# Wednesday, October 1, 2025

### **Whitby Farmers Market**

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 1 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Address: Celebration Square

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# Friday, October 3, 2025

#### Mobile Food Market by Community Care Durham

Date and Time: Friday, October 3 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: 801 Brock St S

Mobile Food Market by Community Care Durham

Fridays, 1:00 - 2:00 pm

55+ Recreation Centre - Lobby

Community Care Durham runs a Mobile Food Market in the 55+ Recreation Centre Lobby. The Market offers fruits and vegetables for purchase from local growers at a reasonable price. All proceeds generated from the market go to supporting their Community Food Box Program.

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Everyone is welcome. Cash, credit and debit accepted.

# Saturday, October 4, 2025

#### Fall Fest Vendor Market - FREE

Date and Time: Saturday, October 4 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Address: 270 Simcoe Street North

#### **FREE EVENT**

Our much anticipated Fall Fest Market returns October 4th! Be sure to visit our 60+ vendors at Durham's most beautiful outdoor market.

Market entry is **FREE!** No tickets are required.

Our 60+ vendors include many local businesses as well as Emerging Talent (junior) vendors!

Also, this year, we will be creating raffle gift packages from generously donated items from our vendors - ticket s available for purchase on site!

As a charitable organization, events and ticket sales like these help support important conservation and preserva tion efforts at this National Historic Site.

Remember, there is NO parking on site during this event. Please use adjacent neighbourhood parking, O'Neill C VI non-reserved parking spots (Mary St) or Lakeridge Health Paid Parking Garage.

#### **HISTORY** in the PARK at Lynde House Museum

Date and Time: Saturday, October 4 11:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 900 Brock Street South, Whitby, L1N 4L6



Join the Whitby Historical Society in the park behind Lynde House Museum for a fun day of history for the whole family!

#### **FEATURING:**

- Opening Proclamation by the Whitby Town Criers
- The 49th Regiment of Foot War of 1812 Re-Enactors
- Gibson Girls Fashion Exhibit by The Costume People
- Learn Victorian Dancing with the Live History Team

#### **HERITAGE SKILL DEMONSTRATIONS:**

- Blacksmithing
- Lace Making
- Wood Planing

- Wool Spinning

#### **SPECIAL GUEST DISPLAYS:**

- Brian Winter, historian & author
- Marlene Hodgson, Camp X expert
- Wade Szilagyi & Henry Dewit from Vintage Whitby

#### **PLUS:**

- Hands-On Activities
- Artifact Exhibits
- Museum Tours
- and much more!!!

#### **NO REGISTRATION NECESSARY!**

An Ontario Culture Days Event

# Wednesday, October 8, 2025

### **Workforce Wakeup**

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 8 9:00 am - 11:00 am

Address: 272 King St E, Oshawa ON, L1H 1C8, Canada

#### **Event Details**

Workforce Wake Up is a free morning event created for employers to network, gain valuable insights, and colla borate on current workforce trends and community initiatives. Attendees will discover a range of employer-foc used resources, including access to grants, training and apprenticeship programs, and recruitment support through the Durham Region Unemployed Help Centre's extensive client base and wraparound services.

#### **Agenda Highlights:**

- Networking with coffee/snacks
  - Presentations on job development, hiring events, and employer support programs
  - Community collaboration and innovative workforce solutions

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# Thursday, October 9, 2025

### **Beginner Sourdough Workshop - Pumpkin Edition**

Date and Time: Thursday, October 9 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 270 Simcoe Street North

**COST: \$105** 

Have you ever wanted to learn how to make sourdough bread at home but don't know where to begin? Have yo u ever wanted to bake sourdough bread in to the shape of a pumpkin?

If so, you will love our Beginner's Sourdough Workshop, hosted by Melina of "Sourdough Simplified".

