

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND TOWN

Niagara-on-the-Lake's Cultural Newsletter

Volume 15, Issue 4 October 2021



October 6 at 11 am | Dena Doroszenko

Archaeology of the Niagara Apothecary and Niagara-on-the-Lake's Rich History

October 20 at 11 am | Kathleen Powell

Triumph and Tragedy: Building the Welland Ship Canal

Zoom registration required. For more information and to register, visit **notlmuseum.ca**

RIVERBRINK

ART MUSEUM

EN PLEIN AIR Workshop with Pete Malaguti

Saturday, October 16 & 23 at 10:30am-1:30pm

Let's take advantage of Queenston's colours during this visually spectacular time of the year! This workshop will be a recreational group painting session with guidance from artist Pete Malaguti. The first session will be an opportunity to learn about the Plein Air set up, and it will take place on the grounds at Riverbrink Art Museum during the Explore Queenston Doors Open event. The last session will be in Queenston but off-site!

\$45 Members, \$55 General

To register call 905-262-4510 or email manager@riverbrink.org

www.riverbrink.org

HALLOWEEN GHOST TOURS AT FORT GEORGE

October | 15, 16, 17 | 22. 23, 24 | 29, 30, 31 at 8:00 pm, 8:30 pm and 9:00 pm

Step inside Fort George after dark and learn about its history and haunting during this candlelight ghost walk.

Tours are limited to a maximum of 9 guests and outdoor spaces in accordance with provincial requirements. Masks are highly encouraged outdoors.

Tickets are \$20 and must be purchased in advance:

https://friendsoffortgeorge.square.site/



The Friends of Fort George Presents:

Brock's Birthday Bash!

Wednesday, October 6 | 10 - 11 a.m.

Brock's Monument, 14184 Niagara River Parkway, Queenston ON LOS 1L0

Join us at Brock's Monument for a special celebration marking Brock's 252nd birthday. The event will include

special presentations highlighting the life of Brock, and cupcakes (donated by a generous member).

10:00 am – The Life and Times of Major General Sir Isaac Brock 10:45 am – Cupcakes at the Monument

11:15 am – After the Battle of Queenston Heights: What happened to Brock After the Smoke Cleared

We are also running a special donation drive in honour of Brock. Help us raise \$1,769.00 to honour Brock's birthday (October 6, 1769). All funds raised will support employment and educational programs at Brock's Monument!

SHAWFESTIVAL

Friday, October 1

11:30am Flush
2pm Trouble in Mind
2pm Sherlock Holmes and the
Rayen's Curse

Saturday, October 2

2pm The Devils Disciple 2pm Charley's Aunt 8pm Flush 8pm Trouble in Mind 8pm Sherlock Holmes and the Rayen's Curse

Sunday, October 3

7pm Sherlock Holmes and the Raven's Curse

Tuesday, October 5

8pm Sherlock Holmes and the Raven's Curse 8pm Trouble in Mind

Wednesday, October 6

7pm The Devils Disciple 8pm Charley's Aunt

Thursday, October 7

2pm Charley's Aunt 2pm The Devils Disciple

Friday, October 8

8pm Trouble in Mind 8pm Sherlock Holmes and the Rayen's Curse

Saturday, October 9

2pm Sherlock Holmes and the Raven's Curse 2pm Trouble in Mind 7pm The Devils Disciple 8pm Charley's Aunt

