## ANNUAL REPORT 2015



# THEMUSEUM IN 2015

2015 saw Museum London celebrate its 75th year, 35 of which have been at the Forks of the Thames.

Once again, we provided our community with an outstanding array of art exhibitions including *Divining the Immeasurable*, a retrospective look at sculptor Ed Zelenak's work since the mid-1960s. We produced a major publication for *Divining the Immeasurable* as well as for *Gather...Arrange...Maintain*, a coproduction with the Kitchener-Waterloo Art Gallery, which was a thirty-year survey exhibition of the work of the Canadian artist Jane Buyer.

Other exhibitions included the contemporary First Nations exhibition Reading the Talk, Food-Water-Life featuring the work of Lucy and Jorge Orta, and a look at the history of artistic production in London with a series of exhibitions that featured the work of the Peel family, the Griffith Brothers, and William Lees Judson. This past year elementary and secondary students in the Thames Valley District School Board and London District Catholic School Board participated in an exhibition entitled The Art of Nature. The exhibition showed the talent of the next generation of artists and their respect for the environment and social issues.

A number of our exhibitions from 2014 also hit the road and opened in galleries across Ontario this past year. Kim Adams: One for the Road was on exhibition at the Varley Art Gallery of Markham and the Art Gallery of Hamilton, and Kim Ondaatje opened at the Agnes Etherington Art Centre in Kingston.

Our history exhibitions included Souterraine Impressions, which featured

3D printed carvings by Canadian soldiers who were deployed to the battle of Vimy Ridge during the First World War as well as London's First World War, which explored how Londoners participated in the conflict and through an impressive lineup of programs such as wartime films and lectures. In 2015, our historical exhibitions became much more interactive with new hands-on activities in Nature London at 150, a look at this environmental organization, and Let's Eat!, developed after interviewing 23 Londoners from different cultures about their food customs.

All these exhibitions were complemented by an impressive schedule of artist talks, films, and projects on topics of interest to the community. Our partnership with London's literary festival WORDS continued, as well with our involvement in Nuit Blanche, Doors Open and Culture Days. Our downtown walking tours were a hit again this year, as was the Museum Underground's annual Halloween party, Fright Night.

We were pleased to provide exhibition tours and studio programs to more than 10,000 students though both the Thames Valley and the London District Catholic School boards. More than 150 students from Grades 5, 6 and 7 were chosen to participate in the Making Art Creating Community program, which included a series of workshops taught by artist and educator Brenda Collins, Outreach programming was also provided to more than 1,000 elementary students in 15 different disadvantaged schools. The same students enjoyed field trips in June, which included tours of our exhibitions and hands-on studio programs. For many of these students this was their first opportunity to experience arts and culture. The Museum is very fortunate to receive significant funding annually from the City of London, the Canada Council for the Arts, and the Ontario Arts Council, but our ability to provide engaging experiences is bolstered by the financial support we receive from the community.

Thanks go to Debra Majer and the volunteer committee who helped us organize an art auction to celebrate our 75th anniversary. Blank Canvas brought together works by more than 30 local and national artists and raised nearly \$30,000 for the Museum. We are especially grateful to the artists who donated their work to the event.

Museum London values the generosity of its donors who responded very positively throughout the past year. These individuals and organizations make it possible for us to preserve and tell the story of London and Londoners through art, artifacts, and programming.

Sincere thanks go out to all our active and committed volunteers—our tour guides, board and committee members, gift shop volunteers, and many others—who have done exceptional work to support the Museum this past year and throughout the Museum's history. Volunteers are the heart of the Museum and in 2015 we saw a massive increase in their support. More than 180 volunteers contributed 12,345 hours of service and we thank each of these volunteers for making the Museum a better place.

This year, our gift store, Muse, expanded its art rental program, adding 10 additional artists and launching a new website catalogue which showcases more than 250 works from 50 local artists. We also reached into the community through our partnership in Satellite Gallery, a collaborative exhibition space run by Museum London, Bealarts, Western University and Fanshawe College.

