

Big on History Big on Fun

CELEBRATE THE 57TH SEASON

2016 EVENTS AT FANSHAWE PIONEER VILLAGE

Celebrate Spring

MAR 15 - APR 22 | THE BARN RAISING PROJECT | Exhibition in the Trillium Community Gallery, Spriet Family Visitor Centre.

APR 16 | CLEAN-UP DAY AT THE VILLAGE | Bring your rake and broom and help us open Fanshawe Pioneer Village for the 57th season.

MAY 7 - 8 | MOTHER'S DAY BRUNCH | R\$

MAY 21 | OPENING DAY | Historic Village open for the season.

MAY 23 | QUEEN VICTORIA'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS | Speeches, 19th century games and meet Her Majesty Queen Victoria!

MAY 28 - SEPT 30 | STITCHES: OUR TEXTILE TRADITIONS | Exhibition in the Trillium Community Gallery, Spriet Family Visitor Centre.

June Jubilee

JUNE 18 - 19 | A DAY ON THE FARM | Come meet the sheep, pigs, ducks and poultry who will live at Fanshawe Pioneer Village this season.

Summer in the Village - July

JULY 1 | DOMINION DAY | Patriotic speeches, cake and lemonade. A 19th century celebration of the formation of the new Dominion of Canada!

Time Travelers Summer Day Camp

It's the ultimate summer adventure – travel back in time! Become apprentices to the Printer and Blacksmith, create Victorian crafts and play games of the past. Celebrate the end of the week with a proper 19th century social.

R\$ | COST: \$135.00 WEEK / PER CHILD

WEEK 1 | JULY 11 - 15 (9-12 YRS.)

WEEK 2 | JULY 18 - 22 (9-12 YRS.)

WEEK 3 | AUG 2 - 5 (6-8 YRS.)

WEEK 4 | AUG 8 - 12 (9-12 YRS.)

Summer Theatre

CHICKEN FEATHER | a play by Jeff Culbert

Some of the men in WWI London who chose not to enlist were publicly shamed by young women who pinned them with white feathers to show their disapproval. *Chicken Feather* follows the relationship of a young man who gets pinned and the young woman who pins him.

Performance Times - July 7, 13, 14, 19, 20, 27 - 7:30pm

THE CHEESE POET | A Dairy-ing Melodrama by Adam Corrigan Holowitz

The delightful Ontario folk legend James McIntyre, "the Ingersoll Cheese Poet" is put in a Don Quixote-esque adventure full of hijinks, hilarity, song and heart.

Performance Times - July 6, 12, 21, 26, 28 - 7:30pm
July 13, 20, 27 - 2:00pm

JULY 30 - 31 | FANSHAWE FROLIC - THE VICTORY BOND BALL: DANCE FROM 1914 TO 1918 | Come learn the social dances of WWI with Dance Mistress, Mme. Stephens. Workshops, country supper, Ball and Sunday afternoon family dance. **R\$**

JULY 31 | THE FIRST WORLD WAR | Experience the life of soldiers in the Great War through real life scenarios and vignettes presented by the History Matters Association.

Summer in the Village - August

AUGUST 7 | WEE ROYAL TEA | Calling all Lords & Ladies, Princes & Princesses, Kings & Queens for a royal celebration of teatime traditions! Take your tea in a china cup and enjoy puppet shows, storytelling and dancing fit for any King or Queen!

AUGUST 14 | A DAY FOR THE DOGS | Bring your four legged family members to meet dog groomers, rescue organizations and local services for your pet. Vendors will showcase a variety of doggy toys, fashion, food and more.

AUGUST 20 - 21 | FANSHAWE AGRICULTURAL FAIR | Experience all the pleasures of a 19th century rural fair with threshing demonstrations, exhibits and musical entertainment.

AUGUST 27 - 28 | FANSHAWE 1812: THE INVASION OF UPPER CANADA | Explore period military encampments and witness hard-fought battles between British and American forces.

Fall for the Village

OCTOBER 1 - 2 | DOORS OPEN / CULTURE DAYS LONDON | **FREE ADMISSION!**

OCTOBER 10 | THANKSGIVING AT THE VILLAGE | Villagers gather in thanks for a bountiful harvest. Join the celebration!

OCTOBER 10 | LAST DAY OF REGULAR SEASON

OCTOBER 14-16, 21-23, 28-30 | *NEW!* THE MIDNIGHT VILLAGE: A TRAGICAL HISTORY TOUR | *a play by Jason Rip*

The Villagers here are some of the creepiest, eeriest citizens of London's past. Enjoy the terrifying treasures of Fanshawe Pioneer Village after dark as you follow the ghostly lantern and learn the scary secrets of old London town. **R\$**

Christmas at the Village

NOV 25 - 26 & DEC 2 - 3, 9 - 10 | DICKENS' DINNER

KEEP MY MEMORY GREEN | *a play by Jason Rip*

Professor Redlaw spends Christmas Eve haunted by the phantoms of his past. A mysterious visitor gives him the chance to forget all his memories, good and bad. Will this haunted man profit from his supernatural bargain? Enjoy dinner and theatre from Victorian times! **R\$**

DEC 3 - 4 & 10 - 11 | A VISIT WITH ST. NICHOLAS | Join St. Nicholas for pancakes and sausage, and take a beautiful winter horse drawn wagon ride around the Village. **R\$**



SUMMER HOURS: Tuesday to Sunday & Holiday Mondays from May 21 to October 10 from 10:00am - 4:30pm.

MOST ACTIVITIES INCLUDED WITH ADMISSION; TIMES AND FEES MAY VARY. DATES SUBJECT TO CHANGE. **R** INDICATES RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED. **\$** INDICATES ADDITIONAL CHARGE.

NEW! See our new Smartphone Tour at www.fanshawepioneervillage.ca

FANSHAWE PIONEER VILLAGE IS LOCATED IN FANSHAWE CONSERVATION AREA IN LONDON, ONTARIO. ENTER AT 1424 CLARKE ROAD.

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