Sunday, October 10

1pm Charley's Aunt 7pm Sherlock Holmes and the Raven's Curse

Saturday, October 16

8pm Desire Under the Elms

Sunday, October 17

1pm Desire Under the Elms

Wednesday, October 20

2pm Desire Under the Elms

Thursday, October 21

2pm Desire Under the Elms 8pm Desire Under the Elms

Friday, October 22

2pm Desire Under the Elms

Saturday, October 23

6pm Desire Under the Elms

Sunday, October 24

1pm Desire Under the Elms

Wednesday, October 27

2pm Desire Under the Elms

Thursday, October 28

2pm Desire Under the Elms 8pm Desire Under the Elms

Friday, October 29

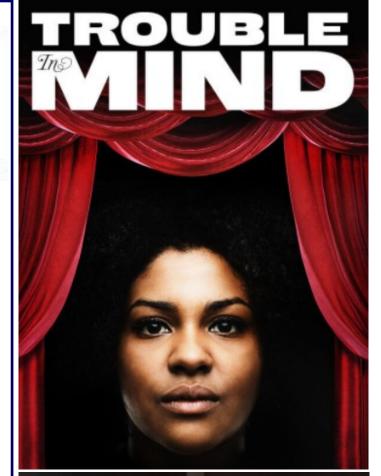
2pm Desire Under the Elms

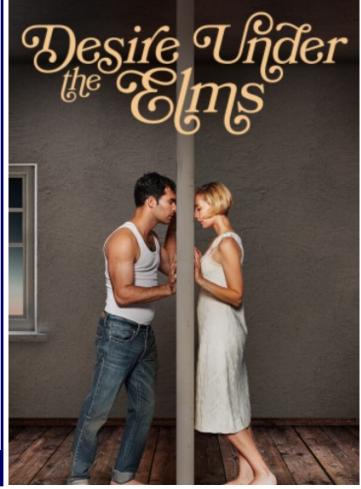
Saturday, October 30

2pm Desire Under the Elms 8pm Desire Under the Elms

Sunday, October 31

1pm Desire Under the Elms





Box Office: 1-800-511-7429 | shawfest.com



BRAHMS OKTOBERFEST

Music by Brahms OCT 7, 14, 18 & 28

4 Concerts/4 Venues

Silversmith Brewing Company
The Exchange Brewery
Blackburn Brew House
Niagara Oast House Brewers

www.musicniagara.org

exhibitions

Niagara-on-the-Lake Museum

Our Story chronicles the history of Niagara-on-the-Lake from its earliest inhabitants to the present day.

Making Her Mark is an exhibition that explores women who have shapes NOTL's past. On display until October 24th, 2021.

43 Castlereagh St. | 905.468.3912 Open Thursday - Monday, 10 am to 5 pm www.notlmuseum.ca

The Friends of FORT GEORGE

Battle of Queenston Heights Commemoration October 13, 2021

Join us for a special commemoration of one of the most important battles of the War of 1812. We will be offering commemorative tours of the battle site, and will also have interpretive staff on site, including Scott Finlay, Parks Canada who will be representing Major General Isaac Brock.

10:00 am – The Battle of Queenston Heights Tour 11:00 am – The Battle of Queenston Heights Tour

Cost: \$5.00/person. Space is limited, so book your spot online at: https://friendsoffortgeorge.square.site

The Archaeology of the Redan Battery & the Battle of Queenston Heights: Online Presentation

October 15, 2021 at 10:00 am

The Battle of Queenston Heights holds great significance in Canadian military lore. This major victory early in the War of 1812 cemented Niagara Loyalists' sympathy for the British cause and inspired many to stand against American invasion of Upper Canada. Major General Isaac Brock's demise, while leading a frontal attack to retake the Redan Battery, gave loyalists their exemplary hero. Throughout this engagement the Redan Battery played a pivotal role and would later become a stopping point for visitors to the battlefield. In 1975, Parks Canada Archaeologist, Elizabeth Snow excavated the site to record the structural layout for restoration of the gun emplacement. Review of her artifact collection in 2012, 200 years after the battle, yielded unanticipated evidence of that fateful day, October 13, 1812.

Cost: free/members; \$5.00/non-members. Email admin@friendsoffortgeorge.ca to reserve a spot.

For more information about events and attractions in Niagara-on-the-Lake, call the NOTL Chamber of Commerce at 905-468-1950 or visit www.niagaraonthelake.com. You can also visit in the lower level of the Court House on Queen Street.

RiverBrink Art Museum

- Adopt-an-Artwork
- Power, a video and audio installation by Elizabeth Chitty
- The River
- Georgian-Era Portraits from the Collection
- Centre & Periphery: The Group of Seven
- Botanicals
- Recent Acquisitions
- Suzor-Cote at RiverBrink

116 Queenston St. | 905.262.4510 Open Wednesday - Saturday, 10 am to 4 pm riverbrink.org

Niagara Pumphouse Arts Centre

Home - Protector or PredatorA solo exhibition by Sue Archibald October 1—30, 2021. .

247 Ricardo Street | 905-468-5455 Open Tuesday - Sunday, 11 am - 4 pm niagarapumphouse.ca



OTHER HISTORIC SITES OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Fort George National Historic Site 51 Queen's Parade 12 pm – 5 pm Wednesday to Sunday

Fort Mississauga on the NOTL Golf Club grounds