Here you will learn the benefits and basics of sourdough baking with hands on, simplified instruction. You will learn how to feed and maintain your mature starter (given to you), as well as preparing and baking dough at ho me, plus tips on how to shape your dough into a pumpkin - just in time for Thanksgiving!

This workshop is perfect for beginners and intermediate students alike.

Enjoy an evening of learning a new skill in a fun, relaxed environment.

#### What's included

- Ingredients + hands on instruction on how to make your own dough, ready to bake the next day
- Detailed instruction + recipe booklet
- Ripe, organic sourdough starter
- •Dehydrated organic sourdough starter
- Hands on instruction how to feed and maintain your new starter
- Bowl
- Proofing basket
- Scoring blade
- •A demonstration on how to shape your dough in to a pumpkin shape
- •all materials to shape your dough in to a pumpkin shape

You will have an opportunity to sample sourdough bread and focaccia.

## Blossoms, Blooms and Pumpkins - Floral Arrangement Workshop

Date and Time: Thursday, October 9 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 270 Simcoe Street North

**COST: \$60** 

Join us for a delightful evening of creativity and fall-inspired fun at the beautiful Parkwood Greenhouses! In this hands-on floral arranging class, you'll learn the art of creating a stunning autumn centerpiece using fresh seas onal flowers and a pumpkin as the base. Perfect for decorating your Thanksgiving table, gifting to a loved one, or the perfect hostess gift; this arrangement will be a unique and festive addition to your home.

Our Greenhouse Grower will guide you through the process, offering tips and techniques on floral design, colo r coordination, and arrangement assembly. Once you are done enjoying your centrepiece, the entire thing is completely compostable!

Your fees cover your plants, and 7" pumpkin container. If you have special items you would like included in your arrangement please feel free to bring them along.

### What's included

Freshly cut flowers and greenery Harvest accessories Fresh Pumpkin (precarved)

#### Heritage District Review and Update Public Information Centre #2

Date and Time: Thursday, October 9 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: 575 Rossland Rd. E, Whitby

#### Do you live in one of Whitby's two Heritage Conservation Districts?

The Town of Whitby, and its consultant Stantec Consulting, have completed Phase 1 of the review and update of the Town's two Heritage Conservation District (HCD) Plans. The Town is seeking your input regarding the Dr aft Updated HCD Plans so that we can continue to best preserve the cultural heritage value and heritage attribut es within each of the Districts. Input received at PIC #2 will be considered by staff, the consulting team, and Co uncil

#### **Public Information Centre (PIC) #2**

Date: Thursday, October 9, 2025

Time: 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Location: Council Chambers, Town Hall 575 Rossland Rd E, Whitby, ON

#### **How to Participate**

In person: registration is not mandatory, please let us know if you plan to attend, by emailing <a href="mailto:heritage@whitby.ca">heritage@whitby.ca</a>

**Attend Virtually**: registration is mandatory - RSVP by Friday Oct 3 by emailing <a href="mailto:heritage@whitby.ca">heritage@whitby.ca</a> add "regist er online - October 9" to the subject line. A link will be emailed prior to the start of PIC #2 only to those who h ave registered in advance.

Can't attend?: please send written comments to the team at <a href="heritage@whitby.ca">heritage@whitby.ca</a>

# Friday, October 10, 2025

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## Tuesday, October 14, 2025

### **Christmas Door Mat Painting Workshop**

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 14 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 270 Simcoe Street North

**COST: \$70** 

Celebrate the holiday season with a personalized touch at our Christmas Door Mat Painting Workshop, led by the talented Sarah Shaw! In this festive and hands-on workshop, you'll have the opportunity to transform a plain cocomat into a cozy, welcoming Christmas masterpiece that will add cheer to your doorstep all season long.

Sarah will guide you through the process of painting your design on a durable coco mat.

### What's included

Materials: A high-quality 18x24" non slip coco mat, along with paints and brushes to bring your creation to life

Guidance: Sarah will walk you through painting techniques and design tips, making this a perfect opportunity f or both beginners and experienced crafters.

