



# **MEAFORD** REAL ESTATE MARKET REPORT

# **SECOND QUARTER 2020**

RECIPIENT OF ROYAL LEPAGE'S BROKERAGE OF THE YEAR AWARD FOR ONTARIO





# **OVERVIEW**

# RECORD JUNE VOLUME AND UNIT SALES FUEL MARKET REBOUND



#### YEAR-TO-DATE SALES VOLUME OF \$41,579,220

Up 4% from 2019's \$39,874,236, with units of 70 down 16% from 2019's 83. New listings of 139 down 14% from a year ago, with the sales/listings ratio of 50% down 2%.



#### Q2-2020 SALES VOLUME OF \$24,388,943

Down 5% from Q2-2019's \$25,761,336. Units of 38 were down 27% from Q2-2019's 52, with new listings of 82 down 28% and the sales/listings ratio of 46% equal to one year ago.



#### RECORD YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGE SALE PRICE OF \$593,989

Up 24% from the \$480,412 of 2020, with the average days-on-market of 53 up 3 days.







# **OVERVIEW** (cont'd)



#### THE DEMAND FOR LISTINGS IS CURRENTLY GREATER THAN THE SUPPLY

After a very slow April (just 2 sales) and a small May rebound, June delivered all-time, record monthly volume sales, up 87% from last June and 7% from May 2017's previous high. June also: had 25 unit sales, its most since last July; had just 1 expired listing; and finished with a 64% sales/listings ratio. All this adds up to a sellers' market.

Graph 1:

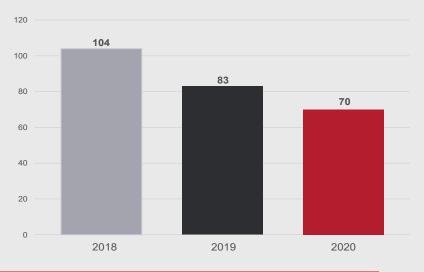
Meaford MLS® Sales
2018 vs. 2019 vs. 2020 (Volume)



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Graph 2: **Meaford MLS® Sales** Q1 – 2018 vs. 2019 vs. 2020 (Units)









# THE MARKET IN DETAIL

Table 1:

Meaford MLS® Residential Sales And Listing Summary

2018 vs. 2019 vs. 2020



|                                  | 2018         | 2019         | 2020         | 2019-2020 |
|----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|
| Year-To-Date (YTD) Volume Sales  | \$41,766,005 | \$39,874,236 | \$41,579,220 | +4%       |
| YTD Unit Sales                   | 104          | 83           | 70           | -16%      |
| YTD New Listings                 | 173          | 161          | 139          | -14%      |
| YTD Sales/Listings Ratio         | 60%          | 52%          | 50%          | -2%       |
| YTD Expired Listings             | 15           | 9            | 15           | +67%      |
| Second Quarter (Q2) Volume Sales | \$29,095,155 | \$25,761,336 | \$24,388,943 | -5%       |
| Q2 Unit Sales                    | 70           | 52           | 38           | -27%      |
| Q2 New Listings                  | 107          | 114          | 82           | -28%      |
| Q2 Sales/Listings Ratio          | 65%          | 46%          | 46%          | 0%        |
| Q2 Expired Listings              | 6            | 5            | 4            | -20%      |
| Q2 Average Sale price            | \$415,645    | \$495,510    | \$641,814    | +30%      |
| June Volume Sales                | \$7,607,220  | \$8,288,907  | \$15,480,543 | +87%      |
| June Unit Sales                  | 19           | 18           | 25           | +39%      |
| June New Listings                | 47           | 35           | 39           | +11%      |
| June Sales/Listings Ratio        | 40%          | 51%          | 64%          | +13%      |
| June Expired Listings            | 3            | 3            | 1            | -67%      |
| June Average Sale Price          | \$400,380    | \$460,495    | \$619,222    | +34%      |
| YTD Sales: Under \$100K          | 2            | 2            | 0            | -200%     |
| YTD Sales: \$100K - \$299K       | 27           | 8            | 7            | -12%      |
| YTD Sales: \$300K - \$499K       | 53           | 48           | 27           | -44%      |
| YTD Sales: \$500K - \$799K       | 18           | 18           | 22           | +22%      |
| YTD Sales: \$800K - \$999K       | 3            | 3            | 6            | +100%     |
| YTD Sales: \$1M - \$1.499M       | 1            | 4            | 7            | +75%      |
| YTD Sales: \$1.5M - \$1.999M     | 0            | 0            | 1            | +100%     |
| YTD Average Days-On-Market       | 48           | 50           | 53           | +6%       |
| YTD Average Sale Price           | \$401,596    | \$480,412    | \$593,989    | +24%      |

