

# *Galleries and Museums*

## **GALLERY STRATFORD**

54 Romeo St., Stratford, Ontario. N5A 6S8  
Phone (519) 271-5271 Fax (519) 271-1642  
[www.gallerystratford.on.ca](http://www.gallerystratford.on.ca)

Over 10 inspiring exhibitions are presented annually in this prominent public art gallery which is beautifully located within the Stratford park system, just a short walk east of the Festival Theatre. Peruse our exhibitions and Gallery Shop, get creative in our Family & Company Community Studio or explore the surrounding gardens. Gift Shop offers unique Canadian made gifts, books and jewelry.

### HOURS

**January to April:** Tuesday to Saturday 10 am to 4 pm, Sunday 1 pm - 4 pm,

**May, September, October:** Tuesday to Sunday 10 am - 5 pm,

**June, July, August:** Tuesday - Sunday 9 am - 6 pm, Mondays, please call to confirm hours,

**November, December:** Tuesday - Saturday, 10 am - 4 pm, Sunday 10 am - 4 pm

### ADMISSION FACILITIES

Tour groups - \$4 per person  
Gift shop with hand crafted Canadian designed items.  
The Family & Company Community Studio

### GROUPS

Offers educational and interactive docent led tours of the current exhibitions for groups of 10 or more. Pre-booked exhibition tours. Group admission prices apply.



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Listed below are only some of the galleries and specialty studios available for group tours. Tourism Stratford will happily arrange private tours for your group.

## ADELINA'S STUDIO & GALLERY

Highway 7 & 8 (near intersection) *Shakespeare*  
(519) 625-1363 or 1-877-244-4494

Email: [mail@adelinasgallery.com](mailto:mail@adelinasgallery.com)

Website: [www.adelinasgallery.com](http://www.adelinasgallery.com)

Featuring original paintings and limited prints of Catherine Simpson, Cheryl Jacklin-Piraino, Heather Jean McKenzie, Marion R. Anderson, Mary-Dawn Roberts, Susie Izidoro-Savino, Lucinda Jones and Adele Figliomeni.

## AILSA CRAIG VILAGE POTTERY

115 Ness Street, North *Ailsa Craig*  
(519) 293-3339

Email: [mbarbe@execulink.com](mailto:mbarbe@execulink.com)

Website: [www.ailsacraigvillagepottery.com](http://www.ailsacraigvillagepottery.com)

Pottery studio and showroom with the work of fourteen potters. We have everything from earthenware to porcelain, raku and pit fired pieces to functional stoneware.

## AMAZING CLAYWORKS

78 Ontario Street *Stratford*  
(519) 273-3278

Email: [info@amazingclayworks.on.ca](mailto:info@amazingclayworks.on.ca)

Website: [www.amazingclayworks.on.ca](http://www.amazingclayworks.on.ca)

Featuring the work of more than 20 clay and glass artists from across Canada, the showroom is always changing. We are the region's largest pottery studio and always have friendly, knowledgeable staff on duty.

## AMULET, THE

71 Brunswick Street *Stratford*  
(519) 271-4400

During the 30 years that The Amulet has been in operation, we have designed and created many fine pieces of jewelry, all made by hand. We use 14-karat gold-filled wire and semi-precious gemstones such as amethyst, opal, turquoise and lapis.

## AN ARTIST'S COTTAGE

77 Brunswick Street *Stratford*  
(519) 273-7523

Original prints and handmade books may be seen in the working studio of this talented artist/bookwright.

## ART IN THE PARK STRATFORD

Lakeside Drive and Front Street *Stratford*

Email: [info@artintheparkstratford.com](mailto:info@artintheparkstratford.com)

Website: [www.artintheparkstratford.com](http://www.artintheparkstratford.com)

Stroll along the trees and enjoy Stratford's free outdoor gallery. Area artisans display and sell their own creations and works of art. Visual arts, sculpture, jewelry, wood, clay and glass are part of this show. Weather permitting. Sunday, Saturday and Wednesday, 9 am - 5 pm, June to September.

