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Museum of Ontario Archaeology



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Fall /Winter Speaker Series!

The Museum of Ontario Archaeology & the London Chapter of the Ontario Archaeological Society present our speaker series on the second Thursday of each month Oct to May.

October 13- Dr. Robert Pearce
8:00 PM-Museum of Ontario Archaeology
Free Admission and parking



Dr. Pearce will present a talk on his discovery of a pioneer homestead, the Samuel Bowman Site AfHa-568, occupied from 1850 to 1890, the surface collection of over 900 artifacts from the site, and a wealth of historical data about the family who lived there.



6:30 PM Speaker Night
Spaghetti Dinner \$10.00

Join the group for dinner, share some stories and be ready for the speaker series at 8:00

Includes spaghetti, salad, roll and a drink

Pre-orders required by Tuesday Sept 11

Call 519-473-1360 or email

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Native Harvest Festival & Traditional Pow Wow

A great success....attended by about 3400 visitors who enjoyed dance, food, art, crafts and drumming. We learned about & gained appreciation for the Aboriginal culture. Special thanks to our MCs Gordon Nicotine Sands & Dennis Whiteye. Thank you to our generous funders for enabling us to present this event and thanks to you who came out and stayed to celebrate with us!

Funded by: London Heritage Council, Ontario Arts Council, TD, Ministry of Ontario Tourism, and Canadian Heritage.

Selections from our Collection

by Dr. Robert Pearce

Remembering William Wilfrid Jury 1890-1981

This month marks the 30th anniversary of the death of our founder Wilf Jury, who died in London on October 8, 1981. We believe this photograph is one of the last taken of Wilf, at the sod-turning ceremony for the construction of our current home, the Lawson-Jury Building, on Friday September 26, 1980. An article from the Western News commented that "Dr. Jury, Honorary Curator and Founding Honorary Director of the Museum, decided to use his own shovel because **It has turned up a good many relics in it's time**" [Photo by former Museum graphic artist Robert G. Mayer.]



Exhibitions

"The Pow Wow: It's Historical & Cultural Relevance" in the Feature Gallery until November 20th.

"Lost collections of the Ancient World-How Roman Britain and Ur came to Ontario" now in the Main Gallery.

"Gathering of the Clans"

Showcasing three aboriginal artists - opens Nov 27
 Amanda Aikens, Leland Bell and Ferguson Plain

"Christmas in a Longhouse"

Native Art & Craft Sale
 craft vendors
 penny sale
 Three Sisters Soup Café
"Gathering of the Clans" opening-meet the artists
 children's activities
 regular admission \$5.00
 \$4.00 Senior, \$3.00 child

Sunday November 27
Plan to attend!

Saturday Dec 3 9-4:30

Moccasin Making Workshop with Marjorie Henhawk
\$70.00 includes all day workshop and all materials except fleece lining
 Call to sign up-519-473-1360
 prepaid registration
 adults or teens

Next Sweat Lodge Oct 11