NOTE: All MLS® sales data in this report comes from the Southern Georgian Bay Association Of REALTORS® and refers specifically to residential sales..



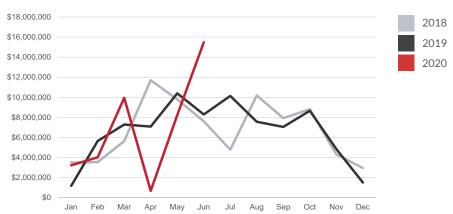


# THE MARKET IN DETAIL (cont'd)

The Meaford market has been one of extreme ups and downs in 2020. It started with the best Q1 sales volume ever, and Meaford being the only regional market to have record March sales after COVID-19's effects had set in. Then came April: Meaford was the hardest hit of all the regional markets with just 2 sales and \$678,000 in volume, an all-time low. This was followed by a strong May, and then a new, all-time monthly volume record of \$15,480,543 in June. One thing is clear: Meaford home values have risen rapidly. 2020's average sale price of \$593,989 is up 90%, 51%, 48% and 24% from 2016-19 respectively.

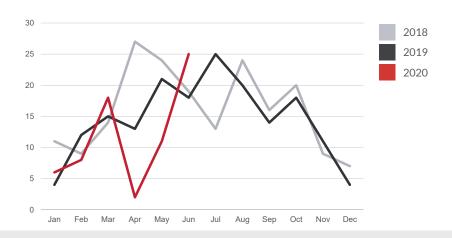
Graph 3: Meaford Monthly MLS® Sales 2018 vs. 2019 vs. 2020 (Volume)





Graph 4: Meaford Monthly MLS® Sales 2018 vs. 2019 vs. 2020 (Units)





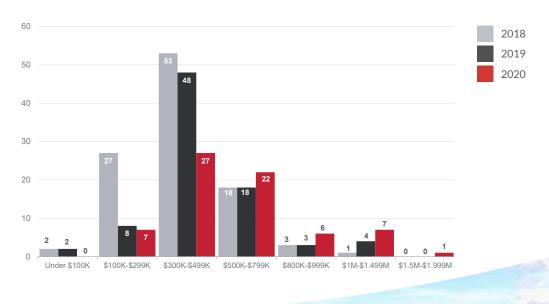




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As **Graph 5** shows, 2020 units are up from 2019 in four price ranges and down in three. The \$500K-\$799K, \$800K-\$999K, \$1M-\$1.499M and \$1.5M-\$1.999M ranges are up 22%, 100%, 75% and 100% respectively. The Under-\$100K, \$100K-\$299K and \$300K-\$499K ranges are down 200%, 12% and 44% respectively. More generally, the Under-\$500K bracket – which accounts for 49% of 2020's sales – is down 41% from 2019. The \$500K-\$999K bracket – which accounts for 40% of the sales – is up 33%. And the \$1M+ bracket – which accounts for 11% of the sales – is up 100%.

