



Media Release

Lang Pioneer Village Museum
The Corporation of the County of Peterborough



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2022 Event Schedule

**25th Annual Father's Day
Smoke & Steam Show**
Sunday, June 19

**25th Annual Transportation
Day Car & Motorcycle Show**
Sunday, July 10

**"Tying the Knot" – Early
Wedding Traditions**
Sunday, August 14

Village by Lantern Light
Fri & Sat, September 16 & 17

Applefest
Sunday, October 2

Historic All Hallows' Eve
Fri & Sat, October 28 & 29

**Christmas Bazaar at the
Peterborough County
Agricultural Heritage
Building**
Saturday, November 19

Christmas by Candlelight
Sat & Sun, December 3 & 4

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Lang Pioneer Village Museum's 55th Season Begins May 24

Lang, ON – Lang Pioneer Village Museum will be opening for its 55th season in just one week on Tuesday, May 24. The Village's spring hours are Monday to Friday from 10 am to 3 pm until June 17. Kicking off both the Museum's summer hours and special event season is the annual Father's Day Smoke & Steam Show on Sunday, June 19.

Following two years of altered programming due to covid, Lang Pioneer Village Museum is pleased to be resuming regular programming as the 2022 season launches. The Village will once again be filled with costumed interpreters who will demonstrate the trades and pastimes of local settlers and First Nations in the 1800s, and farm animals will return to pastures and pens.

The Museum's 2022 season will also see the return of many popular special events including the Father's Day Smoke & Steam Show, the Transportation Day Car & Motorcycle Show, Village by Lanternlight, Applefest, Historic All Hallows' Eve and Christmas by Candlelight. The launch of a new event, "Tying the Knot" – Early Wedding Traditions, which has been delayed due to covid, will take place this August. This event will focus on 19th-century wedding traditions and how they have shaped practices of today.

Also launching this season is the Museum's new permanent exhibit, *Aabnaabin: Looking Back to Where We Come From*. This exhibit serves as an orientation for visitors upon arrival to contextualize the settlement story and the major impacts that settlement had on the local Indigenous population.

"We are very much looking forward to welcoming our visitors back," says Museum Operations Manager, Elizabeth King. "It is exciting to return to living history programming – with live demonstrations, hands-on activities and people moving about in our buildings and roadways!"

Visitors may still purchase admission in advance via the Museum's online shop at <https://lang-pioneer-village-museum.myshopify.com/>, though it is not required. However, purchasing admission in advance for special events is strongly recommended to allow for faster processing upon arrival.

Join us as we make history happen this season at Lang Pioneer Village Museum! The Village is open 10 am to 3 pm weekdays from May 24 to June 17, and 10 am to 4 pm Wednesday to Sunday from Father's Day to Labour Day weekend. Admission is \$10 for adults, \$8 for students and seniors (60+), \$5 for youths (ages 5-14), free for children under 5. Family admission is also available for \$30 and includes 2 adults and up to 4 youths ages 5-14. Special event pricing varies. For more information, please visit www.langpioneervillage.ca.

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