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UPCOMING EVENTS

HORSE LOGGING IN SOUTHERN ONTARIO



Join us at the archives (at the library) for Joan Hug-Valeriotte's documentary about selective logging on a small woodlot in Puslinch. Because of the steepness of the terrain in this woodlot, Greg Parker and his team of Belgians were used to harvest the logs, and this minimized damage to the land. This documentary evokes earlier times in Puslinch. Tuesday October 1 - 7 pm.

Larry Cotton, author of "Whiskey and Wickedness-Wellington & Grey" will entertain us with lore about taverns, whiskey and wickedness in pioneer times. His book will be available for purchase. Tuesday November 12 - 7 pm.

Coming up in the New Year - Dr. Elizabeth Richie, University of the Highlands in Scotland, discusses the experiences of a Scottish pioneer woman in Upper Canada.

SAVE YOUR ZEHR'S TAPES - Every little bit helps.

The society is run by volunteers but there are always expenses to meet. We'd appreciate your donations.

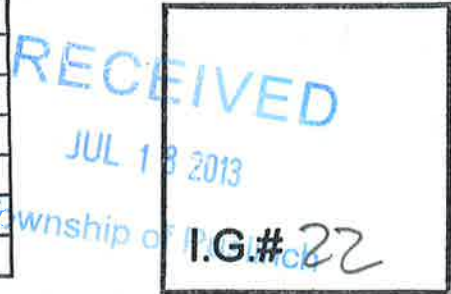
The archives are open on Saturdays: 10-4, or call B. Ferguson 519-658-9437 or email: ferguson@on.in.ca for an appointment.



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July 10, 2013

Dear Friend in Conservation,

We are pleased to announce that on July 4, 2013, the Board of Director's of the Hamilton Conservation Authority (HCA) approved the attached Hamilton Conservation Authority Strategic Plan 2014-2018.

The Hamilton Conservation Authority Strategic Plan 2014-2018 has been developed as a concise document that provides specific goals and objectives for the next 5 years as priorities for the HCA. There are 5 Strategic Goals entitled Water Management, Natural Heritage Conservation, Conservation Area Experience, Education and Environmental Awareness and Organizational Excellence. Each Goal has specific objectives noted and at the end of each section a listing of programs and initiatives is provided to highlight examples of how the objectives can be addressed. Implementation of the Strategic Plan will be through departmental work plans including associated costs and financial implications for the applicable goals and objectives.

The Strategic Plan is a priority document that will guide the HCA over the next 5 years. It has been developed through an extensive public consultation process and with input from staff, Board members and our partner organizations.

We look forward to implementing the Strategic Plan over the next 5 years for the betterment of the environment and our communities through our programs and initiatives and through working with and fostering relationships with our watershed municipalities, residents, landowners, businesses, First Nations, agencies, academic institutions and the agricultural community.

Should you have any questions, please contact the undersigned at (905)648-4427, ext 110 or contact Scott Peck, Director, Watershed Planning & Engineering at (905)648-4427, ext 130 or at tspeck@conservationhamilton.ca.

Yours in Conservation,

Chris Firth-Eagland,
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