

## **Toronto Free-Net**

### Our Mission:

We believe that everyone should have access to information, in a non-commercial way.

This means that we believe in supporting those useful things that other providers have found to be unprofitable, such as space to publish your own web pages and a free email address you can keep for life. All free of advertising!

We even provide free basic dialup access.

## **Why support Toronto Free-Net?**

- It is non-profit. All revenues go to member services.
- Great value for Internet access.
- It is a barrier to monopoly formation, ensuring that prices stay low for all citizens.
- You get a say in the organization's direction. As a voting member, you will be part of a self-help community, not merely a customer.
- It provides an Internet lifeline for people who have financial difficulties or other barriers.
- It provides career-building experiences for people seeking work.
- You too can volunteer to learn new skills (or to practice old ones), while helping the community.

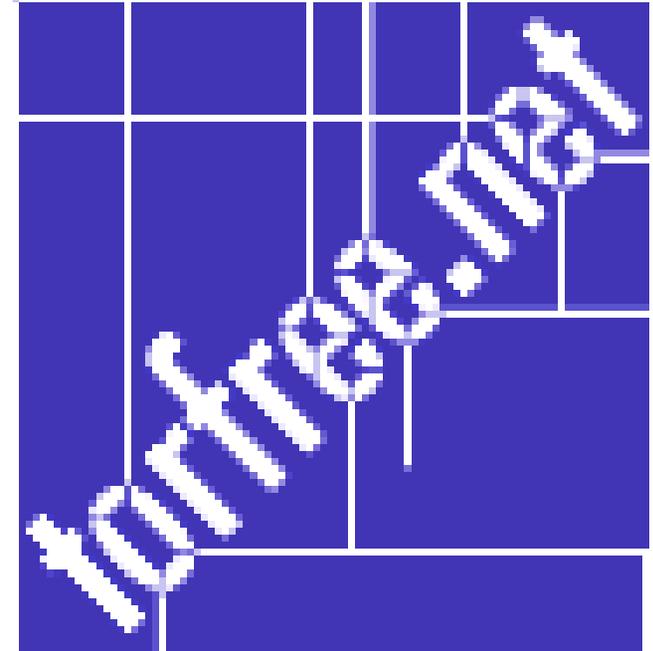
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# **Toronto Free-Net**



**Toronto's oldest  
Internet provider  
since 1994**

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Toronto Free-Net is a full-service Internet Provider. It is a non-profit corporation with nearly 50,000 members. It is volunteer-run.

Most services are offered at cost. The rest, including Basic dialup, are free of charge. Membership itself is for life, free of charge. You get an email address @torfree.net, space in which to publish your own web pages, voting rights at general meetings, as well as all the services commonly offered by commercial providers, such as dialup, DSL (HiSpeed & Lite), static IP numbers, dry loop, etc.

Technical support comes from local volunteers, without the call centre scripts that so often fail to answer your questions. This goes beyond assistance: we teach people how to get the most out of the Internet.

We support *\*all\** operating systems, not just Windows! It's your computer, it's your choice.

We support older equipment and text-only web-browsing for those with special needs.

We help each other to reduce barriers to access.

Together, we are the ISP!