Our Centre at the Forks campaign, an initiative to develop a "learning centre" space that welcomes visitors and fulfills our mandate in new and exciting ways, began in 2015. Marilyn Campbell Davis joined us as Campaign Director to help us achieve this ambitious goal and consultations were held to help understand the unique role the new space can play in the community. With the many changes happening downtown and near the river, we are looking forward to being part of London's new cultural landscape.

Finally, two new staff members joined us in 2015 as we said goodbye to two others who retired after long careers with us. Becky Boughner retired after 31 years and Beverley Varley after 13 years with Museum London. Best wishes to Becky and Bev in their retirement and welcome to Krista Hamlin as Curatorial Assistant, Exhibitions and Collections, and Jamie Faye Ryan as Curatorial Assistant, Programming and Engagement.

2015 was a great year for Museum London and we look forward to even better things in 2016.

Brian Meehan Executive Director lan T. Dantzer Board Chair

## **EXHIBITIONS**

### HISTORICAL EXHIBITIONS

**Nature London at 150** December 20, 2014 to March 29, 2015

In Full Flower: Hand-Picked from the Collection January 17 to April 19, 2015

Get Cooking: Selections from the Collection April 18, 2015 to January 3, 2016

London's First World War May 16 to September 13, 2015 Let's Eat September 19, 2015 to January 17, 2016

#### **ART EXHIBITIONS**

Work & Perseverance: Paintings by Women Artists

November 8, 2014 to November 8, 2015

In the Air: Canadian Plein Air Painters September 27, 2014 to April 12, 2015

Nature's Handmade December 13, 2015 to April 5, 2015 The Art of Nature: A Student Exhibition January 10 to May 3, 2015

Ed Zelenak: Divining the Immeasurable May 2, to August 16, 2015

Acquired Tastes September 5, 2015 to January 24, 2016

Ron Benner: In Digestion September 12, 2015 to January 31, 2016

### **BORROWED EXHIBITIONS**

Jane Buyers: Gather... Arrange... Maintain... January 24 to April 19, 2015

**Souterraine Impressions** April 4 to September 7, 2015

**Reading the Talk** May 9 to August 30, 2015

Food-Water-Life – Lucy+Jorge Orta August 29 to December 6, 2015

#### **TOURING EXHIBITIONS**

#### Kim Ondaatje

Agnes Etherington Art Centre, November 29, 2014 to April 5, 2015

## Kim Adams: One for the Road

Thunder Bay Art Gallery, March 13 to May 24, 2015





#### Part-Time Offerings: Patrick Howlett

Text: Cassandra Getty, Robin Peck, Annie Cash 70 pages ISBN: 978-1-897215-49-4 \$20.00



#### Jane Buyers: Gather... Arrange...Maintain

Text: Shirley Madill, Crystal Mowry, Nancy Campbell, John Armstrong, 99 pages, with the Kitchener-Waterloo Art Gallery ISBN: 978-1-897215-50-0 \$35.00



#### Ed Zelenak: Divining the Immeasurable

Text: Lorenzo Buj, John Bentley Mays, Cassandra Getty, 79 pages ISBN: 978-1-897215-

50-0 \$35.00

# PERMANENT COLLECTION A R

#### **ART PURCHASES 2015**

Gerald Trottier

Abstract (#529), 1961
ink and brush on paper
Purchase, John H.
and Elizabeth Moore
Acquisition Fund

Gerald Trottier Streetcar Passengers (#877), 1946 linocut on board Purchase, John H. and Elizabeth Moore Acquisition Fund

William Lees Judson Untitled (Ontario Landscape), undated watercolour on paper Purchase, Volunteer Committee General Fund

Edna Taçon Mozart Sonata, 1941 collage with possible watercolour on paper Purchase, Volunteer Committee General Fund

Edna Taçon Interieur du café à Chartres, 1955 gouache and pastel on paper Purchase, Volunteer Committee General Fund

Robert Fones Whiz, 1997
casein on wood
Purchased with the
support of the Canada
Council for the Arts
Acquisition Grants
program and the John
H. and Elizabeth Moore
Acquisition Fund



Robert Fones
Hath no such glorye,
2011
oil on canvas
Purchased with the
support of the Canada
Council for the Arts
Acquisition Grants
program and the John
H. and Elizabeth Moore
Acquisition Fund

