



Media Release

Lang Pioneer Village Museum
The Corporation of the County of Peterborough



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2017 Event Schedule

**21st Annual Father's Day
Smoke & Steam Show**
Sunday, June 18

Historic Dominion Day
Saturday, July 1

**21st Annual Transportation
Day Car & Motorcycle Show**
Sunday, July 9

Applefest
Sunday, September 10

**Traditional County Fair
Celebrating Canada 150+**
Sunday, September 24

Historic All Hallows' Eve
Fri & Sat, October 27 & 28

Christmas by Candlelight
Sat & Sun, December 2 & 3

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21st Annual Father's Day Smoke & Steam Show

Sunday, June 18 ~ 10 am to 4 pm

Lang, ON- Celebrating 50 years, Lang Pioneer Village Museum's 2017 event season kicks-off this Sunday with the 21st Annual Father's Day Smoke & Steam Show. From 10 am to 4 pm, bring Dad out for a Father's Day filled with tractors and power equipment that is sure to be fun for the whole family!

Watch as local collectors bring to life some of the oldest antique tractors and steam engines around as they compete for over 20 awards including Best Unique Exhibit, Best Display and Lang Pioneer Village's Choice Award. The tractor games, including lawn tractor races, begin at 12 noon. Watch as tractors try to balance on a tilted platform as fast as possible or maneuver through an obstacle course while balancing a tin can on a stick. View displays of smoke and steam collectibles, hit and miss engines, antique tool collections and more. Also on-site that day will be the world's largest pencil sharpener! We're not in the Guinness Book of World Records yet, but we think we could be. Receive a free Lang Pioneer Village 50th Anniversary pencil and see how fine a point you can get on it using the gigantic sharpener.

Throughout the Village, learn about the many ways power was generated in the 1800s. See the Shingle Mill in full operation powered by antique engines. Have you ever wanted to be a steam engine operator? Now's your chance! Purchase tickets for an opportunity to help run the Sawyer-Massey Steam Engine at our Applefest event on September 10. The draw takes place on September 5. Discover the power of air and heat at the Blacksmith Shop. Learn about steam and horse power at the South Lake School House where kids can also make their own paper train craft to take home with them. Tour the Village by tractor and wagon ride. See broad axe hand-hewing demonstrations and natural dyeing demonstrations. Sample Strawberry-Rhubarb Delight at the Milburn House and dandelion root coffee at the Fitzpatrick House. Enjoy music by Lotus Wight & Friends on the Village Green. From 11 am to 3 pm, learn about the four sacred medicines and their uses at the Aabnaabin Camp and make your own sage bundle.

The day will conclude with a huge tractor parade through the Village beginning at 3:15 pm.

Come see the largest show of its kind in the Kawarthas during the 21st Annual Father's Day Smoke & Steam Show, this Sunday from 10 am to 4 pm at Lang Pioneer Village Museum! Admission is \$10 for adults, \$9 for students and seniors, \$6 for youths (ages 5-14), free for children under 5. Family admission is also available for \$30 and includes 2 adults and 4 youths. All taxes included. For more information on our 50th season, please visit our website at www.langpioneervillage.ca.