

R E P O R T
1996 FEBRUARY 19

CITY OF BURNABY
COMMUNITY HERITAGE COMMISSION

HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR
AND COUNCILLORS

SUBJECT: HERITAGE WEEK 1996

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. THAT Council approve the planned activities for *Heritage Week* as outlined in this report which will highlight recent heritage projects.
2. THAT the Mayor proclaim 1996 February 19 to 25 as *Heritage Week*.

R E P O R T

The Community Heritage Commission, at its meeting held on 1996 January 24 received the attached report highlighting the activities planned for *Heritage Week*.

This report is submitted for Council's information and approval.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor Doreen Lawson,
Chair

Councillor Doug Drummond,
Vice Chair

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- DIRECTOR PLANNING AND BUILDING
- DIRECTOR RECREATION AND CULTURAL SERVICES

TO: COMMUNITY HERITAGE COMMISSION

1996 January 17

FROM: DIRECTOR PLANNING AND BUILDING

Our File: 10.4

SUBJECT: Heritage Week 1996

PURPOSE: For discussion purposes

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. *THAT* the Community Heritage Commission approve the planned activities for Heritage Week as outlined in this report which will highlight recent heritage projects.
2. *THAT* staff be authorized to provide the Mayor's Office with the information required to proclaim February 19-25, 1996 as Heritage Week.

REPORT

Background:

Since the formation of Burnaby's Heritage Commission in 1988, the recognition of national Heritage Day in February has been the focus to highlight recent heritage projects. The week has been recognized by Council annually with a special proclamation issued by the Mayor's Office and announced by Council on Heritage Day. This year Heritage Day is Monday, February 19. Heritage Week activities will be highlighted during this week and focus on Saturday, February 24.

Planned Activities:

City Hall Foyer Display

A display is planned for the lobby of City Hall which will highlight the recent civic heritage projects undertaken by the Community Heritage Commission. The restoration of the Edgar House with exterior and interior work will be shown in before and after photographic views. The acquisition of the Eagles Estate with its landmark house and unique garden will be outlined.

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The donor of the Central Park Bandstand replica has agreed to loan the bandstand model for the display which will outline the history of the Bandstand and the proposed construction of a replica.

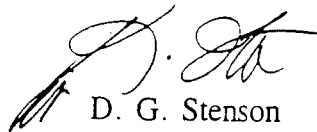
Burnaby Art Gallery Tour

On Thursday, February 22 at 12:00 Noon, in conjunction with a new exhibit entitled "Interventions" the Heritage Planning Assistant, Jim Wolf will conduct a slide presentation on the history of the H.T. Ceperley Estate "Fairacres" and tour the building and grounds. The new exhibit explores the relationship of the domestic setting of the Gallery and its Arts and Crafts styled architecture.

Deer Lake Heritage Walking Tour

On Saturday, February 24, in cooperation with Burnaby Village Museum's Heritage Week Programme, a tour will be presented highlighting recent heritage projects in Deer Lake Park. Jim Wolf will tour the Park with up to 30 persons. The tour which will require pre-registration will include the Eagles Estate and Edgar House.

Members of the Community Heritage Commission interested in the tour are requested to advise staff as soon as possible.



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Director Planning and Building

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