

**Schillers**

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*“good food, good service,*  
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**Business Of The Week**

**Schillers Restaurant (Zurich, ON)**



Schillers co-owners Sarah DeLong, Jon Freker, Lyndsey Gilchrist, and Richard Schiller

In a day and age where some villages are struggling to find ways to keep their downtown healthy, it is inspiring to visit Zurich, Ontario. There's a beautiful new arena, an amazing indoor skatepark, and a recently-constructed new library right downtown, to name a few. And now, across from the library at the corner of Main & Goshen, there's a great new family restaurant known as "Schillers" which opened on June 3.

Schillers is owned and operated by four friends: Richard Schiller, Lyndsey Gilchrist, Jon Freker, and Sarah DeLong. Schiller and Gilchrist, who are engaged to be married, had been working at this same Main & Goshen location (called Smileyz, primarily a pizza place) previously. Raili VanDerWiel, owner of Smileyz, was getting ready to retire and thus presented the opportunity to Richard and Lyndsey to run their own restaurant.

While visiting Richard's cousin Jon on the occasion of his birthday on April 29, Richard & Lyndsey surprised Jon and girlfriend Sarah with an intriguing idea: that they should join them in making a go of this new restaurant in Zurich. Though Jon & Sarah had full-time jobs in Windsor, Schillers Restaurant presented "an exciting new experience" so they jumped at the chance.

Richard Schiller summed up their family restaurant concept succinctly: "good food, good service, decent hours." For residents of Zurich who previously had to drive outside of town for a sit-down meal, the new restaurant has been well received, reports Gilchrist: "We've had wonderful community support, everyone here has been really nice." In turn, Schiller stressed the importance to them of buying local for their fresh produce.

Schillers menu starts with an array of mouthwatering breakfast choices, including favorites like the Steak & Eggs and Early Bird Special which are available throughout the day. For lunch, Sarah's homemade soups, salads and sandwiches have proven popular. Schillers' offers a range of great burger choices, with their signature burger known as the "All-In", a nod to the successful indoor skate park in town. Also available are wraps, chicken dinners, pizza, and more.

Schillers Restaurant is open Wednesday & Thursdays from 6 am to 9 pm, Fridays & Saturdays from 6 am to 10 pm, and features a Sunday buffet from 10 am to 3 pm. For more information, see their ad in this week's Examiner or check out their Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/schillers.main](http://www.facebook.com/schillers.main).

**Catch the Buzz at the 151st annual Zurich Country Fair**

The 151st annual Zurich Country Fair is taking place starting this upcoming Thursday, July 23rd and running through Sunday July 26th. The event is expected to generate a great response all over town, as well as attract tourists from many surrounding communities. Free admission is available for most events at the Arena and Fairgrounds, however there is a charge for the Friday Night Beef Meal, Saturday Night Dance and the Sunday Jamboree. The theme for this year's event is "Catch the Buzz", and residents around Zurich are expected to be decorating their lawns in order to reflect this

theme throughout the weekend. Participants will begin placing exhibits and setting up displays in Bluewater Arena on Thursday July 23rd, along with interviews and judging taking place for the roles of Junior Prince and Princess. The fair then officially kicks off at 6:00 pm on Friday July 24th with Midway rides, a penny sale, entertainment and the Beef dinner, which will feature the crowning of the new Zurich Country Fair Ambassador for 2015/2016. The weekend continues with a full day of events scheduled for Saturday, beginning with Horse Shows on the Bluewater Arena Grounds at 9:00 am and culminating with

the Zurich Lions Club dance and Zurich Agricultural Society's elimination draw from 9:00 pm to 1:00 am in the Hall at the Bluewater Arena. The weekend is set to conclude on Sunday with championship wrestling at 3:00 pm, and a Ham Supper at 5:00 pm at the arena. The Zurich Agricultural Society has done a fantastic job organizing the fair and have a plethora of wonderful events lined up for children and adults of all ages. Check out the schedule on page 12 and attend as many events as possible, this is sure to be a can't miss weekend in the vibrant town of Zurich!

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