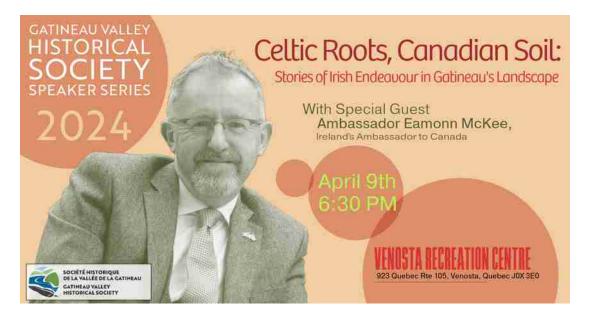


Ambassador Eamonn McKee, Ireland's Ambassador to Canada

Tuesday, April 9, 2024 6:30 pm - doors open at 5:45 pm



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Saturday, June 1, 2024

Bus to Kitigan Zibi Pow Wow

Join the Gatineau Valley Historical Society and the Historical Society of Ottawa on Saturday, June 1, as we travel by school bus to Maniwaki to experience Kitigan Zibi's annual Pow Wow.

Cost: \$35 - payable in advance - etransfer or PayPal - Sorry, no refunds.

Departure: 11:00 am - Chelsea Elementary School, 74 ch Old Chelsea Road, stopping at the Centre Wakefield-La Pêche, 38 ch. de la Vallée de Wakefield at 11:20 a.m.

Returning: 4:00 pm from Kitigan Zibi, with similar stops in Wakefield and Old Chelsea.



Contact Louise Schwartz - <u>schwartzla@rogers.com</u> or 613-762-1429 before May, 26, 2024

Coming in June

Launch of the 50th anniversary edition of *Up the Gatineau!*

Celebrate the Irish in Canada

Virtual Exhibit: The Irish Language in Canada

Explore Canada's hidden Irish language treasures in the virtual exhibition, Na Gaeil san Áit Ró-Fhuar



Authored by Dónall Ó Dubhghaill, head of the North American Gaeltacht (Irish-speaking community).

AGM Highlights

Click above to see the slide show and reports from the 2024 AGM.

We welcomed two new Board members - Tina Therrien & Saara Mortensen and said goodbye to Linda Payne Bardell, who has been a Board member for 15 years & is the coordinator of our photo inventory.



Chelsea Library downstairs

Monday 10-12 Wednesday 1:30-3:30 or by appointment info@gvhs.ca

Board of Directors

President Gilbert Whiteduck

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We introduced a new logo designed by Chelsea artist, Tracy Carefoot.



New Members

Susan Turner, Chelsea QC

Directors
Cindy Duncan McMillan
Della Lacharity
Saara Mortensen
Erik Rask
Louise Schwartz
Tina Therrien

Past President Marc Cockburn