



City of
Peterborough

To: Members of the Museum & Archives Advisory Committee

From: Susan Neale, Museum Director

Meeting Date: October 8, 2015

Subject: Report MAAC15-013
Peterborough Museum & Archives: Report on Activities

Purpose

A report to advise Committee on the current and upcoming activities of the Peterborough Museum & Archives.

Recommendation

That the Museum & Archives Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report MAAC15-013, dated October 8, 2015, of the Museum Director, as follows:

That the Museum Director's report on the activities of the Peterborough Museum & Archives for October 8, 2015 be received for information.

Budget and Financial Implications

There are no budget or financial implications associated with the recommendation.

Background

The Peterborough Museum & Archives (PMA) develops and delivers programs for all audiences throughout the year. The following is a summary of current and upcoming events.

Current:

Battleground: War Rugs from Afghanistan, exhibition on loan from the Textile Museum of Canada, July 6 to September 20.

MUSE Fine Films, Fall Season Passes are on sale through the Memorial Centre Box Office. Screenings are Mondays at 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m., Galaxy Cinemas, commencing September 14. "Rush" tickets are available at the door.

Upcoming Events:

Scare-itage: Dare You to Look!, exhibition curated in-house, September 27 to December 13.

Fleming College, Museum Management and Curatorship program fall start-up, Wednesday, September 9.

Warm Up to your Museum, Fall season commences during ArtsWeek, September 27. Free family drop-in, offering gentle crafts on Sunday afternoons from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

PA Day Camps, September 25, November 27, December 21, 22 and 23, 9:00 am to 4:00 p.m., ages 4 to 11. Registration is open.

Scare-itage Kids, Sunday, October 18 and Sunday, October 25, 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., ages 7 to 11. Registration is open.

The Franklin Expedition, evening of Wednesday, October 14, at The Venue; a partnership program with Fleming College and Trent University.

The PMA is one of three finalists for the Greater Peterborough Chamber of Commerce 2015 Excellence Awards "Local Focus", an award sponsored by Trent University. The winner will be announced at the annual Business Excellence Awards Dinner and Ceremony, Wednesday, October 21.

Summary

For details on all Peterborough Museum & Archives (PMA) events and programs, visit the website www.peterboroughmuseumandarchives.ca or follow the PMA on Facebook and Twitter.

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