# Wednesday, October 15, 2025

## **Whitby Farmers Market**

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# Saturday, October 18, 2025

## Little Forests Durham-Mini Forest Planting at Heber Down Conservation Area

Date and Time: Saturday, October 18 9:30 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 5000 Cochrane St, Whitby, ON

Join us for a fun day of tree planting at the Heber Down Conservation Area! Thanks to a large group of community volunteers, the site was prepared in August 2025 by laying down cardboard, spreading compost and mulch. These materials have been settling over the last few months, creating a nutrient-rich site for the 600 trees and shrubs to be planted. This is a great opportunity to get outdoors, connect with nature, and make a positive impact on the environment. No experience necessary, just bring your enthusiasm and willingness to get your hands dirt y!

#### What to wear and bring:

- Protective work gloves
- Closed-toe shoes or boots
- Reusable water bottle
- Clothes appropriate for the weather
- Sunscreen and mosquito repellent (if necessary)
- Shovels (if possible), but we will have some available as well
- Epi-pen (for those with severe food, insect, or environmental allergies)

Light refreshments will be provided, but feel free to bring your own if you'd like.

Registration required.

#### **Doors Open**

Date and Time: Saturday, October 18 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 10-12 Sites throughout Whitby

Doors Open Ontario is a heritage and cultural tourism program coordinated in partnership with the Ontario Her itage Trust and a network of province-wide community organizing partners. Designed to create free access to a nd awareness and excitement about Ontario's heritage sites hosting an event in the community allows residents and visitors to explore the hidden and always interesting places and spaces of our community.

From historical houses to modern marvels of construction, Doors Open Ontario showcases the buildings, natural spaces, infrastructure and cultural landscapes that shape and define our communities. Explore various historical locations and learn about the people and pl aces that help to build Whitby and Brooklin.

# Sunday, October 19, 2025

### Floral Pumpkin Clay Earring/Necklace Workshop

Date and Time: Sunday, October 19 9:30 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 270 Simcoe Street North

**COST: \$107** 

Learn how to make your own customized pair of floral pumpkin clay earnings with bonus 18k or 925 sterling silver plated necklace. Presented to you by Jamie of Get Clayed.

Learn the basics of creating lightweight beautiful floral pumpkin earrings to match that perfect fall outfit. You will be able to use your creativity and customize your earrings to suit your own personal style with step-by-step

instructions. All materials will be provided, no experience is required.

While your earrings are baking you will get to create 1 necklace of your choice using either an 18k gold plated or 925 sterling silver plated chain. You will have access to a carefully curated high end charm bar stocked full of gold plated, zircon and sterling silver pendants. You will get to select 1 charm to personalize your necklace.

#### What's included

- All tools and materials required to make your custom floral pumpkin earrings
- A carefully curated high end charm bar to create your personalized necklace
- Earring/necklace card, polishing cloth and organza bag to store your jewelry
- Guidance in earring/necklace design to make each piece unique

#### **Cozy Fall Candle Making Workshop**

Date and Time: Sunday, October 19 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 270 Simcoe Street North

#### **COST: \$65**

Embrace the warmth and charm of fall at our Cozy Fall Candle Making Workshop! As the weather cools and the leaves change, join us for a relaxing, hands-on experience where you'll craft your own seasonal candles. From autumn-inspired scents like spiced pumpkin and crisp apple to warm vanilla and cinnamon, you'll create candles that capture the essence of fall.

This workshop is the perfect way to unwind, tap into your creativity, and bring the cozy ambiance of fall into yo ur home. We'll guide you through the process of candle pouring, scent blending, and decorating, so you can lea ve with a beautifully crafted candle—or two—that's perfect for gifting or for adding a little extra warmth to yo ur space.

Sign up today for a fun, fragrant, and cozy afternoon that celebrates the best of fall! Space is limited.

