

#### A REPORT FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

2018 saw Museum London celebrate its 38th year at the Forks of the Thames, and the major highlight of the year was the opening of our *Centre at the Forks* initiative at the end of September.

In its first seven months the *Centre at the Forks* has lived up to the hopes that we had for it becoming a space that will engage Londoners and visitors alike by delivering innovation in Museum design and programming while contributing to the revitalization of the Forks of the Thames. The Centre showcases an expansive, panoramic two-story window and an outdoor terrace, linking Museum London and the Forks of the Thames in a dynamic new relationship at the historic heart of London. The community has embraced the space by holding a wide variety of events and programs in the Centre.

2018 was also another strong year for providing our community with an outstanding array of art and history exhibitions. Visual art exhibition highlights included *Embodiment* during the spring cycle, *BGL*: *Spectacle + Problems* and Kelly Jazvac's *Lamina Stamina* during the summer months and, *Words and Pictures* and *Bev Pike*: *Grottesque* in the fall. Our historical exhibitions featured *Women's Lives* in Canada: A History, 1875–2000, Guilty Pleasures and Bad Habits: Alcohol, Caffeine, Tobacco, and..., Ting: The Life and Work of Merle Tingley, and the award-winning, Voices of Chief's Point.

All these exhibitions were complemented by an expansive education program. Most notably we moved the Clare Bice Studio space from the temporary location in the Lawson Gallery into its bright new home in the *Centre at the Forks* in September. The new studio is accessible by elevator and fully equipped for our family drop-ins, children's camps, youth council, adult art classes, and workshops.

We revised our summer walks to include a participatory nature writing tour of the Thames, broadened our Culture Club talks to address local issues including a discussion of addiction, and piloted a sustainable art workshop for Earth Hour. In seeking to find ways of making art practice more accessible to the public we offered sold-out card-making workshops and even offered a chocolate tasting event to link local business with exhibition themes in *Guilty Pleasures*. Our children's summer art camps continue to expand in registration and sell out as a staple program at the Museum.

Popular community events continued to run throughout the year including Museum-wide free activities on Family Day, Canada Day, and during Doors Open. Innovative community collaborations at the Museum included hosting the Inclusive Arts London Festival which develop opportunities for deaf, disabled, and isolated artists, bringing in Ojibway storyteller Aaron Hill, and premiering the London Arts Council performance of "Invitation to Korean Mountain" to launch the Centre at the Forks.

We also reached into the community through our partnership in the SATELLITE Gallery, a collaborative exhibition space run by Museum London, Western University and Fanshawe College, and we continued with year four of our Culture Club 55+ seniors' program to a very positive response.

2018 was a time of excitement for our education programs, as we planned for and utilized the new Centre to support the success of current programs, strategized new directions, and dreamed about new possibilities for future programs. A wide variety of education programming was provided both at the Museum and out in the community.

For the 16th year, London Life generously supported the Making Art Creating Community Program. Métis artist-educator, Brenda Collins, integrated her Indigenous knowledge and teachings into a series of art-making workshops for underserved students. The impact of the MACC Program on students was evident in the feedback received. According to one teacher, "a student who made no effort in art before was enjoying success; a student who had anxiety mentioned how comfortable she felt at the museum," and yet another student said that "she would like to work at the museum when she was older."

Almost 1,000 students participated in the 2018 London Life Art Outreach Program during the months of April and May. Museum London's tour guides visited 16 different schools and provided programming to 45 classes. Teachers were very pleased with the Art Outreach Program. A kindergarten teacher at Knollwood Park Public School wrote, "Your tour guides came to deliver a wonderful program to my kindergarten class this morning. They were excellent teachers, and we had such a great time creating our works of art! It was well-thought out, time-appropriate, age-appropriate, doable for the diverse needs of the students, and highly engaging. The whole experience was lovely."

We continued to add to our art collection in 2018 with the acquisition of works by BGL and Sky Glabush. We also focused on strengthening our representation of Indigenous artists with the purchase of works by Shuvinai Ashoona. Our material culture collection was greatly enhanced by hundreds of objects given by dozens of generous donors in the community.

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.

Museum London values the great 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.

And we sincerely thank all our active and committed volunteers—our capital campaign volunteers, 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 it's history.

