

Wenjiang Festival

October 23 – 28



The Wenjiang Festival

Look for a special promotional brochure for the upcoming Wenjiang Festival in Halton Hills, a major cultural event and festival celebrating our sister city.

School Programs at the Helson Gallery



Teachers, are you looking for a great visual arts trip to an art gallery that is right in your community? For more information contact Judy Daley at 905-877-7915 ext. 2536 or judyd@haltonhills.ca

Music at 2 Classical Concert Series

3rd Saturday of the month, October – December



The Music at 2 Series brings classical performers to the Helson Gallery. Check our website for artists/dates. Suggested donation of \$10.



Halton Hills Cultural Centre

Located in the heart of Downtown Georgetown
9 Church Street, Georgetown, ON L7G 2A3
www.haltonhills.ca/gallery

Monday Closed
Tuesday Closed
Wednesday 1:00 – 5:00 pm
Thursday 1:00 – 8:30 pm
Friday 1:00 – 5:00 pm
Saturday 1:00 – 5:00 pm
Sunday 1:00 – 5:00 pm

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HELSON GALLERY:

Celebrating Artists of Wenjiang China » Mid-September to October 29, 2017

This special exhibition features calligraphy, paintings and photography from Wenjiang, China in celebration of the historic twinning agreement between the Town of Halton Hills and Wenjiang District in the City of Chengdu.

The Inspired Eye – Canadian Women Artists » November 1 to mid-January 2018

Paintings, prints and sculpture on loan from public and private collections will help trace the important role that women artists played in Canada's developing art scene during the first half of the 20th century.

SISNETT LOBBY:

The Continuing Tradition of Plein Air Painting » September 6 – October 29, 2017

Featuring landscape paintings by Halton Hills artists alongside a special selection of work by George Perdue (1945–2014), an influential local artist & teacher.



George Perdue, "Winter Woods"
Gift of John and Gisela Sommer

Georgetown Rug Hooking Guild » October 30 – November 26, 2017

Holiday Show and Sale » November 27 – January 2018

Find the perfect one-of-a kind gift and support our local artists – painting, jewellery, prints, candles, glassware and more!

Exhibition Talk: Celebrating Canadian Artists • September 26 at 7:00 p.m.

FREE



J.W. Beatty, "Canoe Lake"
Gift of Frederick Helson

The important achievements of Canadian artists aren't confined to galleries and museums – they have also impacted our popular culture in significant ways. Learn how these worlds intersect and complement one another in this entertaining presentation by Gallery Curator, Judy Daley. Location: Studio Room (Cultural Centre).

Culture Days

Saturday, September 30, 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.

FREE

culturedays.ca

CREATE, PARTICIPATE & SHARE

Take part in free hands-on and behind-the-scenes arts and cultural events as part of Culture Days, a Canada-wide celebration designed to inspire public participation in arts and culture. Young visitors are invited to explore our exciting exhibition of art from Wenjiang, China with looking games, colouring activities and paper craft.

Spirit of the Bead: A Celebration of Northeastern and Woodlands Native Beadwork • October 18 – 7:00 p.m.



Image Courtesy of Naomi Smith

Join us in the Studio Room of the Cultural Centre to discover the role of beads as a forum for adaptation, survival and creative expression of the Northeast and Woodland Native groups of the Great Lakes region in this informative talk by Naomi Smith. Naomi is a First Nation Artisan and Educator from Neyaashiinigiing, Ontario who will share beautiful examples from her extensive personal collection of beadwork. **Price is \$5.00/person.**

Exhibition Talk: Canadian Women Artists • Sunday, November 5 – 2:00 p.m.

FREE



Frances-Anne Johnston (Cdn. 1910 – 1987), "Pears and Plums" (detail)
Oil on canvas. Collection of the Halton Hills Public Library

Does the work of women artists differ essentially from that of their male counterparts? What insights did women artists of the early 20th century bring to their work that set them apart? Join Curator, Judy Daley, for this informative talk and behind-the-scenes look at *The Inspired Eye*.