

Around downtown Georgetown

Take a historic walk Sunday

For those wanting a refresher course on their hometown, local historian Mark Rowe will be leading a walking tour on Sunday, July 28.

The one-hour tour will begin 1 p.m. from Knox Church on Main St. and through some of the park district and end at the library about 2 p.m.

Some of the questions he will answer include:

- Where was the first Roman Catholic Church?
- Where in Georgetown was the Esquesing Fall fair held for 13 years?
- Who was Edith Dade?
- What downtown building was designed by Edward Lennox, who designed the original High School, Casa Loma and Toronto Old City Hall?
- Where was Lawson's Pond?
- What is the connection between Georgetown and the Silver Cross Mother on Remembrance Day?
- Where are the Esquesing Historical Society Archives?
- What Georgetown businessman had four children between the age of



MARK ROWE

61 and 71?

- Where was Georgetown's first market?
- What was Georgetown's first bank? Do you know its successor is still in operation.
- Where were the Georgetown Municipal Offices in 1943?

Participants can also see the high school pictures on display at the library afterwards as well as visit the new History Room

that was sponsored by Homecoming 2007. After that, refreshments will be served at the old armoury for some lemonade and a tour of the renovations done by Globe Musical Productions.

"Lots of walking—bring your good shoes and a hat," Rowe suggested.

Mark Rowe's books on local history are available at Indigo Spirit in the Georgetown Market Place Mall and Reeve & Clarke Books in Glen Williams.

The EHS website with lots of local information is www.esquesinghistoricalsociety.ca

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