, April 3, 2024

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### Chair Yoga

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 3 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 393 Pembroke Street West

White Pine Yoga teaches chair yoga in an inclusive way for all skill and mobility levels to enjoy. All movements will be done while seated in chairs and will be gentle and safe. Beginners are welcome!

## Thursday, April 4, 2024

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## **Tenant's Rights**

Date and Time: Thursday, April 4 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: 237 Victoria Street

The Renfrew County Legal Clinic will be at the Library to talk about Tenant's Rights. This is a suitable program for all who are leasing or renting. Call 613-732-8844 to register.

## **Saturday, April 6, 2024**

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### **Renfrew County Regional Science Fair**

Date and Time: Saturday, April 6 8:30 am - 5:00 pm

Address: Petawawa Civic Centre

The 2024 Renfrew County Regional Science Fair is being held Saturday April 6, 2024 at the Petawawa Civic Centre! Students from Grade 5 to 12 can register at [youthscience.ca/renfrew-county/](https://youthscience.ca/renfrew-county/) to present their science projects for chances to win cash prizes and entry into the Canada Wide Science Fair with the top 500 young scientists in Canada!

Students do not need to enter a school fair first, and the registration deadline is March 30, 2024.

### **ASL for Beginners**

Date and Time: Saturday, April 6 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Address: 237 Victoria Street

Lovely volunteer, Kathy, will be back again to teach another round of basic ASL. This is suitable for beginners. Call 613-732-8844 to register.

### **Author Visit with Jamie Bramburger**

Date and Time: Saturday, April 6 11:30 am - 12:15 pm

Address: 237 Victoria Street

Come and listen to local author, Jamie Bramburger, talk about his latest book: Sudden Impact: The Almonte Train Wreck of 1942. Call 613-732-8844 to register. Copies of the book will be available for sale by cash or e-transfer.

## **Tuesday, April 9, 2024**

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## Cultural Orientations

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 9 9:00 am - 11:00 am

Address: Virtual workshop

Join Local Immigration Partnership for a deep dive into Cultural Orientations! In this interactive Zoom workshop, we will examine some of the most common Cultural Orientations, including Time, Power Distance, Hierarchy and Communication. Building on what we learned together in the Introduction to Intercultural Competency workshop, come prepared to evaluate where you fall on the spectrum of orientations based on your own experiences and cultural influences.

[Register online](#) for this workshop.

We ask that all participants complete the Introduction to Intercultural Competency workshop that is offered monthly in advance of completing this workshop.

## Wednesday, April 10, 2024

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## Saturday, April 13, 2024

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### Genealogy: Getting Started with Family History

Date and Time: Saturday, April 13 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 237 Victoria Street

The Library is partnering with Upper Ottawa Valley Heritage Center to bring you this program that will help you learn how to start recording your family history, look at different forms and charts that can be used, where and how to do research, and some tips on how to evaluate materials you gather.

Coffee will be served. Please call 613-732-8844 to register.

## Monday, April 15, 2024

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### The Stampeders

Date and Time: Monday, April 15 7:30 pm

Address: 401 Isabella St., Pembroke, ON K8A 5N6

One More Time! Available with presale code only until December 1

79.50 plus ticketing fee and HST

## Wednesday, April 17, 2024

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Date and Time: Wednesday, April 17 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

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## Saturday, April 20, 2024

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### Pembroke's Earth Day Community Clean-up

Date and Time: Saturday, April 20 8:00 am - 8:00 pm

Address: 1 Pembroke Street East

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## Potluck Club

Date and Time: Saturday, April 20 11:30 am - 12:30 pm

Address: 237 Victoria Street

Join us for our first Potluck Club which is being held as a prelude to Culture Connect in June with Local Immigration Partnership Renfrew and Lanark County!

Our theme for April is European cuisine! Do you have any family recipes or a recipe from a cookbook that you're familiar with? Make it and bring it to Potluck Club. Share your recipe with others! If you're a foodie who loves cooking, join us! If you don't have any recipes or don't know how to cook but want to join us, we are accepting donations towards the Library. Call 613-732-8844 to register.

## Two Founding Families of Shawville

Date and Time: Saturday, April 20 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: 222 Dickson Street, Pembroke

The Upper Ottawa Valley Genealogical Group is hosting a presentation on Saturday April 20, 2024 @ 1 PM in the UOVGG Library at 222 Dickson Street, Pembroke. Nancy Conroy will be giving a presentation on "The Two Founding Families of Shawville". Come and enjoy Nancy's research on the start of this Valley community.

