



Heritage Happenings

Watrous-Manitou Beach Heritage Centre

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Member Newsletter

September 2021

This newsletter will be periodic in nature, designed to keep all of the members apprised of happenings at the Centre.

The Heritage Centre had a busy summer! Regular hours were Thursday/Friday/Saturday from 1-5pm, or by appointment, or by accident (that is if a volunteer is working there anyway and set out the open sign). A few groups booked appointments. They were so appreciative. A big thanks to the volunteers who have hosted these. Winter hours will be Fri/Sat, 1-5pm.

Work has continued behind the closed doors. Of special note is the new website www.watrousheritage.ca

A new logo was created by Jennifer Bergen. It is modern and refreshed, with new colors and design....and includes the whole name of the Centre (which the former one did not).

Board members: Lionel Sproule, Kathy Bergen, Chris Moffat, Karen Schroeder Mark, Sue Alcock, Joanne Kowalski, Daryl Nedjelski, Janice Siegfried.

New board members: Karen Siegfried, David Schleich, Taylor Engele (Town rep)

Host volunteers: Janice Siegfried, Lilliann Milligan, Gwen Deneiko, David Schleich, Dan & Carol McIntosh, Patti Frey, Sue Alcock, Joan Hanson.

Archive volunteers: Gary Bergen, Patti Wasylciw, Marilyn Cannon, Sue Alcock, Doreen Rudneski, Ruth Kornelsen, Kathy Bergen, Janice Siegfried, Lillian Milligan.

Exhibits

A major exhibit, completed over the winter of 2020/21, was that of the Manitou Beach Timeline. This project has been in the works for a few years. A comprehensive historical timeline was fleshed out by Sue Alcock, with recent help from Patti Wasylciw. From this document, a Timeline Wall was created. Each decade is featured with photos and text. Construction of the Timeline was completed by Gary & Kathy Bergen and Patti Wasylciw.



JOIN THE GAME!!

CHASE THE ACE IS BACK

Planning for a new Chase the Ace game began in the spring of 2021. It was decided to do an online game, in light of the uncertainty of re-opening at that time. Tickets can be purchased online through the website. Once an online ticket(s) has been purchased, there is an option to sign up for a subscription. This enables an automatic weekly entry without having to login each week, until the Ace is drawn. Also, for those only interested in cash sales, tickets can be purchased in person at TBs Bar & Grill each week on Fridays, 5-7:30 pm with the draw at 8pm. Cash purchases can also be made at the Heritage Centre on Fridays from 1-4 pm. Remember, 50% of all ticket sales goes to the Heritage Centre!



WINNER DRAWN EVERY FRIDAY!
July 23/2021 - July 1/2022

Tickets
1/\$10
20/\$25
or
100/\$50

DON'T FORGET TO PURCHASE YOUR WATROUS MANITOU BEACH HERITAGE CENTRE CHASE THE ACE TICKETS!
Friday @ 8:00^{PM}
TB's Bar & Grill
102 Main St., Watrous
Online Purchase at www.watrousheritage.ca

For more info...
wmhChaseTheAce@sasktel.net

Maximum Prize value: **\$1,355,000**
Total Number of Tickets: **3,500,000**

Social!  
Licence LR21-0029

Tickets available at 306.946.1177 • Saturdays 1pm - 4pm
Tickets may be purchased or sold only within Saskatchewan.
Buyers must be 19 years or older. Don't have to be present to win.

The Watrous Manitou has been a huge supporter of the Heritage Centre. Daniel Bushman and his staff have located photos from past issues for us. They have lent past issues out for us to do research and given us space in current issues for articles and updates. TWM receives bound copies of the newspapers for a given year from their publisher, and Daniel has donated a copy for the Heritage Centre archives. Thank you!!



The former courtroom in the Heritage Centre has been transformed with paint, flooring, lighting, and art hanging systems. The space is a great place for visiting exhibits or meetings and workshops. The steam models of Orin McIntosh are currently on display there. Big thanks go to Dan McIntosh for transporting these from the house to the Centre to be exhibited for a few months. The Centre will develop a permanent home for the models. Also on display is art by local artists.



Time to renew!

Because of Covid slowdowns and lockdowns, membership fees were waived for the last two years. The time windows for visiting the Centre and holding 'member only' events were limited.

It is the hope of the board that members will renew for the 2022 year, and that the year will hold opportunities to get acquainted and caught up, both with each other, and with what the Centre holds. A yearly membership is \$25. It can be paid at the Centre during open hours or by mail (Box 735, Watrous, SK). Questions can be directed to our email watrousheritage@sasktel.net. Thank you for your continued support!