Volunteers are the heart of the Museum and in 2018 we saw a massive increase in their support. Our 189 volunteers contributed 11,190 hours of service and we thank each of these volunteers for making the Museum a better place.

2018 was a watershed year for Museum London and we look forward to building on these accomplishments in 2019.

Brian Meehan Executive Director Debra Majer Fraser Board Chair

#### **HISTORICAL**

Women's Lives in Canada: A History, 1875-2000 January 20 to May 6, 2018

Guilty Pleasures and Bad Habits: Alcohol, Caffeine, Tobacco, and ... January 27 to April 29, 2018

**Voices of Chief's Point** May 12 to September 16, 2018

**Heavy Metal**July 12, 2018 to April 23, 2019

Ting: The Life and Work of Merle Tingley September 22, 2018 to January 27, 2019

#### ART

#### **Embodiment**

December 23, 2017 to April 1, 2018

#### BGL: Spectacle + Problems

April 28 to August 26, 2018

Kelly Jazvac: Lamina Stamina May 5 to September 30, 2018

Look! An Opera in 9 Paintings May 28 to June 28, 2018

Words and Pictures: Cartoonists of Southwestern Ontario September 15 to January 13, 2019 Taking the Long View: The Museum London Art Collection, from its Beginning to Today December 1, 2018 – ongoing

#### **PanCanada: Artist Journeys** December 8, 2018 to April 14, 2019

#### **BORROWED**

#### Bev Pike: Grottesque

September 15 to December 9, 2018 Organized and circulated by the Dunlop Art Gallery, Regina Public Gallery

#### **TOURING**

#### Robert Fones: Signs | Forms | Narratives

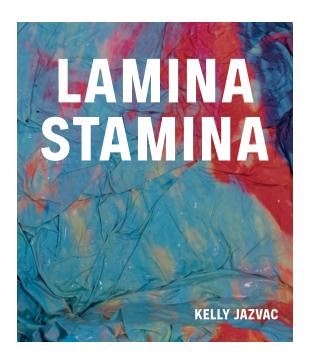
Art Museum, University of Toronto, May 16 to July 21, 2018











#### Lamina Stamina

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#### **ART PURCHASES**

Shuvinai Ashoona Untitled, Co-op, 2009 coloured pencil and ink on paper Purchase, John H. and Elizabeth Moore Acquisition Fund, 2018

Shuvinai Ashoona Untitled, 2007 coloured pencil and ink on paper Purchase, John H. and Elizabeth Moore Acquisition Fund, 2018

Shuvinai Ashoona Heads Emerge from the Rocks, 2015 coloured pencil and ink on paper Purchase, John H. and Elizabeth Moore Acquisition Fund, 2018

Sky Glabush
Shadows, 2018
acrylic on cotton and
wool
Purchase, John H.
and Elizabeth Moore
Acquisition Fund, 2018

BGL (Jasmin Bilodeau, Sébastien Giguère, Nicolas Laverdière) Highway Sign, 2018 painted bamboo curtains Purchase, John H. and Elizabeth Moore Acquisition Fund, 2018

#### **ART GIFTS**

Robert Bozak
Big Dipper, 1976
watercolour on paper
mounted on mat board
Gift of Sara Steers,
London, Ontario, 2018

Fernand Leduc Blanc pression, 1957 oil on canvas Gift of Gordon and Carol Schacter, London, Ontario, 2018

Jean-Paul Mousseau Untitled, 1946 oil on canvas Gift of Gordon and Carol Schacter, London, Ontario, 2018 Jeff Willmore Gaspé, 2011 acrylic on plywood Gift of the artist, London, Ontario, 2018

Tony Urquhart Greg Curnoe's Shoes, 1964 ink on paper Gift of Robert Reid, Waterloo, Ontario, 2018

Kelly Wallace Greenburgs, 2008 graphite on paper Gift of the Estate of Benjamin Portis, London, Ontario, 2018

Olia Mishchenko Untitled, 2005 pen and ink on paper Gift of the Estate of Benjamin Portis, London, Ontario, 2018

Doug Kirton
Cascade Requiem, 1987
oil and alkyd on lauan
mahogany door panels
Gift of the artist,
Kitchener, Ontario,
2018

