



CHRISTMAS FAIR WITH A UKRAINIAN FLAIR!

РІЗДВЯНИЙ ЯРМАРОК

OUR ANNUAL CHRISTMAS FAIR HAS BECOME A BELOVED TRADITION IN OUR COMMUNITY, AND WE ARE THRILLED TO OFFER IT FOR ANOTHER YEAR...THIS TIME VIRTUAL!

SHOP OUR VIRTUAL CHRISTMAS FAIR

DECEMBER 1 - 5, 2020

Enjoy 5 DAYS of Christmas shopping from the comforts of your home! Browse through Christmas ornaments, Ukrainian jewelry, food for your Christmas Eve dinner, clothing and accessories from Ukraine, home decor, and much more. Members will receive a special, one-time discount code to their inbox for *15% off their order!

For local shoppers in Winnipeg, free curb-side pickup will be available. For out of province shoppers, shipping will be done on an order-by-order basis to ensure the best shipping rates!

As a THANK YOU for shopping local this holiday season, all orders of \$25 or more will automatically be entered to win the following prizes:

- 1 matted photo of wheat
- Coral chip necklace with printed poppy scarf
- Pashmina shawl

**Discount cannot be applied to food or sale items.*



BE THE FIRST TO KNOW!

Our Fair will go LIVE on December 1. If you're not already on our mailing list, send us an email to info@oseredok.ca and we'll make sure you're one of the first to know when our shop is live!

HAPPY SHOPPING!

PICTURESQUE UKRAINE ЖИВОПИСНА УКРАЇНА

"Picturesque Ukraine: An exhibition of Contemporary Ukrainian Art" from the Taras Shevchenko Museum in Toronto is a bright exhibit depicting not only the various landscapes of Ukraine, but many of the vibrant aspects of Ukrainian culture.



Photos by Norbert K. Iwan



The Shevchenko Museums acquired a valuable collection of art from Ukraine, consisting of a total of 49 works created and donated by contemporary Ukrainian artists. Together they are exhibited in a collection called "Picturesque Ukraine". These artworks were originally created to celebrate the 200th anniversary of the poet and artist, Taras Shevchenko's birth on March 9, 1814. The title of this exhibition is inspired by Shevchenko in 1844, after he created a series of engravings which he intended to publish as a periodical under the same name.



"Picturesque Ukraine" has been extended until April 2021. Before your visit, check our current hours as Public Health orders continue to evolve.

NEW TO OUR TEAM НОВІ ПРАЦІВНИКИ В НАШІЙ КОМАНДІ

ARCHIVAL TECHNICIANS

The Archival Technicians are working to implement the Graphic and Cartographic Catalog Project. They are working on categorizing, cataloguing, photographically documenting, physically organizing, and researching Oseredok's collections of posters and maps. At the end of this project, the Archival Technicians will present a public lecture on their work and research as part of Oseredok's public programming.

ARCHIVAL ASSISTANTS

Reporting directly to the Museum Technician and the Project Mentors, the Archival Assistant(s) are working to implement the Unprocessed Archival Fonds Project. Over a four month period, the Archival Assistant(s) will be working to complete the processing of various small archival fonds (collections) at Oseredok. This project aims to enhance the access to Oseredok's collections and the histories of Ukrainians in Winnipeg's political, arts, and community life.

This position is an opportunity for a recent graduate to lead a project and develop their skills in the archives. At the end of this project, the Archival Assistant(s) will present a public lecture on their work and research as part of Oseredok's public programming.

OUR COMMUNITY DURING COVID-19

ЗВЕРНЕННЯ ДО НАШОЇ ГРОМАДИ

The Ukrainian community across Canada, and across the world, is a strong one. We've seen it through our members, supporters, Board members, staff, volunteers, the organizations we work with, and in our online communities. And at times like the ongoing situation in the world, the strength of the Ukrainian community has become even more evident.

The pandemic hit at one of our busiest times of the year. We were preparing to have Saturday after Saturday filled with families making pysanky — instead you supported us by placing orders and doing curbside pickups.

We cancelled all of our in-person programming — instead we connected with academics, artists, politicians, and musicians across the world to offer online lectures, presentations, and bring greetings on various occasions.

We closed our doors to the public for a short while, but reopened with keen summer students and continue to remain open because of invaluable volunteers and staff.

We have continued to shift, pivot, and strategically respond to each change with the help of our dedicated Board of Directors and team of staff.