## BEARS AM I

4012 Perth Road 107 *Shakespeare*  
(519) 625-1182

Email: [bearsami@hotmail.com](mailto:bearsami@hotmail.com)

Bears Am I is a fun Little Teddy Bear gift shop located just north of the traffic lights in the quaint little hamlet of Shakespeare Ontario. Enjoy shopping for your new bear in our beautiful century home. We have Smelly Paws (not ours), the wax-dipped bears!

## ROS HARRUSH CREATIONS

136 Falstaff Street *Stratford*  
(519) 272-2296

Experience rich, dynamic colors and textures using watercolor, acrylic and oils. Roslyn creates unique still life and nature scenes bringing a new dimension to artistic expression.

## THE QUILT: A BREAST CANCER SUPPORT PROJECT

55 Downie Street *Stratford*  
(519) 272-2588

[quiltinfo@thequilt.com](mailto:quiltinfo@thequilt.com)

[www.thequilt.com](http://www.thequilt.com)

This amazing display of handmade quilts is donated by quilters from across Canada. All of the quilts donated for the exhibition will be auctioned November 10, 2007 to raise money for breast cancer support projects. In 1999, the first exhibition was held with 134 quilts on display. Over \$80,000 was raised and donated to the Canadian Cancer Society. Over \$239,716 was raised in 2004 with 441 quilts on display. Now, in its sixth season, there are 3 exhibitions across Canada.

Season: May 18, 2007 - November 4, 2007

Hours: 9:30 am - 6 pm Tuesday - Saturday

12 noon - 4 pm Sunday and Monday

Cost: \$7.00 per person

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## **TREASURES**

10 Downie Street  
(519) 272-1715

*Stratford*

Email: [jc\\_treasures@hotmail.com](mailto:jc_treasures@hotmail.com)

*Exquisite handmade gifts from local artisans including Mennonite quilts and dolls, pottery, fine folk and fabric art, glass and wood creations, music and more. Featuring heirloom quality Harmony Furniture and our own line of primitive and rustic pieces for home, garden and lucky birds.*

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## STRATFORD PERTH MUSEUM

270 Water Street, Stratford, Ontario.  
Phone (519) 271-5311

Website: [www.stratfordperthmuseum.ca](http://www.stratfordperthmuseum.ca)

The Stratford-Perth Museum celebrates the past in accordance with the spirit of the future. We are a vital part of the community; committed to preserving and promoting history. The Stratford-Perth Museum collects, interprets, exhibits and conserves material culture which is representative of local heritage.

2006 Exhibits include:

*Tools of the Trade*

*Dolls*

*Fads and Fashion*

*A Military History: The Perth County Experience*

*Settling the Wild Lands of Canada and Towns*

*Villages and Crossroads: Perth County Settlements*

**HOURS** Sunday and Mondays 12 noon - 5 pm, Tuesday - Saturday 10 am - 4 pm. Closed weekends in January and February and all holidays

**ADMISSION** Donations

**FACILITIES** Gift shop

**GROUPS** Offers educational and interactive tours of the current exhibitions for groups. Pre-booked exhibition tours. Group admission prices apply.



## STRATFORD PERTH ARCHIVES

24 St. Andrew Street Stratford  
(519) 273-0399

The Stratford-Perth Archives began in 1972. A collection of material relevant to the area. Research facility for the Municipal, School and other records for the City of Stratford, Township of Ellice, Downie, North Easthope, South Easthope & Blanshard.

**HOURS** Monday to Saturday  
9 am - 5 pm

**ADMISSION** Free

**GROUPS** Yes, please advise

## CHALMERS PUBLIC THEATRE RESOURCE COLLECTION

Stratford Library Stratford  
19 St. Andrew St.  
(519) 271-0220

A collection of books, magazines, microfilm, videos and news clippings referring to the Stratford Festival and Theatre Reviews.