Graph 5: Meaford MLS® Sales By Price 2018 vs. 2019 vs. 2020 (Units)

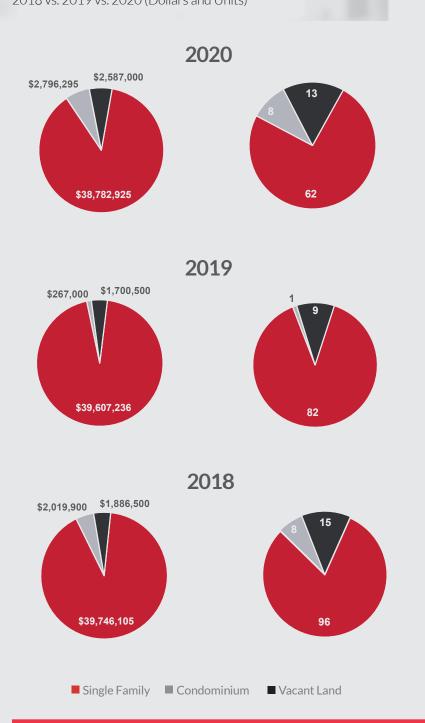






# SALES BY PROPERTY TYPE

Graph 6: Meaford MLS® Sales By Property Type 2018 vs. 2019 vs. 2020 (Dollars and Units)



## 2020 IN DETAIL

### **SINGLE-FAMILY HOMES**

**DOLLAR SALES:** \$38,782,925 DOWN **2%** from 2019

UNIT SALES: 62

DOWN **24%** from 2019

**AV. DAYS-ON-MARKET: 57** UP **6** days from 2019

**AV. SALE PRICE:** \$625,531 UP 30% from 2019

### **CONDOMINIUMS**

**DOLLAR SALES:** \$2,796,295 UP 947% from 2019

UNIT SALES: 8 UP 700% from 2019

AV. DAYS-ON-MARKET: 24 UP 10 days from 2019

**AV. SALE PRICE:** \$349,537 UP **31**% from 2019

#### **VACANT LAND**

**DOLLAR SALES:** \$2,587,000 UP **52%** from 2019

**UNIT SALES: 13**UP 44% from 2019

AV. DAYS-ON-MARKET: 151

UP **17** days from 2019

**AV. SALE PRICE:** \$199,000

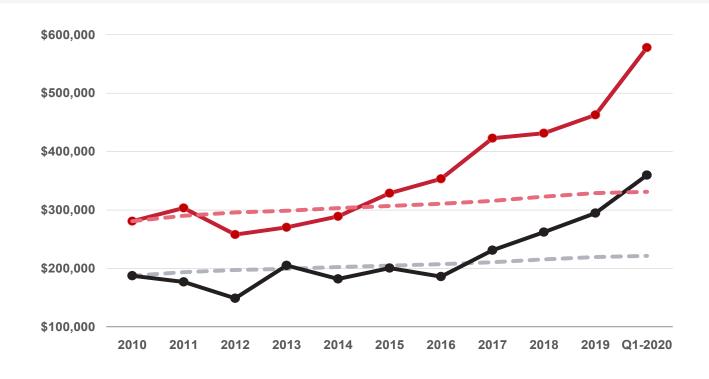
UP 5% from 2019



# MEAFORD AVERAGE SALE PRICES: 2010-2020

# HUGE GAINS, BOTH GENERALLY AND RELATIVE TO INFLATION

- Meaford's average sale price for single-family homes in Q1-2020 was \$578,154: that's up 25%, 34%, 37%, 64% and 106% from 2019, 2018, 2017, 2016 and 2010 respectively. Q1-2020's average condo price of \$359,713 was up 22%, 37%, 56%, 93% and 92% from 2019, 2018, 2017, 2016 and 2010 respectively.
- From 2010-2014 the average sale price for single-family homes increased at just under Canada's inflation rate and then rose to **75%** above inflation by Q1-2020. Condo prices were generally under the inflation rate until 2016. They then climbed rapidly to **62%** above the inflation rate by Q1-2020.









