



Museum News

Issue Two—Winter 2013

Calendar of Events

- ~ **Heritage Week**
Piccadilly Mall
Monday, 18 February 2013 –
Saturday, 23 February 2013
- ~ **Heritage Night**
Enderby Museum
Friday, 22 February 2013
7:00 pm
- ~ **OHS Meeting**
Enderby Museum
Sunday, 7 April 2013
1:30 pm
- ~ **OHS Annual General Meeting**
Armstrong Centennial Hall
Sunday, 28 April 2013
10:00 am

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Winter Hours: 12:00 noon - 4:00 pm
Summer Hours: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm
Tuesday – Saturday

Good Neighbours: Heritage Homes & Neighbourhoods

Heritage Week is an annual event celebrated throughout British Columbia during the third week of February. The theme for 2013 is Good Neighbours: Heritage Homes & Neighbourhoods, and the museum is pleased to participate again this year.

If you are in Salmon Arm during Heritage Week, check out our exhibit at Piccadilly Mall. This display features twenty of the heritage buildings in Enderby,



The Bank of Montreal in 1938. EDMS #1501

all of which were recognized with a brass plaque from the Heritage Commission. Following Heritage Week, this exhibit will be on display at the museum, and you can get a copy of the Historical Walking Tour of Enderby brochure free of charge at the museum and stroll by these and other heritage buildings in Enderby while you learn about the history of our town..

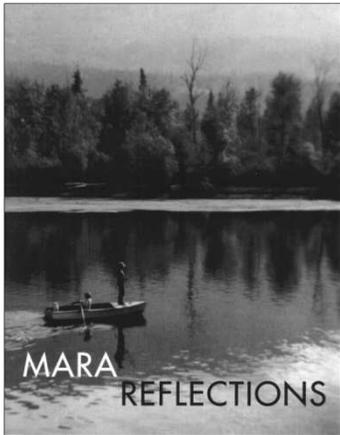
Everyone is invited to attend Heritage Night at the museum on Friday, February 22, 2013 at 7:00 pm. The topic of the evening is Hupel, and our guest speakers are Peter Vander Sar and Rob Dale. Peter has researched and written about Mike Hupel, and the story was published in *Okanagan History* #71 as well as in *Mara Reflections*. He will be giving a short presentation about Mr. Hupel himself, while Rob—a third generation resident of the area—will be speaking about the early settlers and industry of Hupel. Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

From Our Bookshelf

In this newsletter I would like to highlight two of the books on our bookshelf: *Mara Reflections* and *Okanagan History #76*.

Mara Reflections

This lovely book tells the story of Mara from the early settlers to after World War II, and it was published in time for Mara's centennial celebrations in 2011.



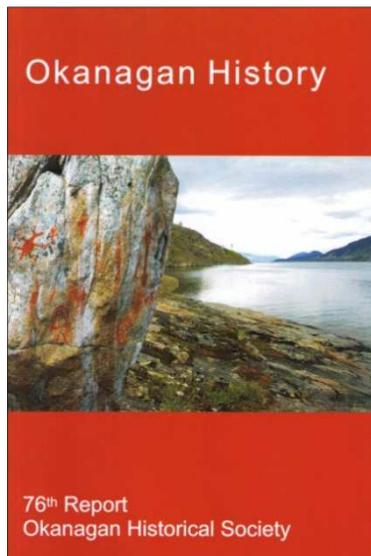
One of the families mentioned in this book are David and Phyllis Couch. Dave will be speaking at the OHS meeting, so you might want to check out this book while you're at the

museum.

With a black-and-white photograph on every page and priced at \$25, this book is worth adding to your local history collection.

Okanagan History #76

This book is the latest report from the Okanagan Historical Society, and there are less than a dozen copies still for sale at the museum. You can add this book to your collection for \$25, which includes membership in the OHS.



Memorials & Donations

We would like to say thank you to everyone who has made a donation to the museum recently, with a special mention to Marie Stickland for her generous donation.

Betty Lunn recently made a donation to the museum in memory of Cecelia Picul, and Brian Glanfield made a donation in memory of Audrey Bogart. These donations will be put towards purchasing archival supplies. We wish to thank you for remembering Cec and Audrey in this way, and their names will be added to our memorial plaque.

The Penny Fundraiser is doing well, and we've already rolled \$100 in pennies so far. Thank you to everyone who has donated their pennies to the museum, and additional donations of pennies will be gratefully received.

Curator's Report

by Naomi Fournier

My latest adventures at the museum are the creation of two new exhibits: one for Heritage Week and the other for Heritage Night. These are the first exhibits that I've created on my own since I started working at the museum, and I've had fun working on them.

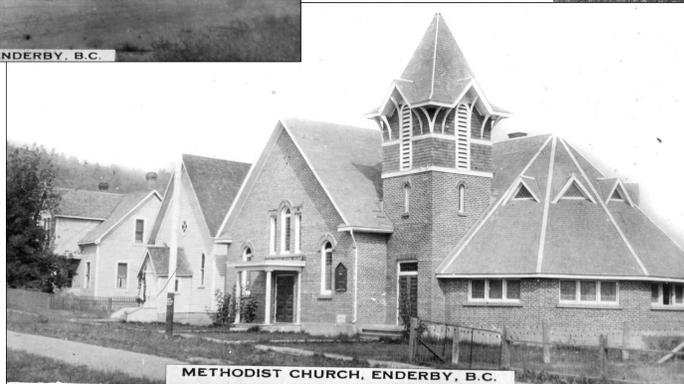
Our newest volunteer is Kyoko Ogawa. She is a Japanese student in Canada for a year on a work and study visa, and is volunteering at the museum one or two days a week scanning the museum's archival photographs.

At the museum's annual general meeting in November, John Brennan was elected as president, with Faith Hudson as vice-president. Grace Lundquist is secretary, and Bonnie Smith is treasurer. Directors are Brian Glanfield, Herb Higginbottom, Peter Hudson, Lois Roberts, and Jonathan Turpin. The museum would like to appoint a new fundraising chairperson, and if you would like to serve as a director in this capacity, please phone John Brennan at 250-838-0135.

Okanagan Historical Society

Dave Couch will be the guest speaker at the annual general meeting of the Armstrong/Enderby branch of the historical society, taking place at the Enderby & District Museum on Sunday, April 7, 2013 at 1:30 pm. Dave and his family have farmed in the Grindrod and Mara areas for over 50 years, and they developed Sure Crop Feeds in Grindrod in response to a large need by local farmers. Dave will be speaking about his family's history and the development of Sure Crop Feeds. The short meeting will include reports on activities of the Armstrong/Enderby branch, and refreshments will be served.

The Armstrong/Enderby branch will also be hosting the annual general meeting and luncheon of the Okanagan Historical Society at the Armstrong Centennial Hall on Sunday, April 28, 2013. The meeting starts at 10:00 am and includes reports from all members up and down the valley from Penticton to Salmon Arm. Luncheon, served at 12:30, will feature a wonderful buffet. The topic is lacrosse, and guest speakers will highlight the history of lacrosse in Armstrong. Many of the members of the championship lacrosse team from the 1950s will be present. Everyone is welcome to attend the meeting and/or luncheon. Lunch tickets are \$25 and can be purchased from Joan Cowan, 250-838-9641



Clockwise, from left: the King Edward Hotel, circa 1914 (EDMS #4428); the Methodist Church (EDMS #1208); the Enderby Creamery, 1939 (EDMS #1500); and the Fortune School, circa 1914 (EDMS #4425).