## Monday, October 20, 2025

### Whitby Local Business Week: Kick-off Breakfast

Date and Time: Monday, October 20 8:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: 416 Centre Street South, Whitby

Welcome to the Whitby Local Business Week Kick-off Breakfast! Join us at The Centennial Building for a n exciting event celebrating our vibrant local businesses. Connect with fellow entrepreneurs, discover new opp ortunities, and support the growth of our community. Don't miss out on this fantastic opportunity to network a nd showcase your business. Let's come together to celebrate the spirit of entrepreneurship in Whitby!

Registration Link: <a href="https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/1513161981219?aff=oddtdtcreator">https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/1513161981219?aff=oddtdtcreator</a>

Invest Whitby presents Whitby Local Business Week. From Monday, October 20 - Friday, October 24, join us to celebrate, connect with, and learn about our local business community.

Breakfast served at 8:30 a.m. Remarks to begin at 9:15 a.m.

#### Whitby Local Business Week: Home-Based Business Toolkit Webinar

Date and Time: Monday, October 20 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/1710818788049?aff=oddtdtcreator

Invest Whitby has created the Home-Based Business Toolkit for residents that are looking to start their own bus iness. With information on licensing, zoning requirements, and opportunities for new entrepreneurs, this virtual presentation will share how to get started. **This event is virtual, free, and requires registration.** 

Register here: <a href="https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/1710818788049?aff=oddtdtcreator">https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/1710818788049?aff=oddtdtcreator</a>

## Tuesday, October 21, 2025

#### Whitby Local Business Week: Business Outreach Visits

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 21 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: Multiple

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On Tuesday, October 21, members of Council and staff will be out surveying local businesses. From 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. business surveys will be conducted in the following commercial areas:

- Downtown Brooklin
- Downtown Whitby
- Queens Commons Plaza
- Whitby Entertainment Centrum Plaza

We look forward to chatting with you for Whitby Local Business Week!

If you would like us to visit your business, please reach out to invest@whitby.ca.

## **Mindful Aging- Finding Wellness Through Expression**

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 21 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: 700 Gordon Street Whitby ON

In partnership with Ontario Shores and faciliated by PeaceLove.org, this free workshop encourages creativity, s elf-expression, and storytelling as a way to support mental wellness. Light refreshments will be provided.

Registration opens October 6 2025 at 9:00am.

Use code <u>65218</u>.

#### **Know Before You Throw - Five Rs Workshop**

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 21 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: 8 Vipond Road, Brooklin, ON

Join the Brooklin Branch and Regional Municipality of Durham for this family-friendly workshop where participants will dive into the worl d of waste management. Learn about the importance of responsible waste management through a variety of activities including a topic -specific story, hands-on activities including waste sorting, and identifying ways that they can participate in responsible waste manage ment. Register online, in person or by calling any location.

In partnership with the Regional Municipality of Durham.

# Invest Durham presents Masterclass: Prioritizing Canadian Entrepreneurship

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 21 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 300 King Street Whitby, ON L1N 4Z4

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While recent global shifts have created urgency around supporting Canadian innovation, the real opportunity lie s not in policy changes, but in building the infrastructure that allows Canadian entrepreneurs to naturally outcompete international solutions.

Our globally recognized Master Class speaker will discuss and elaborate on five critical lessons for creating ec osystems where Canadian innovation thrives.

- · The Network Effect Challenge
- · The Municipal Opportunity
- · The Support Organization Ecosystem
- · From Survival to Competitive Advantage
- · The Collaboration Imperative

A panel of leading-edge, Durham based entrepreneurs will share their insights, challenges, recommendations, an d opportunities to accelerate Canada's innovative economy.

## The Stories Artifacts Tell Us: Examining the Stories of the Private Spaces

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 21 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 270 Simcoe Street North

**COST: \$40** 

Each Parkwood artifact has its own story to share. The everyday items found in the Parkwood private spaces ser ve as a valuable repository of information about the lives of Sam, Adelaide, their daughters, as well as the dom estic service staff of the Estate. These stories help modern day visitors connect with the past.