Susan Schüppli Stretch, 2008 multimedia installation Purchased with the support of the Canada Council for the Arts Acquisition Grants program and the John H. and Elizabeth Moore Acquisition Fund

Jane Buyers Inscriptions #9, 1999 black stoneware, powdered pigment, wax Purchase, John H. and Elizabeth Moore Acquisition Fund

Jane Buyers Notes on Lady Macbeth, 2004 etching, lithograph, chine collé on paper Purchase, John H. and Elizabeth Moore Acquisition Fund

Kelly Jazvac Battle of Leisure, 2013 metal, salvaged vinyl, adhesive, fasteners, lamp components Purchased with the support of the Canada Council for the Arts Acquisition Grants program and the John H. and Elizabeth Moore Acquisition Fund

Caroline Farncomb
Untitled (still life of
pigeons), undated
oil on canvas
Purchase, Volunteer
Committee General
Fund

Patrick Thibert Axis #19, 1978 welded steel Purchase, John H. and Elizabeth Moore Acquisition Fund

#### **ART GIFTS 2015**

Gerald Trottier #255 Abstract, 1961 ink and brush on paper Gift of François Trottier, Deep River

Gerald Trottier #257 Abstract, 1961 ink and brush on paper Gift of François Trottier, Deep River

Gerald Trottier #312 Untitled, 1956 linoprint on paper Gift of Denise Trottier, Ottawa

Gerald Trottier #491 Abstract, undated linoprint on paper Gift of Denise Trottier, Ottawa

Jane Buyers

Material Culture #15-18,
2000
etching, chine collé on
paper
Gift of the Artist, Elmira

Patrick Thibert *Untitled,* 1975 painted steel Gift of the Artist, Mount Brydges Patrick Thibert Untitled, 1975 painted steel Gift of the Artist, Mount Brydges

Patrick Thibert Bullet, 1975 painted steel Gift of the Artist, Mount Brydges

Patrick Thibert Essex, 1975 painted steel Gift of the Artist, Mount Brydges

Patrick Thibert *Kent*, 1975 painted steel Gift of the Artist, Mount Brydges

Patrick Thibert Model for Axis #19, 1978 brass Gift of the Artist, Mount Brydges

Will Gorlitz Here We Stand, 1988 oil on canvas Gift of Roy L. Heenan, Montreal

Suzy Lake 2 chromogenic photographs for Petroushka's Dance with Abaddon, 2014 archival ink jet prints on paper for exhibition purposes Gift of Bob Yoshioka, Toronto

Stan Denniston
Emancipation
Proclamation, 1861,
2005/2007
C-print on Fuji Crystal
Archive paper
Gift of the artist,
Toronto



Sorel Etrog
Cradle Song, 1959
shaped panel with
applied relief
Gift of the Sorel Etrog
Estate, Toronto

Sorel Etrog

Composition in Blue,
1956-58
shaped panel with
applied relief
Gift of the Sorel Etrog
Estate, Toronto

Sorel Etrog **Bashota Study,** 1972 bronze Gift of the Sorel Etrog Estate, Toronto

Sorel Etrog
Celtic Figure Study, 1978
bronze
Gift of the Sorel Etrog
Estate, Toronto

Sorel Etrog Untitled, 1968-69 pastel and charcoal on paper Gift of the Sorel Etrog Estate, Toronto

Sorel Etrog Untitled, 1968-69 pastel and charcoal on paper Gift of the Sorel Etrog Estate, Toronto

Sorel Etrog
Nude I, 1965-66
charcoal and pastel on
paper
Gift of the Sorel Etrog
Estate, Toronto

Sorel Etrog
Nude II, 1965-66
charcoal and pastel on
paper
Gift of the Sorel Etrog
Estate, Toronto

Sorel Etrog Untitled, 1974-75 charcoal on paper Gift of the Sorel Etrog Estate, Toronto

Sorel Etrog Untitled, 1974-75 pastel and charcoal on paper Gift of the Sorel Etrog Estate, Toronto

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Sorel Etrog Climber, 1974-75 charcoal and pastel on paper Gift of the Sorel Etrog Estate, Toronto

