

## Focusing on "Business of the Month"

Every month, Chamber members and local residents have the opportunity to nominate a local business for the Chamber's Business of the Month award. The criteria for selection are: quality of service, unique products, and/or civic involvement which benefits the community. Companies are selected regardless of Chamber membership, and the Chamber presents each of the recipients with a plaque.

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The recipients for this quarter are: Videoself (October), Passion for Wood (November), Nu-Kitchens & Bath Creations (December). *Congratulations to all of you!*

### Business of the Month: October 2006



#### Videoself

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#### Videoself

136 Guelph St., Unit 4  
Georgetown  
905.702.7441

Website: [www.videoselfgeorgetown.ca](http://www.videoselfgeorgetown.ca)  
Chamber member since April 2006

Videoself, owned and operated by Wayne Allen, provides a really unique approach to video and game rentals and sales – the equivalent of an ATM or kiosk that dispenses movies using a

pre-authorized Videoself cash card on which you have placed a limited amount of funds that you can even 'top up' on site, should you happen to be short. The card allows access to both the rental facility and the movie/games dispenser. Wayne saw this at the franchise show and said, "This is for me!". It took only four weeks to get operational after the facility lease was signed. The methodology is great – not only for renting movies or games at any time of the day or night, but being able to reserve them online. Rates are very competitive, and Wayne can also restore damaged DVD's and games on site.

#### Passion for Wood

R.R. # 2,  
Acton, Ontario  
519.853.2027  
Chamber member since 2001

Hendrik Varju of "Passion for Wood", is not only passionate about creating exquisite high end furniture for affluent clients but truly delights in the teaching of a vanishing craft to anyone willing to learn. As an accomplished designer craftsman, highly skilled in wood working using traditional joinery, Mr.Varju also enjoys restoring antiques. The time and effort put into designing, customizing and building each of his heirloom quality pieces is well worth the price.

In addition to building and restoring, Mr.Varju enjoys sharing his knowledge through weekly demonstration seminars,

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#### Passion for Wood

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business seminars and private one-on-one instruction. Congratulations on your accomplishments!

#### Nu-Kitchens & Bath Creations

1 Rosetta St.  
Georgetown, Ontario,  
905.877.1929  
Chamber member since 2000

John Lucia purchased Nu-Kitchens six years ago and two years ago moved to their present spacious location on Rosetta Street as they had outgrown the smaller facility on Sinclair Ave. Nu-Kitchen & Bath Creations do high-end renovations for not only kitchens and bathrooms, but also floors, electrical, plumbing and finishing. Using high quality materials and skilled labour (both on the customer's site and in their shop) enables John and his crew to deliver

to customers the look they envisioned while standing up very well to regular use.

Nu-Kitchens & Bath Creations does everything from start to finish – or, as their flier proclaims, "Your one stop shop for renovations". With 23 employees in various trade disciplines, plus 10 others to call on for specials needs, they are able to deliver on their slogan, "We make your dreams come true, and no nightmares!". Based on their photo gallery, John has a host of very satisfied customers enjoying the results of his efforts and has many more to come!

Now how's that for customer service?

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#### Nu-Kitchens & Bath Creations

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