



## Upcoming Events for 2012

February 2, 8 am - 6:30 pm – **Brampton Creative Economy Summit** at Rose Theatre. Join us for a day featuring interactive panel sessions, innovative presentations and high-profile keynote speakers, like Jian Ghomeshi and Tim Jones. Generate excitement for the emerging workforce within the creative economy.

February 23, 5-7 pm – **Schmoozefest II**. A fun night for group and individual members to network, share plans and inspire ideas. Contact the BAC office for more information or to register. Brampton Golf Club.

March 5, 4:30-6:30pm – **Brampton Board of Trade “After Business” Hosted & sponsored by the Brampton Arts Council** at the Rose Theatre. A fantastic opportunity to find out what the services and products the BAC and members of the arts community have to offer to the rest of Brampton’s business community.

March 27, 7:30 pm – **AGM (Annual General Meeting)**. Hear Brampton Arts Council’s accomplishments for last year and what’s planned for this year. Registration starts at 7 p.m. Meeting begins promptly at 7:30pm. 2 Wellington Street W, City Hall Council Chambers, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor. Free parking in City Hall garage. Join us after for refreshments and entertainment.

June 8, 8 pm – **Bravo! Awards**. BAC celebrates and honours those involved in the Adjudication Process Program at the Rose Theatre. This gala evening is a unique celebration of the relative strengths of performances in a non-competitive format. Tickets \$10.

June 16, 7 am to 1 pm. **Art in the Open**. OPENING DAY CELEBRATIONS! Check out Garden Square (Main & Queen St.) as part of the Farmers’ Market in downtown Brampton for one-of-a-kind gifts. FREE attendance. [www.artsbrampton.ca/aito.asp](http://www.artsbrampton.ca/aito.asp)

June 19 – **Councillors’ Annual Charity Golf Tournament for the Arts**. Support the arts at this local fundraiser. Registration begins at 11 am for a 12 p.m. shotgun at the Caledon Golf & Country Club. Contact the BAC for registration and sponsorship opportunities.

June 23 to October 6, 7 am – 1 pm – **Art in the Open**. Part of the Farmers’ Market located downtown (Main & Queen St). Artists, artisans and crafters sell their one-of-a-kind wares in Garden Square. FREE public attendance every Saturday. [www.artsbrampton.ca/aito.asp](http://www.artsbrampton.ca/aito.asp)

August 9-12, **Brampton Global Jazz and Blues Festival**. Art of Jazz will transform downtown Brampton into a hotbed of rhythm, improvisation, harmony and sophistication with major concerts, themed program, workshops, jam sessions, film debuts and more. BAC is a proud promotional partner with AoJ. [www.artofjazz.org](http://www.artofjazz.org)

September 18, 11 am -2 pm - **Mayor’s Luncheon for the Arts**. Join us at Rose Theatre for Brampton’s favourite luncheon! We will announce the “Arts Person of the Year” and give recognition to our corporate sponsors and “Friends of the Arts”. There is limited seating so call to book your tickets now!

Nov 8 -11 – **HACE™ Business of the Arts Workshops**. Entrepreneurship workshops are offered FREE TO BRAMPTONIANS INVOLVED IN THE ARTS SECTOR. This is a tremendous opportunity to tap into a wealth of knowledge from people ‘in the know’ and network with other artists at the Brampton Golf Club. [www.artsbrampton.ca/workshops.asp](http://www.artsbrampton.ca/workshops.asp)