Press Release



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## Pelham - Canada 150 Mural Mosaic Project

2017 marks the 150th Birthday of Canada!

In commemoration of this historical year, the Town of Pelham will be working with the <u>Canada 150 Mosaic Mural team</u>, which is composed of three Canadian artists. The Mosaic Mural team has launched a two-year project involving all of Canada's territories and provinces. This project will result in over 80,000 paintings and 150 individual murals that when united will form one gigantic mural mosaic. The goal is that by July, 2017 150 Murals will be created in 150 Communities across Canada!



Timeline for the Pelham Canada 150 Mural Mosaic Project:

- Feedback from local schools and community members for one iconic symbol that represents Pelham is open until February 24, 2017
- Final Mural design will be developed by the end of March 2017, by the Mosaic Mural Team
- Community painting workshops will be held Thursday June 8 & Friday June 9
- Community painting workshops will be 1 hour in length, will be on a first come, first serve basis, and registration will be required
- A soft unveiling of the Mural will be on Friday June 9th
- A debut of the finished Mural will be highlighted at the Canada Day Celebrations on Saturday July 1, 2017



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