



City of Peterborough

TO: Members of the Museum & Archives Advisory Committee

FROM: Susan Neale, Museum Director

MEETING DATE: March 11, 2010

SUBJECT: Report MAAC10-005
Peterborough Museum & Archives' Report on Activities

PURPOSE

A report to advise Committee on the monthly activities of the Peterborough Museum & Archives (PMA).

RECOMMENDATION

That Museum & Archives Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report MAAC10-005, dated March 11, 2010, of the Museum Director, as follows:

That the Museum Director's report with respect to the monthly activities of the Peterborough Museum & Archives for February 2010 be received for information.

BUDGET AND FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

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

BACKGROUND

The following includes a point form summary of the main activities of the Peterborough Museum & Archives during the past month and notes upcoming events:

- Fleming College faculty strike contingency planning.
- Peterborough Regional Museum Network mtg. (Feb. 2).
- "Adventure on the Hill" a lovely day: about 100 participants (Feb. 14).
- GPA EDC: Destination Branding session re. "Peterborough & the Kawarthas experience" (Feb. 16).
- Pre-renovation facility projects underway: identification and disposal of surplus office equipment; repairs to north wall of stairwell; relocation of security system equipment.
- Tender for Building Improvements at the Peterborough Museum & Archives issued Feb. 10; Report to Committee of the Whole re. award of tender pending; renovations scheduled for March 31 to June 30, 2010.

- Upcoming March events:

MUSE Film Series:

Sunday, Mar. 7, 4 pm and Monday, Mar. 8, 7 pm – *The Last Station.*

Sunday, Mar. 28, 4 pm and Monday, Mar. 29, 7 pm – *Cooking with Stella.*

WORD ON THE HILL: Spring 2010 Series

Offered through support from the Department of Canadian Heritage

Sunday, March 7 – Lecture, Dr. Carolyn Kay: "*The Third Reich, Germans and Hitler: How One Man Became so Popular, Powerful and Dangerous*".

New this spring!

Breaking Ground: Sunday, March 21, 2 pm – *Queen Marie*, based on the life of Marie Dressler; 4th Line Theatre's New Play Development program.

Artist Talk: Sunday, March 28, 2 pm – Lecture, Robert Winslow: "*The Play Development Process*", 4th Line Theatre.

Submitted by,

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Appendix A: Media Release, Breaking Ground