



Okanagan Heritage Museum
BC Wine Museum & VQA Wine Shop
BC Orchard Industry Museum
Okanagan Military Museum
Kelowna Public Archives
The Ursula Surtees Regional
Conservation Laboratory
Laurel Packinghouse Facility Rentals
Laurel Packinghouse Office Rentals

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BC Orchard Industry Museum

....& The Laurel Packinghouse

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Jasmine Marshall – Curatorial Assistant

Okanagan Military Museum

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Keith Boehmer – Curatorial Assistant
Teresa Boehmer – Collections Clerk

Mission and Values

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Mission

- ☐ To collect, purchase, catalogue, preserve, exhibit and interpret significant archival materials, works of art objects of technological, historical or cultural interest, geological, biological and paleontological specimens that focus on but are not restricted to the Okanagan Region;
- ☐ To promote a greater interest and awareness of the military, agricultural, wine-producing and cultural heritages of the Okanagan Region;
- ☐ To carry out and promote education and in-house research based on collections;
- ☐ To act as participants or consultants for historic and archaeological sites and surveys thereof;
- ☐ To procure by purchase, lease or otherwise or erect a suitable building or buildings in the City of Kelowna in the Province of British Columbia for a museum and archives; and
- ☐ To offer for sale, products for profit including, without limitation, alcoholic beverages provided that such profit be used to fund the operating expenses of the society pursuant to its purposes and pursuant to The Society Act of British Columbia.

Values

Accessibility to the collections entrusted to our care

Commitment to our mission

Excellence in products and services

Objectivity in presenting information

Responsible ethic in all matters

Historical Background



1930's – Boy Scouts troops and others begin to assemble museum collections

1951 – Incorporation of the Okanagan Museum & Archives Association

1967 – Kelowna Centennial Museum Building on Queensway

1976 – National Exhibition Centre Construction

1982 – Laurel Packinghouse restoration begins

1989 – BC Orchard Industry Museum opens

1996 – BC Wine Museum & VQA Wine Shop opens

2001 – Ursula Surtees Regional Conservation Lab is built

2006 – Okanagan Military Museum Integration

2007 – Brand Identity Launch

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Professional Affiliations



Canadian Museums Association



Canadian Association for Conservation



Archives Association of BC



BC Archival Information Network



Arts Council of the Central Okanagan



Volunteer Canada



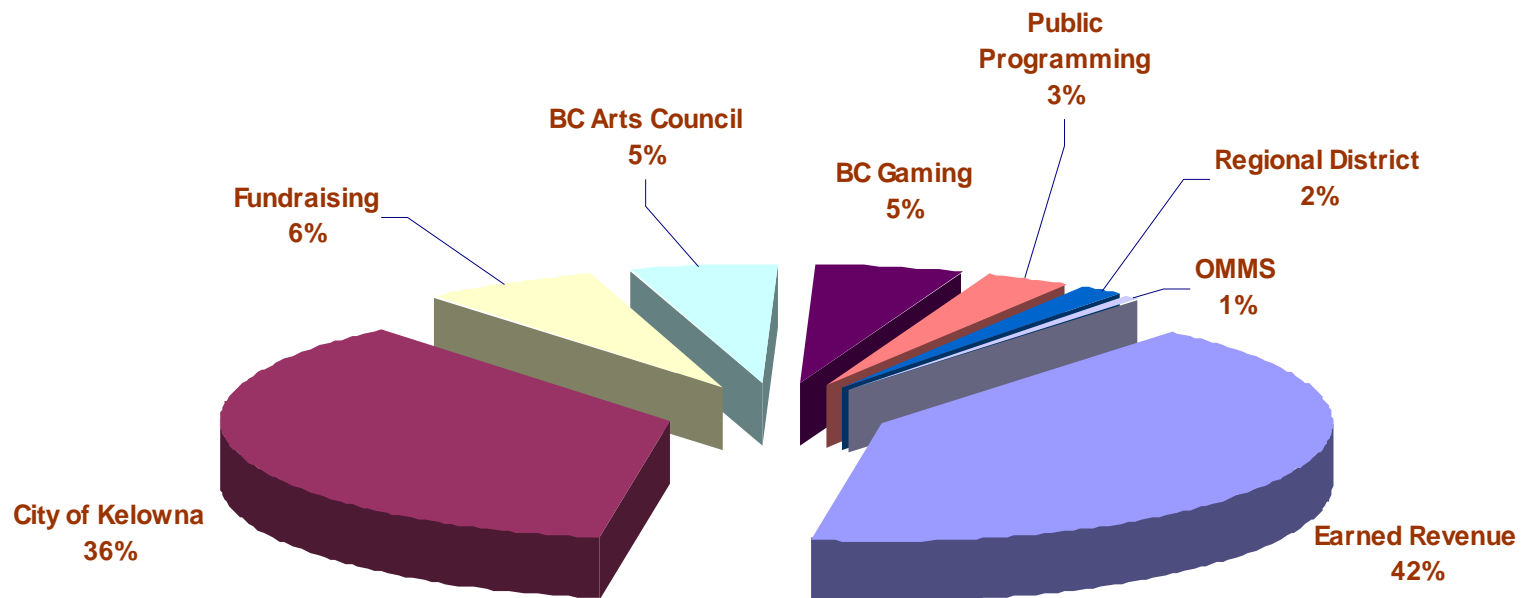
BC Human Resources Management Association



