## SOUTHERN GEORGIAN BAY REAL ESTATE MARKET REPORT FIRST QUARTER 2021

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# **OVERVIEW**

### **GIANT MARCH SALES COMPLETE** A BIG RECORD FIRST QUARTER

#### RECORD Q1 SALES VOLUME OF \$527,338,795

Up 119% from Q1-2020's \$240,858,636, with units of 630 up 57% from Q1-2020's 401. New listings of 784 down 3% from one year ago, with the sales/listings ratio of 80% up 30%.

RECORD MARCH SALES VOLUME OF \$266,007,503

Up 221% from last March's \$82,760,131. Record March units of 307 up 118% from last year's 141. New listings of 381 up 13% from a year ago, with the sales/listing ratio of 81% up 39%.



#### RECORD YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGE SALE PRICE OF \$837,046

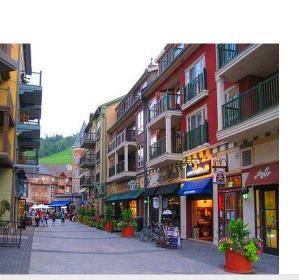
Up 39% from the \$600,645 of one year ago. Average days-on-market of 21 down 32 days.



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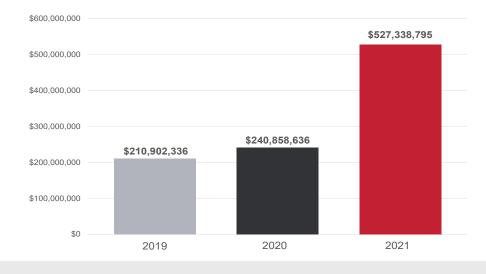
#### THE DEMAND FOR LISTINGS IS GREATER THAN THE SUPPLY

The Southern Georgian Bay market had a high 103.7% sale/list price ratio in March. Homes sold in just 18 days on average, down 28 days from a year ago. And there is now just one month of inventory. All that, and March's 81% sales/listings ratio – which was up a big 39% from last March – add up to a strong sellers' market.



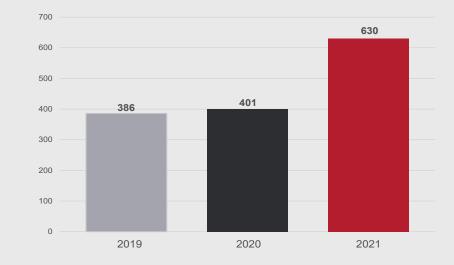
#### Graph 1: Southern Georgian Bay MLS® Sales

2019 vs. 2020 vs. 2021 (Volume)



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#### Graph 2: Southern Georgian Bay MLS® Sales 2019 vs. 2020 vs. 2021 (Units)





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## THE MARKET IN DETAIL

Table 1:

### Southern Georgian Bay MLS<sup>®</sup> Sales And Listing Summary 2019 vs. 2020 vs. 2021

	2019	2020	2021	2020-2021
First Quarter (Q1) Volume Sales	\$210,902,336	\$240,858,636	\$527,338,795	+119%
Q1 Unit Sales	386	401	630	+57%
Q1 New Listings	751	810	784	-3%
Q1 Sales/Listings Ratio	51%	50%	80%	+30%
Q1 Expired Listings	94	132	28	-79%
March Volume Sales	\$91,597,800	\$82,760,131	\$266,007,503	+221%
March Unit Sales	168	141	307	+118%
March New Listings	326	336	381	+13%
March Sales/Listings Ratio	52%	42%	81%	+39%
March Expired Listings	32	52	7	-87%
March Average Sale Price	\$545,225	\$586,951	\$866,474	+48%
Q1 Sales: Under \$300K	45	33	14	-58%
Q1 Sales: \$300K - \$499K	164	168	98	-42%
Q1 Sales: \$500K - \$799K	129	124	274	+121%
Q1 Sales: \$800K - \$999K	25	40	107	+168%
Q1 Sales: \$1M - \$1.499M	13	19	84	+342%
Q1 Sales: \$1.5M - \$1.999M	7	14	30	+114%
Q1 Sales: \$2M+	3	3	23	+667%
Q1 Average Days-On-Market	60	53	21	-60%
Q1 Average Sale Price	\$546,379	\$600,645	\$837,046	+39%

NOTE: All MLS® sales data in this report comes from the Southern Georgian Bay Association Of REALTORS® and refers specifically to residential sales as of April. 3, 2021. While deemed to be reliable, Royal LePage Locations North assumes no responsibility for errors and omissions.

