

## For Your Information

### Provincial Calendar of Events, 2002

Jan. 14, 2002 – Board Meeting  
Jan. 15, 2002 – Open Annual Meeting  
Feb. 19 - Board Teleconference  
Feb. 27 - Birthday Tea, Hoodless Homestead  
Mar. 18-20 - Board Meeting  
May 7 - Board Teleconference  
June 12-14 – Board Meeting  
June 23 - Spring & Summer Event, Hoodless Homestead  
Aug. 12-14 – Board Meeting  
Sept. 17 - Board Teleconference  
Sept. 29 - Harvest Tea, Hoodless Homestead  
Nov. 25-27 – Board Meeting  
Dec. 1 - Christmas Open House, Hoodless Homestead

For more information on the Erland Lee (Museum) Home events call 905-662-2691.

Call the Adelaide Hunter Hoodless Homestead at 519-448-1130 for more details.

### ACWW Conference 2001 Audio Tapes Available

There are five sets of audio tapes available for sale of the ACWW 2001 Conference. The tapes highlight the Opening Ceremonies, President Hilda Stewart and the six keynote and theme speakers. The tapes are professionally done by the Hamilton Place staff. The cost of the tapes is \$15 if picked up from the FWIO Provincial Office and \$22 if mailed.

### Video of Peace Bridge Ceremony

The Niagara District is offering a video of the June 19 Peace Bridge Ceremony celebrating the 1936 Pilgrimage of Friendship, the life of Madge Watt and the rededication of the long lost Peace Bridge plaque. The tape is 1 1/4 hours in length. The cost is \$12, plus postage, handling and taxes. Contact Marion Egerter, 2020 Egerter Rd., RR 1, Fonthill ON L0S 1E6, or email her at [egerter@sympatico.ca](mailto:egerter@sympatico.ca)

(905) 892-2808

### Hospitality Homes

Planning a vacation? Remember, Hospitality Homes in Ontario are open to all WI members and their traveling companions for \$10 per night per person. To obtain a list of the Homes, send three 48¢ stamps to Gillian Catto, Hospitality Homes Coordinator, at Box 16, Site 14, RR 1, Whitefish ON P0M 3E0, Ph.: 705-866-0253.

### 2002 Annual Events at the Lee Home

**Mar. 18-May 19 - Stoney Creek and the Iron Horse:** Model railroading returns to the Museum for March Break. The 2002 railroad display focuses on Hamilton, Grimsby and Beamsville Electric Railway's operations in Stoney Creek and Winona circa 1910. Children's crafts will be available during March Break. Admission - \$4.

**Apr. 6 - Lee's Own Maple Syrup Day:** Taste Stoney Creek's own maple syrup with a historical display and a pancake breakfast, featuring maple syrup from the heritage sugar bush. Also, guest appearance by Canada's Grey Cup Trophy. Admission - \$4 to \$7.

**May 19 - Queen Victoria's Birthday Celebration:** The annual celebration for the reigning monarch in Erland Lee's day features complimentary refreshments, lawn games, kid's crafts and more. A patriotic party in a British Ontario time period. Admission - \$4.

**Sept. (Date TBA) - Harvest Luncheon and Antique Appraisal:** Come have your family heirloom examined by the Museum's professional appraisers, while you enjoy a buffet lunch in a delightful heritage setting. Fundraising lunch ticket holders may have a verbal appraisal done while they eat. Museum tour included.

Admission - \$10-\$12, Optional Antique Appraisal - \$5 extra.

**Oct. 1-31 - 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Local Artist Show and Sale:** The carriage house of the Erland Lee Museum again hosts a showcase for local artistic talent from across south eastern Ontario. All varieties of artwork are on display during regular business hours (Tues.-Sat., 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., Sun., 1 - 5 p.m.). Over 100 works by more than 30 artists are featured for sale. Regular Museum Admission - \$3.

**Dec. 3-22 - A Victorian Country Christmas in the City:** The Erland Lee Home will be decorated in the Victorian Christmas tradition, while the 1873 carriage house features modern floral arrangements and children's activities. In the evening, the grounds will be illuminated with sparkling Christmas light of today. The Museum has special evenings scheduled for bus tours. Complimentary refreshments. Admission - \$4.

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## FWIO Provincial Conference in 2002 – "Come Forth to the North"

**Where:** Sault College, Sault Ste. Marie

**When:** Friday, June 14 – Sunday, June 16

**"Early Bird" Registration Deadline:** January 31, 2002

**Final Date to Register:** March 31, 2002

**Conference Theme:** "Communications"

Subdivision 24 – Algoma Center, Algoma East and Algoma North Shore Districts – are hosting the 2002 FWIO Provincial Conference. A Registration Form has been mailed to your Branch Secretary. Please copy the forms, and don't miss the January 31, 2002, "early bird" registration deadline. All registrations must be received by the end of January to be entered into the "early bird" draw. The prize – a registration refund to be drawn at the Conference. Registration Forms are also available from the Provincial Office.

Registration options and costs are detailed on the Registration Form. Make cheques payable to FWIO and return them to the Provincial Office. The Conference program includes keynote speakers on conflict resolution, public speaking and marketing the Women's Institute. And choose from a variety of workshops:

- Public Speaking
- Computer Beginner
- Computer Intermediate
- Basket Making
- Swedish Weaving
- Creative Memories
- Garden Stone Demonstration
- Alternative Medicine
- Financial Planning
- Massage Therapy

*See you there!*

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