

# NEWSLETTER

*Leaside Business Park Association*



## NEWS & EVENTS

### LBPA RESTARTS IN-PERSON EVENTS

The Leaside Business Park Association is pleased to return to hosting in-person events to facilitate networking and information to the LBPA members and future members. Come join us at our upcoming event on **Wednesday, Sept 21 sponsored by the Amsterdam Brewery from 5 to 8 pm.**

We'll share some thoughtful discussions on topics important to the Business Park businesses; this event's topic will be on Recession and Inflation. Future topics will include Accommodation of Vulnerable Road Users and Truck Traffic. Come and enjoy the networking, conversation, and the first drink is on us. More info on our Events Calendar at [leasidebusinesspark.com](https://leasidebusinesspark.com).

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### AMSTERDAM BREWERY ACQUISITION IMPORTANT ANCHOR FOR NA GROWTH FOR ROYAL UNIBREW OF DENMARK

Toronto-based Amsterdam Brewery Company has entered into an agreement to be acquired by Royal Unibrew of Denmark for an estimated \$44 million.

Amsterdam Brewery was Toronto's first brew pub when it was established 36 years ago in 1986 and relocated its brewing operations to the Leaside Business Park in 2012. The Amsterdam Barrel House on Laird was a further expansion in the Business Park in 2016 as full-service restaurant.

**"The acquisition we are doing today is very important for the future growth of Royal Unibrew in the Americas region," said CEO of Royal Unibrew, Lars Jensen, in a statement. "We are adding capacity in Canada, which is also close to our US business and over time we expect to serve most of Canada and partly US from Amsterdam Brewery Co. Ltd., which will reduce transportation costs and our CO2 footprint."**

**"We are excited about the opportunity Royal Unibrew brings to the growth opportunity for Amsterdam. Their operations worldwide and desire to grow in North America will allow Amsterdam to grow and prosper here in Leaside for many years to come.", Jeff Carefoote, Amsterdam Brewery Owner.**

Learn more about Jeff Carefoot and how he started Amsterdam Brewery [here](#).

The Leaside Business Park is home to many world-class businesses operating locally and internationally.



## LEASIDE TRANSPORTATION

The Leaside Business Park's unique location in urban Toronto with easy access to roadways for vehicular traffic has been an important success factor. With new residential developments in the Business Park perimeter, there will be the reality of more pedestrian and cycling traffic traversing into the more industrial parks of the Business Park. New developments of the Eglinton Crosstown and Ontario Line may also result in review of TTC coverage in and around the Business Park. The LBPA will continue to represent our members and work with our community partners (Leaside Residents Association, Cycling Don Valley Midtown, The Neighbourhood Office) and our Transportation partners at the City and Metrolinx.

**We would like to hear from our members and welcome anyone wishing to be engaged in the planning process.**

Please email us at [services@leasidebusinesspark.com](mailto:services@leasidebusinesspark.com)



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# INVOICE

## REMINDER: 2022 MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

Invoices for membership renewal have been sent out! This year we are offering a pay-what-you-can model, with the yearly membership being \$240/per year.

If you have not received your invoice yet please contact us at [services@leasidebusinesspark.com](mailto:services@leasidebusinesspark.com).

[Click here to view membership benefits.](#)

## COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

We are inviting businesses that have workforce development demands to co-create training with us which we or a member of your team can deliver in our space.

Contact us: [trades@tno-toronto.org](mailto:trades@tno-toronto.org)

## STAY IN TOUCH, STAY ENGAGED

Get your message out to the community!

Does your business have a special offer, new product/service, event or announcement that you would like to share with the Leaside Business Park Association community? If so, please contact **[services@leasidebusinesspark.com](mailto:services@leasidebusinesspark.com)** to be featured in one of our upcoming e-Newsletters or in our social channels.

Spread the news and forward this to others in the Leaside Business Park.



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