

Coming Events

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June 2 & 3 **Re-enactment of the Battle of Stoney Creek**
Battlefield Park, Stoney Creek battlefieldhouse.ca 905.662.8458

June 16 **Teddy Bears' Picnic** Country Heritage Park, Milton.
countryheritagepark.com 1-888-307-3276

June 23, 24 **21st Canadian International Military Tattoo & Festival** Copps Coliseum, Hamilton. canadianmilitarytattoo.ca
1-888-523-1753

July 7 & 8 **Farm Fun for Kids** Country Heritage Park, Milton.
countryheritagepark.com 1-888-307-3276

July 16-21 **The Mystery of Irma Vep** Theatre Collingwood
theatrecollingwood.com 1-866-382-2200

July 20, 21, 22 **All Colours Antique Tractor and Toy Show plus Olde Tyme Faire** Country Heritage Park, Milton.
countryheritagepark.com 1-888-307-3276

July 21 & 22 **Art in the Park** Happy Hearts Tent and Trailer Park, Tobermory. happyheartspark.com 519.596.2455

July 28 & 29 **Kids' Farm and Country Fun Days** Country Heritage Park, Milton. countryheritagepark.com 1-888-307-3276

July 3-Aug. 4 **Skin Flick** Theatre Collingwood theatrecollingwood.com 1-866-382-2200



Aug. 4 & 5
Emancipation Festival
Owen Sound
emancipation.ca

Aug. 4, 5, 6 **The Pirate Festival** Country Heritage Park, Milton.
countryheritagepark.com 1-888-307-3276



Aug. 11 & 12
Heavy Horse Field Days
Country Heritage Park
Milton
countryheritagepark.com
1-888-307-3276

Aug. 18 & 19 **American Civil War Re-enactment** Country Heritage Park, Milton. countryheritagepark.com 1-888-307-3276

Aug. 20-25 **Do Not Disturb** Theatre Collingwood
theatrecollingwood.com 1-866-382-2200

Aug. 25 **Corn Harvest Festival** Country Heritage Park, Milton.
countryheritagepark.com 1-888-307-3276

Sept. 8 **Locke Street Festival** Hamilton. lockestreetfestival.org

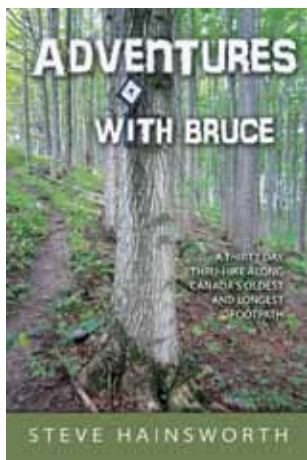
Sept. 9 **Feast of Fields** Cold Creek Conservation Area.
feastoffields.org 905 859 3609

Sept. 17-22 **Wingfield Lost & Found** Theatre Collingwood
theatrecollingwood.com 1-866-382-2200

Oct. 1-4 **Quilters' Line Annual Retreat** Red Lodge Resort
Manitoulin Island quiltersline.com 519 986 2244

Book Views

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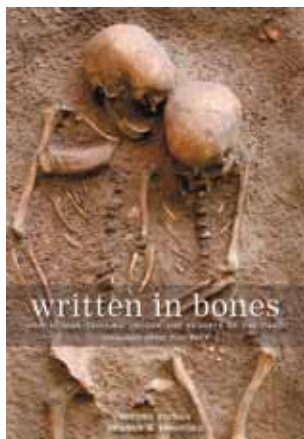
Adventures With Bruce: A Thirty Day Hike Along Canada's Oldest and Longest Footpath

By Steve Hainsworth

This is a journal about walking the whole

Bruce Trail in 30 days in the summer of 2010. While author Steve Hainsworth found a comfortable indoor bed for most of those nights, he did walk the whole trail in close to 30 days straight, making for about 30 km a day. You have to be fit to keep up that pace, especially on the rough and rugged parts of the Trail. Armchair hiking at its best, this self-published book is a fun, entertaining account by a friendly hiker. Plenty of photographs add to the you-are-there sensation of being with Hainsworth on his journey.

