Spring 2023 Vision Newsletter



Next time you visit Joseph Brant Museum, take note of the stunning new granite sculpture by the front entrance.

"Conversations and Stories is my homage to our similar history, development and resilience. We owe immense gratitude to past and present generations of speakers whose time, energy and commitment have retained, protected and revitalized our respective languages." Indigenous artist David General The artwork was funded in part by Dan Lawrie. Learn more about the City of Burlington's public art program at burlington.ca/publicart.





What's on at the Museums of Burlington?

Events are designed to inspire, engage, and create connections between people and our community. Burlington's Community Museum has something for everyone.

Trailblazing: Women in Canada since 1867 is on exhibit at the Joseph Brant Museums until May 27, 2023. This national travelling exhibit, created and toured by the Waterloo Region Museum, explores how women have transformed Canadian politics, work, and everyday life.

Trailblazing highlights the experiences of women – mothers, sisters, daughters, partners, and friends – from all walks of Canadian life.

To learn more about upcoming exhibits, programs and events visit <u>Museums of Burlington</u>.



Transforming Our Community Museum

The need for the expansion of the Joseph Brant Museum was identified in 1978. The museum was not accessible to all and did not meet adequate standards for artifact storage needs, mounting travelling exhibits, or accommodating groups for education, tours and events. The Joseph Brant Museum required major change and thanks to the community of Burlington the Joseph Brant Museum has been transformed.

The new museum opened in September 2019, followed by the pandemic in 2020, which, needless to say, this changed the course of the capital campaign and our fundraising efforts. We are happy to announce we are only \$60,000 away from meeting our goal, and community support is as important as ever.

Find Out How You Can Support Your Community Museum

Meet Your Burlington Builders

<u>Burlington Builders</u> are leaders from a broad range of sectors who believe in our vision and mission. We recognize their past and on-going contributions to our city and region with a permanent exhibition at the Joseph Brant Museum.

