



# Beacons of Light 2023 - September 28 2023

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## NOVA SCOTIA

- Illumination - Nova Scotia Legislature- Halifax
- Illumination - Halifax City Hall - Halifax Reg. Municipality
- Illumination - Town of Digby - Lighthouse at Waterfront Park
- Illumination - Sydney Port Authority - Big Fiddle, Sydney Waterfront, CBRM
- Proclamation - Premier of Nova Scotia
- Proclamation - Cape Breton Regional Municipality, Sydney
- Social Media - Municipality of the District of Yarmouth
- Social Media/brochure handouts at the farm - Dakeyne Farm's Sunflower Maze, Mount Denson
- Illumination - Astor Theatre - Liverpool
- Proclamation - Cape Breton Regional Municipality
- Social Media - Municipality of County of Inverness, Port Hood, Cape Breton
- Display - Halifax CENTRAL Library confirmed display-Halifax
- Proclamation - Municipality of the County of Antigonish - Beech Hill

## NEW BRUNSWICK

- Downing Street, Downtown Place Avenir Centre - City of Moncton
- Illumination - Legislative Building - Fredericton
- Illumination - Blink Box Signs, Woodstock

## ONTARIO

- Proclamation, Belleville Sign & Belleville Bridge Light up & Quinte Sport and Wellness Centre QSWC, Belleville
- Illumination - Kingston City Hall - Kingston
- Illumination Springer Market Hall, Kingston
- Proclamation - Quinte West (formerly Trenton)
- Flag raised - Township of Stone Mills
- Proclamation - Prince Edward County
- Trent Hills Library Display and Presentation, Trent Hills
- Illumination - Clock Tower & Flag raising, Trent Hills
- Lighting the Veterans Skyway Bridge - Quinte West
- Lighting the Quinte West Sign in RWB - Quinte West
- Proclamation & lighting the falls - Napanee
- Proclamation - Bancroft
- Proclamation & lighting of fountain - Stoco Lake, Tweed
- Proclamation - City of Ottawa
- Illuminations - City Hall & Hazelbrae Monument - Peterborough
- Illumination - Centennial Fountain - Little Lake
- Proclamation - Clarington
- Proclamation - Port Perry, Township of Scugog
- Proclamation - City of Whitby
- Proclamation - Pickering
- Proclamation - Markham
- Proclamation - Milton
- Proclamation - Collingwood
- Proclamation & flag raising 27th - Aurora
- Proclamation/Illumination - Fred A Lundy Bridge & Riverwalk Commons & Flag Raising - Peace Park -Sept 25-29 - Town of Newmarket
- Illumination - CN Tower - Toronto
- Illumination - Clock Tower - Mississauga
- Illumination - waterfront - Oakville
- Proclamation & Illumination - City Hall - Oakville
- Brampton City Hall Clock Tower, Brampton
- Illumination - Pier & Proclamation - Burlington
- Illumination - Hamilton Signature Sign - Hamilton
- Sunflower placing on BHC graves - Grimsby
- Illumination - Downtown Bridge Lighting - Welland
- Proclamation - Town of Bancroft
- Brock University - St. Catharines
- Sign & Social Media - Port Colbourne Historical & Marine Museum
- Proclamation - Municipality of Chatham-Kent
- Illumination - Civic Centre - Municipality of Chatham-Kent
- Illumination of City Hall & Proclamation - Windsor
- Proclamation - Stratford
- Proclamation - London
- Prayer - Zion Philipsburg Evangelical Lutheran Church- Baden
- Illumination - Parkwood Institute Western County Wings - London (Home of Sir George Beardshaw)
- Illumination - Maple Leaf Motel - Goderich
- Illumination - Parkwood Institute Western County Wings - London
- Illumination of Niagara Falls - [Live Cam](#)
- Proclamation & Flag Raising - Town of Fort Erie

## NEWFOUNDLAND • Lets get one shining here!

### PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

- Illumination & Flying the BHC Flag - City of Charlottetown
- Illumination - City of Summerside - City Hall in Yellow; Social Media

### QUEBEC

- Illumination - Montréal Tower, Montreal - (Info shared on Social Media)
- Illumination - Canterbury Christchurch - Canterbury
- Flag Raising 11 am - Musee Missisquoi Museum - Stanbridge East
- Proclamation - Township of Melbourne
- Flag & Laying a Wreath - Lac Brome Museum - Knowlton

### MANITOBA

- Manitoba Museum of Human Rights - Winnipeg (Information to be shared via social media)
- Manitoba College of Social Workers - Article in their newsletter - Winnipeg
- Lt.-Gov. of Manitoba - Anita Neville - Yellow Lighting of Government House - Winnipeg
- Illuminations - Esplanade Riel & Winnipeg sign - Winnipeg

### SASKATCHEWAN

- Proclamation & Museum & Library Event - Prince Albert
- Frenchman Butte Heritage Centre, Frenchman Butte
- Proclamation - City of Saskatoon
- Proclamation - North Battleford
- Library display at Lloydminster, AB/SK
- Proclamation - North Battleford, SK
- Illumination of entry way at city hall- City of Regina