Sorel Etrog Untitled, 1975 pastel on paper Gift of the Sorel Etrog Estate, Toronto

Sorel Etrog Untitled, 1975 pastel on paper Gift of the Sorel Etrog Estate, Toronto

Sorel Etrog Untitled, 1975 pastel on paper Gift of the Sorel Etrog Estate, Toronto Sorel Etrog Untitled, 1975 pastel on paper Gift of the Sorel Etrog Estate, Toronto

Sorel Etrog Untitled, 1974-75 ink, watercolour and oil on paper Gift of the Sorel Etrog Estate, Toronto

John Tamblyn
Waste Cones, undated
gelatin silver prints
Gift of Arlene Kennedy,
Tobermory

Kerry Ferris Cacti, circa 1990's watercolour on paper Gift of Arlene Kennedy, Tobermory

Shelley Niro 3 tinted black-andwhite photographs for *Chiquita, Bunny, Stella,* 2007 tinted photographs on archival paper for exhibition purposes Gift of the Artist, Brantford John Boyle Bird Feeding Station, circa 1968 acrylic on wood Donated in memory of Dr. Martin Robinson by his daughters Kristyan, Megan, Lisa, and Michele, London

Susan Schüppli Threats, 2011 chromogenic photographs Gift of the artist, London, England

William Cresswell Untitled, circa 1866 oil on canvas Gift of Christopher Varley, Toronto

Ron Kingswood takken-in-het bos, 2005 oil on canvas Gift of the Artist, Sparta

Wyn Geleynse A Persistent Problem, 1999/2015 digital projection from 16mm colour film, lithographed cardboard toy house, cardboard base, mica, ground glass, steel, aluminum Gift of David Merritt, London



## PERMANENT COLLECTION MATERIAL CULTURE

#### **MATERIAL CULTURE PURCHASES 2015**

PURCHASE. **VOLUNTEER FUND** Royal Canadians Red Jacket Guy Lombardo and his Royal Canadians metal sign Guy Lombardo 1978 Canadian Music Hall of Fame plaque London Street Sign: "Lombardo Ave."

MUSEUM LONDON **PURCHASE** Apron, Mies Bovoerts Mortar and Pestle National Rice Cooker Sears and Roebuck "Crock Watcher" Slow Cooker Panasonic Bread Maker McCormick's Biscuit Box Westinghouse Radio, c. 1938 Set of Silit Brand Saucepans, 1960s

#### **MATERIAL CULTURE GIFTS 2015**



GIFT OF MARVIN SIMNER, LONDON Hermes 2000 Typewriter, 1958

GIFT OF MS. LYNNE GRANT, DENFIELD **Undergarment (Onesie)** lace-trimmed and monogrammed Bloomers, monogrammed Monogrammed bed iacket Bed jacket Nightgown, button-up Blouse with lace and insets on the back Bib/Collar Black chiffon dress. sequined sleeves Black and pink chiffon dress Black chiffon and cream lace-lined blouse Black chiffon, lace-lined blouse Black button-up jacket Black skirt, blue-faced flowers

GIFT OF ANNE RONEY, LONDON Kellogg's Cornmeal, London ON, 100 lb sack, unsewn

**GIFT OF THOMAS** NORRY, LONDON 2 thermometers, 1 large, 1 small Otocscope/ Opthalmoscope Haemocytometer Micrometer Spinal syringe and needles Blood pressure cuff Pressure dial Mercury measuring device Stethoscope Laryngoscope Nasal speculum Syringe, small Slide cleaner Syringes, box Autoclave and storage

material

GIFT OF SOPHIE SKAITH, LONDON Photograph of Ms. Skaith, 1971

GIFT OF LORRAINE SHUTTLEWORTH, LONDON Afternoon or Evening Silk Cocktail Dress, 1951

GIFT OF MAUREEN WOOD, LONDON White Striped Hat, 1940-1950s Black Hat with Netting, 1940-1950s Red Faux Fur Hat, 1940-1950s Brown Net Hair Cover, 1940-1950s Net Scarf, 1940-1950s Pink Fascinator, 1940-Humphry's Hats Ltd. Hatbox, 1940-1950s

