



NELLES MANOR

Newsletter

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Music Comes to Nelles Manor

Lots of Music on the Manor Front Lawn. The Niagara Symphony Orchestra has had three concerts of 5 or 6 musicians playing from 12 noon to 3 p.m. on the front lawn of the Manor. From the Classics to Swing to Celtic, each time the theme is different. **The final concert is Saturday Sept 4** between 12 and 3 pm. Bring your own lawn chair, or blanket.

New Vintage Winds, (the group displayed below) performed a benefit concert for the Manor on **Sunday August 8, 2021**. Just as above, the music was wonderful and well appreciated by all in attendance. The concert raised well needed funds for the Museum. We thank them for their wonderful contribution to our programs. We hope to have them back again.



Vintage and Art Sale

Monday August 2nd there was a sale of vintage and Art on the front lawn of the Manor. It ran from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Something for everyone. We had a steady stream of visitors and great weather. Thanks to all that participated.



ON-GOING ACTIVITIES

Nelles Manor Neighbourhood Tours

We have a new tour for you! Come and visit the lands that Robert Nelles once owned. You will see where the Nelles mill was, other family homes and where the family are laid to rest. Ticket price \$10.00. These tours will be available on Eventbrite. Contact us at info@nellesmanor.ca for more information.

While our season for public drop-in tours at the Manor ends on **Labour Day**, group tours can still be booked up until our Christmas events close.

EVENTS COMMITTEE

The events committee continues to meet. The Fall and Christmas events planning are underway. Returning favourites include the Ghost Tours - with a slight change to Spirit Walks this year and a Christmas event. Discussions for next year's events are already underway with consideration it is the 100th anniversary of Grimsby becoming a Town! Programming is being considered to participate in this event. We will be recognizing the 280th birthday of Robert Nelles in October with a public event in the works. As well, we expect to be at the Lincoln Pioneer Days October 2, 2021. Lots going on.

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[October Ghost tours](#)

Spirit Walk: 'You're never alone at Nelles Manor Museum.'

Due to capacity restrictions this year our Ghost Tours will be presented in a different format. Each tour will be guided through the Manor with tales of spirits seen and heard. The tickets are \$20.00 for adults, \$10 for children and a family rate of \$50.00. On sale soon! Friends of Nelles Manor will be given advanced notice of sale date.

[Candlelight Christmas at Nelles Manor](#)

Christmas in 1800 will be our theme and we will have public tours as well as a Christmas reception as a limited capacity fundraiser. Hours and dates will be posted as we get closer to the dates.

[Our Volunteers –](#)

As in the past we have received great support from many, many people this year. Our events committee, our tour guides, our gardeners, our Board of Directors and many others. We cannot operate without the support and enthusiasm of so many people. There continues much to do with our Ghost tours and Christmas events plus other programs to come but, we want to take this opportunity to say **Thank You!**

[New & Renewed Friends of Nelles Manor:](#)

Kerry Vandermolen
Rhona Wenger & Tom Spicer
Elizabeth Wilson & Alex Evans

[Estate Planning –](#)

Nelles Manor is one of the few pieces of original Loyalist built heritage left in Ontario. One of the ways to support the Manor is to include Nelles Manor Heritage House in your estate plans.

A donation from your estate or life insurance policy to the Manor could be made to our annual operations or to an endowment fund that would support our major capital needs, or where the income supports our annual preservation, maintenance and operations costs. Consult your lawyer or accountant as to how to provide this type of support.

All donations to Nelles Manor are tax deductible and a donation receipt for tax purposes will be issued.

Thank you all for your encouragement and we want you to be safe and healthy in 2021 and onward!