



City of
Peterborough

To: Members of the Arts, Culture & Heritage Advisory Committee

From: Karen Rennie, Manager of Arts, Culture and Heritage Division

Meeting Date: Sept 12, 2019

Subject: Report ACHAC19-021
Arts, Culture and Heritage Division Report

Purpose

A report to advise the Arts Culture and Heritage Advisory Committee (ACHAC) on the monthly activities of the Arts, Culture and Heritage Division for August 2019.

Recommendation

That the ACHAC approve the recommendation outlined in Report ACHAC19-021, dated Sept 12th, 2019 of the Manager of the Arts, Culture and Heritage Division, as follows:

That the report with respect to the activities of the Arts, Culture & Heritage Division for August and September 2019 be received for Information.

Budget and Financial Implications

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

Background

The Arts Culture & Heritage Division coordinates the development and provision of arts, culture and heritage activities, facilities, services and resources. Activities are highlighted below.

Heritage Preservation Office

Staffing Announcement: Emily Turner has taken a new position with the City of Kawartha Lakes and Jennifer Guerin has returned to the Heritage Office in the position of Heritage Researcher. Welcome back Jennifer.

Walking Tour App – Three students spent the summer conducting research for the walking tour app and associated story maps. Their work will be presented at the October meeting.

War Memorial Repairs – The masonry at the Citizens’ War Memorial has been repointed. The bronze statuary received its bi-annual inspection and cleaning this summer as well. Overall the memorial is in good repair.

Doors Open 2020 – The Heritage Preservation Office sent letters to communities within Peterborough County inviting them to take part in Doors Open 2020 as a county-wide event. The Doors Open Peterborough committee will gauge interest and plan accordingly.

Peterborough Public Library

The Fall What's Happening Guide is out and online registration for adult programs has already opened. Pick up a copy at the library or check out the online version here: <https://bit.ly/2zsLNDQ>

Library Commons officially opened on September 5th, 2019

“Library Commons provides a welcoming space for the community to enjoy,” said Jennifer Jones, CEO of the Peterborough Public Library. “It’s a great place sit and visit with a friend or relax with a book. Library staff are excited to use the space to offer events and programming.”

In partnership with the **Peterborough Weavers and Spinners Guild**, the Library invites you to help us weave an eight-colour tapestry to honour the original pride flag. Drop by and weave with provided materials or feel free to bring your own meaningful piece of fabric or yarn. Each day of Peterborough Pride Week we will be weaving a different colour on our loom:

Friday Sept. 13:	Violet	symbolizing	Spirit
Saturday Sept. 14 & Sunday Sept. 15	Indigo	symbolizing	Serenity
Monday Sept. 16	Turquoise	symbolizing	Art
Tuesday Sept. 17	Green	symbolizing	Nature
Wednesday Sept. 18	Yellow	symbolizing	Sunlight
Thursday Sept. 19	Orange	symbolizing	Healing
Friday Sept. 20	Red	symbolizing	Life
Saturday Sept. 21 & Sunday Sept. 22	Pink	symbolizing	Sexuality

Peterborough Museum and Archives

Staffing Announcement:

Please join me in welcoming Michael (Mike) Stringer as our Museum Education Officer. Michael will be with us until early 2021.

Michael brings a wealth of experience as an OCT certified teacher in History/Geography, and as a professional archaeological consultant. Michael has taught locally, as well as in Mexico, has coached volleyball, soccer and baseball (to name a few), and has worked for the Ministries of Transportation and Tourism, Culture and Sport.

Museum Film Series Pass on Sale NOW!

The Peterborough Museum and Archives presents MUSE International Fine Films in partnership with Toronto International Film Festival Circuit Group @tiff_net, which has brought Canadian and International film to Peterborough since 1998.

Throughout the Fall 2019 season there will be 7 films showing at Galaxy Cinemas. You are able to purchase a series pass through the @ptbomemcentre box office!

Check out our website for more details and film titles!

<https://www.peterborough.ca/en/explore-and-play/muse-international-fine-films.aspx>

Art Gallery of Peterborough

Kawartha Autumn Studio Tour

The Studio Tour is an opportunity for the public to visit artists where they live and work. All artists on the tour have been juried. Studios and galleries will be open Saturday September 21 and Sunday September 22, from 10 am to 5 pm to display a rich diversity of arts and crafts, including fine art, ceramics, glass, jewellery, sculpture, wood, fibre, metal and printmaking. This is an annual, self-drive tour and admission is free to all locations.

Download a map of Studio Tour locations: [KAST 2019 maps](#)

Children's Programs: Ages 7 to 11

\$67 per 4-week session

Register online or call us at 705-743-9179

October 5 – 26, 2019 | 1:30 – 4:00 pm

November 9 – 30 | 1:30 – 4:00 pm

Join us this **October** as artist and educator Laurel Paluck leads club-kids through the process of making a wearable headpiece. Combining elements of design, sculpture, and painting, this art form responds well to each student's unique imagination and

ability. In addition to fostering creativity, problem solving and directing their imaginations, students will produce and take home a one of a kind mask – just in time for Halloween!

In the **November** session, artist and educator Laurel Paluck shows club-kids how to build beautiful bamboo and cloth lanterns to light up the winter skies. Creations can be simple or as elaborate as abilities and desires dictate. Club kids will also help build a super-sized parade lantern to march in this year's Winter Solstice Lantern Parade.

Artist-instructor **Laurel Paluck** is the Artistic Director of Atelier Ludmila, a Peterborough-based artist lab and community arts training studio. She has trained at the Ontario College of Art, Toronto School of Art, Humber College Puppetry Intensive and the Royal Academy Artist in Education Program and brings curriculum-based art programming to schools and a wide range of artist-led workshops and programming to communities of all ages.

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