

October 5th 2021

FEED SCARBOROUGH

OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

Feed Scarborough invites you to a...

Register today at:
<https://forms.gle/S7NYnmvESqoICzG77>



PAID PHOTOGRAPHY OPPORTUNITY

MY SEAT AT THE TABLE

In 10 photos, express what hunger and poverty look like. A picture speaks a thousand words.

Participants are encouraged to use this as an opportunity to show and voice their concerns related to food access. All photos will be showcased at a grand unveiling.

10 photos with captions in exchange for a \$40 GROCERY STORE GIFT CARD

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MY SEAT AT THE TABLE

In this project, Feed Scarborough will depict visual stories through photographs taken by community members, volunteers and food bank clients of what hunger and poverty feels and looks like in Scarborough. These visual stories will then be presented to the public at a grand unveiling in order to promote food advocacy in Scarborough in December at 3595 St. Clair Ave East. See flyer detail for how to submit your photos for a chance to win

FARMERS MARKET SEASON CLOSING

SFSI farmer's market for 2021 is nearly coming to end. It has been serving the community at 40 Firvally ct, 3400 Danforth Rd, and Scarborough Arts 1859 Kingston Rd. The community was served with fresh produce from Ontario farmers to our garden. The last day of the market will be the first week of October.



THANKSGIVING IS AROUND THE CORNER

As Thanksgiving approaches, we look back on memories of last year when we were able to hand out over 200 turkeys to our clients and volunteers. This year we are anticipating needing about 350! We are turning to every resource and relying on donations to try and make this happen. Everyone deserves to enjoy a lovely homemade turkey!

If you are interested in donating, please visit:
<https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/65027>



STARTUP SCARBOROUGH WEBINAR

Join us Tuesday, October 5th at 5pm for our monthly FREE webinar for anyone interested in developing a side hustle or small business.

This month you'll meet Vito Jamieson in a session called: My Voice is My Side Hustle. We'll learn how he makes extra money by doing voice-over work. He does everything from prank calls to pre-recorded sales messages. He has even pretended to be Santa Claus. He does it all using Fiverr. Join us as Vito tells us what he does, how Fiverr works, what sells on Fiverr and shares a few secrets for success. SIGN UP HERE: https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZYofuihqj0jGN2B_1LcpxU4xq0wvE01NeqK

VITO JAMIESON

My Voice is my Side Hustle

Tuesday, Oct 5th at 5pm
Sign up at [StartUpScarborough.ca/Events](https://startups Scarborough.ca/Events)

StartUp Scarborough

A Scarborough Food Security Initiative



Do you have a side hustle or a small business you'd like to start? Perhaps you've already started but would like some help. StartUp Scarborough is a FREE service. We can support you with a dedicated Business Advisor, business and soft skills education, and a peer learning event every month. LEARN MORE at startups Scarborough.ca.

GET TO KNOW THE TEAM!

Hello Scarborough! I am DeAnn Trainor and am so excited to have become a part of the Scarborough Food Security Initiative. I am fairly new to Toronto as well as to SFSI, my position is the program operations manager. I have had the opportunity to visit each aspect of this organization and to work with all employees and so many amazing volunteers. They have taught me a lot!!!

To talk more about me, firstly I am a mom of two adult daughters, Chantelle and Victoria, and a grandmother to a nearly 3 year old named Kayson better known as my little man! I moved from Newfoundland as I wanted to do something good, I want to help people, I want to make a difference. In Newfoundland I was the owner of a general store in a small isolated community where getting supplies is a challenge at times. The only access to the community is by boat. There is a ferry that travels in good weather 6 days a week during the summer months. I started a points system to try to get the local community members to eat more fresh fruits and vegetables. Thank you to all for being a part of this amazing organization.



HALLOWEEN HAUNTED HOUSE

Feed Scarborough welcomes you to our Spoooooooky Haunted House and pumpkin patch at the Scarborough Junction Community Farm (3595 St Clair Ave East)

Come and celebrate Halloween with us, this year. All proceeds from this event goes towards Feed Scarborough's programmes.

