



# Media Release

**Lang Pioneer Village Museum**  
The Corporation of the County of Peterborough



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## 2017 Event Schedule

**Traditional County Fair**  
Celebrating Canada 150+  
Sunday, September 24

**Historic All Hallows' Eve**  
Fri & Sat, October 27 & 28

**Christmas by Candlelight**  
Sat & Sun, December 2 & 3

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

# Traditional County Fair Celebrating Canada 150+ Sunday, September 24 ~ 10 am to 4 pm

**Lang, ON-** You are invited to join Lang Pioneer Village Museum, the County of Peterborough, the County's eight townships and two First Nations communities as they come together to celebrate Canada 150+ and the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Lang Pioneer Village Museum during the Traditional County Fair Celebrating Canada 150+, Sunday September 24<sup>th</sup> from 10 am to 4 pm at Lang Pioneer Village Museum. This event is sure to be reminiscent of a traditional county fair but with a modern twist!

Hop on board a horse and wagon ride as you tour the historic Village which will be all dressed up for the occasion. In traditional county fair fashion, take a ride on a carousel! Relax on a bench in the center of the Village Green and listen to live performances throughout the day as the Townships and First Nations showcase their best talents. There will be activities for the whole family to enjoy including traditional games, three-legged races and sack races, an obstacle course, face painting and a bouncy castle. Don't miss the Strongman Show as Mighty Mike bends bars of steel at will and juggles with heavy mallets. Take a quick hula hooping lesson and see how far you can throw a bale of hay during the hay bale toss!

Enjoy a variety of harvest-related demonstrations throughout the village. Watch the Cider Mill in full operation and purchase fresh cider to take home. Enjoy some delicious local fire-cooked corn smothered in butter. Watch as wool is transformed into vibrantly coloured skeins of yarn using plants during the natural dyeing demonstrations at the Fife Cabin.

You can enjoy a variety of traditional fair foods including cotton candy, sno cones, candy apples, poutine, and kettle corn or stop at the Lang Food Booth for burgers, sausages, snacks and refreshments. Inside the Village there are plenty more treats to be enjoyed at the Keene Hotel such as butter tarts, pie and lemonade and fresh Empire Cheese curd for sale at the Cheese Factory.

There will be plenty of guest demonstrators including the Horseless Carriage Museum, the Vintage Film Festival, the Canadian Canoe Museum, the Northumberland Rug Hookers, Health Kids Community Challenge, log hewer John Foreman and more!

Listen to a performance by drummer & singer, Kim Muskratt from Hiawatha First Nation and take part in a Round Dance that will lead everyone to the official opening of the Peterborough County Agricultural Heritage Building at 12 noon. Be among the first to check out this incredible community project in progress! There will also be official ceremonies to commemorate Canada 150+ and the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Lang Pioneer Village Museum. After the opening tour the building, and meet the farmers that bring food to our tables.

**Skip the admission lines by purchasing your tickets in advance on Eventbrite at <https://bit.ly/ticketstcfc>.** Parking for the event is available at the Lang soccer field. A shuttle service will be providing transportation between the parking area and the Village throughout the day.

Come celebrate our history, our community and our country during the Traditional County Fair Celebrating Canada 150+, Sunday September 24 from 10 am to 4 pm at Lang Pioneer Village Museum! Admission is \$10 for adults, \$9 for students and seniors, \$6 for youths (ages 5-14), free for children under 5. Family admission is also available for \$30 and includes 2 adults and 4 youths. All taxes included. For more information on our 50<sup>th</sup> season, please visit our website at [www.langpioneer.org](http://www.langpioneer.org). See you at the fair!