

Friday, November 1, 2024

Schneider Haus November 1 PD Day Camp

Date and Time: Friday, November 1 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Address: 466 Queen Street South

Join us at Schneider Haus for a day of engaging activities, with plenty of time outdoors, on November 1st! Programming provides a mix of free and structured play, allowing children to explore, create, build, dig, discover, and make new friends. Campers must bring a lunch and snacks. Food will not be provided. Please ensure your child is dressed for the unpredictable Fall weather!

Age range: Children from 5 to 10 years old.

Times: Drop off - 8:30 to 9:00 a.m. & Pick up – 4:00 to 4:30 p.m.

[Register Now](#)

PD Day Camp: CSI: Museum - Ken Seiling Waterloo Region Museum

Date and Time: Friday, November 1 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Address: 10 Huron Rd, Kitchener, ON N2P 2R7

Experience the thrill of investigative science as young detectives unlock the secrets of forensic science through captivating crime scene hands-on investigations. Throughout the day, participants will immerse themselves in analyzing fingerprints, decoding mysteries, and employing various scientific techniques to crack the case of who stole the Halloween candy. CSI: Museum offers an immersive journey into the fascinating world of investigative science, where participants will sharpen critical thinking skills, hone observation skills, and foster teamwork while unraveling the enigmas that await them.

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Age range: Children from 5 to 11 years old.

Times: Drop-off - 8:30 to 9:00 a.m. & Pick-up – 4:00 to 4:30 p.m.

Cost: \$50 per day per child

Unfortunately we are unable to accommodate earlier drop off times or later pick up times.

[Register Now](#)

Region of Waterloo Museums Member pricing: 10% off with code

- Enter your 8-digit membership number plus CSI (12345678CSI) into the discount field and select "Apply" to get member pricing
- Please note that your membership must be valid upon booking and on the event date, or access may be denied

Saturday, November 9, 2024

McDougall Cottage Soup and Stroll Series - “Galt's Commercial Legacy”

Date and Time: Saturday, November 9 10:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: 89 Grand Ave. S., Cambridge, ON

Come for the stroll, stay for the soup!

What could be better than an interesting and enlightening fall stroll, followed by a warm bowl of hearty and delicious Scotch Broth soup?

Plan to join us as we delve into the rich industrial history of downtown Galt with our NEWEST *Soup and Stroll: Galt's Commercial Legacy*.

Wander through time as we discover why Galt earned the title “*Manchester of Canada*” and explore how the Grand River fueled a thriving manufacturing hub. Admire the enduring architecture that tells the story of Galt's industrial past before heading back to our cozy Cottage on the banks of the Grand for a tasty bowl home-made traditional Scottish soup.

It's the perfect blend of history, heritage, and relaxed comfort. Don't miss this illuminating journey—reserve your spot today!

This walking tour may include hills, stairs, and uneven terrain. Participants should dress appropriately for the weather. The tour will proceed rain or shine, but in the event of severe weather that necessitates rescheduling, an email will be sent to all participants at least one hour before the start time.

Phones are recommended, but not required, to access additional information on the sites we'll be visiting.

Please email us in advance if you would like a vegetarian option for the soup.

Note: No washroom facilities available during tour.

The walks will leave the Cottage promptly at 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Pre-registration is required and space is limited, so register early!

\$35/participant (+HST). Ticket includes walk and soup. This event is non-refundable.

Museum Members receive a 10% discount.

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Bespoke Diwali Marketplace

Date and Time: Saturday, November 9 11:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 10 Huron Rd, Kitchener, ON N2P 2R7

After the incredible success of last years first ever Bespoke Diwali Marketplace, we are back again to celebrate the festival of lights on Saturday November 9, 2024, inside the stunning Ken Selling Waterloo Region Museum. With your FREE ADMISSION for the day from 10am to 5pm, we invite you to experience the beautiful carefully curated multi-sensory celebration which promises to mesmerize guests with an ambiance fit for Diwali celebrations along with the finest vendors just in time for all your holiday and Diwali shopping! Shop the carefully curated vendors in jewelry, fashion, home decor, food, signature teas, wellness products and more. Of course, this Diwali celebration wouldn't be complete without a kids corner with treats and crafts for kids to enjoy, an Instragramable photo booth, melodic Bollywood hits, special workshops and entertaining Bollywood performances!