Patrick Mahon Baker Lake, House series, c. 2010 suite of 24 prints, silkscreen on Plexiglas Gift of the artist, London, Ontario, 2018

Patrick Howlett
An interplay of
something, 2008
egg tempera on panel
Gift of the Estate
of Benjamin Portis,
London, Ontario, 2018

Doris McCarthy Boasts on the Devon Coast/Haliburton Stream, 1952/c. 1930s oil on masonite Gift of Paul van der Werf and Nadia Joseph, London, Ontario, 2018

Doris McCarthy
Stormy Sky/Fishermen
at the Pier, undated
oil on board
Gift of Paul van der
Werf and Nadia
Joseph, London,
Ontario, 2018

Doris McCarthy
The Covered Bridge at
"Corner of the Beach",
PQ, 1946
oil on board
Gift of Paul van der
Werf and Nadia
Joseph, London,
Ontario, 2018

Doris McCarthy
Old Man Mountain
from the Golfcourse,
1992
oil on panel
Gift of Paul van der
Werf and Nadia
Joseph, London,
Ontario, 2018



Doris McCarthy Mountains West of Coleman, 1995 oil on board Gift of Paul van der Werf and Nadia Joseph, London, Ontario, 2018

#### Frederic Marlett Bell-Smith

**BC Mountains**, undated oil on board Gift of Paul van der Werf and Nadia Joseph, London, Ontario, 2018

#### Paul Peel Untitled (Étaples),

1886 oil on canvas mounted on artist's board Bequest of Muriel Elsie Buller, Victoria, British Columbia, 2018

#### Guido Molinari Orange, Bleu, Vert (Green), 1969 oil on canvas

Gift of Rob and Sandra May, London, Ontario, 2018 Paddy Gunn O'Brien The Chrysanthemums at 1603, 1971

oil on canvas Bequest of the Estate of Daphne Isard, London, Ontario, 2018

#### Paddy Gunn O'Brien Fragment of Lake Huron. 1993

oil on canvas Bequest of the Estate of Daphne Isard, London, Ontario, 2018

#### Paddy Gunn O'Brien Untitled, undated

oil on canvas Bequest of the Estate of Daphne Isard, London, Ontario, 2018

# Paddy Gunn O'Brien Looking at Chudleigh, Devon. 2000

oil on canvas Bequest of the Estate of Daphne Isard, London, Ontario, 2018



# Paddy Gunn O'Brien Pool in Sunlight #1,

1995

oil on paper Bequest of the Estate of Daphne Isard, London, Ontario, 2018

#### Paddy Gunn O'Brien Pool at Dusk #1, 1995

oil on paper Bequest of the Estate of Daphne Isard, London, Ontario, 2018

#### Margot Ariss Lerida, 1973

etching on paper Bequest of the Estate of Daphne Isard, London, Ontario, 2018

#### kerry ferris Killarney, 1978

watercolour on paper Bequest of the Estate of Daphne Isard, London, Ontario, 2018

# Gilbert Moll Constellation for Mr. Magritte, 1978-79 lacquer spray and

enamel on paper Bequest of the Estate of Daphne Isard, London, Ontario, 2018

#### Gilbert Moll Goldfish Kite, 1980

watercolour on paper Bequest of the Estate of Daphne Isard, London, Ontario, 2018

#### Bernice Vincent

Ladder, 1979 graphite on paper Bequest of the Estate of Daphne Isard, London, Ontario, 2018

#### John McEwen Maquette for Teko-with Broke Base, c. 1980

bronze Gift of Karen Mulhallen, Toronto, Ontario, 2018



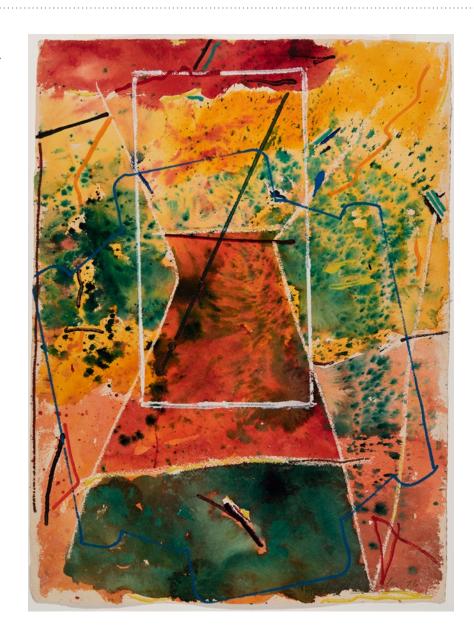
#### **ART TRANSFERS**

Harold Klunder Greenpeace III, 1976 watercolour, wax and gouache on paper John Hansler Collection transfer from McMaster Museum of Art, Hamilton, Ontario, 2018