In this intimate curatorial chat, an artifact show & tell, Samantha will highlight artifacts, placing the object into the social-cultural context, enabling a deeper understanding of the significance of the object in the lives of Park wood.

As this event takes place in our Sunroom/Loggia, there are several steps to the lower level. If anyone in your party has mobility issues please do let us know a minimum of 7 days in advance of the event.

### What's included

Curatorial chat from Samantha.

Light refreshments will be provided.

### What's not included

A tour of the Private spaces is NOT included in this program. Private Spaces Tours will need to be booked sepa rately.

# Wednesday, October 22, 2025

### Whitby Local Business Week: Procurement of Town of Whitby

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 22 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 209 Dundas St EWhitby, ON L1N 7H8

Invest Whitby presents Whitby Local Business Week. From Monday, October 20 - Friday, October 24, join us to celebrate, connect with, and learn about our local business community. This event is hosted by the Whitby Chamber of Commerce.

The Whitby Chamber of Commerce, in partnership with the Town of Whitby, is proud to welcome Christine Wo od, Senior Product Manager, as a featured speaker during Local Business Week.

At this special session, Christine will share her insights on product leadership, innovation, and strategy — offer ing practical takeaways for local business owners and professionals who want to thrive in today's competitive market.

### Whitby Local Business Week: Unlocking Savings, Business Retrofit Incentives

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 22 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 400 Centre St S, Whitby, ON L1N 4W2

Join Invest Whitby and Enbridge to learn about oppotunities for businesses to access savings for projects like:

- Equipment upgrades
- New construction
- Audits, studies & assessments
- High-efficiency retrofits
- and more!

## **Autumnal Heritage Hat Show Tea and Talk**

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 22 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 270 Simcoe Street North

#### **COST: \$40**

As the crisp scent of autumn fills the air and we reach for cozier layers, Parkwood invites you to an enchanting Autumnal Heritage Hat Show and Talk—featuring a unique perspective on Oshawa's local history.

This special event highlights the enduring legacy of Oshawa's Lovell family, showcasing their fashion history th rough the timeless elegance of hats. Each piece tells a story, blending the artistry of design with the rich social h istory of one of the city's long-serving families.

Join us for Tea and Scones as we prepare for the brisk months ahead, exploring the fascinating tales woven into the fabric of the Lovells' wardrobe and the statement pieces they wore. Celebrate the season with us and discover the stories hats can tell.

As this event takes place in our Sunroom/Loggia, there are several steps to the lower level. If anyone in your party has mobility issues please do let us know a minimum of 7 days in advance of the event.

## What's included

Curatorial chat from Samantha and fashion show.

Tea and Scones will be provided.

### What's not included

This is not a traditional afternoon tea event and does not include a meal.

## Thursday, October 23, 2025

## Whitby Local Business Week: Business Outreach Visits

Date and Time: Thursday, October 23 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Address: Multiple

Invest Whitby presents Whitby Local Business Week. From Monday, October 20 - Friday, October 24, join us to celebrate, connect with, and learn about our local business community.

On Thursday, October 23, members of Council and staff will be out surveying local businesses. From 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. business surveys will be conducted in the following commercial areas:

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- Queens Commons Plaza
- Whitby Entertainment Centrum Plaza

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#### Whitby Local Business Week: Tourism and Wellness Panel

Date and Time: Thursday, October 23 4:30 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: 301 Watson Street, Whitby

Invest Whitby presents Whitby Local Business Week. From Monday, October 20 - Friday, October 24, join us to celebrate, connect with, and learn about our local business community.

Join the Invest Whitby for an evening at the Port Whitby Marina all about tourism. The Tourism Panel will incl due four local tourism experts and discuss trends and opportunities regarding the future of tourism in Whitby. Help us celebrate the Tourism Sector during Whitby Local Business Week.

