

# Everyone needs a place to call home...

**Summer 2017** 

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### **WAYS TO DONATE**

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### New Raised Garden Beds at A Place Called Home

### Growing Natural Beauty at the Shelter

Thanks to the generosity of donors and volunteers our new raised bed gardens are being put to excellent use. On June 3<sup>rd</sup> Jamie and Glenda Morris attended our shelter to begin planting a variety of plants and flowers for the summer. "The intention is for the garden to add beauty to the environment and bring pleasure to the residents. We hope they will enjoy its beauty and enjoy taking care of the watering, weeding, and general



maintenance of our beautiful flower garden. Everybody likes to have a garden," says Glenda, current Board Director. Marigolds, pansies, zinnias, snapdragons, Dusty Miller, verbena, spearmint, and chives have been added to the new green space and canna lilies have been planted along the fence at the back of the shelter property. Thanks are extended to Kathy and Peter Anderson, Frank Smith, and Toward Balance Network for their support of this green project and also to Home Hardware for the generous donation of a water collection barrel for the shelter. Special thanks go out to our residents who helped to prepare the space and will help to maintain it in the future.

## Donations are Always Welcome at the Shelter

We are always in need of household supplies and personal care items

We are often asked: "what do you need at the shelter?", "can you accept (this)?", and "how do I make a donation?" We have developed a list of ongoing needs for the shelter and our outreach clients. Oftentimes, we are in need of household supplies such as mugs, dinner plates, cutlery, paper towels, Kleenex, toilet paper, and SOS pads, and at other times we need deodorant, shaving cream, lip balm, sunscreen, and AA batteries. Sometimes we are in need of bath towels and sheet sets as our residents are welcome to take one set of these items to their new apartments when they find safe and secure housing. We always welcome meat products, non-perishable food items, and fresh fruit vegetables and eggs at our shelter kitchen. Please like and follow our Facebook page at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/APCHLindsay">www.facebook.com/APCHLindsay</a> for up-to-date shelter needs.





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## BOARD MEMBER FAREWELL

We would like to offer thanks to
Cheryl Bryant for her support and
dedication over the past four years.
Cheryl has been an active member of
the board holding vice chair and
executive committee positions. We
wish her the best of luck!



#### **VOLUNTEER CORNER**

Patrick has been volunteering at APCH for approximately 4 years and assists with event promotion and newsletter mailings. Thank you, Patrick, for your continuing support and volunteerism!



## ANTIQUE SHOW & SALE July 14 & 15, 2017

Join APCH at the Victoria Park Armoury for the 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Antique Show & Sale. Admission is \$5.00. A Victorian Tea will once again be available with proceeds going to the Santa Claus Stocking Fund.

### 14<sup>th</sup> Annual MARK-A-THON August 12, 2017

Registration is \$30 the day of the event or a minimum of \$25 in donations/pledges to APCH. Call our office at 705-328-0905, ext 221 to request a pledge sheet.

Visit the Mark-a-thon event page at bit.ly/2017Markathon for more information and to download a pledge sheet.

## Annual General Meeting: Board Recruitment

October 25, 2017 at 6:00pm at Cambridge St. United Church

We are actively searching for individuals interested in joining our Board of Directors. As a member of the Board of Directors, you will be responsible for the organization's consistent achievement of its mission and organizational objectives. Core responsibilities include: policy formulation, decision-making, and oversight. The board member will demonstrate strong leadership skills, resourcefulness, creativity and commitment. She/he seeks out solutions to board related challenges and identifies and capitalizes on new opportunities. The ideal board member will be one whose personal philosophies mirror the beliefs and value systems of A Place Called Home. Commitment is 1 Board meeting per month, attending/assisting during fundraising events, and committee work. Please contact Lorrie Polito, Executive Director, at 705-328-0905, ext 222 or <a href="mailto:lorrie@apch.ca">lorrie@apch.ca</a> for more information.



## Making a difference in your community

Volunteering is a great way to give back to your community and non-profit organizations appreciate the time and effort of those who have the gift of service. At APCH we encourage individuals with a passion for volunteering to attend the administration office to complete an application form.

Opportunities for volunteering occur during the planning and implementation of our fundraising activities, food and donation pickup; at this time there are no openings within the shelter or with clients, although food preparation is sometimes on the list. For more information about volunteer opportunities at APCH you are encouraged to visit our website at <a href="http://www.apch.ca/how-vou-can-help/#yolunteer">http://www.apch.ca/how-vou-can-help/#yolunteer</a>.



## 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Kawartha Classic in support of A Place Called Home

This family friendly event welcomes new and experienced riders

APCH is proud to present the 14th Annual Kawartha Lakes Classic Cycle Tour on Saturday, August 26th. With distances from 13K to 160K there are many routes from which to choose. Online registration is available at <a href="https://www.kawarthaclassic.com">www.kawarthaclassic.com</a>.

Contact Dave at 705-328-0905, ext 235 for more information.



#### 2017 Event Calendar

47th Antique Show and Sale Valu-Mart Cash Out at the Till 14th Annual Mark-a-thon 14th Kawartha Classic Cycle Tour July 14th & 15th
July 30th to August 5th
August 12th
August 26th



Visit www.apch.ca for more information!

## **Summer 2017 Shout-outs - Thanks for your help!**

Kawartha Business Equipment ❖ Mickael's Café Libairie ❖ Little Caesar's ❖ RBC Lindsay Branch Rotary Club of Lindsay ❖ Jordyn Roffe, Making 150 Count for APCH ❖ United Way for CKL

