ICELANDIC MEMORIAL KINMOUNT OCTARIO

Hosted by the Icelandic Canadian Club of Toronto In cooperation with Kinmount's "Moonlight Mania"

Austin Sawmill Heritage Park Kinmount ON July 16, 2005 2:00 – 6:00 p.m.

Begin your day with a Pancake
Breakfast 8:00 – 11:00 a.m. hosted
by Moonlight Mania at the Railway
Station and enjoy Kinmount Farmers' Market 8:00 a.m.
onward

ICE FEST has something for everyone:

Norse Viking Camp

Singers: Sara Benediktson, Ann Helga Denny Emer O'Driscoll, Lindy & Sally Windsong

Icelandic Sheep & Lamb

ICEFEST

Model Railroad

Story with Hand Puppets Betty Jane Wylie

Presentation of the "Icelandic Sagas" A Gift from the People of Iceland

The Path To Gimli Horses & Riders Journey from Iceland to Manitoba

Icelandic Mail delivered by Post Horse

Stories of Iceland Court Poets Told by Carol McGirr

Sculptures Inspired by Norse Mythology Rick Lindal

Photo Gallery & Merchandise Sales

Videos The Country Doctor

Tractor Trek to Icelandic Rail Trestle Narrated by Don Gislason & Guy Scott

And there is more at ICE FEST...

Reading from: "Letters to Icelanders" Betty Jane Wylie*

Children's Games

Kaffi, Te, Limonadi Ponnukokur Samples

Icelandic Studies: The One and Only Smallest Centre in North America Birna Bjarnadottir, University of Manitoba

Video Inspired by the "Saga of Gisli" Iceland: The Way Life Should Be Photographic Show – Ljosmyndasyning John Welsh, Photojournalist Free Draws Every Hour

> Videos Icelandic Travel

Blacksmith Shop

Our celebration continues with

"Moonlight Mania"

Pony Rides, Model Railway, Bake Table, Kidd Country Band, Farmers' Market, Artisan Marketplace, Vendors, Storytelling by the Fire, Guy Scott Historic Walking Tour, Children's Games.

Checkers the Clown, Tourist Information Centre, Blacksmith Shop etc.

How To Get There, You Ask?

From Toronto, take the 401 Eastward, beyond Oshawa to Hwy 35/115. Turn north along Hwy 35/115 – but do not continue on to Peterborough. Turn north along Hwy 35 towards Lindsay. Follow Hwy 35 north around Lindsay to Hwy 121 through Fenelon Falls, Burnt River until the Icelandic Settlement tourist road markers appear. Make a left turn into Kinmount from Hwy 121, and proceed to the railway station site. You will also find parking on side streets or in front of the Baptist Church.

You are advised to bring a hat, sunblock, bug spray and a lawn chair. There are several food vendors in the village and bathrooms are located at the Railway Station, Community Centre, Gas Station and at Restaurants.

*We acknoledge the financial assistance of The Canada Council for the Arts/Le Conseil des Arts du Canada through The Writers Union of Canada and the Playwrights Guild of Canada.

The path to Gimli

- Itinerary

Check out: www.thepathtogimli.com



The path to Gimli is a pilgrimage on horseback beginning in Eyrarbakki on the south coast of Iceland and ending at Islendingadagurinn, a Festival in Gimli, Manitoba, on July 30th 2005.

The Icelandic horses have arrived and are stabled in Magnetawan and await their Icelandic riders to join them on their long trek from Kinmount, ON to Gimli, MB.

The following may be helpful for those of you who are still planning your holidays and may wish to attend one or more of these very special events.



July 16, 2005 ICE FEST, Kinmount, ON 4:00 p.m. The path to Gimli arrives. Address by Declan O'Driscoll, Director.

The Icelandic Post horse delivers a gift from the people of Iceland and Gail Einarson-McCleery, Honorary Consul for Iceland in Canada, presents the gift, a set of "Icelandic Sagas" to the Haliburton Public Library.

Distribution of mail carried by the Post horse bearing a unique stamp, franked by Iceland Post for this event only, will take place at the Railway Station.

July 19, 2005, Bracebridge, ON (Manitoba Street) 2:00 p.m.

Town Crier announces the arrival of The path to Gimli. Mayor Scott Northmore welcomes visitors Address by Declan O'Driscoll, Director

Gail Einarson-McCleery, Honorary Consul for Iceland in Canada presents a set of the "Icelandic Sagas", a gift from the people of Iceland, to the Bracebridge Public Library and to the Gravenhurst Public Library. Visitors are invited to gather in Me-

morial Park, where they will be greeted by Mr. Patrick Boyer, QC and will have an opportunity to meet with riders and horses.

July 20, 2005, Rosseau, ON 2:00 p.m.

ARNASON'S FARM

The path to Gimli arrives at the Rosseau Public Library.

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Gail Einarson-McCleery,

Honorary Consul for Iceland in Canada presents a set of the "Icelandic Sagas", a gift from the people of Iceland to the Rosseau Public Library. July 21, 2005, Hekkla, ON (Hekkla United Church) 2:00 p.m.

The path to Gimli arrives at Hekkla United Church and is welcomed by the descendants of the first Icelandic immigrants to Canada. They will unveil a memorial to commemorate their ancestors. Inside the church, these descendants will entertain with song and music. Following the entertainment, refreshments will be served.

July 23, 2005, Clear Lake Farm, Magnetawan, Ontario 3:00 p.m.

The path to Gimli arrives. Greetings from the Honorable Andy Mitchell, Minister of Agriculture, Ontario. Reception to follow, courtesy of Kordula Reinhartz, Ontario Manager, The path to Gimli.

July 25, 2005, Thunder Bay, ON The horses and riders arrive for rest and recreation.

July 26, 2005, Murillo, Ontario (a farming community adjacent to

Thunder Bay) 7:00 p.m. Greeting from Ken Boschoff MP Icelandic horse

show

July 30, 2005, Gimli, Manitoba Islendingadagurinn celebrations.