



Nelles Manor Museum

Newsletter

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AUGUST UPDATES

Hello! I hope you all are having a wonderful summer so far. In case you were wondering what has been going on at Nelles Manor this season, we are +bringing you another brief update on our activities.

In late July, the board decided to announce a special Canada 150 change in admission prices for the remainder of the season, in honour of our nation's 150th anniversary. Because our July 1st #Grimsby150 event was such a great success, we wanted to respond by extending the celebrations!

Canada 150 Admission

Individual.....	\$5
Family.....	\$12
Members.....	still FREE!

These prices are effective throughout the month of August so if you have not yet had a chance to see the Manor, now is the perfect time to do so. ☺

Another exciting update is with regards to our various raffle prizes. At the beginning of the season, we were able to incentivize ticket sales by offering a chance for people to put their name in a draw at the end of each tour. In May, a handful of lucky guests received gift certificates to local restaurants like *Teddy's* and *The Forty*. In July, we offered a prize worth over \$200 from the *Casablanca Winery Inn & Spa*, with one month's worth of visitors entering their names in the draw after their visit. For the month of August, we are offering a gift card from the local *Harmony Jewellers*. A thriving community is not possible without active



July Winner Marilyn Marasco from Stoney Creek.

neighbourhood engagement, and these local businesses have gone above and beyond for us this year.

In addition to the regular tour groups, we have also had the opportunity to give tours to various historical societies and church groups that have showed interest in the Manor this year, from places like Wainfleet, Sim's Lock, Hamilton, and Beamsville. One special group even enjoyed an afternoon tea along with their tour. On August 1st, a group of local ladies donned their fascinators and enjoyed tea and scones, sandwiches and desserts. The Manor is such a suitable place for a high end tea, that we have decided to plan many more of these in the future.

Upcoming Events

- Handmade Burlap Wreath Workshop
 - August 24th @ 7:00pm
 - Cost is \$45 per person (includes materials)
- Paint Night with Diane Ptolemy
 - September 7th @ 7:00pm
 - Cost is \$35 per person (no talent required)
- Thanksgiving Afternoon Tea with a Tour
 - October 1 @ 1:00pm
 - Cost is \$25 per person
- Ghost Tours
 - October 20, 21, 27, 28
 - 4 tours per night, beginning at 6:30
 - Cost is- Child- \$10 (ages 3-14)
 - Adult- \$15 -Family- \$30
- WWI Historical Talk
 - November
 - Details to be announced...
- Christmas Tours & Family Fun Days
 - December 2, 3, 9, 10, 27, 28, 29 from 1-4pm
 - see our website for more details