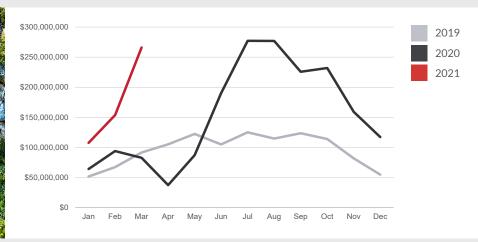


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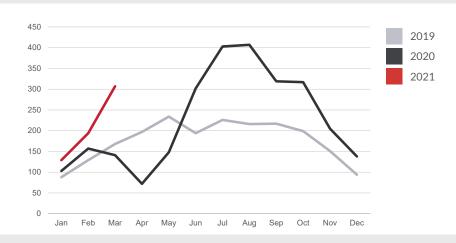
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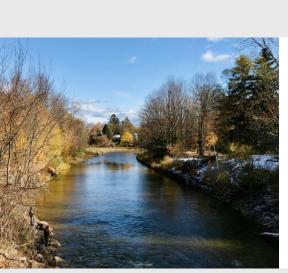
As **Graphs 3** and **4** below make abundently clear, the Southern Georgian Bay has seen unprecedented sales thus far in 2021. After big record-breaking January and February volume sales, March spiked to \$266,007,503 in volume. That's more than 2¼ times March 2017's prior high; just 4% shy of last July's and August's two peak months; and capped the region's second best quarter ever, after Q3-2020. The unit sales story is similar, although less pronounced. Q1's record 630 sales were up 20% from Q1-2017's former benchmark 527. All that said, perhaps the biggest story has been the overall shift in prices, with unit sales in the \$800K+ bracket up nearly 3¼ times that of Q1-2020. Overall, the average sale price of \$837,046 is up 121%, 75%, 74%, 53% and 39% from Q1-2016 to Q1-2020 respectively.

#### Graph 3: Southern Georgian Bay Monthly MLS<sup>®</sup> Sales 2019 vs. 2020 vs. 2021 (Volume)



#### Graph 4: Southern Georgian Bay Monthly MLS® Sales 2019 vs. 2020 vs. 2021 (Units)





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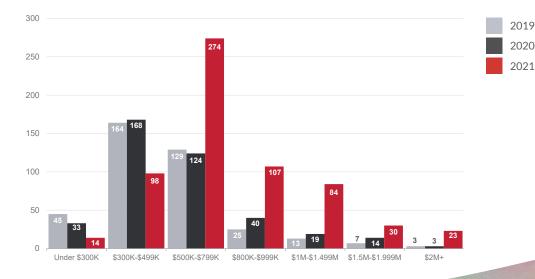
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As **Graph 5** shows, 2021 unit sales are up from 2020 in five price ranges and down in two. The \$500K-\$799K, \$800K-\$999K, \$1M-\$1.499M, \$1.5M-\$1.999M and \$2M+ ranges are up 121%, 168%, 342%, 114% and 667% respectively. The Under-\$300K and \$300K-\$499K ranges are down 58% and 42% respectively. More generally, the Under-\$500K bracket – which accounts for 18% of 2021's sales – is down 44% from a year ago. The \$500K-999K bracket – which accounts for 60% of all sales – is up 132%. And the \$1M+ bracket – which accounts for 22% of all sales – is up 281%.

