

History of the Frontenac Historic Foundation

Award Program

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In 1982 the Foundation decided to mark its tenth anniversary by instituting a program of annual awards to the owners of buildings of architectural/historic importance who had undertaken significant restoration measures for the preservation of such structures. Appropriately, the first award, in 1982, was given to the City of Kingston for the extensive restoration work to the exterior stonework of the City Hall. From 1982 to 2002, awards have been given for 62 projects representing 84 buildings.

To recognize and encourage preservation throughout the area traditionally encompassed by Frontenac County, as well as the City of Kingston, projects in rural areas are included. Also, projects representative of the commercial and institutional, as well as residential, elements of the community are usually included. Usually, three awards are given each year. However, in some years no awards have been given, in 2002 there were six awards. In recent years, the presentation of awards has been extended to architects, contractors and other persons, when they have had a significant involvement in the restoration program.

The award presentation ceremony normally takes place at a garden party (weather permitting) or indoor tea party and is usually accompanied by companion articles and photographs in local newspapers. It is the hope of the Foundation that the award presentations and accompanying publicity will not only give participating owners and others well-deserved recognition and personal satisfaction, but will also encourage the general public, especially owners of properties of architectural/historic importance, to take an active interest in the preservation of the local architectural and historic heritage.



The first FHF award certificate was given in 1982 to Kingston City Hall, where it hangs in the reception lobby.

Awards from 1982 to 2002

1982 at City Hall

- Kingston City Hall, 216 Ontario St, City of Kingston

1983 July 3 at the Cartwright House, 191 King St E.

- The Rochleau House, 70-72 Princess St, G. Edward Lloyd and Jean Marc Rapin
- 155 Princess at Bagot St, Leonard Dover
- Firehall Restaurant, 251 Ontario St, Leonard Dover

1984 Sept. 12 at the Cartwright House, 191 King St E.

- 38-40 Clarence St, Rose Richardson and Zal Yanovsky
- The Pugh House, 1 Baiden St, Jennifer McKendry
- The James Medley House, 230 James St, Barriefield, Robert Cardwell
- House, Village of Bellrock, George Richardson

1989 at the Cartwright House, 191 King St E.

- Polson Block, 263 Ontario St, Photos Liappas
- 92 Gore St, George and Patti Perlin
- 648 Rideau St: Mac Gervan and Rob McKnight
- The Anglican Diocesan Centre, 90 Johnson St., Diocese of Ontario

1990 Sept. 5 at the Hyland-Stanton House, 415 Regent St, Barriefield

- Reid Cottage, 48 Earl St, Gerald and Helen Finley
- 10-14 Rideau St, Richard Walker
- 529 Palace Rd, John Smith, John Haworth, and R.W. Southward

1991 Sept. 5 at the Cartwright House, 191 King St E.

- Otterburn, 124 Centre St, Beth Israel Synagogue
- Gildersleeve House, 264 King St E., Fenlon Financial Inc.
- 169 King St E., Graham Greenough
- Frame House, 267 Queen St, G. Edward Lloyd and Jean Marc Rapin
- Gibson Farm, west side highway 38 north of the 401, Kingston Township, Bob and Anne Fisher



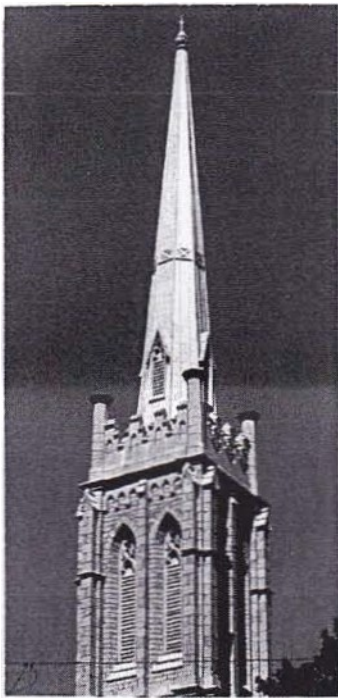
Reid Cottage, c.1880



The Gardiner House, 1819

1992 Sept. 15 at Otterburn, 124 Centre St

- 136 Princess St, Spindex Corp., Joan Milner
- 647 Princess St, Kingston Plate and Window Glass, John M. Billing
- Barn on Highway 2, Pittsburgh Twp., Hans and Marion Westenberg
- 254-6 Princess St, James Reid Furniture
- The Gardiner House, 9 Kennedy St, Barbara Pusch and Bruce Antliff



Sydenham Street United Church. 1851

- 1993** Sept. 8 at the Duttle Residence. 1960 Highway 2.
- 4255 Bath Rd, Stephen and Caryanne Arnold.
 - The McCallum Farmhouse, Hwy 15, Near Gore Rd., Pittsburgh Township, Greenwood Bros. Ltd.