GIFT OF MELODY BALDWIN ANDERSON. LONDON Mary Killoran Mother of the Groom Gown, 1972

**GIFT OF KEITH** WILSON, LONDON Metric Conversion Chart, York Hotel, 1973

GIFT FROM THE **FAMILY OF THE** LATE ALLEN VYSE, **THAMESFORD** Kellogg's Carving, 1985 Commemorative Tin: Kellogg's All-Bran, 1984 Commemorative Tin: Toasted Corn Flakes, 1984 Commemorative Tin: W.K. Kellogg, 1984 Commemorative Tin:

Pep Bran Flakes, 1984



GIFT OF WILF VANNER, LONDON Kellogg's Jacket Kellogg's Baseball Cap

**GIFT OF STEVE** GORDON. **THAMESFORD** Name Tag and Lanyard Security tags, 2 Baseball Cap Box, Frosted Flakes (last to come off the line: December 12, 2015) Box, Frosted Flakes, 100th anniversary Commemorative Coaster: Winner of the Chairman's Cup for Quality and Productivity Improvement, London Plant, 1989 Wooden Cereal Box Award: "Excellence in Safety Award, 1993, London Plant" Christmas Decorations:

- Tony the Tiger, "Tony": Happy Holidays 1996 London Plant
- Large K, "London Canada": Happy Holidays 1997 London Plant
- Two bells: Happy c. Holidays 1999 London Plant
- d. Snowman: 2005
- Stocking: 2007
- Angel Blowing

- Horn: 2008 Reindeer: 2009
- g. Reindeer: 2009h. Snowmen and Kellogg's "K" in maple leaf: 2010
- i. Little Bear and Tree: 2011
- j. Tony the Tiger and a Keebler Elf: Season's Greetings 2012 Kellogg London Plant
- k. Tony and Keebler
   Elf on train:
   Seaon's Greetings
   2013 Kellogg
   London Plant
- I. Tony and Pop Tarts: "Season's Greetings 2014 Kellogg Canada Inc.
- m. Wreath, undated

GIFT OF JOANNE EDE, LONDON "Winner of the Chairman's Cup For Quality and Productivity Improvement, 1990" Tumbler "Winner of the Chairman's Cup For Quality and Productivity Improvement, 1990" Tumbler "Kellogg's 70th Anniversary London Plant, 1994" Commemorative Box

GIFT OF LLOYD AND GLADYS LONGMAN, STRATFORD Kellogg's Corn Flakes Alarm Clock, 1991

GIFT OF MS. LYNNE SINCLAIR-IFILL, LONDON Storybook Gardens: A Coloring Book from London, Canada, c. 1971

GIFT OF LONDON POLICE SERVICES Alco-Sûr, Roadside Screening Device Digital Calibration Device for above

Dräger, Roadside Screening Device (next generation along from above) Borkenstein Intoxilyzer 5000C Negotiator Kit, c. 1987 Walt Disney Study Prints, "Bicycle Safety," c. 1966 Traffic Radar Kit Esterline-Angus Radar Graph Gas Mask Photograph Identification Box Finger Print Kit Iodine Pipe Fluming Kit "Impaired Driving" Rubber Stamp "CC 237 (Blood Demand) You are under arrest for an offence under section 232 of the Criminal Code" Rubber Stamp Tremeear's Criminal Code, Canada, fifth edition by A.B. Harvey, Public Order Unit Plexi Shield **Body Armour** City of London Coat of Arms London Police Sign with Coat of Arms Ontario Summer Games Medals

GIFT OF MARVIN SIMNER ON BEHALF OF WESTERN UNIVERSITY Sony Tapecorder, Cassette-Corder. Model #TC-110B, 1970s Panasonic Omni Movie [VHS] Camcorder

GIFT OF BRAD BURROWS, ST. THOMAS Kellogg's Items: 2 Baseball Caps 1 Placemat 4 Work Shirts 1 Safety Logout Tag 1 Watch 1 Commemorative Plate