## Sunday, April 21, 2024

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### Pembroke's Earth Day Community Clean-up

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## Spring Concert - Brahms' Requiem - Pembroke Community Choir

Date and Time: Sunday, April 21 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 357 Miller Street, Pembroke, Ontario

### SPRING CONCERT ON SUNDAY, APRIL 21 – PEMBROKE COMMUNITY CHOIR

The Pembroke Community Choir invites you to their spring concert of the beautiful and moving *Brahms' Requiem* (sung in English). This is one of the most frequently performed choral works sung by both professional and regional choirs. The 60-voice choir and two soloists will be accompanied by an eight-piece chamber ensemble of strings, woodwinds, and piano. One performance only on Sunday, April 21<sup>st</sup> at 7 pm at St. John's Lutheran Church, 357 Miller Street, (corner of Miller and Doran), Pembroke. Tickets are \$15 in advance or \$20 at the door; students 13 and under are free. They may be purchased until Thursday, April 18 from choir members, at the Pembroke Mall's Customer Care Centre, and at Fleurish Floral Designs in Petawawa. For more information, visit the choir's website at [www.pembrokecommunitychoir.org](http://www.pembrokecommunitychoir.org).

## Monday, April 22, 2024

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### Pembroke's Earth Day Community Clean-up

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## Tuesday, April 23, 2024

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## The Role of AI in Tourism

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 23 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: Webinar

Curious about Artificial Intelligence (AI) and its potential to help personal and business productivity in tourism? Us too!

Join us as we learn insights and expertise from Emily Baillie, digital marketing and AI consultant, as she demystifies AI technology and tools, making them more approachable and relevant to tourism.

AI training is designed to complement human talent and unlock more potential in the industry. In this session, you'll explore:

- AI in marketing and its role in tourism
- Popular AI tools and technologies and demonstrations
- Examples of practical applications of AI in tourism
- Navigating the ethical considerations and concerns in AI
- Future trends in AI

This AI training is designed to be friendly, inclusive, and easy to understand. The webinar will be facilitated through Zoom and will have closed captioning enabled.

*Disclaimer: By registering for this event, you are also signing up to receive future tourism industry emails from OHTO. You can unsubscribe at any time, but we don't think you'll want to!*

\*This webinar is part of the OHTO's Expand Your Knowledge series and is free for OHTO members to attend. **For the full list of past and upcoming webinars in the Expand Your Knowledge series, [click here](#).**

### Facilitator's Bio:

**Emily Baillie** is a digital marketing & AI consultant, trainer, speaker and professor. With over 15 years of experience in the marketing industry, she has worked with large and small brands including Resorts of Ontario, Goway Travel, Northern Ontario Travel, Travel Agent Next Door, Tourism Simcoe County, GlaxoSmithKline, Bruce County Economic Development and United Way. Emily has a passion for leveraging tech and AI trends to help Canadian tourism professionals learn and grow.

Through her business [Compass Content Marketing](#) she provides content marketing strategy advisory services and leads AI, social media and digital marketing workshops and training for various organizations.



She has developed and taught a range of marketing courses at notable institutions including McMaster University and Canadian Marketing Association. She recently won the McMaster University Continuing Education 'Educational Innovator Award.' Currently, she is leading an innovative new "[AI Micro-credential](#)" with Humber College.

Recently she was named "Top Artificial Intelligence (AI) Voice" on LinkedIn where she regularly shares news and tips for businesses and marketers.

## Wednesday, April 24, 2024

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### Pembroke's Earth Day Community Clean-up

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## **Thursday, April 25, 2024**

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## **Friday, April 26, 2024**

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## Saturday, April 27, 2024

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### Funeral Planning

Date and Time: Saturday, April 27 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 237 Victoria Street

The Library is partnering with Neville Funeral Home, to guide you on how to prepare for a funeral in advance so that you don't leave the burden with your loved ones. Call 613-732-8844 to register.

## Monday, April 29, 2024

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### Chamber Connect Open House

Date and Time: Monday, April 29 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: 177 Alexander St.

The Upper Ottawa Valley Chamber of Commerce invites you to its monthly Chamber Connect open house. This

drop-in time is available for new member business orientation, interested business leaders to learn more about the chamber, and current members to discuss how the Chamber can best serve the business community. Join the Chamber for coffee and light refreshments and to connect with its staff and Board of Directors.

<https://calendar.pembroke.ca>