

NEWSLETTER

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Greetings from all of us at Friends of Lincoln's History. With all the necessary Covid 19 requirements in place, the Archives has made a partial opening as of August 26, 2020, after being closed since March 30th, 2020. While the Archives is not open to the public at this time, we are taking appointments for any research projects. To make an appointment, or if you have any questions please contact Mary Lou Garr at mgarr@sympatico.ca. You can also call us at (905) 562-4242 and leave a message.

There are no Quarterly Meetings scheduled until further notice. Also, due to Covid 19, the Annual General Meeting has not been scheduled, but there will be further advisories regarding the AGM. In place of the meetings we will be sending out a newsletter via email, on a quarterly basis. If you have any history news, stories or old pictures you would like to share with members, please email them to kharchive@cogeco.ca

Please find listed below the current list of board members for the Friends of Lincoln's History:

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Website – Remember to keeping checking the website for news updates at: www.lincolnarchives.ca

Our annual Heritage House Tour that was scheduled for June had to be postponed. We are hoping Covid will no longer be a threat in 2021, and we will be able to reschedule it for next summer.

The FLH has received a wonderful donation of \$15,000 from The Dennis Walker Estate. Dennis collected antique military and farm equipment. He appreciated the work we do at the Archives and left us a very generous donation. Our heartfelt thanks go out to his family & friends.



We still have copies of the 2020 Lincoln Then and Now Calendars available. Even though the year is nearing its end, the pictures are great to look at, and since it is Lincoln's 50th Birthday that makes it a collector's item. Please contact us today for a copy before they are gone.

Save Lincoln's History A Resource for the Future - A Tribute to the Past Don't toss it – Donate it

The area comprising Lincoln, (Old Louth and Clinton Township), is rich in history, and over the years has been witness to a fascinating array of people arriving within its boundaries. Among them: United Empire Loyalists; Pennsylvania German pioneers; young Allied pilots training at the Beamsville aerodrome; waves of refugees fleeing war-torn Europe; and many more. Deeds, Diaries, Documents, Family Histories, Letters, Local Histories, Maps, Photographs and Scrapbooks. These are just some of the things we LOVE.

Preserving the Past & the Present for the Future

Since February 12, 2020 we have been posting weekly pictures of homes with Heritage Designation in the Town of Lincoln on Facebook. If you would like to see our weekly posts please go to Lincoln Archives on Facebook. In case you are not a Facebook user we are posting some of them in this newsletter. ENJOY



Heritage Building – 62 Mountain St. Beamsville First building in the Town of Lincoln to have Historical Designation in Sept. 1979 The building was constructed in 1851



The Fry House – Main Street Jordan Designated in 1988, Moved to present site in 1959 Homestead of Samuel Fry 1812-1881



The Stouck Smokehouse Crown Granted land to John Henry, Grandson of Capt. James Henry Designated in 1992 – Lot 7, Conc. #4



St. John's Anglican Church – Jordan Built in 1841 by stone mason Newton Perry Designated in April 1988



The Culp Barn in Vineland Designated in 1988 Built in 1851



Marlatt House Crown granted land to John Campbell. Was purchased in 1810 by Abraham Marlatt Designated in April 1995