[Find more details on the full event page](#)

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Sunday, November 10, 2024

Moccasin Making Workshop with Haudenosaunee Artisan Susan Hill

Date and Time: Sunday, November 10 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 89 Grand Ave. S., Cambridge, ON

Have you ever wondered what it takes to make moccasins? Do you want to have your own customized moccasins that you put together yourself? If so then make sure to join us for the kickoff of Rock Your Mocs week at a moccasin making workshop with Haudenosaunee artisan Susan Hill.

In the space of 4 hours, using cut-to-measure pieces of buffalo and moose hide (hides will be either black, brown or tan, depending on availability) Susan will walk you through the process of piecing and sewing your moccasins together. Make a pair for yourself, or for someone you care about (what a GREAT Christmas gift these would make!).

[Register Here](#)

When you register, please be sure to indicate your shoe size so the moccasin components can be pre-cut to size.

Indigenous members of the community will receive a discounted workshop fee by using the code: **Mocs50**

Reservations are required as space is limited.

In order for Susan to prepare materials for the workshop, REGISTRATION CLOSES ON OCTOBER 27TH!

Be sure to not miss out and reserve your spot today!

Bio

Susan Hill is a Haudenosaunee artisan and member of the Cayuga Nation living in Ohsweken on Six Nations of the Grand River Territory. She is self-taught in making moccasins and was mentored by her mother Millie throughout her years of beading. Susan is the sole proprietor of Hill's Creations with over 25 years of experience.

Jhumka, Hangama, Dhamaka! - A Bollywood Dance Party!

Date and Time: Sunday, November 10 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 10 Huron Rd, Kitchener, ON N2P 2R7

Join Us on Sunday November 10th, 2024 for 'Jhumka, Hangama, Dhamaka! - A Bollywood Dance Party!' in KW taking place inside the stunning Ken Seiling Waterloo Region museum that will be transformed into a spectacular Diwali celebration from 6 to 8 p.m!

Celebrate the Festival of Lights in style in your Diwali best sarees and kurtas with an unforgettable Bollywood Dance Party featuring World Class Singer, Nitin Sharma!

What to expect?

- Live Bollywood Band & Bollywood Beats
- Dance the Night Away
- Dazzling Performances
- Diwali Festivities
- **Food from The Sobo-Indian Street Food provided (Aloo Puffs, Sweet Corn, Bhel, Dahi Sev Puri, and Mango Drinks)**

Come immerse yourself in the vibrant energy of Diwali and experience the joy, music, and colors of Bollywood

Don't miss out on this magical evening!

Let's light up the night together KW!

[Get your tickets!](#)

Saturday, November 16, 2024

Selfies with Santa

Date and Time: Saturday, November 16 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 10 Huron Rd, Kitchener, ON N2P 2R7

Join the FRIENDS of Waterloo Region Museums for a fundraising event--crafts, treats, holiday music and photos with some festive friends. Santa will be joining us with Mrs. Claus and the Grinch for family photos, both inside and outdoors. Choose to take your own selfies and bring home one printed photo to remember for a lifetime! Families and individuals are welcome from 12-2 p.m. and pets are welcome from 2-4 p.m.

Admission to the Ken Seiling Waterloo Region Museum is included with the purchase of a festive photo.

Pets are welcome from 2-4 p.m. only and must always remain outdoors.

Ticket prices include 1 (one) printed photo, crafts and treats. All tickets are final sale. Membership discounts do not apply as this is a fundraising event hosted by the FRIENDS of Waterloo Region Museums.

Adults: \$10 + HST

Children: \$5 + HST

Pets: \$5 + HST

Register Now

The FRIENDS of Waterloo Region Museums is a voluntary public foundation dedicated to the preservation of Waterloo Region's history and cultures.

Your donations enhance programming and exhibits at Ken Seiling Waterloo Region Museum, Doon Heritage Village, Schneider Haus, and McDougall Cottage, bringing history to life!

To learn more, please visit: <https://regionofwaterloomuseums.ca/en/visit/friends-of-waterloo-region-museum.aspx>

Holiday Baking Workshop: Classic Cookies

Date and Time: Saturday, November 16 12:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 466 Queen Street South

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We're already getting into the holiday spirit and thinking about the iconic tradition of cookie parties! Who knows cookies better than Schneider Haus? Join us November 16th to learn how to make iconic holiday cookies from throughout the decades and impress your friends and family at your next cookie swap! Taste test the cookies, and bring home a sampling of 8 different varieties for you and your loved ones. Participants will also take home the recipes to recreate throughout the holidays!

