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Oct. 2019 MUSEUM NEWSLETTER

Another lucky winner for the Museum 50/50 tickets sold at the last Artisan Market Sept. 14, 2019 was Donna Ouelette and she has donated her winnings back to the Museum. Thank you Donna for your generosity.

We wish to acknowledge and thank the Artisan Market Board for using the Museum grounds this summer as it generated more interest in the museum. Wishing you success for another season in 2020.

SPECIAL VISITORS TO THE MUSEUM

September 18th – “The Grade 7 and 8 students from the Elementary School made a visit to the Museum with their teacher, Mrs. V. Purpose of the visit was to check out the Museum as is and complete the first objectives of Lesson Plan One, the history of "Cranberry Carrying Place" and the Cree Nation people that have used it for a great number centuries. They were a super class and I very much look forward to their returning for the lessons 2 and 3 re the history of Cranberry Portage. Thank you Mrs. V for your support of the Museum. It is greatly appreciated.” Curator Mary-Ann Playford.

September 26th the Governor General, Her Excellency, The Right Honorable Julie Payette toured the Museum. “ We were privileged to have her honor the, Governor General Julie Payette visit our Museum. She was a most interesting and easy person to talk with. She was impressed with the early history of the "Cranberry Carrying Place" and those items related to those pre-history days. The Mural, the Trapper's Cabin and organization of all the rooms was remarked upon. At the end of the visit and at her request Mabel Brewer and I sat on the bench with her outside the Museum while the accompanying photographer took a photo of us chatting "as if we were waiting for the train". An awesome and always to be remembered guest to have visited our Museum. Curator Mary-Ann Playford



September 26th - After the Elementary School Assembly and entertainment a luncheon for the Lieutenant Governor, Her Honor Janice Filmon and the Honorable Gary Filmon was held in the Elementary School Gym. The museum was honored to be asked to facilitate the luncheon which was prepared by Sandra Buchberger & her husband Bill. Menu -Bannock, Chicken Wild Rice Soup, Beef Barley Soup, Cheese & Pickles, Egg Salad & Maple Ham Bunwiches, Wild Rice Salad, Spinach/Strawberry/Pecan Salad. Mabel Brewer provided the desserts, Wild Blueberry Crumble and Wild Cranberry Cake with whip cream & Cranberry Sauce. Helpers in the kitchen were Susan Fullerton , Carol Despins and Patty Klimchuk. Thank you everyone who helped.



The museum is now closed for the season but we are happy to open it for viewing if you contact one of the directors listed below. If you haven't renewed your membership please do so now.

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