# ROYAL LEPAGE LOCATIONS NORTH IN 2019

### **OUR 7TH STRAIGHT RECORD-BREAKING YEAR!**

WE BROKE OUR OWN REGIONAL RECORD FOR ANNUAL MLS SALES VOLUME

With \$316,114,237 - up 10% from 2018 and up nearly 500% from 2011!

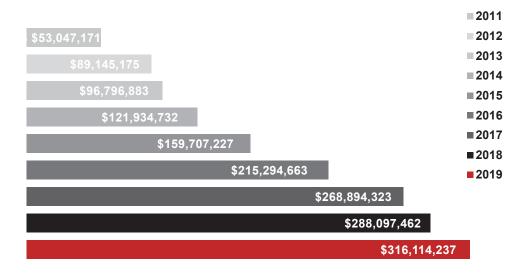
WE HAD NEARLY 3 TIMES THE SALES VOLUME OF OUR CLOSEST REGIONAL COMPETITOR

WE WERE #1 IN COLLINGWOOD, THE BLUE MTS., MEAFORD, AND CLEARVIEW (as well as GREY HIGHLANDS among SGBAR\* brokerages)

And #2 in Wasaga Beach after opening an office there in mid-2015.

WE WERE #1 IN THE REGIONAL LUXURY HOME MARKET, WITH 2½ TIMES THE VOLUME OF OUR CLOSEST COMPETITOR





\*Southern Georgian Bay Association of REALTORS®







# **2019 UNIT SALES**

- \* Collingwood, The Blue Mts., Wasaga Beach, Meaford, Clearview, Grey Highlands
- \*\* \$1,000,000+

### Collingwood

|                              | UNITS | PERCENTAGE |
|------------------------------|-------|------------|
| Royal LePage Locations North | 175.5 | 28.5%      |
| RE/MAX Four Seasons          | 82.5  | 13.4%      |
| Royal LePage Trinity         | 60    | 9.8%       |
| Chestnut Park                | 53.75 | 8.6%       |
| Century 21 Millenium         | 50.5  | 8.2%       |
| Clairwood                    | 35.5  | 5.8%       |
| RE/MAX of Wasaga Beach       | 23.75 | 3.9%       |
| Engel & Volkers              | 15.5  | 2.5%       |
| Other                        | 49.5  | 8.1%       |
| Non-MLS                      | 67.5  | 11%        |

#### The Blue Mountains

|                              | UNITS  | PERCENTAGE |
|------------------------------|--------|------------|
| Royal LePage Locations North | 122.75 | 35.2%      |
| RE/MAX at Blue               | 43     | 12.3%      |
| RE/MAX Four Seasons          | 34.75  | 10%        |
| Century 21 Millenium         | 30.25  | 8.7%       |
| Chestnut Park                | 26.75  | 7.7%       |
| Royal LePage Trinity         | 12     | 3.4%       |
| Clairwood                    | 10     | 2.9%       |
| Sotheby's                    | 6      | 1.7%       |
| Other                        | 39     | 11.2%      |
| Non-MLS                      | 51.75  | 14.8%      |

### Meaford

|                              | UNITS | PERCENTAGE |
|------------------------------|-------|------------|
| Royal LePage Locations North | 57.5  | 35.7%      |
| Century 21 Millenium         | 16.5  | 10.2%      |
| RE/MAX Four Seasons          | 10.5  | 6.5%       |
| Royal LePage RCR             | 9     | 5.6%       |
| RE/MAX Grey Bruce            | 7     | 4.3%       |
| Chestnut Park                | 6     | 3.7%       |
| Wilfred McIntee              | 5.5   | 3.4%       |
| Royal LePage Trinity         | 2     | 1,2%       |
| Other                        | 24.5  | 15.2%      |
| Non-MLS                      | 13    | 8.1%       |

