

Online accommodation service StayBilley extends contract with Run Ottawa

CAMBRIDGE, ON (DECEMBER 19, 2016) – [StayBilley](#) and [Run Ottawa](#) announce today they have extended their affiliate contract through to Fall 2018. The agreement became effective October 1st.

With this agreement, StayBilley continues to be the Official Online Accommodation Service of Run Ottawa. The site serves runners year-round and for the organization's marquee events: [Tamarack Ottawa Race Weekend](#) and the [Scotiabank Ottawa Marathon](#).

In addition to connecting like-minded guests and hosts, StayBilley gives back to groups, organizations and charities. In support of the Tamarack Ottawa Race Weekend's Scotiabank Charity Challenge, StayBilley will donate a portion of associated bookings to the [Ottawa Community Immigrant Services Organization's \(OCISO\) Run for A New Start: Going the Distance for Refugees](#) program.

"2017 is a huge year in Ottawa, and there is a huge demand for accommodations especially during Tamarack Ottawa Race Weekend, which is the city's largest tourism event," said Run Ottawa President and Tamarack Ottawa Race Weekend Race Director John Halvorsen, "We think StayBilley is a perfect option for runners looking for a place to stay, and we hope Ottawa-area runners and fans will welcome these runners into their homes by listing their extra rooms on StayBilley.

StayBilley is a great option for local runners who want to meet and help out runners from out-of-town. Visiting runners will search for event-associated properties and save money on accommodation. Local hosts benefit financially and meet other runners from around the world.

"Run Ottawa came on board as a partner before we even launched," said Barbara Jones, Founder/CEO of StayBilley. "Their 'long run' commitment to us, as a Canadian start-up, really demonstrates their understanding of how our partnership can both serve and strengthen the running community and give back to charity."

[About the Tamarack Ottawa Race Weekend](#)

The 2016 Tamarack Ottawa Race Weekend welcomed close to 47,000 participants in six races, including the Scotiabank Ottawa Marathon, the Scotiabank Half Marathon, the Ottawa 10K, the HTG Sports 5K, the Ottawa 2K and Scotiabank Kids Marathon. The Tamarack Ottawa Race Weekend is one of only two running events in the world to host two IAAF Gold Label races – the Ottawa 10K and the Scotiabank Ottawa Marathon. The 2017 Tamarack Ottawa Race Weekend will take place on May 27-28, 2017. Visit us at www.runottawa.ca.

About StayBilley

Launched in March 2016 and based in Cambridge, Ontario (Waterloo Region), StayBilley is an international affordable, online accommodation service connecting like-minded guests and hosts. Celebrating community with its unique affinity-based affiliate model, StayBilley is also a social enterprise whose business supports groups, organizations and charities. With StayBilley, guests traveling for concerts, commencements or competitions connect with enterprising hosts who share their common interests. [Click here for press kit and media page.](#)

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