



Five for Five September 2022

Five of the Top Stories at Five Counties this month!

All Aboard: Waiting Area set to reopen at Centre

The Wait is finally over...



Five Counties Children's Centre client Grayson (*in photo at left*) sums it up best: thumbs up indeed! Grayson got to test drive some of the play equipment and other kids' activities that will once again be open to clients and their families. Five Counties is pleased to announce that the **waiting area at its Peterborough site is set to reopen later this month**, after being closed since the start of the pandemic.

Enhanced COVID-19 cleaning measures will remain in place, but the reopening of the waiting area also provides a more welcoming environment for families accessing services at the Centre.

Back in the swing!

Linwood Homes Rotary Golf Tourney Returns on Sept. 15 in Support of Five Counties Kids

The Rotary Club of Peterborough is excited to announce the **Linwood Homes Rotary Golf Tournament** will be returning for the second year in a row in support of Five Counties Children's Centre and other local Rotary projects. The tournament will be held on September 15th at Bellmere Winds Golf Resort.

The afternoon event will be a great way to get in a round of golf while supporting the kids in our communities. Kids like **Deacon**, who was born with spina bifida, and has been accessing Five Counties programs like physiotherapy, occupational therapy and speech and language since he was three months old. "This event will help more kids get the care they need, raise awareness, and let kids with physical, developmental and communications needs know they have a community behind them, supporting them and cheering them on" says Five Counties mom, Alana. "Deacon is always moving and always going

Rotary
Peterborough Club

FORE The Kids! GOLF TOURNAMENT

LIMITED SPACE REGISTER NOW!
\$150

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2022

REGISTRATION | BELLMERE WINDS GOLF RESORT
1235 Villiers Line, Keene, ON
tournaments.golftown.com/Peterboroughrotarygolf | SHOTGUN START 1:00 pm!

DRINKS - LUNCH - PRIZES - RAFFLE
Sponsorship opportunities available. Proceeds benefit Five Counties Children's Centre

[Deacon's Story:](#)

somewhere, and we credit a lot of that mobility to Five Counties and all the work they have done with him. We hope you will come out to the golf tournament and show your support for kids like Deacon!"

Discover the 'moving' tale of how Five Counties is helping Deacon and his family take steps forward.

To register as a player, click here.

Be a Super Hero

Help fight COVID-19

Kids' Vaccination Clinic

(ages 6 months - 11 yrs)

Wednesday, September 21

3-8 pm

Five Counties Children's Centre

872 Dutton Road, Peterborough

COVID-19 vaccines available by appointment for eligible children

Call 705-748-2333 or
1-888-779-9916, ext. 101



Peterborough
Public Health



Five Counties
CHILDREN'S CENTRE

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Spread the Word, Not COVID

Five Counties is pleased to partner with Peterborough Public Health to host a **Family-Friendly COVID-19 Vaccination Clinics** for children ages six months to 11 years of age.

The clinic takes place on September 21 from 3-8 pm at the Peterborough Site and will be open to all Five Counties clients and any siblings who are within that age range, regardless of where they live. First or second doses (if eligible) of COVID-19 vaccine will be available for those ages six months to five years, while first, second and booster doses (if eligible) will be offered to those ages 5-11. **This vaccination clinic is a family-friendly, sensory-friendly friendly environment for our clients and families. Please contact the Centre** if you want to book an appointment for your child.

Take-Home Paint Kit Fundraiser Ready to Roll

September 1 - September 30

How it works:

- From September 1-30, order your take-home paint kit for \$35 per kit. **Click here to place your order!**
- Pick up your kit at the Cobourg Crock A Doodle Studio - 101-169 Division St., Cobourg, K9A 0B3
- Drop off your masterpiece at Crock A Doodle to be kiln fired
- Pick up your finished piece at Crock A Doodle
- \$5 from every kit goes toward helping Five Counties Kids!

What's Included:

- A Handi plate
- Paint kit including Red, Yellow & Blue
- 1 paint brush

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- Step-by-step instructions for the "be nice" design

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- Order yours for \$35 per kit at crockadoodle.com/cobourg/studio-events/fcccf/
- Choice to pick up at Five Counties Cobourg Office or pick up at the Cobourg Crock A Doodle Studio
- Drop off your masterpiece at Crock A Doodle to be kiln fired - 169 Division St., Cobourg, K9A 0B3
- Pick up your finished piece at Crock A Doodle

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Altogether different.
All-together fun.

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Get full details
here!

Saying a Sweet Thank You to Five Counties Staff

When it comes to treats, no one can serve them up like Mitchell, a long-time Five Counties client. Mitchell and his mom, Anita, recently dropped by the Centre in Peterborough with a treats package for staff to show appreciation for the support the family has received over the years. Mitchell has been a client at FCCC since birth, but is now transitioning to adult services as he starts at Fleming College this fall. "It's exciting to start a new chapter in my life," Mitchell notes. "I've been very fortunate to have all the support I've had here over time."



Well said Mitchell, and good luck with your future studies. Five Counties thanks you too for all that you've given us and how much you've enriched our lives. It's clients and families like you that makes our job so rewarding!

Join our team and make a difference in a child's life. We are now hiring... find out about our employment opportunities.

[Visit our website for resources and the latest news and upcoming events](#)

For more information about our programs, services or fundraising please contact us at 705-748-2337 ext. 300 or development@fivecounties.on.ca.



For Centre related updates, we encourage you to check [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and our [website](#) for resources and information. [Five Counties](#) values your ongoing support in ensuring our Centre can provide the best care possible for children and their families. We are making investments in equipment and resources to ensure we can provide the same professional, prompt and caring services we always have.

You can send us an email through info@fivecounties.on.ca or give us a call and we will connect you with someone who can answer your questions.

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