Pre-registration is required. No refunds.

Register Now

Sunday, November 24, 2024

Tea by the Grand at McDougall Cottage

Date and Time: Sunday, November 24 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: 89 Grand Ave. S. Cambridge, ON, N1S 2L7

Grab a friend, or two (or more) and join us for one of McDougall Cottage's ever-popular Teas by the Grand. We'll be serving up our classic Cottage tea, complete with cucumber and cream cheese tea sandwiches, smoked salmon cream cheese pinwheels, scones with preserves and whipped cream and more!

Now that the days are getting cool and crisp, what could be better than a chat and a nosh in a warm and cozy 165 year old stone cottage?

Please note:

If you have questions regarding dietary restrictions please contact us before purchase at mcdougall@regionofwaterloo.ca. Gluten-free options are only available at our specialty gluten-free teas. Check our website for upco

ming dates or please email us.

To assist staff with event set-up: If the members of your party are purchasing tickets individually, rather than under one reservation please email us in advance of the tea, so we can be sure to seat all the members of your party together mcdougall@regionofwaterloo.ca

Children under the age of three do not require a ticket, however please let us know if they are attending so that we can account for that when planning our seating arrangements.

Reservations are required and space is limited, so reserve your spot now!

[Register here!](#)

Museum members receive a 10% discount.

Tickets are non-refundable.

Mosaic Lamp Workshop

Date and Time: Sunday, November 24 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 10 Huron Rd, Kitchener, ON N2P 2R7

Make a functional mosaic lamp to brighten up your space! Join Selda Sezen as she guides you through the beautiful process of creating mosaics.

Mosaic Lamp

- Square or diamond glass pieces
- Comes with all electrical components and lightbulb
- Swan, column, or globe shape
- Glue mosaics on, following suggested designs by instructor
- Takes 12 hours for glue to dry before grout is applied
- Send home instructions and/or participants leave pieces for instructor to grout and pick-up later
- \$120 plus HST and Eventbrite fees

No refunds, exchanges, or transfers. No experience necessary!

[Register now](#)

Selda Sezen interweaves the threads of spirituality, psychotherapy, and artistic expression. As a certified Ebru Water Marbling Artist, she has mastered the skill of creating vivid patterns on water's surface. Selda is a multi-disciplinary artist, with her passion stemming from a deep love for sharing the wonders of creativity. Selda serves at the art director at Wilfrid Laurier University's Academy of Music and Art (LAMA).

Thursday, November 28, 2024

Evening Concert featuring Three-In-The-Round

Date and Time: Thursday, November 28 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 89 Grand Ave. S., Cambridge, ON

Experience a night of musical magic at McDougall Cottage!

Spend an unforgettable evening with **Three-In-The-Round** as they bring their "single malt" selections of songs and tunes, guaranteed to warm your heart. This special night features the captivating talents of:

- Gwen Potter: An accomplished English session musician and singer, on viola d'amore.
- John Harris: A gifted guitarist, mandolinist, singer and teacher from Nova Scotia.
- Bob MacLean: A highly skilled East Coast singer/songwriter/workshop leader and Celtic guitarist.

Let the music of Three-In-The-Round carry you away—mark your calendar for a night of extraordinary talent and timeless tunes!

Space is limited, so get your tickets soon!

\$10 per person, plus HST

[Register Now](#)

Saturday, November 30, 2024

Holiday Baking Workshop: Cinnamon Rolls

Date and Time: Saturday, November 30 12:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 466 Queen Street South

Is there anything better than a fresh cinnamon roll straight from the oven? Maybe a fresh cinnamon roll on Christmas morning with the family. Learn how to make a special holiday treat with us and bring your creation home to freeze for Christmas morning, they're sure to impress your loved ones! Join us November 30th to learn to make the perfect cinnamon rolls. Taste test some warm cinnamon rolls, bring home your own batch of dough, and take home the recipe to recreate your culinary masterpiece at home!

Pre-registration is required. No refunds.

[Register Now](#)