Registration Link: https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/1611038011059?aff=oddtdtcreator

# Friday, October 24, 2025

### Whitby Local Business Week: Youth Micro-Hackathon

Date and Time: Friday, October 24 4:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 129 Brock St N, Whitby, ON L1N 4H3

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Join the Invest Whitby, geekspeak Commerce, and the Business Advisory Centre Durham for an evening of lear ning and fun.

Are you ready to turn your big ideas into action? Join us for a free, fun and fast-paced Youth Micro Hackathon designed for ages 16–20! Learn the basics of youth entrepreneurship, team up to create your own business concept, and pitch your idea in a friendly competition for prizes. Enjoy free pizza, meet new people, and show off your creativity!

Register here.

# Saturday, October 25, 2025

### Whitby's Repair Cafe & Waste Diversion Event

Date and Time: Saturday, October 25 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: 405 Dundas Street West, Whitby, ON

Participate in Waste Reduction Week organized by the Town in partnership with the Whitby Public Library on S aturday, October 25, 2025, at the Whitby Public Library, Central Library (405 Dundas St W, Whitby) from 10:0 0 a.m. to 2:00 p.m:

#### 1. Attend a Repair Cafe

Do you have a broken household item? Don't toss it!

Celebrate Waste Reduction Week, by bringing your broken/damaged small appliances, computers, electronics, c lothes, jewelry, books, and more, to the pop-up Repair Café at Whitby Central Library, Meeting Room 1 on Sat urday, October 25, 2025, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. to learn how to repair them with our expert volunteers.

This event is free but slots are limited, <u>register</u> today!

#### 2. Join the Waste Reduction Event

In partnership with the Rotary Club of Whitby, recycle "hard-to-recyclable" items and help reduce your impact on our planet. Bring your old **Brita filters, printer ink cartridges, toothbrushes, disposal razors, and pens, markers and highlighters** and drop them off at the designated boxes kept in the Library's Front lobby. No regis tration is required.

For a list of acceptable items under each category, please check out: <u>Brita filters</u>, <u>Oral Care (toothbrush)</u>, <u>pens</u>, <u>markers and highlighters</u>, and <u>disposable razors</u>.

# Sunday, October 26, 2025

### **Charm Bracelet/Necklace Workshop**

Date and Time: Sunday, October 26 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 270 Simcoe Street North

**COST: \$65** 

Looking for the perfect Galentine's Day activity? Celebrate the special bond with your besties at Cherished Jew el's Charm Bar Workshop!

Create your own custom charm jewelry—a bracelet, anklet, or necklace—and add up to 10 meaningful charms to make it truly one-of-a-kind. Whether you choose symbols of friendship, fun memories, or personal flair, ever y piece becomes a keepsake of love and connection.

Our charm bar features beautiful costume jewelry, offering a fun and creative way to design a stunning accessor y. It's the ultimate way to share laughs, get creative, and leave with something to cherish.

Come and celebrate friendship and sparkle at the Charm Bar!

## Tuesday, October 28, 2025

### 6-Week Free Caregiver Workshop Each Tuesday10:00 am to 11:30 am

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 28 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: 801 Brock St. S. Whitby

Powerful Tools for Caregivers Free 6-Week Workshop

Caring for a family member, friend or neighbour with a chronic health condition can be physically, emotionally, and financially exhausting. This workshop provides caregivers with the skills and tools they need to take better care of themselves as they provide care for others. Learn how to manage stress, difficult emotions, and how to c ommunicate with health care providers and family members to better understand how they can support you. Lea rn how to put together a plan for you, to keep you well. Participants also receive the free Caregiver helpbook and list of community resources to reach out to.

Each Tuesday from October 28th to December 2, 2025 from 10:00 am to 11:30 am

https://calendars.whitby.ca