Adventure Prose Press, \$19.95, 2011.



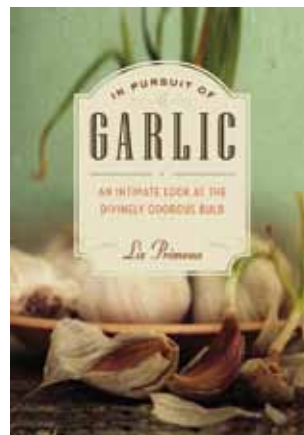
written in bones: How Human Remains Unlock the Secrets of the Dead

By Paul Bahn

Completely engrossing, this richly illustrated book shares

the findings of studies of ancient human burials from the world. Current technologies reveal amazing details of how people lived, died and were honoured or desecrated by survivors. The famous, such as Tutankhamen, Queen Hatshepsut and Amenhotep of Egypt and The Iceman of the Alps are presented along with the unknown, such as child sacrifices from the high Andes and Europeans found along Asia's Silk Road. Some bodies have been so well preserved that skin, hair and clothing have remained in excellent condition, making ancient deaths look recent. An utterly fascinating book.

Firefly Books, \$24.95, 2012.



In Pursuit of Garlic: An Intimate Look at the Divinely Odorous Bulb

By Liz Primeau

The wonderful gardening writer Liz Primeau has recorded

her relationship with garlic, from a teenager first tasting an Italian meal made with it, to beginning to grow her own, to researching it at festivals in California and France. There are chapters of garlic recipes and garlic types, but the best reading is in the biographical sections. She went from being someone who had to be convinced by a neighbour to try growing garlic, to becoming a connoisseur who cruised large international garlic festivals in search of a certain pink garlic. When Primeau writes about her own experiences, her books are hard to put down.

Greystone Books, \$19.95, 2012.

HIGHLIGHTS from The Book Band: a collaboration with Escarpment Views



Scattered Light

by Jean Rae Baxter

These sometimes

dark tales are psychologically complex and expertly crafted . . . sure to keep the reader turning the pages with rapt attention. Jean Rae Baxter's writing has been called "a stunning example of the art of short story writing." Included in these 13 stories is "After Annabelle," the winner of the 2010 John Kenneth Galbraith Literary Award.

Seraphim Editions, \$9.95



Canadians at War: a Guide to the Battlefields of WW1

by Susan Evans Shaw, with photographs by Jean Crankshaw

This guidebook follows the path of the Canadian Expeditionary Force from the time they arrive in Calais, through the battlefields of France and Belgium, to the armistice at Mons. The detailed and well-researched text is accompanied by maps of the battlefields and cemeteries, along with coloured photos of churches, monuments and the countryside as it looks today. An excellent guide for those visiting the battlefields, or a keepsake for those who have already done so.

Goose Lane Editions, \$24.95



Cycling Map Book

by Christine Whitlock

A completely revised edition of an earlier version, this handy paperback booklet features 30 bicycling loops centred near large parks in the Ontario municipalities of Mississauga, Oakville, Burlington, Hamilton, St. Catharines and Niagara-on-the-Lake. Drive and park the car, then hop on your bike and get set for adventure! Each route is rated for difficulty; total route km provided; clear maps plus written directions. Includes six winery loops in the Niagara Peninsula.

C.J. Productions, \$15.00



Athlete's Foot: or, How I Failed at Sports

by Robert F. Nielsen

The author recalls his various attempts during his life to "take up a sport". From gopher hunting as a child in Edmonton to the more manly pursuits of hunting, fishing, karate and golf, no matter what sport the author tries, disaster strikes. Finalist – Stephen Leacock Medal for Humour 2003.

Potlatch Publications, \$19.95

Prices include postage. **To order:** make your cheque out to "The Book Band." **Mail to:** Escarpment Views, 50 Ann St., Georgetown, ON L7G 2V2.

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