#### Graph 5:

#### Southern Georgian Bay MLS® Sales By Price

2019 vs. 2020 vs. 2021 (Units)

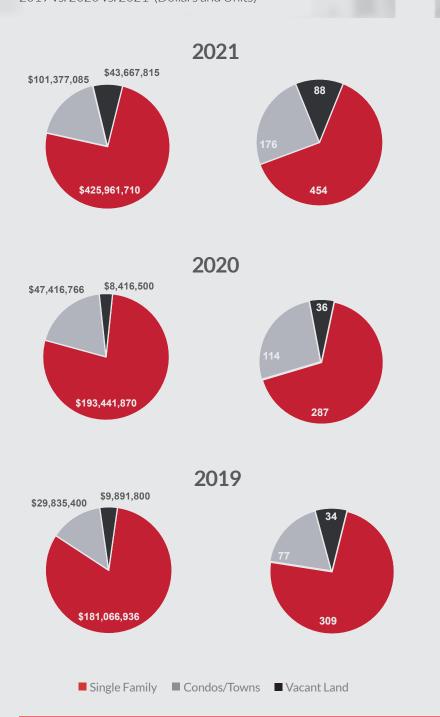


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#### Graph 6:

**Southern Georgian Bay MLS<sup>®</sup> Sales By Property Type** 2019 vs. 2020 vs. 2021 (Dollars and Units)



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#### **SINGLE-FAMILY HOMES**

**DOLLAR SALES:** \$425,961,710 UP 120% from 2020

UNIT SALES: 454 UP 58% from 2020

AV. DAYS-ON-MARKET: 20 DOWN 35 days from 2020

**AV. SALE PRICE:** \$935,242 UP 39% from 2020

#### **CONDOS/TOWNS**

**DOLLAR SALES: \$101,377,085** UP **114%** from 2020

UNIT SALES: 176 UP 54% from 2020

AV. DAYS-ON-MARKET: 25 DOWN 25 days from 2020

**AV. SALE PRICE:** \$576,006 UP 38% from 2020

#### **VACANT LAND**

**DOLLAR SALES:** \$43,667,815 UP 419% from 2020

UNIT SALES: 88 UP 144% from 2020

**AV. DAYS-ON-MARKET: 109** UP **26** days from 2020

**AV. SALE PRICE:** \$496.,225 UP 112% from 2020

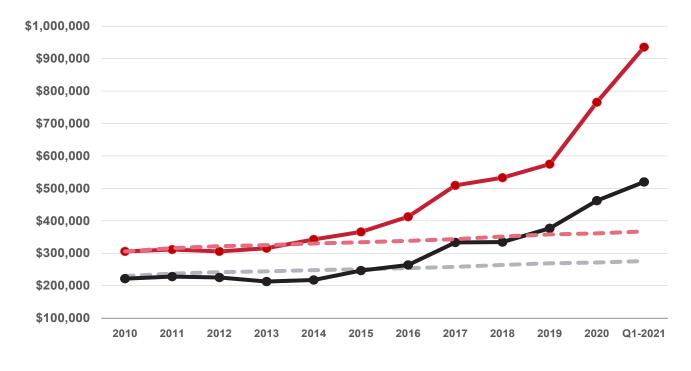


### SOUTHERN GEORGIAN BAY'S AVERAGE SALE PRICES: 2010-2021

### **HUGE GAINS, BOTH GENERALLY** AND RELATIVE TO INFLATION

SGB's average sale price for single-family homes in Q1-2021 was \$935,242: that's up 39%, 60%, 77%, 78% and 205% from Q1 of 2020, 2019, 2018, 2017 and 2010 respectively. Q1-2021's average condo price of **\$576,006** was up **38% 73%**, **101%, 106%** and **140%** from Q1 of 2020, 2019, 2018, 2017 and 2010 respectively.

From 2010-2013 the average sale price of a single-family home increased at just under Canada's inflation rate and then rose to 155% above inflation in Q1-2021. Condo prices were under the inflation rate until 2015 before beginning to steadily climb in 2016 and finishing 88% above inflation in Q1-2021.



Single-Family Home Average Sale Price: 2010 > Q1-2021 — — — — Canada's Inflation Rate Based On SGB's 2010 Single-Family Home Average Sale Price Condominium Average Sale Price: 2010 > Q1-2021 Canada's Inflation Rate Based On SGB's 2010 Condominium Average Sale Price