McCallum Farmhouse, c. 1831

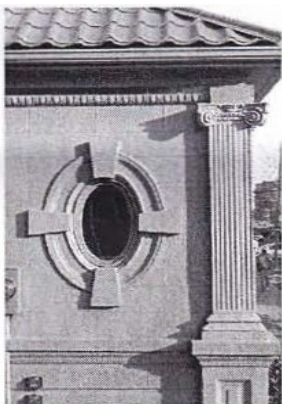
- Parkview House. 31 King St. E., Philip and Gabrielle Obreaunu.
- 150 William St., Filip Palda.
- 413 Regent St. Barriefield, David O'Toole and Catherine Hyett.
- 1 Beverley St.
- 117 King St., Richard Baird.
- 192 Ontario St., Richard Baird. Jim Colden and Nick Romeo
- Summerhill, Theological Hall, Carruthers Hall, Kingston Hall, Ontario Hall, Fleming Hall, Grant Hall, Gordon Hall, Nicol Hall, Douglas Library, Ban Righ Hall, Richardson Lab, Physical Education Centre, Miller Hall, Craine Building, Queen 's University.

- 1995** Sept.13 at St Helen's, 440 King St. W.
- 10 Drummond St, Barriefield, Ruth and Alan King
 - St Helen's, 440 King St W., Correctional Service of Canada
 - Murney House, 53 King St E., John Angus and Portia Leggat
 - 207 William St., Jeff Stafford
 - 20 Market St. Noreen Sharp-Lacklm
 - Rockwood Villa, 752 King St W., Province of Ontario

- 1996** June 19 at the Murney House, 53 King St. E.
- Church of the Good Thief, 743 King St. W., Roman Catholic Episcopal Corp.
 - Kingston Penitentiary, 555 King St. W., Correctional Services of Canada
 - Sydenham Street United Church, 82 Sydenham St., United Church of Canada
 - Beamish House, 2263 Princess St., Ernest A. Cromarty



Elizabeth Cottage, c. 1846



Architect's Office, 1909

- 1999** Nov. 27 at the Queen's University Club
- The Guitar Shop, 95 Clarence St, G. Edward Lloyd and Jean Marc Rapin
 - The British Whig Building, 306-10 King St E., Kincore Holdings Ltd.
 - The Brock Street Common, 63-7 and 78 Brock St, Kincore Holdings Ltd.
 - Elizabeth Cottage, 251 Brock St, Elizabeth Cottage Board of Directors.
 - Royal Artillery Park, 350 Bagot St, 1159647 Ontario Ltd, Giny Rosen.

- 2000** Nov. 26, at the Frontenac Club Inn, 225 King St E.
- St Paul's Anglican Church, Sydenham Village, St Paul's Anglican Church Congregation.
 - Chalmers United Church, 212 Barrie St, Chalmers United Church Congregation.
 - Architect's Office, 258 King St E., Fenlon Financial Inc.

- Hawthorn Cottage, Gore Rd and Hwy 15, City of Kingston, Pittsburgh Branch of the Kingston Public Library.
- Cupar Place, 12 Wellington St, Albert and Crista Fell.

