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SEPTEMBER 2012

Tuesday, September 25 7:30 PM Free Program FORT CALGARY, Burnswest Theatre 750-9th Avenue SE

The Story of the Immigration of the Germans from Russia to Canada

Anne Stang

The Germans from Russia are somewhat unusual in that it took more than one migration to get here. Anne will give an overview why the Germans went to Russia, their reasons for leaving and their place in Canada. Anne Stang is the local president of the Calgary Chapter of the American Historical Society of Germans from Russia.

OCTOBER 2012

Tuesday, October 23 7:30 PM Free Program FORT CALGARY, Burnswest Theatre 750-9th Avenue SE

The Centennial of the Alberta Federation of Labour

Winston Gereluk

On June 26, 2012 the Alberta Federation of Labour (AFL) turned 100 years old and it is celebrating by partnering with the Alberta Labour History Institute to make education about our Labour history a vital part of the festivities. The result of this partnership is Project 2012, a five year initiative which consists of twelve components, all revealing a rich and colourful labour history and a tradition of industrial organization and action that is still benefiting Albertans. Winston Gereluk of the AFL will talk about the exciting community projects and events. He is a very dynamic speaker and has concentrated on the areas of research, education and public relations in the AFL.

NOVEMBER 2012

Tuesday, November 27 7:30 PM Free Program FORT CALGARY, Burnswest Theatre 750-9th Avenue SE

Art Inspired by the Canadian Rockies, Purcell Mountains and Selkirk Mountains 1809-2012

Nancy Townshend, MA

Join Nancy Townshend for her presentation and her book on works of art over the last two hundred years by artists who distilled their experiences in these great mountains. From the art by explorer David Thompson, CPR artists, Byron Harmon, and Lawren Harris, Peter and Catharine Whyte of the Modern era, Nancy spans this art right up to contemporary artists who call attention to global warming and conservation issues. *Art Inspired by the Canadian Rockies, Purcell Mountains and Selkirk Mountains* 1809-2012 will be published by Bayeux Arts during the fall of 2012.



Craig Richards, Giant Steps (1981), silver gelatin print

DECEMBER 2012

Saturday, December 8 Tickets Required (Amount to be confirmed at a later date) Dining Room, Fort Calgary Historic Park 750-9th Avenue SE

CCHS Christmas Luncheon Begins at 10:30 AM

The Music of Christmas Past Scarboro United Church Choir Liz Paynter, Choir Director

JANUARY 2013

Tuesday, January 29 7:30 PM Free Program FORT CALGARY, Burnswest Theatre 750-9th Avenue SE

Derailed Development: Calgary and the CPR 1962-64

Max Foran

Join Max Foran for a lively talk based on his new book *Development Derailed: Calgary and the CPR 1962-64*. The story began with a proposed multimillion dollar development project on a piece of CPR reserve land in the heart of downtown Calgary. The plan was met with rapture by the political and business leaders of the day. The scope of the plan grew to include a proposal of rerouting or removing the railway tracks from the downtown area and reshaping much of Calgary's urban core. What could have derailed such a grand scheme?

FEBRUARY 2013

Tuesday, February 26 7:30 PM Free Program FORT CALGARY, Burnswest Theatre 750-9th Avenue SE

The History of the Calgary Local Council of Women

Marjorie Norris

Author Marjorie Norris recounts the fascinating story of the Calgary Local Council of Women – a lobby organization which addressed social and political issues of the day. It helped to shape the face of Calgary. She also reveals the unknown contribution of Canada's nursing sisters during World War 1. The wartime service of Calgary's Captain H.W. McGill, Medical Officer is examined. She was awarded the Queen Elizabeth Silver Jubilee medal by the National Council of Women in 1977.

MARCH 2013

Tuesday, March 26 Tickets Required (Location and time of Dinner to be confirmed at a later date.)

CCHS Annual General Meeting

Calgary's Mosquito Aircraft Story

Richard de Boer, President Calgary Mosquito Aircraft Society

APRIL 2013

Tuesday, April 23 7:30 PM Free Program FORT CALGARY, Burnswest Theatre 750-9th Avenue SE

Armchair Neighbourhood Exploration

David Peyto

Want inspiration before you go on that walk you have been meaning to take? From the comfort of a Fort Calgary armchair, David Peyto's neighbourhood travel log will inspire you to get out your walking shoes. Learn about sidewalk stamps, numerous lions, some lesser known works of art and much more, just in time for planning your own Calgary springtime urban hiking adventures.

MAY 2013

Tuesday, May 28 7:30 PM Free Program FORT CALGARY, Burnswest Theatre 750-9th Avenue SE

Banff's Cave and Basin – Adaptive Re-use

Meg Stanley and Steve Malins

Banff's Cave and Basin National Historic Site is slated for re-opening in 2013. Meg and Steve will take us on a journey through the history of the site, its national significance, and update the renewal project and the management plan for this special place. This is an opportunity to get reacquainted with the past and learn about the future of the birthplace of Canada's national parks.

CHINOOK COUNTRY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Organized in 1958 and incorporated in 1993, the Chinook Country Historical Society (CCHS) covers the region from Olds to Nanton and from the BC border to the Saskatchewan border. Each year from September to May, the CCHS presents an exciting monthly series of historical lectures and special events. In addition, the Society's Historic Calgary Week celebrates the city's past with walks, talks, hikes and tours of many points of interest for (11) days beginning in late July. All CCHS programs are open to the general public and are free of charge with the exception of certain special events.

The CCHS is a chapter of the Historical Society of Alberta, established in 1907 by an act of the Alberta Legislature to encourage the study and preservation of Canadian and Alberta History.

MEMBERSHIP ADVANTAGES

Membership in the CCHS includes a membership in the Historical Society of Alberta, discounts on ticket prices for our special events, the CCHS newsletter, and the History Now newsletter of the HSA, which covers history across the province. The glossy magazine Alberta History is also available to members at a reasonable subscription rate.

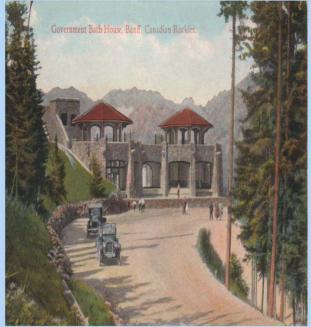
<u>CCHS MISSION STATEMENT:</u> To promote a greater understanding of Canadian and Albertan history in Chinook Country for people of all ages.

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VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Interested in local history? We need your help in many areas. Please contact CCHS at 403-261-4667.

HISTORIC CALGARY WEEK

Historic Calgary Week has been an annual event since 1991 and is generally held the last week of July and the first week of August. Watch for upcoming information on the CCHS website and in our newsletter, or call the CCHS office for more information.

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