



Community Foundation of Campbellford/Seymour and Northumberland

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Community Building

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Northumberland's Vital Signs

Hello Martha,

Did you know that in Northumberland, over 50% of the population are aged 50 or older and more than half of those are over 65? Did you know that in 2020, 85.5% of males and 82.7% of females over age 65 in Northumberland County reported a somewhat strong or very strong sense of belonging to community? This was more than 10% higher than the provincial average!

Get all the facts about your community in our first Vital Signs report!

What is Vital Signs?

Vital Signs® is a national program led by community foundations and coordinated by Community Foundations of Canada that leverages community knowledge to measure the vitality of our communities and support action towards improving their quality of life.

The Community Foundation of Campbellford/Seymour and Northumberland is proud to be among the hundreds of communities in Canada and around the world mobilizing community knowledge for greater local impact and to learn more about what we need to do to uplift our communities.

**We are launching
Northumberland's first
Vital Signs Report.**

Join Us!

**Vital Signs will show us where to
take action and direct resources
to have the greatest impact.**

NORTHUMBERLAND'S

VitalSigns.



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Join us at one of four launch events to hear firsthand about the issues that matter to the Northumberland community.

Our first Vital Signs report includes local data about food, housing, livable income, education, health and wellbeing, and how it all connects with a sustainable future.

Each event will feature a guest speaker who will address one of the social challenges that Northumberland County faces.

Brighton

Tuesday April 9, 2024
4:00 - 5:30 p.m.
Brighton Community Hall
75 Elizabeth Street, Brighton

Guest Speaker: Jeff Wheeldon,
Councillor - Municipality of Brighton

Jeff will speak on how communities can collaborate to create solutions to complex problems.

[Register Here](#)

Maximum 170 Attendees

Port Hope

Thursday April 18, 2024
3:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Port Hope Public Library
31 Queen Street, Port Hope

Guest Speakers: Cathy Borowec,
Executive Director, Habitat for Humanity
Northumberland
Rebecca Carman, Associate Director of
Housing and Homelessness,
Northumberland County

Cathy and Rebecca will be speaking about affordable housing needs in Northumberland and what we are doing to create more options for folks in need.

[Register Here](#)

Maximum 59 Attendees

Cobourg

Wednesday April 24, 2024
3:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Cobourg Public Library
200 Ontario Street, Cobourg

Guest Speakers: Bill Smith, Homelessness
Services Manager, Northumberland
County

Emma Taylor, Director Mental Health,
Community Health Programs

Bill and Emma will be speaking about homelessness and the work being done in the system and street outreach services.

[Register Here](#)

Maximum 59 Attendees

Trent Hills

Thursday May 2, 2024
4:00 - 6:00 p.m.
Aron Theatre Co-op
54 Bridge Street East, Campbellford

Guest Speaker: Russ Christianson, Chair -
Northumberland Food Policy Council

Russ will speak about the impact of food policy on the design of our food system.

Event includes CFCSN Annual General Meeting and 2024 Grant Announcements.

[Register Here](#)

Maximum 140 Attendees

Why Attend?

The information presented in our first Vital Signs report will provide a focus for conversations for residents, businesses, community organizations, and government leaders to take action and direct resources where they will have the greatest impact.

Local data and community-driven knowledge will help us make bolder and better decisions to ensure that everyone in Northumberland County communities has the support and opportunity to flourish.

[Read our Press Release>>](#)

Vital Signs Helps Build Communities Where Everyone Belongs

A higher sense of community belonging is linked to many benefits including better overall community health and civic engagement.

We look forward to meeting you at one of our launch events!

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