Harold Klunder
Woomera, 1979
eight-colour
lithography on Arches
buff paper
John Hansler
Collection transfer
from McMaster
Museum of Art,
Hamilton, Ontario,
2018

Harold Klunder Navaho, 1976 watercolour and gouache on paper John Hansler Collection transfer from McMaster Museum of Art, Hamilton, Ontario, 2018

Lionel LeMoine FitzGerald Abstract, c. 1950s pencil on paper John Hansler Collection transfer from McMaster Museum of Art, Hamilton, Ontario, 2018



#### **GIFTS**

# GIFT OF ELAINE C. HERRMANN, MONTEREY, CALIFORNIA, USA, 2018; IN MEMORY OF KATHLEEN MCDONALD HERRMANN

Residence Rules for Student Nurses, Victoria Hospital, 1930s Rugby Dance, 1934 Dance Card University of Western Ontario Dance Card, 1935

#### GIFT OF MERCY NLEYE-NCUBE, LONDON, ONTARIO, 2018

"African, Caribbean & Black Canadian HIV/ AIDS Awareness Day, February 7" Scarf, 2018

#### GIFT OF ELEANORE REYNOLDS, LONDON, ONTARIO, 2018

Bunny Bundle Award Certificate, 1975

#### GIFT OF JONATHAN VANCE, LONDON, ONTARIO, 2018

Webster Air Equipment Paint Sprayer Boy Scouts of Canada, London District Council: 1965 Annual Meeting, 1965 Boy Scouts of Canada, London District Council: Reporting Progress, 1965

Boy Scouts of Canada, London District Council: London District Council Badge Heraldry, 1965 Ivanhoe Curling Club Patch Military Band, London, Ontario Postcard, 1907 Capitol Records Albums Leaflet, 1951 (12) HRH Edward Prince of Wales' visit to London Photograph, 1919 Nokia LX12 Phone, Bag and Accessories, 1992 Masuret & Co. Mail in Order, 1883 3M Company Postcard Robert Holmes Books. Stationery Bookmark Wendell Holmes Books, Stationery Bookmark Matchbooks: Howden's Electrical ylaau2 Knotty e Inn Beef Baron Steak House Gino's Bus Lines The London Fishery and Oyster House National Traveller Hotel Holiday Inn André's Steak House South Winds Sand and Gravel McCormick's Salted Crackers **A&N Flectronics** Four Seasons Hotel Latin Quarter Re-Elect Gordon Walker, M.P.P. PC Party The Paddock

Hook's



Huron House Restaurant & Tavern London Car Radio Sales & Service Matthews Homes The Grosvenor Club The Baron's Room Tavern Live Entertainment Seven Dwarfs Inn Prevost Armoury Officers' Mess University Grill Restaurant The Lounge Mini Car Parts and Accessories Oakridge Secondary presents "Carnival" The Red Lion Inn Co-op Credit Union Royal Alex Hotel Murphy Tabacco Limited Hotel London Melody Restaurant and Tavern Mr. Pizza/Mugs Sunningdale Country Club Paul's Variety

#### GIFT OF JUDITH AND WILSON RODGER, LONDON, ONTARIO, 2018

"What A Red Cross Branch Can Do for Your Town" Booklet Greeting Cards: "An Anniversary Admission to My Wife" "For Your Anniversary" "Our Shower Gift to You/It Isn't Raining Cats and Dogs..." "Sweet Adaline Makes Up her Mind..." Congratulations on 50th Wedding Anniversary Letter "A Gift from All of Us..." 6 Cup Baking/Serving Corning Ware Dish 7 Cup Baking/Serving Corning Ware Dish Corning Ware Stand for Baking/Serving Dish

