

TO: Members of the Museum & Archives Advisory Committee

FROM: Susan Neale, Museum Director

MEETING DATE: June 14, 2012

SUBJECT: Report MAAC12-012

Peterborough Museum & Archives' Report on Activities

PURPOSE

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

RECOMMENDATION

That the Museum & Archives Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report MAAC12-012, dated June 14, 2012, of the Museum Director, as follows:

That the Museum Director's report with respect to the monthly activities of the Peterborough Museum & Archives for May 2012 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:

- Artist Talk, 4th Line Theatre, May 6.
- Quest: Canadian Hearing Society, annual fundraiser, May 12.
- Astronomy Day, Peterborough Astronomical Association, May 13.
- Warm Up to Your Museum concluded May 13; resuming Sept. 30.
- Initiating CLASS facility bookings program for Fine Annex, Fleming Annex rentals.
- Attended TOMRMS training, City's records management initiative, May 17.
- School programs and/or tours as booked.
- Website redevelopment in progress.
- 2013 DRAFT Budget submitted for review, May 18.
- Co-host Canadian Association for Conservation of Cultural Property annual conference, May 22-26.
- Ministry of Tourism and Culture, Heritage Review Questionnaires: Conservation Standard, Physical Plant Standard, Collections Standard; submitted May 25.
- Photography Festival Committee meeting, May 30.
- Ministry of Tourism and Culture, Community Museum Operating Grant, due June 30.
- Voices of the Town is in Fort Francis; The Noble Experiment is on its way to Discovery Harbour, Penetanguishene; Off to the Lake will be on exhibit in the Church on the Rock, Stoney Lake.
- Corporate projects: Hunter Street Bridge Interpretive Panel, Records Management Project, Risk Management Committee, CLASS Stakeholders Committee.
- Box Office for 4th Line Theatre.

Upcoming events:

Exhibitions:

Monarchs, Canadian Museum of Nature, suitcase-sized exhibition for children, June 1. *The Avro Arrow: a Dream Denied*, West Parry Sound Museum, opens June 17.

Youth Leadership Program:

Volunteer Training, week of July 3, www.peterboroughmuseumandarchives.ca

Camps for Kids:

Summer Discovery and KinderKidz, July 9 to August 31 (brochure, Appendix A). www.peterboroughmuseumandarchives.ca

Volunteer Appreciation Event:

Queen Marie, 4th Line Theatre, Preview – July 3.

http://4thlinetheatre.on.ca

Drfitwood Theatre:

Midsummer Night's Dream, Heritage Pavilion, August 5. http://www.driftwoodtheatre.com/bards-bus-tour/bards-bus-tour-dates/

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Appendix "A" - Summer Discovery and KinderKidz brochure