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The Ulverton Woolen Mill : History that is revived!

Ulverton, July 6th, 2008 – This year's summer season promises to be particularly attractive and eventful at the Ulverton Woolen Mill. The collection of machines for the transformation of wool has become even more impressive. Aswell, the Mill will now host the "Wednesdays with Songs" and will become alive with talent.

Discoveries and Challenges!

The machines were found in New England and brought back to Ulverton with great difficulty from their place of origin, these magnificent machines have lots to tell. Some machines keep in their depths the secrets of their functioning that they reveal bit by bit, by dint of perseverance. Restored and in working order, these machines come back to life to show the visitors the life of the workers of the mill at the beginning of the nineteen hundreds.

Whether it is the spinning mule, the carding machine, the twister or the reel, they are fascinating for their complexity and for the ingenuity of the men who built them. All the step of the transformation of wool is presented with realism that will send you back in time in an instant.

Throughout the visit, you will discover the conditions in which the workers lived and the whole site, the machines, the atmosphere will bring you into contact with the end of the 19th century, beginning of the 20th.

Songs for a break.

Something new this year at the Mill! *The Wednesdays with songs*. Every Wednesday evening for five weeks, new performers will be presented at the Mill. Throughout the season, we will have the chance to listen to Denis Côté, a folk singer, a tribute to Johnny Cash, a tribute to Joe Dassin, Steeve Desmarais and Mariette Croteau. Entrance is free!!! For more information concerning this weekly activity held from July 16th to August 20th, log on to our Web site www.moulin.ca.

The wool and lamb festival

Once again, this year, this activity for the whole family is held Thanksgiving weekend, October 11th and 12th, and finishes the season for the Mill. This festival is all about the world of wool. All the activities linked to this event can be found on our Web site.

The Mill: an activity to share.

This enchanting place welcomes its visitors for the Sunday brunches from 10 o'clock to 2 o'clock. On the terrace or inside, the brunch gives you a chance to have a nice time whether it's with family or friends. The trails, that get nicer and nicer as the years go by, are of a total length of 5 kilometers. We now offer visitors the possibility of buying lunch boxes to make their visit at the Mill even more enjoyable. It's a good occasion to use our picnic areas.

The Mill's boutique

The Mill invites its visitors to discover its shop where a number of hand-made crafts, a variety of local products and unique woolen articles can be found.

A visit of the Ulverton Woolen Mill: an unforgettable experience.

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