FRIENDS OF KILLBEAR

Summer 2024

Serving the interests of the Park in harmony with the community

Major Projects Survey

Friends of Killbear (FOK) is looking for input on our next major fundraising project. Take a moment to fill out the survey in the park newspaper, at www.friendsofkillbear.com or here:

Support from Local Businesses

Local businesses have recently donated money, gift cards or gifts-in-kind to help fund the Twin Points Trail and Viewing Platform project.

We appreciate the support of:

- Huckleberry's Home and Cottage, Parry Sound
- Engel and Volkers Parry Sound, Brokerage

Summer Events Sponsored by FOK

Concerts at the Amphitheatre:

- July 4 - James Gordon
- August 1 - David Archibald
- August 8 – Neil Hutchinson
- August 14 - Peter Puffin
- August 22 - Doogie and Dun

August 19: Indigenous Social - All are welcome to attend!

Featuring Indigenous dancers, drummers, and more!

Special Guest Lecturers

Check the Discovery Schedule on the bulletin boards, or at https://www.friendsofkillbear.com/upcoming-events for more information.

Twin Points Trail and Viewing Platform

We are excited to share that FOK has raised over $200,000 for this important project. Thank you for your generous donations and Nature Shoppe purchases which created this success.

When will the Twin Points Trail project be built? Ontario Parks is actively working behind the scenes. Stay tuned for future updates.

We continue to fundraise! For more information, or to donate, stop by the Nature Shoppe, or go to:

https://www.friendsofkillbear.com/our-new-project

We welcome donations in any amount, and we issue tax receipts for donations of $10 or more.

Thank you for your support!

FOK Nature Shoppe

The Nature Shoppe is open for the 2024 season – check the bulletin boards for store hours.

You asked… we listened! We now carry some new merchandise with Killbear Makwa Neyoshing on them. According to local Indigenous elders, Makwa Neyoshing is the traditional name for this land, and means Bear Point in the Anishinaabek language.

The Nature Shoppe is run by volunteers! Email info@friendsofkillbear.com to get involved.