

In Their Own Words

What our business people say about Saugeen Shores

Steven Harris, Proprietor Ristorante ROSINA

Five years ago my family and I decided to relocate to Saugeen Shores. After all, the community of Port Elgin had already felt like a place to call home. We had been coming to the area on weekends and periods of the summer to experience the shores of Lake Huron while pursuing our passion for boating. During our regular visits, I became very familiar with the region, the people within the community, the business community and I truly appreciated the services provided in the area. The goals began to rise - we wanted to be in Saugeen Shores for longer than the weekend. I recognized a business opportunity to the join downtown community and opened ROSINA. Our establishment provides a unique experience, offering "Fine Dining with Local Foods and wide selection of International Wines all within Casual and Higher End Contemporary Atmosphere". Since acquiring ownership of ROSINA in downtown Port Elgin, I have met incredible people, hired exceptionally talented staff and I am constantly reminded of why Port Elgin is our home.

We've leveraged our fine dining experience from just typical restaurant fare to provide additional experiences such as cooking classes in our kitchen, led by our talented Executive Chef, Corporate Meetings for small to larger companies, and many charity events to help give back to our community. ROSINA's celebrates tourism in Saugeen Shores while providing first class service to residents, seasonal cottagers and visitors to the area. We're proud to be part of vibrant downtown Port Elgin.

At the end of a successful day, I can walk out the door from our thriving business and take a walk along the water front, slip onto our boat and enjoy the sunsets found on Lake Huron. The quality of life my family and

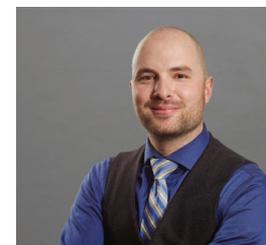
I get to experience is priceless. With great schools, healthcare services, community events/festivals and other entrepreneurs like myself in the area, Saugeen Shores really is the place to be proud to call home...for longer than a weekend.



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Dylan Bartlett, Owner of Progressive Results Group



I have been visiting Saugeen Shores for over 15 years, my wife's parents live in Port Elgin, so my kids practically grew up on the beautiful beaches! We've spent many days walking the streets, visiting

the great selection of shops and restaurants. It's a special place with great people! It seems like there's always something happening in Saugeen Shores, every season is packed with great events! It's such a vibrant community and was an obvious choice when it came time to expand my business.

I own a marketing company that has a strong rural focus, our products and services are designed to help local business owners. A few years ago we reached

out to many towns, with the hopes to find the perfect location for our expansion. The response from Saugeen Shores was overwhelmingly positive. The Chamber of Commerce and BIA provided us with tons of great information and the town was extremely supportive of our projects and future plans.

Progressive Results Group has enjoyed the opportunity to help local businesses thrive and grow in Saugeen Shores. Our community first approach has led to many amazing relationships and we've been able to help many local non-profit groups along the way!

I'm so happy with our choice and so proud to do business in Saugeen Shores.

We look forward to many great years to come!