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Maple Ridge Community Heritage Commission Hosts 2016 Heritage Week Events

Maple Ridge, BC: Join the City of Maple Ridge Community Heritage Commission as our community celebrates Heritage Week from February 15 – 21, 2016. The theme this year is “Distinctive Destinations: Experience Historic Places” and there are many activities scheduled throughout the week.

Attend the “Let’s Talk, History is: Choosing Criteria to Determine Heritage Merit” evening discussion on Wednesday, February 17, 2016 from 7:00 to 9:00 pm at Maple Ridge City Hall. Maurice Guibord will be leading this talk on what makes history in our community. Maurice has a background in translation and archaeology and has been responsible for museum collections, exhibitions and programs in Calgary, Vancouver and Burnaby. He is a founding councillor of Heritage Vancouver and the Second Vice President and Conference Chair for the BC Historical Federation.

The 2016 Heritage Awards are taking place on Thursday, February 18, 2016 starting at 7:00 pm at St. Andrew’s Heritage Church Hall. This is an evening of celebrating the contributions of citizens in the telling of the Maple Ridge story.

This is a great opportunity to connect with our City’s history and the men and women who are working to preserve the stories and artifacts for future generations. For more information on Heritage Week, please visit our website at www.mapleridge.ca/1150 or contact Lisa Zosiak at 604-467-7383 or by email at lzosiak@mapleridge.ca