



Dearest Museum Lover,

**NOVEMBERFEST**, the sixth annual Friends of the Museum Gala fundraising event will be held **Thursday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>** from **6:30 pm to 9:30 pm** at the **Fort Frances Museum & Cultural Centre**.

This year's event will feature live music from local musicians, silent auctions, games, an exhibit from the national Costume Museum, and socializing with beer, wine, and Oktoberfest themed hors d'oeuvres!

We are encouraging local businesses and individuals such as yourself to support your local museum by donating a unique item for our live auction or by joining us for the evening. Heck, if you'd like to do both, we won't stop you!

If you are interested in donating an auction item, please call Sherry or Lauren at the museum (274-7891) to make arrangements for pick up.

If you're keen on attending, dig into your tickle trunks and assemble your favourite costume from the last 150 years for a night that will surely go down in history or just come as you are- (museum patrons with open wallets are always welcome!).

Tickets cost **\$30** in advance and **\$35** at the door.

Tickets are available at the **Fort Frances Museum & Cultural Centre** and **From the Grind Up**.

Friends of the Museum is a non-profit group of volunteers which has been working over the past five years to raise funds for additional programming at the museum which go beyond its annual operating budget. This year the proceeds will go to the restoration of the Owandem boat.

Sincerely,

Robert Schulz

President,

Friends of the Fort Frances Museum