To purchase your ticket, please visit:
<https://scarboroughfoodsecurityinitiative.com/halloween-haunted-house>



SPOOOOOKY HAUNTED HOUSE

Join us to see the Scarborough Junction Community Farm's transformation into a Haunted House and Pumpkin Patch!

3595 St Clair Ave East

OCTOBER 29, 2021 | 6 PM - 10 PM Haunted House (Be ready to be scared)

OCTOBER 30, 2021 | 12 PM - 6 PM Halloween House

(Recommended for all ages)

OCTOBER 30, 2021 | 6 PM - 10 PM Haunted House (Be ready to be scared)

Purchase your tickets here



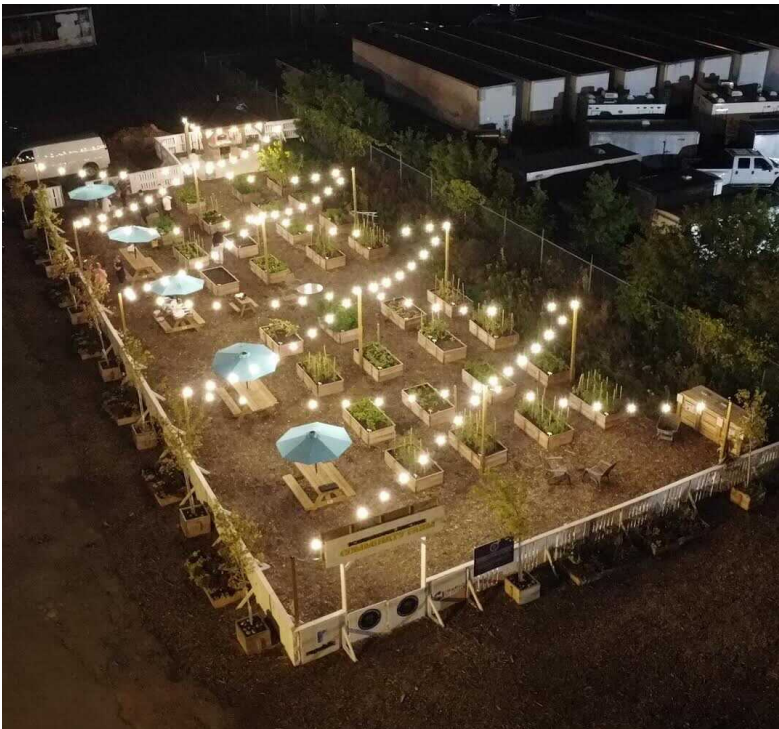
Admission will include a visit to our Pumpkin Patch (weather dependent). Snacks and beverages will be available for purchase. All proceeds from this event will go towards Feed Scarborough's programming.

Visit <https://scarboroughfoodsecurityinitiative.com/halloween-haunted-house> for more details



COMMUNITY GARDEN NEWS

On September 11, Feed Scarborough hosted the launch of Toronto's Urban Agriculture Week in collaboration with Toronto Urban Growers (TUG), celebrating the diversity of food grown in the city and the people that grow the food. Feed Scarborough's event was attended by the respected Minister Bill Blair, Councillor Gary Crawford and Deputy Mayor Michael Thompson where they spoke about the importance of urban gardens in our bustling city, but especially in Scarborough. Feed Scarborough is proud to have developed the Scarborough Urban Junction Farm which is grounded in our values to feature plants and crops that are culturally diverse and relevant to our community. In addition to our guest speakers, the event was filled with live music, amusement games, local Scarborough vendors, garden tours, a workshop on composting, a GoVax vaccine pop-up and kids making pizza using our brand new wood burning oven! It was really an amazing event, and we look forward to hosting many events in the future! If you are interested in hosting your event at our garden and using our wood burning oven, please contact us at info@feedscarborough.ca



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