#### Clearview

|                              | UNITS | PERCE | NTAGE |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Royal LePage Locations North | 24.5  | 16.9% |       |
| Royal LePage Trinity         | 18.5  | 12.8% |       |
| RE/MAX Four Seasons          | 17    | 11.7% |       |
| RE/MAX of Wasaga Beach       | 10.25 | 7.1%  |       |
| Chestnut Park                | 10    | 6.9%  |       |
| Century 21 Millenium         | 5.5   | 3.8%  |       |
| Exit                         | 5.5   | 3.8%  |       |
| Forest Hill                  | 2.5   | 1.7%  |       |
| Other                        | 21    | 14.5% |       |
| Non-MLS                      | 30.25 | 20.9% |       |

### Southern Georgian Bay (West)\*

|                              | UNITS  | PERCEN | TAGE |
|------------------------------|--------|--------|------|
| Royal LePage Locations North | 443.25 | 24.9%  |      |
| RE/MAX of Wasaga Beach       | 202.75 | 11.4%  |      |
| Royal LePage Trinity         | 153.75 | 8.6%   |      |
| RE/MAX Four Seasons          | 152.25 | 8.5%   |      |
| Century 21 Millenium         | 137.25 | 7.7%   |      |
| Chestnut Park                | 97.5   | 5.5%   |      |
| Clairwood                    | 49     | 2.7%   |      |
| RE/MAX at Blue               | 46.5   | 2.6%   |      |
| Engel & Volkers              | 27     | 1.5%   |      |
| Other                        | 473.75 | 26.6%  |      |

## Southern Georgian Bay Luxury Homes\*\*

|                              | UNITS | PERCENTAGE |
|------------------------------|-------|------------|
| Royal LePage Locations North | 44.5  | 33.2%      |
| RE/MAX Four Seasons          | 18.5  | 13.8%      |
| Chestnut Park                | 15    | 11.2%      |
| Century 21 Millenium         | 9.5   | 7.3%       |
| RE/MAX of Wasaga Beach       | 5     | 3.7%       |
| Engel & Volkers              | 4.5   | 3.4%       |
| Sotheby's                    | 4.5   | 3.4%       |
| Royal LePage Trinity         | 3.5   | 2.6%       |
| Clairwood                    | 3     | 2.2%       |
| Other                        | 23    | 17.2%      |

Georgian Triangle's

# MOST SUPPORTIVE BROKERAGE

\$800,000+

Raised for local causes & Community Sponsorships from 2013-2019

#1

Georgian Triangle BROKERAGE



Straight Years\*
Of Record Sales!

**Featured Listings** 

**47,600**+
People Reached‡

**11,300+** ■ Clicks, Shares, Views, & Likes †

2 Numbers
ROYAL LEPAGE LOCATIONS NORTH

Region's Best Market Intelligence



40 Detailed Market Reports
Per Year FOR YOU

Annual Sales Volume 2019 Sales Up 10%

from 2018



than our closest regional competitor<sup>†</sup>



**Award Winning Service** 

Socially Connected



187,000+

Social Media Impressions

Clicks, Views, Shares, Likes, Tweets‡

We average

600

Buyer leads/months

With over **4X** the average industry conversion rate



594,800+ Page Views† 114,100+ Unique Visitors†



\$32,465
Giving back and working in our community

Raised for Local Charities in 2019

**WBLAST \$22,500** 

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# **WE GIVE YOU OPTIONS**

## AT LOCATIONS NORTH, WE DO **EVERYTHING WE CAN TO PUT YOU FIRST**

- and that includes respecting your privacy. If we can ever be of help with your real estate needs, please let us know.



#### **COLLINGWOOD**

705-445-5520 330 First Street



#### THE BLUE MOUNTAINS

519-599-2136 27 Arthur Street



#### **MEAFORD**

519-538-5755 96 Sykes Street



#### **WASAGA BEACH**

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