2001 Dec. 9, at the Frontenac Club Inn, 225 King St E.

- Frontenac Club Inn, 225 King St E., Susan Shaw and Beare Weatherup.
- Sunnyside (South Roode Cottage), 50 Vandalay Cr., Bill Kingston and Kathleen Shea.
- Harrowsmith United Church, Harrowsmith, United Church Congregation

2002 Dec. 8 at the Frontenac Club Inn, 225 King St E.

- Victoria Public School (Goodes Hall), Union Street, Queen's University
- 64 College Street, Elizabeth Brown
- 2819 Railton Road, Claudine and Martin Rodenburg
- Tim Horton's, 312-14 Princess Street, Jay Abramsky
- Pan Chanco (the Commercial Bank), 44 Princess St, Rose Richardson & Zal Yanovsky
- St James Anglican Church, Union Street, the Congregation of St James Church
- **Lily Inglis, Architect, Life-time Achievement Award**

Awards from 2003 to 2012

	Heritage Sites	Recipients / addresses / etc.
2003	Queen Street United Church	Queen St. United congregation McCormick Rankin Corp., Kingston Roof Tile Management, Mississauga Anthony D. Barlow, Kingston
	Residence of Sandra & Wayne Moase	Sandra & Wayne Moase, Sharbot Lake David Hamilton, Sharbot Lake
2004	Our Lady of Sorrows Chapel	Sisters of Providence of St. Vincent de Paul
	Kgt. City Hall (stonework, roofing, window)	City of Kingston
	The Stone Frigate	Archibald Fraser,
	Murney Tower (stonework, new roof)	
	Neilson Store Museum & Cultural Centre, Amh.	
	St. Helen's Villa (removal of modern wing)	
2005	Gordon Hall, Queen's U.	Martin Tite of Griffiths Rankin Cook
	Hotel Dieu Svdendam St. entrance	Sherri McCullough from Vol. Services at HDH
	Ridout Row, RMC	Rav Zaback of Shoalts & Zaback
2006	326 University Ave.	J.G. Larochelle Drywall Corp.
	Fairfield House, Amherstview	Fairfield Homestead Heritage Assoc & Loyalist Twp.
	St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church	A. Santin Mason Contractor Ltd., McCormick Rankin
	226-232 Rideau St.	Marjan Mozetich, Bruce Downey, Elinor Rush, Michael Catlin
2007	The Pittsburg Inn, 236 James St. Barriefield, ON	Heidi Robinson and Edward Bergeron
	The Red Brick Building, Empire Life Insurance	The Empire Life Insurance Company Ernest A. Cromarty Architects Inc. Emmons & Mitchell Construction Limited
	Regency Cottage, 86 Main Street, Odessa, ON	R. Philip Smart, owner, David Doiron Carpenter
	The John Marks House, 232 Main St., Barriefield	Rick Powers and Patrick Powers Patrick Powers Construction

		Building Construction Internship Program. OECVI Kingston Municipal Heritage Committee (LACAC)
2008	The Grand Theatre. 66 Main Street. Renaissance Event Venue 272 Princess Street. 222 and 224 Rideau Street.	City of Kingston Joe and Maureen Brites 285 Queen Street Keystone Property Management Inc. Townhouses Kingston, Ontario
2009	The Prince George Hotel 44 Earl Street. Cooke's Fine Foods and Coffee. Burridge Cheese Factory. Joseph Forsythe Monument, St. Paul's Church 76 Mowat Avenue, "The Tannery Cottage"	Springer Group of Companies Helen and Gerald Finley Cooke's Raphael Karem and Tanvua Deacove Anglican Diocese of Ontario Nicholas Wooley and Ying Lee
2010	78-80 Princess Street. Limestone and Cast Iron Fence, Sydenham Street Neilson House, Stella, Amherst Island 212 King Street East	Rocksolid Group Rosemount Villa and Spa Dr. Brian and Janet Grace, Peggie-Coulter Burke and Robert Vanderhevden and Dr. Ian McKay
2011	Kingston City Hall, Visitor Info. Centre. Trailhead 218 King Street East. Willow Cottage, 97 Centre Street.	Conservation of Municipal Heritage Properties. 262 Princess Street. Robin Quantick and Laurie Davey-Quantick 189 King Street West - Henry and Caroline Avers Beth and Jim Leake
2012	Smith-Robinson Building Coffeeco The Red House Former Congregational Church Wall and Stuart Monument 294 Elliot Avenue	27 Princess Street, Doornekamp Construction, ABNA Investments, owner, Shoalts & Zaback, architects. 320-322 King Street East 269 King East - Dan Reid 126 Wellington Street - Kingston Terminal Properties Queen and Montreal Streets - Anglican Diocese of ON James Pittman, Contractor/owner, Ian Gavaghan, owner.