1 Sticker Album/ Colourina Book 1 Kid's Club Suitcase (empty) 1 Rice Crispies Train Tin 1 All Bran Tin 1 Newsletter 5 Flat Cereal Boxes 1 Pack of Playing Cards 1 Mini-Wheats Bowl 2 Photographs 1 Paper Hat (Plant Tours/Kellogg's Kids' Picnic) 1 Plague Mounted Image 1 Package of Party Treat 125-year Banquet Invite 1 Toucan Sam Wall Clock 1 Tony the Tiger Plush 1 Canvas Bag 11 Cereal Box Prize Inserts 1 Corny the Rooster Mug 1 Kellogg's Joint Health

GIFT OF GARY CORNELIS, LONDON bird's eye view of Kellogg's factory, 1924

and Safety Committee

Magnet

bird's eye view of Kellogg's factory, 1952 bird's eye view of Kellogg's factory

GIFT OF JODI GODBY, LONDON package of Sweetheart Extra-long Straws, Imperial Cone Company, c. 1950s

GIFT OF SHEILA GOLDSACK, DUTTON 35mm film camera, Kellogg's, "Snap, Crackle, and Pop" Kellogg's Ladies Slow-Pitch jacket

GIFT OF HARLEY SMITH, LONDON Remington Typewriter Campaign leaflet, "Mary Kerr for Ward 6," November 13, 2000 election

GIFT OF ROBERT AND RHONA LLOYDLANGSTON, CHATHAM Toastess Toaster Model 25 D, 1950s



GIFT OF DEREK PICKERING, IONA 13 Mugs, GM Diesel, c. 1990-2000 1 Poster, GM Diesel, 2000 1 Leaflet (Poster legend), GM Diesel

GIFT OF ALLAN RALPH, LONDON Musical Box Chair, c. 1910

GIFT OF JAMES R.
AND LAURIE SMITH,
LAMBTON SHORES
Coobooks, leaflets:
"It's Kellogg's
Cookytime", 1965
"Two-Way Treats with
Kellogg's All-Bran &
Bran Buds"
"Cooking with Kellogg's",
c. 1970

**ANONYMOUS GIFT** Dominion Adjustable **Bob Skates** Barrel of Monkeys Game Razer Ray Gun Baby book, Pat the Bunny, Dorothy Kunhardt Child's book, Many Pennies: A Learn-to-Count Picture Book about Money, c. 1964 Child's book, Aesop's **Fables** Child's book, Make Way for Ducklings, Robert McCloskey Child's book, Curious George Gets a Medal, H. A. Rey, c. 1970 Geography of Canada Teaching Aid, pre 1949

GIFT OF MISS BARB BILYEA, LONDON Fleetwood Radio, 1957-58 GIFT OF MS. BECKY BOUGHNER, LONDON Cotton Floral Dress, 1967

GIFT OF MARTHA MCHALE CASSIDY, YARMOUTH, NOVA SCOTIA Christmas Garlands made from the foil from cigarette packets, c. 1955-1959

GIFT OF WAYNE CHERRY, IN THE MEMORY OF JOHN AND NELLIE WIELGOSZ, LONDON Labatt's Beer Barrel, 1920s

GIFT OF MS. JANETTE COUSINS EWAN AND FAMILY, LONDON Doll Carriage c. 1970s Fisher Price Circus Train Set, c. 1973

GIFT OF MR. REID MCBETH, LONDON Jetliner Wagon, c. 1960s – 1970s

GIFT OF MR. MICHAEL JONES, EDMONTON 2 Photographs: Gordon Silverwood Mr. and Mrs. E.G. Silverwood on the occasion of his retirement. 1967

GIFT OF MS. DEBRA MAJER, LONDON "Governor's Table" Electric Hand Mixer, 1980s Stuart Weitzman shoes Town Shoes pink, beaded mules Polaroid 2000FF 35mm Camera