**HOURS** Monday 1 pm - 9 pm  
Tues -Thurs 9:30 am -9 pm  
Friday 9:30 am - 6 pm  
Saturday 9:30 am - 6pm

**ADMISSION** Free

**FACILITIES** Stratford Public Library

**GROUPS** Always welcome

## BROCKSDEN COUNTRY SCHOOL MUSEUM

From Stratford, proceed to the north end of Romeo Street, turn east (right) on Vivian Street and travel 3 miles to Lot 33, Concession 2.

Wilma McCaig  
(519) 271-0499

Located in North Easthope Township (now Perth East) is the Brocksden (pronounced as if two words "Brocks Den") Country School Museum. This is the oldest schoolhouse in Perth County circa 1853, once known as S.S.# 1, North Easthope.

**HOURS** By appointment

**ADMISSION** By donation

**GROUPS** Group tours welcome June 15-September 15

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## ST. MARYS DISTRICT MUSEUM

P.O. Box 98, St. Marys  
177 Church Street South  
(519) 284-3556

Email: [stmarysmuseum@quadro.net](mailto:stmarysmuseum@quadro.net)

*Located in a heritage limestone house built for one of the town's first settlers, the Museum offers exhibits, programs and an archival collection of photographs, local newspapers, maps and genealogical files.*

HOURS	All year Monday - Friday 9 am - 4:30 pm June - August also Saturday and Sunday 1 pm - 4:30 pm
ADMISSION	By donation
FACILITIES	Ten exhibit rooms, children's area, 2 outbuilding with farm implements and tools
GROUPS	Please call in advance

## CANADIAN BASEBALL HALL OF FAME AND MUSEUM

386 Church Street, South St. Marys  
P.O. Box 1838  
N4X 1C2  
(519) 284-1838  
1-877-250-2255

Email: [baseball@baseballhalloffame.ca](mailto:baseball@baseballhalloffame.ca)

Website: [www.baseballhalloffame.ca](http://www.baseballhalloffame.ca)

*Included on the property are three amazing professional ball fields, an unique Museum displaying artifacts from Canada's proud past and wonderful walking trails. Artifacts range from an All American Girls Professional Baseball league display to a room dedicated to our past Inductees. Also bats, gloves and autographed baseballs from the best players of all time.*

HOURS	May - weekends only Saturday 10:30 am - 4 pm Sunday 12 noon - 4 pm June through October 8th Daily 10:30 am - 4 pm Sunday 12 noon - 4 pm
ADMISSION	Adults \$7.50 Seniors \$6 Students/Children \$3.75 Family \$15
FACILITIES	Three one of a kind ball fields, with a unique Hall of Fame and Museum displaying baseball's proud past in both Canada and beyond.

## CASTLE KILBRIDE

60 Snyder's Road, West Baden  
(519) 634-8444 or 1-800-469-5576

Email: [castle.kilbride@wilmot.ca](mailto:castle.kilbride@wilmot.ca)

Website: [www.castlekilbride.ca](http://www.castlekilbride.ca)

*In an era when important landmarks are all too often sacrificed in the name of progress, Castle Kilbride stands as a monument to Wilmot Township's heritage.*

HOURS	Tuesday - Sunday: April - December 1 pm - 4 pm Closed Mondays *Call for summer hours (we open at 10 am weekdays)
ADMISSION	Seniors (65 +) \$4.75 per person Adult (15-20 people) \$6.00 per person Children \$3.50 Family \$16.00
FACILITIES	Victorian mansion built in 1877 has been restored and refurbished.
GROUPS	Please call in advance

## FRYFOGEL TAVERN

14 Km of 9 miles east of Stratford on Highway 7/8  
Contact Stratford Perth Museum (519) 271- 5311

*A 19<sup>th</sup> Century stagecoach shop and resting place from incoming settlers to the Canada Company's Huron Tract. The tavern was built in 1844-45. Tour the Historic Fryfogel Tavern and learn about Perth County's first European Settlers. By appointment only.*