### ALBERTA

- Calgary Tower, Calgary
- Illumination of Telus Spark Center, Calgary
- Olympic Plaza, Calgary
- Reconciliation Bridge - Sept 21- Calgary
- Proclamation & Illumination & presentation by Mayor - City Hall - Red Deer
- Illumination - Light House - Sylvan Lake
- Proclamation - Town of Sylvan Lake
- Leduc Library Display, Leduc
- Illumination - High Level Bridge - Edmonton

### BRITISH COLUMBIA

- The Bastion - City of Nanaimo
- Lighting various locations throughout town & website link - Lady Smith
- White Rock Pier - White Rock
- BC Place Illumination - Vancouver
- Illumination of Vancouver Convention Center - Vancouver
- Illumination - Science World - Vancouver
- Proclamation - Vernon
- Prayer - Duncan United Church - Duncan

### USA & INTERNATIONAL

- Buffalo and Fort Erie Peace Bridge - Buffalo NY
- Ringing the Bells & Prayer Service - Christ Church Cathedral - Oxford, England
- Illumination - Spinnaker Tower - Portsmouth, Hampshire England
- Illumination - Leasowe Lighthouse, Wirral, England
- Illumination - Liverpool Townhall & St. George's Hall- Liverpool, England
- Illumination - Ranger Reds Zoo & Conservation Park- Pinjarra, Western Australia
- Prayer - St. Mary's Catholic Church Merredin, Western Australia



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## PRESENTATIONS, EVENTS & TABLE DISPLAYS IN SEPTEMBER

- Sept 14th - Sir George Beardshaw's 100th birthday celebration - Last known British Home Child survivor & veteran
- Sept 14th - Radio Interview with Pattison Media in North Battleford with Susan Hillman Brazeau
- Sept 14th - GHS Archives volunteer, Ev Page will be presenting at 7:30 pm - Livingston Activity Center, Grimsby
  
- Sept 16th - Display - North Battleford Library, SK- Susan Hillman Brazeau
  
- Sept 17th - Sylvan Lake Church - Mill Bay, BC - Presenter - Patricia Skidmore at 1:30 pm
  
- Sept 18th - Campbellford Seymour Heritage Society - presentation & 7:30 pm
  
- Sept 19th - Home Children Canada Director, John Jefkins - presenting at Probus Club - Richmond Hill, ON
  
- Sept 20th - Sackville Hill Senior Centre - Hamilton ON - Sept 20th - 1pm - speaker Joan Knighton
  
- Sept 23rd - Joint Presentation with Susan Hillman Brazeau & Joan Brewerton - Prince Albert, SK
- Sept 23rd - Komoka Railway Museum - Presentation - History of the Home Children. Interview with George Beardshaw, Stories of other Home Children from 1 to 3pm - Komoka, ON
- Sept 23rd - Edmonton - Presentation & display table - Alberta Genealogy Society 50th Anniversary conference - speaker Kim Farrell with guest author Genevieve Graham
  
- Sept 24-29th - Sherbrooke Restoration Commission - Sharing HCC printed information with staff who will be there from closing on the 24th to the 29th. Will share HCC logo and some BHC information on the Sherbrooke Village Facebook and Instagram page on British Home Child Day.
  
- Sept 28th - Great & Share - Lloydminster, AB - with Susan Hillman Brazeau
- Sept 28th - Table display & information - St. Albert Place (city hall) St. Albert, AB
- Sept 28th - Book Display, Local History Room - Halifax Central Library, Halifax, NS
- Sept 28th - Trent Hills Public Library - Campbellford Branch - Join Marg Graham & Dianne Cosway - 2 pm
- Sept 28th - Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board, - recognizing British Home Children Day during their Every Child Matters Walk
- Sept 28th - The Amica Swan Lake retirement residence - will be remembering the Home Children on September 28th - Markham
- Sept 28th - Virtual Webinar - National Day of British Home Children - loyalist.ca/events - 9 am - Shannon McKnight
- Sept 28th - Radio Interview - 12 noon with Taylor McPherson on 650 CKOM/980CKME Saskatoon/Regina - Susan Hillman Brazeau
- Sept 28th - Display - Merredin Regional Library, Merredin, Western Australia, Australia
  
- Sept 30th - British Home Child Day Event - 1:30 pm - Peterborough & District Sports Hall of Fame at the Peterborough Memorial Centre - Ivy Sucee presenting (Hazelbrae Barnardo Home Memorial Group)
  
- Oct TBA - Parkwood Institute Western County Wings - London (Home of Sir George Beardshaw) Lori Oschefski presenting to staff in October about the Home Children.
  
- October 3rd or 4th - CBC Saskatoon Morning - 7:30 am - Susan Hillman Brazeau
  
- Oct 6th - Frances Morrison Central Library- Saskatoon, SK - Presenter Susan Hillman Brazeau
  
- Oct 19th (Presentation to the Mayor of Red Deer, Alberta, and members of his Council and Staff)