American Institute for Conservation of Historic & Artistic Works

Funding Partners





KMS 2006 Revenue

Heritage Services

What's with All These Symbols – May 6-December 07

Now Here's the Deal to Kitimat Nov 29, 2006 To Feb 22, 2007

Equus caballis – February 22, 2007 – June 16th, 2007

Eagle Staff – April 13, 2007

We Are Metis - June 21, 2007 – December 7th, 2007

Heritage Services

2005-2006 School Year

#Programs – 177

#Students – 5164

#Adults - 511

2006-2007 School Year

#Programs – 362

#Students – 8527

#Adults - 1106

A Year in Review
Innovative Programming – Public Programs

Heritage Services

Book Launches

Fine Wine & Terroir – December 2, 2006

Memories RCAF – 1941-1945 – February 22, 2007

Sun-rype - Deep Roots, Strong Branches – April 21, 2007

Special Events

Cherry Fair

UBC Apple Fair

Apple Fair

BC Wine Label Awards

Museum Writers Group

Book Launch Volumes 9 & 10

Regular Monthly Meetings

A Year in Review
Exceptional Collections - Archives

Public Inquires — genealogy, Student Research, media inquiries

Historic Photograph Service — interior design, personal use, tourism brochures

Research Services — legal inquiries, environmental studies, educational research (UBCO)

Business Development — land development, building names, planning/engineering co.

Other — private investigations, authors/publishers, Historical Societies and Agencies

A Year in Review Professionalism - Conservation

Public Art

Assessment and recommendations for 28 City owned Public Art installation

Guest member of Public Art Committee

Guisachan Fire Restoration Project

Heritage Team consultant

Conservation treatment of 28 framed pieces of fine art owned by Central Okanagan Heritage Society

Removal of historic wallpaper from Guisachan Heritage House vestibule

Consultation with other heritage specialists for reproduction wallpaper

Production of reproduction period wallpaper (from original wallpaper)

Kettle Valley Railway Archaeological Project

Consultation with professors at University of British Columbia, Okanagan

Teach university students about archaeological conservation

On-site excavation



Collaboration Project KMS, UBCO, CMC (Canadian Museum of Civilization)

Treatment of archaeological burial remains (cedar matting, ropes and basketry) from Greenville, British Columbia

Education

Workshops, information sessions and consultation with other regional museums, art institutions and the public

Hosting of numerous volunteers and interns

Challenges and Opportunities

Challenges

Staff recruitment and retention

Infrastructure support

- continuing maintenance of structures
- planning for growth

Community Expectations

Challenges and Opportunities

Opportunities

Growing Community

Central Okanagan

Okanagan Urban Region

Community Partnerships

Cultural District

Other Heritage and Cultural Agencies

Business Model

Staff & Volunteers

The Road Ahead

Exhibitions

Kelowna General Hospital Centennial Exhibition

Blown Glass

Centennial of First Okanagan Military Unit Organized

Public Programming

Docent Programming

Collections

Focused plan for Development

Archives

High Density Mobile Shelving

Conservation

Guisachan

Disaster Planning/Risk Management

Business Development

Fund Development Committee

Board

Policies & Practices

Your Kelowna Museums Society:

- **Leadership in Heritage**
- **Centre of Excellence**
- **Active in the City**

Bringing hard work and passion to our community's history.

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