

From: Steve Travers
Sent: May 28, 2019 6:59 AM
To: Tomasz Wierzba <Tomasz.Wierzba@barrie.ca>
Cc: Arin Donnelly <Arin.Donnelly@barrie.ca>
Subject: Re: Heritage Barrie | Town Crier

Hello Tomasz,

Town Crier Steve Travers here....

Glad to make your acquaintance indeed. I have performed heritage walking tours now every year for Heritage Barrie, since becoming Barrie's Official Town Crier some 17 years ago! WOW!... time moves fast!...☺

Anyway with your committees permission, I would like to conduct two tours for you For **Culture Days Barrie September 27th & 28th**. One a downtown tour on the Saturday entitled "**HEROES AND HEROINES ROGUES AND SCOUNDRELS OF VICTORIAN BARRIE'**" the second on the Sunday at the Union Cemetery entitled "**Barrie's founding pioneers**"

Note: My cemetery tour is NOT a ghost tour I do NOT do those. { that's just too disrespectful }.

Heritage Barrie help my expenses normally by giving me \$100 per tour as an honorarium gift.

I can provide a business invoice for this. The monies go toward replacing my uniform items, I just bought new 18th Century style buckled shoes etc.

ALSO.. if you wish I can conduct another downtown tour as part of the **Promenade Day** on June Sat 29th as a lot of people are in the downtown area that weekend. I have found that I get between 20 and 40 people on each downtown tour, and my Union cemetery tours I get even more { once having 120 people show up! }

Let me know what your committee thinks.

Stephen J Travers [official town crier }

On Fri, May 24, 2019 at 4:21 PM Tomasz Wierzba <Tomasz.Wierzba@barrie.ca> wrote:

Thank you for that introduction Arin.

Steve – It's good to 'meet you' and to have your contact information handy.

All the best,

Tomasz

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From: Arin Donnelly

Sent: May 15, 2019 10:59 PM

To: Steve Travers

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Subject: Heritage Barrie | Town Crier

Hi Steve & Tomasz,

I'm reaching out to connect the two of you! Steve is Barrie's Town Crier (I'm sure you've heard of him) and Tomasz is the City's staff person responsible for Heritage Barrie.

As Barrie's Town Crier, Steve acts as an incredible ambassador for our city, brings greetings at events, attends openings/ribbon cuttings, speaks to students, and conducts guided historical walking tours among many other things. In the past he has worked with Heritage Barrie to do some guided walking tours of downtown Barrie and the Barrie Union Cemetery and would be interested in coordinating some future dates with you. I'll leave it with you to chat in more detail.

Cheers,

Arin

Arin Donnelly

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