



Regional Event – Hamilton, Ontario
September 19 & 20, 2016
Preliminary Event Program

Monday September 19

11.45AM Lunch at the Sheraton Hamilton Hotel, 116 King St W, Hamilton, ON L8P 4V3, Our 905-529 -5515. Our meeting room is the **Heritage Suite**

Our event officially gets underway with an informative talk on Energy Conservation, Bill Wylie or Brian Smith, Horizon Utilities Corporation

Horizon Utilities Corporation was named Canada's first Sustainable Electricity Company by the Canadian Electricity Association and is a two-time (2011 and 2012) Sustainability Company of the Year. Horizon Utilities is one of the largest municipally owned electricity distribution companies in Ontario with \$487 million in assets.

Horizon Utilities delivers among the lowest operating costs and the lowest residential and commercial rates in Ontario. At the same time, we are generating among the strongest returns for our municipal shareholders. This has earned the company one of the highest credit ratings for an electric utility in Ontario by Standard & Poor's — an "A stable" rating.

Horizon is committed to providing unparalleled customer value, and helping to create a culture of energy conservation in the communities we serve, and across Ontario. Our collective goal is to support growth and provide safe, reliable and sustainable power for our residential and business customers in the communities we serve.

We will hear about important energy conservation tips for manufacturing as well as learn about important programs offered by Horizon.

1.30PM – 4.30PM **"Plant tours" Travel is by private vehicle**

1.15PM Depart for Whips Carpentry –3077 Mainway, Burlington, ON L7P 2T1 Tel: 905-319-9955

1.30PM Tour of Whips Carpentry

3.00PM Depart Whips Carpentry

3.15PM Depart from previous tour to Escape Rooms Alcatraz

3.45PM Reception and activity: **Escape Rooms Alcatraz – WHAT ARE ESCAPE ROOMS?**

Escape Rooms are staged rooms that are uniquely themed!

The rules are simple: Your team goes into the escape room and the door closes behind you. Once inside, you'll have 50 minutes to master a series of puzzles, riddles and mysteries to complete your mission.



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All you'll need to get out is your wits and teamwork. There are clues and riddles hidden deep within the room, so you'll need the concentrated effort of the whole team to find them all. Communicate, cooperate and coordinate your search and you'll be out before the times up, or else...

6.30PM Depart Escape rooms for Sheraton Hotel

7.00PM Dinner at Sheraton Hamilton Hotel

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Dinner Speaker/Topic: Risk Management and how to get the most out of your insurance company and premiums.

Tuesday September 20

6.45AM - 8.00AM Enjoy a delicious breakfast at the **Sheraton Hamilton Hotel**, 116 King St Hamilton, ON L8P 4V3, Tel: 905-529 -5515. Our meeting room is the Heritage Suite

7.00AM

Breakfast Speaker: Topic and Speaker still being confirmed,

8.00AM **"Plant tours" Travel is by private vehicle**

Depart hotel on route to Archmill House, 1276 Osprey Drive, Ancaster, ON L9G 4V5, Tel: 905.648.7330

8.30AM **Tour of Archmill house Woodworking**

Archmill House is a leading manufacturer of architectural millwork and store fixtures for the Commercial and Institutional markets.

Over the years, Archmill has built a reputation as one of the most well-respected and trusted millwork companies. We have a state-of-the-art manufacturing facility, quality control processes, dedicated project management, and the experience and resources to meet any challenge.

Archmill House works as a team with Owners, Architects and Designers, General Contractors, and Retailers. We take pride that we have established long term partnerships with industry leaders who have turned to us for multiple custom millwork projects

10.00AM Depart Archmill on route to Mohawk College – 135 Fennell Ave W, Hamilton, ON L9C 1E9 Tel: 905-575-1212

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11.00AM Tour of **Mohawk College**

Mohawk annually serves 4,500 apprenticeship students, and is one of the largest trainers of apprentices in Ontario - it has 2 programs that serve the cabinetry industry.

Many more people in the skilled trades are retiring than are entering the system. By 2020, it is estimated that Canada could be short about 1 million workers due to an aging population and declining birth rates (Conference Board of Canada, 2000). The hardest-hit industries will be manufacturing, construction, petroleum production and transportation. We will hear about the training offered, the number of students that attend,

12.00PM Depart for Sheraton Hamilton Hotel

12.30PM **Lunch is served!**

1.00PM Afternoon speaker: **John Brown:** Javelin Technologies. 3D Printing

The creation of a 3D printed object is achieved using additive processes. In an additive process an object is created by laying down successive layers of material until the object is created. Each of these layers can be seen as a thinly sliced horizontal cross-section of the eventual object.

How does 3D printing work?

It all starts with making a virtual design of the object you want to create. This virtual design is for instance a CAD (Computer Aided Design) file. This CAD file is created using a 3D modeling application or with a 3D scanner (to copy an existing object). A 3D scanner can make a 3D digital copy of an object.

We will learn why this technology is important for the Kitchen cabinet Industry and some of the applications for this technology for our member use.

2.00PM Depart for Panasonic Showroom

New program additions for the designers in mind!!

3.00 PM **Join us at Panasonic's state of the art Showroom**

5770 Ambler Drive, Mississauga, ON, L4W 2T3

Panasonic Canada has recently completed state of the art Kitchen Solutions and Home and Building Solutions Centers. These spaces are designed not only to showcase the latest and upcoming Panasonic products, but also to demonstrate the benefits of the products in lifestyle applications. A fully functional cooking demonstration area, cooking school, and model kitchen vignettes provide interactive engagement with the suite of Panasonic kitchen appliance and space management solutions. Join the tour for a unique look into the Panasonic Homes and Living initiative. Light snacks and refreshments provided.

To learn more about this innovative division [please click here](#)



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4.30PM For those CKCA members who want to continue the evening, we have partnered with the **Ontario Chapter of the NKBA** to attend their networking event and annual membership drive!
Location: **Richelieu Hardware**, 6425 Airport Road, Mississauga
Registration starts at 4.30PM, first session starts at 5.00PM *Note: Separate registration is required* see below for link

International Speaker, **Liesbet Trappenburg** will present:

You Are Not Your Job! Preventing Burn-Out to Create Sustainable Work/Life Balance and Intuitive Leadership & Decision-Making,

Session1 YOU ARE NOT YOUR JOB! Your most important “product” is your creativity. Clients and employers expect innovative and creative solutions to their complex design problems and depend upon you to deliver results. It’s critical, therefore, to be good stewards of your most precious resources: our time, creativity, and energy. Learn how to cultivate inspiration and manage time wisely with a healthy work/life balance based on core values and a visionary outlook. Without it, you quickly burn out and produce mediocre results. Sustainable design is not just a trend in the built environment, but a lifestyle that can maximize your talents and personal fulfillment through a renewable and inspired process.

Session2 INTUITIVE LEADERSHIP & DECISION-MAKING. In today’s world, it’s not enough to “solve” problems. As the thought-leader Daniel Pink explains, finding and anticipating problems are more valuable skills than solving them. This new skillset requires insightful thinking and decision-making that is not linear in nature.

Tackle “information overload” and be decisive, not overwhelmed!

It’s difficult and stressful keeping up with technology and client deadlines. Through interactive lecture, small group exercises and personal worksheets, learn how to use, strengthen, and trust intuitive skills to make fast and accurate decisions in your career and personal lives

To read more about the sessions [please click here](#)

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The cost is \$25 for CKCA members and refreshments will be provided!

Session ends at 8.00PM

*****Program is subject to change without notice.**

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