Olympus Stylus Epic 35mm Camera Ricoh 35mm Super Camera Samsung Impax 210i APS Camera Barbies: "Pretty in Pink" Barbie + accessories, 1981 "Golden Dream" Barbie + accessories, 1980 Barbie c. 1980s Mini Barbie "Fashion Doll" Mini Barbie "Fashion Doll" Ty Beanie Kids, "Angel" Strawberry Shortcake Series Dolls: Strawberry Shortcake Doll, 1981 Huckleberry Pie Doll Raspberry Tart Doll Orange Blossom Doll Lemon Meringue Doll Apricot Doll Butter Cookie Doll Lime Chiffon Doll Cherry Cuddler Doll Angel Cake Doll Almond Tea Doll Mint Tulip Doll Flitter-Bit Butterfly,

Peculiar Purple Pieman Doll Sour Grapes Doll Extra accessories, Strawberry Shortcake: Miniature Blueberry Muffin Doll "Ice Cream" Doll Doll, orange and brown dress Doll, green and yellow dress

GIFT OF JANE MCCARTHY, LONDON China made and purchased at London's Reid's Crystal Hall: 1 Teapot 1 Creamer 1 Sugar w/lid 1 Cup 4 Saucers 1 Bowl 1 Serving Plate 7 Bread Plates 1 Photo of Enoch Gregory Fowler and Mary Brennan Fowler

GIFT OF DORIS SHOEBOTTOM, LONDON Sharpening/Honing Steel





GIFT OF JULIAN SMITH, LONDON 100th Anniversary Lawson & Jones Calendar, 1882-1982

ANONYMOUS GIFT 20 Cents Magazine, volume 2, number 3, 1967

GIFT OF PEGGY AND GLEN CURNOE, LONDON 2 Wooden Deck Chairs, 1940s

GIFT OF FANSHAWE PIONEER VILLAGE. LONDON Kerosene Bottle. Cowan's Hardware. London, ON Medicine Bottle, Miller's Pharmacy, London, ON Wooden Crate, Canada Dry Beverage Co., London, ON Chas. H. Gould, London, ON, 105 blank invoice forms Booklet, "My Companion For Quiet Hours," First St. Andrew's Church, London, ON Bookmark, Paper, Robinson Memorial United Church, London, Iron Firefighting Striker Tool, Wilson & Cousins Co. Wooden Nickel,

Wellington Square,

London, Canada, 1974

GIFT OF MS.
MARGARET JUNE
FIELDS, LONDON
Brooch, Made of Hair,
c 1886
Baby Bonnet, c. 1880s

GIFT OF SHEILA GOLDSACK, DUTTON Forest City Routes/ Roots Board Game, "The Historical Trivia Board Game about London, Ontario," 1988 3 pins, Kellogg's 2010 Vancouver Olympics, 2010

GIFT OF AMBER LLOYDLANGSTON, LONDON Set of Measuring Spoons, 2015 Crescent Shaped Strainer, 2015 Leaflet, Congress of Black Women of Canada London Chapter, 25th Anniversary Event "It's A Grand Night for Singing," 2015

GIFT OF VYRNE
RAYMOND, LONDON
1 one pint splint wood
basket
3 one quart splint wood
basket
1 one quart
(rectangular) splint
wood basket
1 six quart splint wood
basket
1 twelve quart splint
wood basket
1 bushel splint wood
basket

GIFT OF JUDITH AND WILSON RODGER, LONDON Triple Whip General Electric Mixer, 1940s Manicurex Nail Floss Lux "The finest care for your washables" Lux, "For silks, woolens and all fine things"

Club House Artificial Vanilla Bottle Club House Pure Savory Glenwood Products. Ltd., Whole Cloves Glenwood Brand Mint Glenwood Brand Cassia Sears Maid of Honor Saucepans (2), Double Boiler Redpath Sugar Tea Cubes, c. 1950s Cake Pans (2) with easy release slide mechanism Electrolator Coffee Percolator, Model no. FP-7 Draining Spoon, Twopronged Fork, Slice, Sieve Sunbeam Electric Frying Pan Sunbeam Toaster. Model T-20c Smart Frying Pan General Steel Wares **Bread Box** General Steel Wares Baking Tin/Mold Kaybee Toothpicks 6" Ruler and Knitting Needle Gauge, "Doesn't your Sweater need a dip in LUX toniaht?" 6" Ruler and Knitting Needle Gauge, "Royal Canadian Engineers" Ivory Soap Bar, 1940s Yuneeda Knife Sharpener, Sheffield, England Sieve Melon Scoop/Baller Peeler/Corer (2) Soap Holder Plastic Measuring Spoons No. 2 Food Chopper,