## **ROYAL LEPAGE LOCATIONS NORTH IN 2020**

### **OUR 8TH STRAIGHT RECORD-BREAKING YEAR**

WE BROKE OUR OWN SOUTHERN GEORGIAN BAY REGIONAL RECORD FOR ANNUAL MLS SALES VOLUME

With \$604,080,487 - up 91% from 2019 and up over 1000% from 2011

OVERALL WE HAD MORE THAN 4 TIMES THE SALES VOLUME OF OUR CLOSEST REGIONAL COMPETITOR

WE WERE #1 IN THE REGIONAL LUXURY HOME MARKET, WITH 4 TIMES THE UNIT SALES OF OUR CLOSEST COMPETITOR

#### Locations North Sales Volume, 2011 - 2020

	2011
\$53,047,171	■ 2012
\$89,145,175	■ 2013
\$96,796,883	■ 2014
	■2015
\$121,934,732	■2016
\$159,707,227	■ 2017
\$215,294,663	■ 2018
\$268,894,323	■2019
\$288,097,462	■ 2020
\$316,114,237	
	\$604 080 487

# **2020 UNIT SALES**

\* Collingwood, The Blue Mts., Wasaga Beach, Meaford, Clearview, Grey Highlands

\*\* \$1,000,000+

#### Collingwood

	UNITS	PE
Royal LePage Locations North	270	42
<b>RE/MAX Four Seasons</b>	79.5	12
Century 21 Millenium	70	11
Chestnut Park	55	8
Clairwood	45	7
<b>RE/MAX of Wasaga Beach</b>	23	3
Engel & Volkers	18	2
Forest Hill	13.5	2
Sotheby's	7	1
Other	50	8

ITS	PERCEN	TAGE
70	42.8%	
9.5	12.6%	
0	11.1%	
5	8.7%	
5	7.1%	
3	3.6%	
.8	2.9%	
8.5	2.1%	1
7	1.1%	1
0	8%	

#### Meaford

	UNITS	PERCENTAGE
Royal LePage Locations North	89	43.2%
Chestnut Park	20	9.7%
Century 21 Millenium	19	9.2%
Royal LePage RCR	13.5	6.6%
<b>RE/MAX Four Seasons</b>	12	5.8%
ARA	9	4.4%
Sotheby's	8	3.9%
RE/MAX Grey Bruce	6.5	3.2%
Sutton Sound	5	2.4%
Other	24	11.7%

### Southern Georgian Bay (West)\*

	UNITS	PERCEN	ITAGE
Royal LePage Locations North	790.5	36.5%	
<b>RE/MAX of Wasaga Beach</b>	246	11.3%	
Century 21 Millenium	232.5	10.7%	
<b>RE/MAX Four Seasons</b>	175.5	8.1%	
Chestnut Park	132.5	6.1%	
Clairwood	62	2.9%	
Sotheby's	41.5	1.9%	
Engel & Volkers	35.5	1.6%	
Forest Hill	29	1.3%	
Other	420	19.6%	

#### **The Blue Mountains**

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	UNITS	PERCENTAG
Royal LePage Locations North	213.5	43.4%
<b>RE/MAX Four Seasons</b>	54.5	11.1%
RE/MAX at Blue	52.5	10.7%
Century 21 Millenium	48	9.8%
Chestnut Park	38.5	7.8%
Sotheby's	15	3%
Clairwood	11	2.2%
Forest Hill	7.5	1.5%
Engel & Volkers	6.5	1.3%
Other	45	9.2%

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#### Clearview

	UNITS	PERCE	NTAGE
Royal LePage Locations North	44	32.1%	
<b>RE/MAX Four Seasons</b>	19	13.9%	
RE/MAX of Wasaga Beach	11.5	8.4%	
Chestnut Park	10.5	7.7%	
Century 21 Millenium	8	5.8%	
Sotheby's	6	4.4%	
Forest Hill	5	3.6%	
Engel & Volkers	2.5	1.8%	
Clairwood	2.5	1.8%	
Other	25.5	18.7%	

### Southern Georgian Bay Luxury Homes\*\*

	UNITS	PERCE	NTAGE
Royal LePage Locations North	115.5	37.9%	
<b>RE/MAX Four Seasons</b>	28.5	9.3%	
Chestnut Park	28	9.2%	
Sotheby's	18.5	6.1%	
Clairwood	15.5	5.1%	
Forest Hill	11.5	3.8%	
Century 21	11	3.6%	
Engel & Volkers	4	1.3%	
RE/MAX at Blue	3	1%	
Other	73.5	22.7%	

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