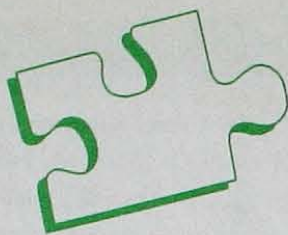


Will we have all the pieces?



The Archives Association of Ontario (AAO) is sponsoring Archives Awareness Day beginning on Monday April 6, 1998. Ontario possesses a rich documentary heritage of which we should all be proud. This heritage, however, needs to be protected. The AAO acts as the voice of archives in the province. Our members throughout Ontario are committed to the acquisition, preservation and availability of archival records.

All Ontarions benefit from the existence of archives. Beyond important uses for historical and geneological research, archives exist to document and protect individual and collective rights for all Ontarions. They exist to provide evidence of past transactions and to protect the integrity of records for current and future generations.

Archives and archivists need your support. One of the goals of the AAO is to build and enhance a truly provincial network of archives. To do so we need to raise awareness about archival concerns and to build partnerships in communities throughout Ontario, communities like yours. The landscape of our province is

changing rapidly as we witness the amalgamation of hospitals, school boards and municipalities. What options exist for these records in your community?

On April 6, help us celebrate the important role that archives and archivists play in our collective well being. By advocating archives, you can help us provide an answer to the question that is the theme of our campaign: Will we have all the pieces?

For a package of promotional materials and general activities regarding Archives Awareness Day, call the AAO office at (905)792-1173. For specific information about archives in Ontario and what you can do to help, feel free to contact the AAO's Archives Advisor: Brian Masschaele, AAO Archives Advisor, 395 Wellington Rd., Box 25172, London ON N6C 6A9, Phone:(519)858-0787, Fax:(519)858-0682.

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Order your information package today. Find out what options exist for records in your community. Be aware and plan to participate in Archives Awareness Day next year.

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Your local records need to be preserved to ensure that our rich documentary history is available for the future.

April 6 Archives Awareness Day

Support and promote archives

For more information call: (905) 792-1173
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