CARLETON PLACE AND BECKWITH HERITAGE MUSEUM NEWSLETTER

**WINTER HOURS** TUESDAY TO SATURDAY 10-4

### WHO'S WHO?

#### **CPB Heritage Society**

Shane Edwards President

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Tim Campbell Beckwith Township

**Museum Manager** 

Jennifer Irwin

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HERITAGE

**MUSEUM** 

Virtual Museum of Canada

The Museum was successful in 2016 in obtaining a grant to fund production of an on-line virtual exhibit to be hosted on the Canadian Museum of History's website. Work on "A. Roy Brown - A

Reluctant Hero" began in July and is progressing on schedule thanks to the assistance of The Roy Brown Society, volunteer Editor Laurie Graham and translator Louise Marchand. New and fascinating insights into Roy's life are presenting themselves everyday, adding to the storyline! The complete text for the exhibit has been finished and work has now begun gathering and organizing photographs and videos that will help in telling the story. I am looking forward to seeing this project come together and be ready for public launching on July 1, 2017. Check out the site at:

www.virtualmuseum.ca/virtual-exhibits/ type/community-memories/

-Jayne Henry Project Manager

## Opening **October 25**

Victoria Scho istorical Socie

# Managers

**FALL 2016** 

HAPPENINGS

Nothing equals the thrill of tangible history - objects that they have survived, sometimes for

bujects that they have survived, sometimes for hundreds of years, and that remind us of lives lived in earlier times. Our new exhibit, **"Time-Worn**", will showcase clothing from our collection. These are not pristine items. A stain, a carefully mended hole, or a well worn quilt made from World War II uniforms will remind you that real needed lived uniforms will remind you that real people lived

"Less attractive, as a result of age or much use"? I don't think so. Visit us and decide for vourself! lennifer Irwin



FUNDRAISERS

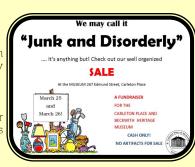
Our second annual

#### "Junk and Disorderly Sale"

will be held at the Museum on Saturday March 25 and Sunday March 26th 2017.

Downsizing over the winter? Please consider donating your items to the Museum for this fundraising sale.!

No books, toys or clothing please.



HAVE YOU PURCHASED YOUR RAFFLE TICKETS YET?

Win one of two beautiful quilts or a cozy fleece Hudson Bay Blanket!

> Tickets \$2 or 3 for \$5 at the Museum



### Here are a few suggestions for supporting the Museum and we know you will think of more!

Like and share our Facebook page

Purchase and/or sell tickets for our annual quilt draw

Bring your neighbours, friends and relatives for a Museum tour

Join the Nevada Ticket Sales dream team

Volunteer 3 hours of your time to welcome visitors to the Museum on a Sunday afternoon

Assist with set-up and/or takedown at our next event

Offer to bake for our next event

See which of Jennifer's wishes on her list you can fulfill!

Give us a great review on Trip Advisor

Visit our website and add your comments

Check in with Jennifer to see what short-term projects she has identified





## FEATURED VOLUNTEER:



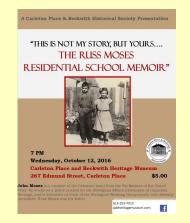
Shaelyn asked about volunteering at the Museum last Spring and was quickly added to the group of ladies in costume at our annual Picnic! She's since learned to input information and images onto our artifact database and is working her way through our WWII scrapbooks. Shaelyn, a CPHS student, is a published author! Her book "All the Time in the World", an historical fantasy, is available at the Museum gift shop.

## THE WISH LIST

- Copy paper anything helps!
- Shelving units or bookcases
- Postage stamps
- Red binders

## Fall/Winter Lecture Series

• October 12, 7 pm



## **Upcoming Speakers:**

- Larry Cotton, author of the Whiskey and Wickedness books
- Trevour Strudwick, Sorcerer

## STAY TUNED FOR MORE DETAILS!

# JOIN US!

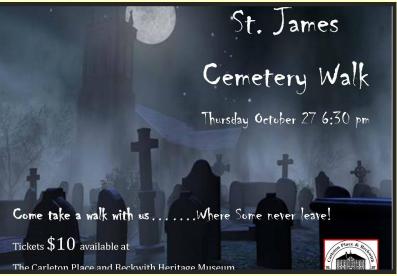


Join us on a dark and daring tour through **St. James Anglican Cemetery**! You'll hear about local history while meeting some of those buried here and learn about burial customs, brazen grave robbers and more!

**Tickets are \$10** at the Museum. Quantities are limited.

**WARNING:** this tour takes place on uneven ground in the dark. You are welcome to bring a small flashlight.

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