Maxwell's Ltd., St. Mary's Ontario, after 1888

GIFT OF MARVIN SIMNER, LONDON Friar's Cellar Menu, 1962-1991 Joan Smith, MPP, London South, "Town Meeting" dates and location card "The London South Report," Winter '87, Joan Smith, MPP, 1987 "Queen's Park Report," 1985, Joan Smith, MPP, London South, 1985

ANONYMOUS GIFT Crumb Catcher Block Parent Sign Quick and Easy Cook Cards

UNKNOWN SOURCE Hockey Puck, "Kellogg's NHL The official cereal of the NHL / La céréale officielle de la LNH," 1991-1992 Matchbox Model A Ford truck, "Kellogg's Rice Krispies," 1979 Corgi "T Ford Van," "Kellogg's Corn Flakes," c. 1991

GIFT OF WINIFRED WAKE, LONDON Lettuce Seed Packet, Royal Purple Seeds, 1984 Radish Seed Packet, Royal Purple Seeds, 1984 Royal Purple Fertilizer plastic container



# VOLUNTEERS

We thank our volunteers for the tremendous work that they do throughout all facets of the Museum. Our volunteers inspire and educate, reach out to our community, and raise money and awareness to support our operations and exhibitions. They offer our organization their skills, their commitment, and their caring. They create a positive impact for visitors to the Museum and within the local arts and culture community.

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Bre Sabine

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over

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participants
through
our public
programing

received

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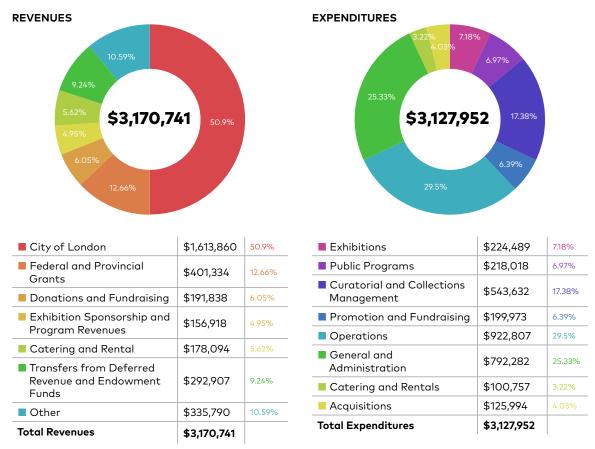
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Notes: In addition to the revenues noted below, the Museum also received donated art and artefacts valued at \$109,815.



As well as the Operating Fund, the Museum has a Building Fund and an Investment Fund. The value (less amortization) of land, building, furniture and equipment as at December 31, 2015 is \$9,127,417. Building Fund expenditures of \$1,506,044 were directed to the replacement of the roof and other refurbishing of the building and were funded by the City of London.

The Investment Fund had a balance of \$6,523,569 on December 31, 2015; \$2,860,849 of this is reserved as an operating endowment and \$3,662,720 is restricted funds set aside for specific purposes.

A complete set of statements is available upon request.

#### **OUR MISSION**

We inspire and educate our community by preserving and sharing our art and history.

#### **OUR VISION**

Where our community discovers exceptional art, rich history, and new possibilities. For more than 70 years, Museum London has preserved, interpreted and shared the story of London and Londoners through the exhibition of art and artifacts and the presentation of public programs. We are a non-profit charitable organization that acquires and exhibits art and artifacts for the purpose of study, education and enjoyment.

Museum London is home to 45,000+ regional historical artifacts detailing a fascinating record of London's economic achievements, and our citizens' accomplishments. Our art collection has more than 5,000 regional and Canadian works. Museum London has a rich tradition of being at the heart of London's cultural community, connecting artists with audiences, the community with its heritage, and the past with the present and future.

We gratefully acknowledge the support of the City of London, the Canada Council for the Arts, the Ontario Arts Council and the Ontario Ministry of Tourism and Culture.

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