

September 2016 News & Updates



Upcoming Events



September 28th

Business Succession Planning Workshop

Presented by RBC Dominion Securities
7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. at Best Western Plus. Breakfast included, RSVP Required.

[Click here for details](#)



**Wealth Management
Dominion Securities**

October Manufacturing Month Events

October 5th

Celebrating Manufacturing in Northumberland

Plant Site Visit & Member Awards

Hoselton Sculptures, 124 Percy St., Colborne
Wednesday, October 5th 8:00 am
Continental Breakfast - Networking & More!



Attend to learn about the Hoselton manufacturing facility and to celebrate the NMA Member Awards.

The NMA will present two new Awards:

- The 1st Annual "Environmental/Health & Safety Award"
- The 1st Annual "High Performance Manufacturing Award"

And in partnership with Fleming College the NMA will proudly present:

- The 2nd Annual "Investing in Employee Development Award"



For information on the Award Criteria [Click Here](#).
Visit www.thenma.ca to view flyer or [Click Here to Register](#).

Newspaper Feature Insert

To highlight the importance of our Manufacturers, the NMA is once again celebrating Manufacturing Month in October by working with Northumberland News to produce an special October feature section.

The newspaper will be following up with members in the next few weeks. Please feel free to contact Northumberland News directly for information on how you can support the NMA feature insert.

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November 8th Conference



12th Annual Tri-Association Manufacturing Conference



Kawartha
Manufacturers'
Association



Tuesday, November 8, 2016

7:30 am to 5:30 pm - Best Western Plus, Cobourg
930 Burnham St., Cobourg K9A 2X9

Networking - Workshops - Trade Show - B2B Lounge

Member's EARLY BIRD RATE Available Now!

[Click here for details](#)

For more including a full agenda for the Conference visit www.thenma.ca

[Click Here](#) for Online Registration!

Members in the News



Congratulations to Sabic, Cobourg
Celebrating their 50th Anniversary in September.

www.sabic.com



Energy

August Energy Forum & Survey Results

Thank you to members who provided feedback on electricity and other energy use costs. The aggregated survey results were presented at the August 11th Energy Forum and the Forum Speaker presentations are available on the NMA's website. [Click here](#).



The Ministry of Energy is beginning to develop the next Long-Term Energy Plan (LTEP) for the province. The NMA will continue to work on behalf of our members to participate in the LTEP consultation process.

Health & Safety Training

September 26th

Member Cooperative Forklift Operator Training

If you have employees requiring forklift training and wish to

participate in the September cooperative training to reduce costs, please contact Charlene at the NMA Office for details.

P: 905-885-8315 ext.242 E: charlene.smith@thenma



October 20 - 21st

Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) training (2 days)

8:30am - 4:30pm Best Western Plus, Cobourg

Just as physical first aid is administered to an injured person before medical treatment can be obtained, Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) is provided until appropriate treatment is found or until the crisis is resolved. Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) training was developed by the Mental Health Commission of Canada (MHCC) to improve mental health literacy and provide the skills and knowledge to help people better manage potential or developing mental health problems in themselves, a family member, a friend or a colleague. [Click Here to Register](#)



November 24th

Construction Projects in Industrial Facilities (1/2 day)

Morning session start time **8:30 am** in Conference Room, 600 William Street, Cobourg

Equipment and machinery are installed and moved regularly at industrial facilities. What you may not know is that this type of activity meets the definition within the Occupational Health and Safety Act as "construction". This 1/2 day workshop will help you identify the many tasks that are regularly performed at an industrial facility and that are actually construction in nature, and what this means to your workplace. You will understand what a "constructor" is and what their responsibilities are. Typical project scenarios will be discussed and you will leave with a better understanding of how to apply this knowledge to your own workplace.

For registration link visit thenma.ca/workshops.

Managing Safety of On-Site Contractors (1/2 day)

Afternoon session start time **12:30 pm** in Conference Room, 600 William St., Cobourg.

Utilizing outside contractors is a reality for every business. It is important to ensure that contractors do not create unnecessary risks to themselves, to employees or to the public while performing their work.

Through the use of case studies and the contractor safety workbook, you'll walk away with sample documentation, checklists and tools required for your company to effectively manage on-site contractors.

For more visit thenma.ca/workshops.

Health & Safety

Ontario Ministry of Labour

Chemical Handling Health & Safety Blitz

September 19th to October 31st the focus will be on Chemical handling within the Industrial sector. For more information on MOL inspection blitzes and initiatives, [Click Here](#).

Funding

Canada-Ontario Job Grant

Access a minimum of 2/3 coverage towards upskills training for current staff or potential new hires - up to \$10,000 per employee! This could be soft skills, technical training, professional development, etc. Training can be on-line, in-class, on-site. Anywhere from one day to one year in length.



For more information contact:

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