Over the past year, so much has changed in a short period of time — the world around us, our gathering spaces, and the places we call home. While there's no doubt everyone has felt the challenges of COVID-19 in some way, we are seeing the silver-lining — our community.

Despite being apart, we've felt the togetherness through community support. We've been able to connect in ways we haven't before and have been feeling the power of the Ukrainian community in many aspects. We've been inspired to reach out and strengthen connections, even in a time when we can't physically do so. From time to time we hope that you too are inspired to create connections and lift spirits in your own circles.

We're learning and carefully rethinking many of our approaches, and although we've had to press pause on certain aspects of how we operate we have not pressed pause on our mandate. The Centre plays an important role in creating and sharing opportunities for our community to explore and celebrate Ukrainian culture. We're continuing to work on projects to strengthen our Archives and Collections, and we're working towards making our Museum, Gallery, and Boutique more accessible online. While we can't predict how long we'll be in this situation, Oseredok will continue to offer an array of enriching opportunities to engage with culture, learn, and create through our online platforms and on our social media channels.

Lastly, we thank you for your continued support — your donations, membership renewals, Boutique purchases, 'likes' and 'shares' on social media, time volunteering, and attention to our organization do not go unnoticed.

За останній рік, за доволі короткий проміжок часу стільки змінилося - світ навколо нас, наші місця для зустрічей та місця, які ми називаємо домом. Не дивлячись на те, що всі певним чином відчули виклики Ковід-19, ми бачимо промінь надії — нашу Громаду. Ми вдячні Вам за Вашу постійну підтримку: Ваші пожертви, поновлення членства, покупки в нашій крамниці, "подобається" та "поділитися" в соціальних мережах, волонтерський час та увага до нашої організації не залишаються непоміченими.

– The Oseredok Team



NEW TO YOUTUBE ДИВІТЬСЯ НАС У YOUTUBE

Did you know Oseredok has a YouTube channel? In the past 7 months, we've been able to share interviews, panel discussions, and cultural videos with our online community. Listen to curators, artists, academics, and creatives as Oseredok presents content for everyone to enjoy. Experience Oseredok online!

- At the Front Line : Artist Olia Mykhailiuk in conversation with curator Svitlana Biedarieva
- Pysanka Tutorial
- At the Front Line : Artist Yevgenia Belorusetz in conversation with curator Svitlana Biedarieva
- Oseredok Presents Vyshyvanka Day : Katya Chomitzky , The Patterns of Independence
- Oseredok Presents Vyshyvanka Day : Larisa Sembaliuk Cheladyn , A Stitched Narrative
- At The Front Line Ukrainian Art 2013-2019 : Virtual Tour
- Vyshyvanka Day Greetings to the Ukrainian Community
- At the Front Line: Artist Roman Minin in conversation with Svitlana Biedarieva and Hanna Deikun
- Chapters and Verses: Action Bill's Walk Through Life
- Panel discussion "At the Front Line, Ukrainian Art, 2013-2019"
- Ukrainian Independence Day with Marnie Howlett: "How did Ukrainian Youth Engage with the Euromaidan?"
- Tradition to Modernity: A Conversation with Dr. Myroslav Shkrandrij and Julian Maslanyj
- An Interview with Troy Ruptash - They Who Surround Us
- An Interview with John Paskievich, the Writer and Director of "A Canadian War Story"
- An Interview and Cooking Demo with Olia Hercules, Chef and Author of "Summer Kitchens"

SAVE THE DATE НЕ ПРОПУСТИТЬ

DECEMBER
ГРУДЕНЬ

DEC. 1-5 VIRTUAL CHRISTMAS FAIR

DEC. 19 BORSCH BASICS

JANUARY 2021
СІЧЕНЬ 2021

JAN. 10 VIRTUAL FESTIVAL OF CAROLS

JAN. 16 FINAL ELIMINATION DRAW

DO YOU FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA?

We regularly post interesting information about pieces in our collection, the latest & greatest merchandise in the Boutique, and give updates about what's happening around Oseredok!

ENTER OUR ELIMINATION DRAW

Have you purchased a ticket for our Elimination Draw? We're getting close to the final draw date when you'll have the chance to win \$10,000!

The Elimination Draw is important initiative that will help provide funding to improve the security system at Oseredok – a new system that will help ensure the safety of our cultural history. Email or call us to purchase your \$20 ticket today!