



Big Brothers Big Sisters
of Oshawa-Whitby

BIG NEWS!



WE ARE MOVING

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A change of shoes can change a life.



Congratulations Tasha Kelly!



Tasha was the Grand Prize winner at Bowl For Kids Sake this year. She won an all-inclusive trip for 2 to the Gran Bahia Principe Jamaica Royal Golden in Runaway Bay, Jamaica Marlin Travel and Transat Holidays.



Thank you to Pina Brusco (Marlin Travel) & Susan Nicol (Transat Holidays) for once again Sponsoring our Bowl For Kids Sake Event and donating the fabulous Grand Prize Trip for two. Your support has been awesome and is very much appreciated!

Be sure to think of Marlin Travel when booking your next vacation!

On May 11th, 2011 Big Brothers Big Sisters of Oshawa-Whitby held its annual Bowl For Kids Sake campaign. Each year this event keeps getting bigger and better. With close to 400 bowlers in attendance supporting our agency and programs we were able to meet our goal and then some raising almost of \$ 68,000.00!

Thank you to all those who participated and/or volunteered at Bowl For Kids Sake!

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**There is no better exercise for your heart,
Than reaching down and helping to lift someone up.**

Bernard Meltzer



The "Pink Ladies" from Scotia Bank at Taunton & Harmony won the Best dressed team prize at Bowl For Kids Sake



As of June 24th 2011
we will be in our new home.

**70 Simcoe Street North
Oshawa Ontario L1G 4S2**
(above Mountain Beauty Supply)
our phone numbers & email
addresses will remain
the same as below

Our office will be closed
June 22nd & 23rd while we move

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Thank You!!

To the all the Bowl For Kids Sake teams and sponsors!

Big & Little Brothers & Sisters
Baton Rouge Whitby
BDO Canada LLP
Best Buy Canada – Whitby
Beyond Insurance Brokers Inc.
Candy's Complete
CIBC
Communications
CLH Designs
Councillor Elizabeth Roy
D.I.S. Insurance Brokers
DRCC Radiation Radsters
DUCA Credit Union
Durham College
Durham Connection
Fusion...the power of youth at play
Gerda Ameristeel Recycling
Hardiman Mount & Associates
Home Depot – Brooklin
Insurance Brokers
International Pools & Spa
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Keller Williams
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Jackson & Assoc.
Rotary Club of Oshawa-Parkwood
Scotia Bank – Harmony & Taunton
Separation Coach
ServiceMaster of Durham
Sign A Rama – Whitby
Sunlife
The Brock House
The Crooked Uncle
The Semas Group
Two Men and a Truck
Waltzing Weasel
Whitby Dunlops
Whitby Fire & Emergency Services



This years Golf For Kids Sake
tournament is taking place on
Wednesday September 21, 2011
at Oakridge Golf Club
in Port Perry.

If you are interested in putting in a
foursome, sponsor a hole,
donating a prize to the silent
auction or volunteering the day of
please let us know.



Thank You More Sponsors!



Jumpstart

Giving kids a sporting chance.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

belated...

March 2011

Bobby B.
Dalia D.
Holly I.
Mikaela I.
Matthew C.
Omar D.
Andrew H.
Damian R.
Emily R.
Jordon H.
Shauna P.
Tyler M.
Zackary J.

April 2011

Hannah C.
Jessica H.
Kelsey M.
Sashay C.
Chad B.
Joshua H.
Keegan C.
Rory W-E.
Samantha T.

May 2011

Courtney C-R.
Jacob P.
Katrina F.
Nathaniel T.
Darlene O.
Eric H.
Jack K.
Kyle H.
Reagan F-N.
Roger B.

Current & upcoming...

June 2011

Braeden A.
Peyton A.
Eric V.
James M.
Madison G.

July 2011

Andrew N.
Marlowe K.
Sara Marie P.
Amber K.
Hunter B.
Kyle P.

August 2011

Alex P.
Crystal P.
Crystal V.
Jesse C.
Sawyer K.
Thomas L.
Auroara L.
Brandon T.
Cameron V.
Johnathon P.
Melissa W.
Nicholas S.
Nicolas N.



The Astrological Volunteer Guide!

Cancer: June 21-July 22

Water sign, clear and pure with a heart of gold. You are always ready to help a good cause. Very artistic, your imagination has no limit! The world is your oyster and you are here to make sure everybody is happy and content....volunteering is like breathing, you can't live without it. The world needs you!

