



WELCOME TO THE COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM ONTARIO

2017 Symposium / Awards and Golf Day

Hosted by the Municipality of Lambton Shores



The 2017 Symposium will be held at the **Forest Golf & Country Inn**, located at 102 Main St South in Forest. The Lambton Shores Communities in Bloom Committee has a full schedule of events planned for the participating communities and looks forward to hosting you at this year's Symposium.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SEPTEMBER 8 GOLF, DINNER & SOCIAL

11:30am - 12:30pm

Register for golf, dinner, social

** Be sure to grab a bite to eat before heading out to golf!*

1:00pm

Tee-off 18 holes best ball scramble

5:30pm

Free time for networking and engaging with your fellow Bloomers

6:00pm

Dinner & Social

Build Your Own Burger Bar, Salads and Dessert

SEPTEMBER 9 TOUR, SYMPOSIUM & AWARDS

8:00am

BUS TOUR REGISTRATION

Register at Forest Golf Resort for bus tour—space is limited

8:15am-11:45pm

Discoveries that matter guided tours

11:00am

SYMPOSIUM REGISTRATION

Symposium registration for those not on the bus tour

12:00pm—1:00pm

Light lunch catered by *Forest Golf & Country Inn*

1:00 pm – 1:45pm

Session 1: Special presentation by the C.I.B. Ontario team providing new ventures and opportunities

2:00pm – 4:30pm

Session 2: Four concurrently running very timely information sessions of 25 minutes per session

4:30 pm – 5:30pm

Free time for networking and engaging with your fellow Bloomers

5:30 pm

Cocktail hour

6:00 pm

Dinner and Awards Ceremony

COSTS

SEPTEMBER 8

Golf, Dinner & Social - \$80 per person

SEPTEMBER 9

Symposium & Awards Registration - \$70 per person

Bus Tour, Symposium & Awards - \$95 per person

Space is Limited. Taxes are included.

EARLY BIRD INCENTIVE!

Register by **JULY 31, 2017** for a chance to win a free CIB Ontario **2018** registration!

Registration forms can be found on the Communities in Bloom Ontario website www.cibontario.ca



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ABOUT LAMBTON SHORES

The Municipality of Lambton Shores is comprised of expansive golden beaches, popular campgrounds, parks, cycling, hiking and cross-country ski trails, indoor and outdoor theatres, rural farms, and marketplaces. Historic towns and villages area shopper's delight, while naturalists enjoy the area for the abundance of wildlife, birds and butterflies found in the Pinery Provincial Park, at the Lambton Heritage Museum, Port Franks Wetlands and Forested Dunes and along the many nature trails. The Lambton Heritage Museum, Arkona Lions, and Forest-Lambton Museum tell the stories of our past.



COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM IN LAMBTON SHORES



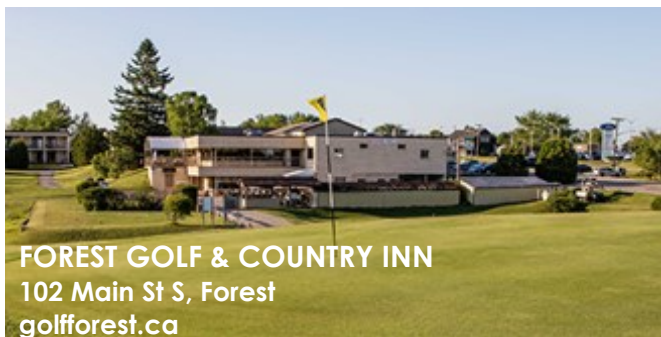
Our community's pride has been elevated with the participation in the Communities in Bloom program. Lambton Shores' council, staff and residents take great pride in the fact that we were National winners in the 2012 competition, the winner of the Class of Champions competition in 2013 and most recently, International Champions in 2016 - a direct result of everyone working together towards a common goal. This is apparent in the gardens that are planted, the community events that are organized, the historical preservation taking place, environmental awareness applied to our lives and the maintenance practices used within our organization.

ABOUT COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM ONTARIO

Communities in Bloom Ontario is the provincial edition of the national Communities in Bloom program. Communities in Bloom Ontario is a program that inspires communities to enhance and sustain the visual appeal of neighbourhoods, public spaces, parks and streetscapes through the imaginative use of flowers, plants, trees and landscaping, through the preservation of heritage and cultural assets and with attention to environmental stewardship.



ACCOMMODATIONS



FOREST GOLF & COUNTRY INN
102 Main St S, Forest
golfforest.ca

A block of rooms has been reserved under "Communities in Bloom Provincials" at the Forest Golf & Country Inn

Standard Room - \$99/night; Deluxe Room - \$109/night

For reservations call: **1-800-265-0214**

September 8 - 10. Please book by **August 21.** Limited rooms available under the room blocks "Provincial Communities in Bloom"

Other accommodation options are listed online at www.lambtonshores.ca/en/visiting-us/accommodations.asp