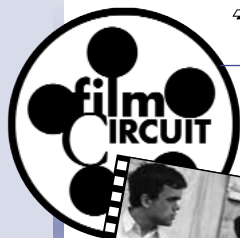


A Sampling of  
**ARTS & CULTURE Events**  
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**THE REEL THING**

A RICHMOND HILL MINI FILM FESTIVAL

Continues at the Richmond Hill Centre for the Performing Arts

on Monday, January 11, Monday, February 15;  
 and Monday, March 23 at 7 p.m.

For ticket information, call the Box Office at  
 (905) 787-8811

For information about the films, visit  
[www.richmondhill.ca/reelthing](http://www.richmondhill.ca/reelthing)  
 or call (905) 787-1441, ext 222.



The **Curtain Club** presents

**MARION BRIDGE**

By Daniel MacIvor

Friday, January 8 –  
 Saturday, January 23

(Preview Thursday, January 7)

Three sisters come together in their Cape Breton home to take care of their mother in this hopeful, moving and often funny family drama about reconciling past grievances, making the most out of life, and coming together as a family.

**THE CURTAIN CLUB**

400 Newkirk Road • (905) 508-0943  
[www.thecurtainclub.org](http://www.thecurtainclub.org)

**LAUGH LINES**

By Daniel MacIvor

Friday, February 19 –  
 Saturday, March 6

(Preview Thursday, February 18)

It's a night of comedy at The Curtain Club! Enjoy an evening of contemporary short plays in a broad range of comic styles.



**FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS**

Friday, November 13 • 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

M. L. McConaghy Seniors' Centre

**ARTS RICHMOND HILL**

**MUSIC FESTIVAL**

Friday, November 27 - Sunday, November 29

Bayview Hill Community Centre

**MUSIC FESTIVAL GALA CONCERT**  
**CHORAL EXTRAVAGENZA**

Friday, January 31

Richmond Hill Centre for the Performing Arts

For more information, call (905) 508-0789.

**WINTER ART WORKSHOPS**

- **Watercolour on Aquaboard** with Susan Chater on Saturday, January 23
- **Painting in Acrylics** with Nancy Jones on Saturday, February 20
- **Silk Painting** with Kety Bagwalla on Saturday, March 27

See page 60 for more information or call (905) 787-1441, ext. 222.



**CALLING ALL ARTISTS!**

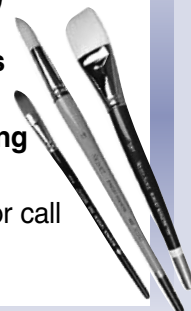
Saturday, October 16 -  
 Sunday, October 17, 2010

The Studio Tour is a wonderful opportunity to open up your studio and exhibit your work to Richmond Hill residents and visitors. If you're a local artist and would like to apply to be in the Fall 2010 Studio Tour & Art Sale, pick up an Application Form at any one of the Town's community centres or visit [www.richmondhill.ca/studiotour](http://www.richmondhill.ca/studiotour). You can call (905) 787-1441, ext. 222, for further information. **Please note:** the application deadline is **Friday, February 12 at 4 p.m.**

**MORE ART PROGRAMMING!**

**You asked and we listened!**

The Town is offering a new **Beginners Watercolour** course in the evenings, **Acrylics** class in the mornings, **Painting Workshops** and more! Please refer to pages 60 & 67 for further information or call (905) 787-1441, ext 222.



# Heritage Happenings Winter 2010

## ONTARIO HERITAGE WEEK

is February 15 to 21 – Let's Celebrate it Together!



Ontario Heritage Week offers a unique opportunity for the people of Ontario to celebrate the Province's rich history. This week is a wonderful opportunity to recognize the vital work of Richmond Hill's heritage organizations and the volunteers who work hard to preserve history for our future generations. Celebrate Richmond Hill's unique heritage by taking part in some of our programs or come to one of the events listed below.



### At the A. J. Clark Interpretive Centre

#### EARTHLY TREASURES

Free Admission!

A. J. Clark Interpretive Centre (located at Elgin West Community Centre)  
Saturday, February 20, 9:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Celebrate Heritage Week by getting back to the roots of life at the annual Earthly Treasures event! Discover the town's natural heritage, touch real archeological finds, learn about native settlements in Richmond Hill and dig in the dirt to find a lost treasure.

### At the Heritage Centre

#### CANADIANA DESSERT TEA

Tuesday, February 16, \$7 per person  
Sittings: 1 and 2:30 p.m.

For reservations, call (905) 780-3802.

Celebrate Heritage Week with a piece of freshly baked pie! It will be served up with a Canadian favourite, a little bit ahead of season.

### MORE AFTERNOON TEAS

Come for a cup of tea at the Heritage Centre! For more information and to make your reservation, please call the Centre at (905) 780-3802.



**Chocolate Celebration Tea**  
Saturday, February 13

**The Mad Hatter's Tea Party**  
Tuesday, March 16

**Spring Daffodil Tea**  
Saturday, March 27





### Princess Tea Party

Bring your storybook dreams to life! This *once-upon-a-time* tea party is a fairy tale come true with visits from beautiful princesses complete with a traditional tea party that includes fancy finger sandwiches and tasty tea cookies, topped off with a secret *Fairy Tea!* This is sure to be a fun-filled afternoon for all ages! All children must be accompanied by an adult. Participants with food allergy concerns are welcome to bring a substitution.

M. L. McConaghy Seniors' Centre • Saturday, March 20  
SITTINGS: 1:30 (Program Code 278175) and 3 p.m. (Program Code 278176)  
ADVANCE TICKETS: \$15 per person AT THE DOOR: \$18 (pending availability)

Tickets are available at the M. L. McConaghy Seniors' Centre, the Heritage Centre and the Rouge Woods Community Centre, as well as through TouchTone Registration at (905) 771-7545, and online at [www.richmondhill.ca/heritagecentre](http://www.richmondhill.ca/heritagecentre).

### MARCH BREAK ACTIVITIES

Check out the fun-filled Full-Day Camps, theme days at the Heritage Centre and the Princess Tea Party! See the March Break Guide and look for these symbols   to find your favourite programs. Register now, as space is limited.

For more information about Heritage programs, contact the Heritage Centre at (905) 780-3802.

LOCATION	SATURDAY, MARCH 13	MONDAY, MARCH 15	TUESDAY, MARCH 16	WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17	THURSDAY, MARCH 18	FRIDAY, MARCH 19	SATURDAY, MARCH 20
A.J. Clark Interpretive Centre	Dino Tykes Archeology Explorers	The Great March Mystery	Dinosaur Adventures	World Travellers	The Great March Mystery	Innovative Inventors	
Heritage Centre	Buddy Craft Day	Ice Cream Day	The Mad Hatter's Tea	Green Day!	Native Day	Dino Day	Visit the Gallery
M.L. McConaghy Seniors' Centre							The Princess Tea Party

For more information about the Heritage Centre and its programs, call the Heritage Centre at (905) 780-3802.

The Richmond Hill Heritage Centre is located in Amos Wright Park at 19 Church Street North.  
A. J. Clark Interpretive Centre is located at the Elgin West Community Centre, 11099 Bathurst Street.  
The Richmond Hill Heritage Centre gratefully acknowledges the support of the *Ministry of Culture*.