



Cultural Round Table

County Culture: It's more than you think!

**Cultural Round Table
Shire Hall, Picton
May 14th – 4.30 pm – 6.00 pm**

Present:

Sharon Jarvis - General Manager, Regent Theatre, Monica Alyea, Councillor, County of Prince Edward, Wilma McCagg, Women's Institute, Lynne Donovan – St. Andrews, Dan Taylor, EDO, County of Prince Edward, Peta Hall – Peta Hall Pottery, Wendy Lane – County of Prince Edward, Recreation, Parks and Culture, Jean Anne Carroll – County of Prince Edward, EDO, Ann Wardrop – Arts Council,

Minutes:

1. **Membership** – Brainstorming possible membership to invite to participate.
2. **St. Andrews Church Artist's Sanctuary and Community Garden** – Lynne Donovan from St. Andrews Church came to the Round Table to share St. Andrew's plans for an Artist's Sanctuary and Community Garden. The group shared ideas for how to structure the concepts and possible people and groups who might be interested in participating.
3. **Community Foundation** - The Community Foundation continues to have committee meetings. Submission for funding has been made to Trillium. Articles of incorporation are in progress. Board Development in progress - Looking for potential board members with a history in the community. There will be a membership fee. An RFP has been issued for web, brochure and logo. PELA CFDC has provided some funding for start up.
4. **Cultural Mapping** – maintenance to be activated. Will include an outreach to those featured on the map, a call to action to learn more about the CRT.
5. **Cultural Capitals** – Group is very interested in moving this forward. Recreation, Parks and Culture will host, but on behalf of the municipality. The Cultural Round Table will support the application and answer any questions that Barry Braun may have.
6. **County Quest** – County Quest has soft launched. Group is in the process of rolling out the letterboxes.
7. **Arts Trail** – Will launch Tuesday May 20th, 7pm as part of the Taste the County AGM. 22 studios and galleries are participating.
8. **Milford 200** – Ontario Bike Rally – June 7th and 8th, Sculpture of the Miller will be unveiled Friday June 6th.
9. **Kingston Regional Historical Fair** – Was held at Duncan McArthur @ Queen's west campus. 300 local projects with a historical theme were featured. Would we be able to do one here?
10. **Geography finds a place in social networking:**
http://www.ctv.ca/servlet/ArticleNews/story/CTVNews/20080502/geo_networking_080502/20080502?hub=SciTech
11. **Shameless Promotions** –
Wilma McCagg – Women's Institute 100 Year Celebration. Huge outpouring of support from the community and the event is sold out. The community has provided everything.. the women don't have to lift a finger! Janet Kellough is doing the entertainment.
Wendy Lane – Funders Workshop will be held June 11th at the Picton Town Hall.
Peta Hall – Art Action in Bloomfield project is going! First site plan view is happening May 14th.
Sharon Jarvis – Historic Walks of Picton led by Peter Lockyer starting on Friday. The Vinyl Cafe with Stuart McLean are coming to the Regent on Oct 17th.