Corning Ware Handle

#### GIFT OF THOMAS BEAN, LONDON, ONTARIO, 2018

Victoria Park Fountain Painting

#### GIFT OF SUSAN BIDINOSTI, LONDON, ONTARIO, 2018

Strong & Rosser Pharmacists Bottle

#### GIFT OF GEORGE L. BLAKE, KEMPTVILLE, ONTARIO, 2018

C.E. Marley Outdoor Advertising Drawing

#### GIFT OF ST. CATHARINE'S MUSEUM, ST. CATHARINE'S, ONTARIO, 2018

London Lords Football Club Program, 1969 London Lords Football Club Program, 1971

#### GIFT OF WAYNE CHERRY, LONDON, ONTARIO, 2018

Tricycle, c. 1880 Nordmende High Fidelity "Carmen C" Shortwave Radio, c. 1960

#### GIFT OF CAROL CHRISTIE, LONDON, ONTARIO, 2018

Atari Computer 800XL Atari 1050 Dual Density Disk Drive, 1983 Atari 1027 Letter Quality Printer, 1983 Texas Instruments Home Computer, 99/4A, 1982 Gemstik Joystick, 1984 WICO Command Control Joystick, 1982 Atari CXL4011, Star Raiders, 1981 Atari CXL4024. Galaxian, 1982 Atari Writer Word Processor RX8036 Video Game, 1988 Atari Writer Microsoft Basic II, Programming Language, RX8035 Video Game, 1982 Activision Keystone Kapers Computer Game, 1983 Command Module: TI Invaders Computer Game, 1981 Command Module: Munch Man Computer Game, 1981 Samsung: MS DOS Version 3.2, 1 of 2 Diskette Samsung: MS DOS Version 3.2, 1 of 2, Diagnostics Diskette VISICALC, Atari 800 32K Diskette IBM DOS, 6139265 Diskette, 1986 IBM DOS, 6139269: Supplemental Programs, 1986 Archon: The Light and The Dark, 1983 Archon II: Adept, 1983 Murder on The Zinderneuf, 1983 Mike Edwards' Realm of Impossibility, 1984 Will Harvey's Music Construction Set, 1983

#### GIFT OF WILLIAM CLARKE, LONDON, ONTARIO, 2018

London Rolling Mills: John William Norris Photograph "2" Metal Bucket Photograph Molten Metal Pouring Photograph Men Working with Molten Metal Photograph Man with Tongs Photograph Men Using Table Saws Photograph Women Polishing Metal Photograph Laboratory Photograph Furnace Photograph

#### GIFT OF MR. STEPHEN GRIMES, 2018

Stirton & Dyer
Miniature Axe,
Advertising Item
Linoleum Floor Sample
Iroquois Hotel Volvelle
Shirriff's Extracts
Bottle
Barkwell's Sure Corn
Cure Bottle
Joker No. 5 Mouse
Trap
"Great Canadian
Pocket Diary, 1907",
1907

#### GIFT OF GRANT MALTMAN, LONDON, ONTARIO, 2018

Boughners Limited Clothes Hanger Bud Gowan Clothes Hanger Simpson's London Clothes Hanger



# GIFT OF THE TINGLEY FAMILY, 2018

Luke Worm Sculpture (2) Cheese Cutter Hat Parker Super Brian Bark Pipe (2) Dr. Grabow Duke Pipe "64 Chromonica" M. Hohner Harmonica with Wooden Box, c. 1960-70s (2) "American Ace" Hohner Harmonica with Blue Case "Special 20" Hohner Harmonica with Grey Case "Echo" Hohner Harmonica with Red Case "Marine" Hohner Harmonica Royal Sovereign British Made Pencils Box, c. 1930s Canadian Centennial Medal Canadian Korea Medal 1939-1945 War Medal Canadian Volunteer Service Medal Ribbon Bar, France and Germany Star Pins: Luke Worm "I gave...I feel good!"

