

**DUFFERIN MARSH NATURE CONNECTION**

**MEETING AGENDA**

Wednesday, February 21st, 2019 - 7:30 pm

Grackle Coffee House, Main Street, Schomberg

1. Review previous minutes for finalisation - 10 minutes
2. Treasurer’s Report - 10 minutes
3. Business Arising From the Minutes
4. Review of Skate
5. Great Backyard Bird Count
6. DMNC Marketing/Membership Strategy
7. Beer tasting
8. Trail Project
9. Recognition of Past Executive Members
10. Upcoming Events
11. Earth Hour Bonfire
12. Clean-up Day

Follow-up after AGM

1. Mary or Charles will follow up on actions taken or yet to be undertaken to address items identified with the Township on the walk about (see minutes of Sept. 17 ‘18)

New Items

1. Partnership with NNC concerning Bats.

NEXT MEETING is **Wednesday, March 13, 7:30**

List of Upcoming 2019 DMNC Events (**bolded items confirmed**):

**Feb 9 2:00 pm Dufferin Marsh Community Skate**

**Feb 16 9:00 am Great Backyard Bird Count**

**Mar. 30 8:00 pm Earth Hour Bonfire**

**April 4 7:00 pm Frog Monitoring Workshop**

April 7:00 pm Swift Monitoring Workshop

**April 20 9:00 am Dufferin Marsh Clean-up**

**May 9 8:00 pm Frog Night Out – Dufferin Marsh**

**May 26 6:30 am Bird walk**

**May TBD 10:00 am Garlic Mustard Pull**

**June 13 8:00 pm Bats**

July 8:00 pm Swift Night Out

July/Aug 2:00 pm Dragonflies and Butterflies

July/Aug TBC Moth Mania

**Sept. 15 10:00 Bird feeder Building Workshop / Street Gallery**

Oct. TBC Beer Tasting

**Nov. TBD afternoon AGM - 2:00 hike; 4:30 meeting, 6:00 dinner**

**Dec. 7 4:00 to 8:00 Main St. Xmas – Chestnuts**

**List of Previous DMNC Events:**

February Annual DMC Skate

March Birding Workshop – Nature Conservancy

March Earth Hour Event

April Dufferin Marsh Clean-up

April Bird Banding Demonstration

May ORM Clean Up

May Garlic Mustard Pull

May Frog Night Out – Cold Creek

May Frog Night Out – Dufferin Marsh

May Bird Hike at Cold Creek

May Fair Booth

May Bird Walk

June Wine Tasting

July - August Swift Night Out, Bats, Moth Mania, Dragonflies and Butterflies

August Work events for DMC: Loosestrife, remove goose rope

September Bird feeder Building Workshop (Confirmed to match up with Street Gallery)

September Phragmites removal

October Tree planting at marsh

November AGM at Cold Creek or alternate location

December Chestnuts for Main Street Xmas