Volunteer Guide: organizing activities, fundraising, teaching all appeal to Cancer!

2011-2012 Board of Directors

President:	Noel Mowat
Vice President:	Jodi Hewett
Secretary:	Ron Hart
Treasurer:	Glenn Smith
Past President:	John Krasinski
Director:	Paul Dryden
Director:	Julie Gill
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Director:	Dean McCullagh
Director:	Ian McCutcheon
Director:	Chris Vale
Director:	Ian Young



Jumpstart

Giving kids a sporting chance.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Oshawa-Whitby partners with the Canadian Tire Jumpstart Program to get Littles active.

A little about the Jumpstart program.....

Who do they fund?

The program assists financially disadvantaged families in getting their individual children aged 4-18 involved in sports and recreation programs.

What types of activities do we fund?

Activities must be physically active programs and does not include summer or day camps (i.e., prefer sports with seasons, lessons, etc., over longer periods of time).

What time of year can I apply?

There are two submission/application sessions per year: spring-summer (January 1 – June 1) and fall/winter (July 1 – December 1)

Can I receive funding for more than one sport?

Each child can only request funding for one sport per submission session – maximum \$300.

Can more than one child in the same family receive funding?

Funding can be requested for more than one child in a family in a submission session.

Are families able to request funding two seasons in a row?

Families can request funding for successive submission sessions for the same sports or different sports

The next session for application submissions runs July 1st 2011 - November 15th 2011. For an application please call Bobbi (905) 579-2551



ig Picnic

Join us on September 11, 2011 at **Camp Samac** as we celebrate Big Brothers Big Sisters Month at our 4th Annual **BIG Picnic**. Join us for an afternoon with friends, family, food, games and prizes. Staff, Volunteers, Bigs, Littles and their immediate family from Big Brothers Big Sisters agencies in Oshawa-Whitby, Ajax-Pickering, Clarington and North Durham are all invited to join in on the fun!

Join us for an afternoon with friends,
family, food, games and prizes.

Date: **September 11, 2011**

Time: **1:00pm-4:00pm (rain or shine)**

Where: **Camp Samac**

RSVP: **Please register on or before Sept. 2nd, 2011**



Unfortunately late registrants cannot be accepted

Please bring your lawn chair(s) and baseball gloves, frisbees etc.



CAR WASH & BBQ

Saturday July 23rd 2011

8:30am-1:00pm

Speedy Muffler on Simcoe Street North

Come out and help us wash some cars!

Money raised from the car wash will go directly to our annual Wonderland Trip and Big Bunch Activities. We will be looking for volunteers to attend and help out at the Car Wash. If you are available all day or just for an hour or two please let me know. If you aren't available to volunteer be sure to tell all your family and friends to get their car washed!

Shrine Circus Tickets

We have a few tickets for the Shrine Circus coming to

Oshawa GM Centre
Thursday July 21, 2011
4:00pm & 7:30pm shows

If your interested please give Kelly a call
(905) 579-2551 x 100

WRITING CONTEST



Big Brothers Big Sisters of Oshawa-Whitby is creating their own "Chicken Soup for the Soul book" and need your help. We are looking for stories, stories & more stories of your involvement with Big Brothers Big Sisters.

Tell us your story!!

How has having a Big or Little impacted your life. Why you need a Big Brother or Sisters or what having a Big in your child's life has done for him or her. We're hoping to have all stories in by mid August so we can compile the book for September – BBBS Month

We will randomly draw for prizes from the

starts **JUNE 28** RETURNING THIS **SUMMER** until **SEPT 5**

KIDS BOWL FREE Family Passes Available

(2) FREE GAMES of bowling a day for kids 15 and younger

1 VISIT WEBSITE BELOW
www.kidsbowlfree.com/nebs

2 FILL IN FORM TO JOIN
registration is fast and free

3 E-MAIL SENT WEEKLY
print and redeem the passes

WONDERLAND

Wednesday August 17th, 2011
8:00am-7:00pm

Join us for a day of thrills & water fun!
Registration deadline is August 5th/11

Ticket price is still to be determined but **we're hoping** for \$20/member or less including bus. The price will depend on donations and funds raised at car wash.

This activity has limited space.

Tickets and seats on the bus will go to members first and then if there is room we will open it up to guests. Please inform us when registering if you would like a guest to be put on the waiting list.

Money is due on or before August 5th to guarantee your spot on the bus

Giant Tiger Grand Opening in support of Big Brothers Big Sisters of Oshawa-Whitby