The 1878 Societies

London City Press Club 50th Anniversary Ontario Provincial Flag London Ski Club 1946-1996 London Ski Club 1950-1951 Royal Canadian Corps of Signals Canadian Flag Veteran's Day Poppy Lapel Royal Canadian Legion Giants of the North Hall of Fame Medal General Service Noncombatant's Certificate of Identity Canadian Army Overseas Identification Card Identification Tag Canada Epaulettes

#### GIFT OF ROBERT FONES, TORONTO, ONTARIO, 2018

(11) Silverwood's Dairy Advertising Cards, c. 1950-60s

#### GIFT OF THE ROYAL EDMONTON REGIMENT MILITARY MUSEUM, EDMONTON, ALBERTA, 2018

Stereoscope Cards: Normal School, London, Ont., c. 1910 New Armories, London, Ont., c. 1910 Water Works, London, Ont., c. 1910 Court Buildings, London, Ont., c. 1910 St. Peters Cathedral,



c. 1910
Market Scene, London,
Ont., c. 1910
Port Stanley, c. 1910
Main Building Hospital
for the Insane, London,
Ont., c. 1910
Scenes in Victoria
Park, c. 1910
Main Building Victoria
Hospital, c. 1910

#### GIFT OF LEE MYERS, 2018

Cigar Boxes: Olmsted Bros. "Novelty" G. Olmsted "Our Pipers" W.D. Jones "La Cremo" The Dyer Cigar Co. "New Coin" WM. Ward & Sons "Fan Tail Havana" WM. Ward & Sons "Gem" J. Smith "Ocean Coil" M. Masuret & Co. "Blue Circle Brand" Vallens & Co. "Robert Burns Segars" London Cigar Factory "Prime Minister" George Kelly & Co. "Alero" "Tuckett's Club Special" M. Garcia Co. "Don Alvano" Clark's Cigar Factory "Havana Green Smokes Club House"

#### GIFT OF ROSS PARKER, MILL BAY, BRITISH COLUMBIA, 2018

Dominion Meter Works, Gas Meter

#### GIFT OF KIM STEVENS, LONDON, ONTARIO, 2018

"Police Permit to Flooded Area" Tag, 1937

#### ANONYMOUS GIFT, LONDON, ONTARIO, 2018

Everyday Metrics Slide Chart Anchor Die Sets Promotional Product Sunbeam Bread Needle Sleeve Ace Precision Made Staples Box Philishave Electric. Two-Head Razor, 1970-80s Ice Cream Scoop Infant Dress, 1969-70 Blue Smocked Infant Dress, 1969-70 White Baby Shoes, 1969-70 Baby Knitted Jacket and Booties, 1969-70 Knitted Baby Cardigan, 1969-70 Smocked Infant Flannel Nightie, 1969-Infant Trousers with Suspenders, 1969-70 Raggedy Andy Doll Raggedy Ann Doll Rag Doll MacIntosh Classic II Computer with Accessories, 1991-93 Computer Software Disks: Adobe Type Manager (ATM), 1989 Adobe Illustrator, MacIntosh Version 3, 1987-90

Adobe Illustrator. MacIntosh Version 3.2, 1987-91 Aldus Digital Darkroom, Version 2.01L. 1988-91 Image Club: typeface library, 1991 Commodore, Microsoft Windows. Version 3.1, 1992 Key Fonts for MacIntosh: PostScript (Softkey), c. 1992 Key Fonts for MacIntosh: True Type (Softkey), c. 1992 Microsoft MS-DOS 6, 1981-93 Microsoft MS-DOS 6.2, 1981-93 MacIntosh: Adobe Type Manager, 1989-94 Apple Internet Connection Kit: Getting Started, c. 1996 Guide to Apple Customer Services: Service, Training,

# GIFT OF JIM VERWER, 2018

Support Booklet, 1996

Canadian Liquid Air Plant Cylinder Stencil

#### GIFT OF JUDITH AND WILSON RODGER, LONDON, ONTARIO, 2018

"Firstaid" Absorbent
Cotton
Yardley Smelling Salts
Meloids Tin
Sucrets Tin
Aspirin Tin
Absorbine Junior (with
Packaging)
Blue Bell Boot Laces

Belding's Nylon Seam Binding Hankettes Kitchen Food Storage Canisters, c. 1950 Bead Craft Trims Beads Buttons: Slip-On Apron Hoop "I'm a Central 9'er" "Ontario People, Places, Things: A Bicentennial Project" "London Regional Children's Museum Grand Opening, September 1982" "London, Ontario, Canada", c. 1987 "CBLFT 40 London" "Hug a Tree Today" "Coronation 1953", 1953 Red and White Striped Boys Romper, 1973-74 Blue Knit Baby Sweater and Leggings, 1973-74 Blue Corduroy Baby Romper, c. 1977 Red and Blue Baby Top, c. 1977 White Baby Romper and Matching Striped Top, c. 1977 Girl Guide Uniform, 1951-57 Dog Mat Breaker Comb Dog Red Handle Comb Dog Stainless Steel Comb (large) Dog Stainless Steel Comb (small) Dog Tow-Sided Brush Dog Brush Dog Nail Clippers Dog Whistle

Dog Tags

Ball Dog Toy

Bunny Squeaky Toy Dog Leash Dog Safety Harness "How to raise and train a Cairn Terrier" Booklet "Grooming Your Cairn" Booklet iPhone 3G and Accessories, 2009 IODE Label Booklet Eaton's Shopping Bag Valentine's Day Card with Envelope Fabric Handkerchief Holder Daniel Green, Hostess Slippers, 1940-50s Dresser Set Cocoa Pot with Four Cups and Saucers, 1891-32



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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#### **2018 COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

Museum London seeks to create strong ties in our community through our programming, partnerships, and other forms of engagement. We are honoured to have worked on projects with the below organizations in varying capacities.

Grand Theatre
Pride London
Fanshawe College
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LUSO (London Urban
Services Organization)
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London District Catholic School Board The London Society of Architects Magisterra Soloists Association of Registered Graphic

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Arts, Public Humanities,
SASAH (School for
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Health Studies
Bimadoshka Pucan
Brescia University
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Architectural
Conservancy of Ontario
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welcomed

**82,707** visitors

had over

189volunteersdonate11,190hours of theirtime

mounted

13 exhibitions

gained

1,875 new supporters displayed

**528** works of art

received

11,724 students for school tours & educational programs displayed

**564**historical artifacts

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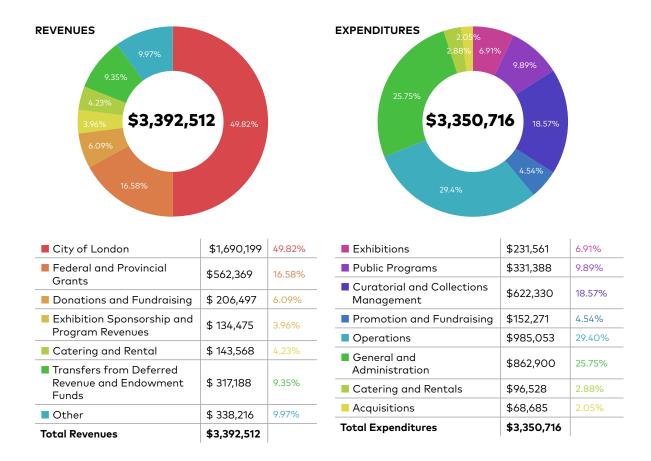
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Notes: In addition to the revenues noted below, the Museum also received donated art and artifacts valued at \$289.685.



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 of December 31, 2018 was \$10,931,771. Building Fund expenditures were \$1,513,401, of which \$115,831 was directed to refurbishing the building and funded by the City of London. \$1,397,570 was related to the Centre at the Forks, funded through the Capital Campaign. In 2018, \$716,451 was raised for a Campaign total of \$3,277,066.

The Investment Fund has a balance of \$5,802,065 at December 31, 2018 of which \$2,561,089 is reserved as an operating endowment and \$3,240,976 which 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.

#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

In the spirit of Truth and Reconciliation we would like to acknowledge that Museum London operates within the traditional territory of the Anishinaabea, Haudenosaunee, Attawandaron (Neutral), and Wendat peoples. This territory is covered by the Upper Canada Treaties. This territory is the homeland of the Chippewas of the Thames First Nation, Oneida Nation of the Thames, and Munsee Delaware Nation. We also recognize the contributions of Métis, Inuit, and other Indigenous peoples, both in shaping and strengthening this community in particular, and our province and country as a whole.

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