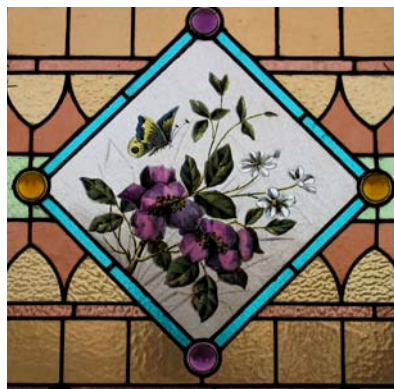


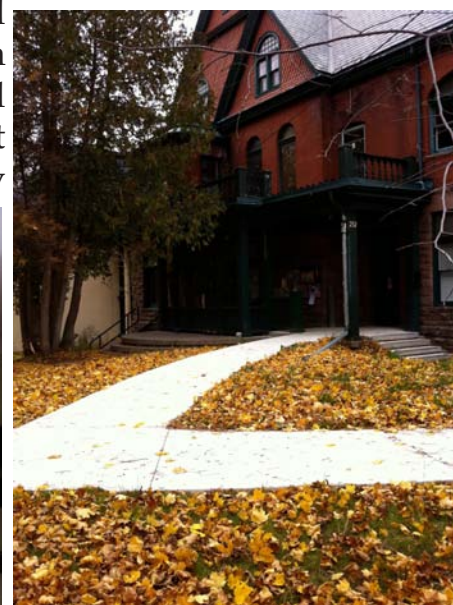
# The Sadleir House Newsletter

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## Sadleir House Accessibility Upgrades

We are pleased to report that upgrades to our facility to enable better physical accessibility were completed in September 2010. Funded by a grant from the Ontario Trillium Foundation, door openers were installed on both building entrances, the main floor washroom was outfitted with automatic door operators, a ramp was built for the south Porch Entrance, and a vertical incline platform lift was installed on the main floor stairs between the Link and the original House. With these additions, the entire first floor of Sadleir House is now physically accessible. The next stage of the project will be to begin investigations into making the second floor accessible through researching elevator and funding options.



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### Supporting Sadleir House

There are many ways that you can help Sadleir House:

#### Charitable Donations:

Please contact us if you are interested in making a charitable donation or gift-in-kind. Monetary donations can also be accepted online through our website.

#### Amazon.ca

If you purchase from Amazon.ca, please consider using our portal books.sadleirhouse.ca; we receive a percentage of all sales in Amazon Giftcards which we use to purchase new resources for the Sadleir House Library.

#### Volunteer!

Rent us for your next event!

Thank you to all of our supporters!

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# Library Collection Grows thanks to Theatre Trent

Thanks to a grant of \$800 from Theatre Trent, the Sadleir House Library Collection has grown to include works on theatre production such as lighting, sound, costuming, script analysis, stage management, and more. Sadleir House is very grateful for the grant as it allows our library to continue its mission of supporting not only undergraduate student work but also supporting the work of student groups.

The Sadleir House Library is part of the Alternative Libraries @ Trent initiative (ALTi) and is catalogued online at <http://library.sadleirhouse.ca/>

## Grounds Master Plan & Organisational Planning

Over the last eight months, Sadleir House has been working with Scott Donovan of Trevelyan Architect and Michael McGuire, Landscape Architect, to develop a comprehensive Grounds Conceptual Site Design that will act as a Master Plan for development of the Sadleir House property over the next ten to fifteen years. Launched as part of addressing the aging George Street fence, the Board is very pleased with the results and will be crafting a fundraising campaign to work toward implementation of the plan. More information about the over all Grounds plan will be presented at the Annual General Meeting as part of the Annual Report (see following page) and the fundraising campaign will be forthcoming in the next few months.

The Sadleir House Board has also begun a long-term planning process. Over the months to come, Sadleir House will be evaluating its activities, conducting surveys, analysing usage statistics, and consulting with our user groups to better position ourselves to meet the goals of the House. A website for the planning process has been setup at: <http://www.sadleirhouse.ca/planning.shtml>

### Sadleir House In Brief

#### WEBSITE UPGRADES

The Sadleir House website at [www.sadleirhouse.ca](http://www.sadleirhouse.ca) has undergone a renovation and has been upgraded to include a new layout and more content. The new layout will make it easier for visitors to our digital home to find the information they are looking for.

#### NEW TENANTS

Sadleir House is pleased to  
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welcome new tenants to the building. Mysterious Entity ([www.mysteriousentity.com](http://www.mysteriousentity.com)) now finds home in Room 305; Marisa Barnhart, MSW, RSW ([www.marisabarnhart.ca](http://www.marisabarnhart.ca)) joins us in Room 204; the Peterborough Student Co-operative ([www.trentcoop.ca](http://www.trentcoop.ca)) can be found in Room 208, and Living in Colour (<http://gracemahoney.ca/>) will soon be calling Room 302 home.

#### NEWSLETTER DELAYS

Sadleir House wants to apologise for delays in sending out its newsletter over the past year. With busier than expected usage of the building, our staff have been focussing on other items to the detriment of our newsletter. We can assure you that from now on, we'll be certain to get the newsletter published on time!

# The Seventh Annual General Meeting

The Seventh Annual General Meeting of the P. R. Community & Student Association (Sadleir House Facility) will be occurring on Saturday 26 March 2011, at 2pm in the Hobbs Memorial Library here at Sadleir House. The tentative agenda is as follows:

- 1) Call to Order: President's Opening Remarks and Setting of the Agenda
- 2) Motion to approve the minutes of the last Annual General Meeting held on 10 March 2010.
- 3) Presentation of the 2010 Annual Report.
- 4) Presentation of the Financial Statements for the One Year Ending 31 August 2010 & Appointment of the Accounting Agent for the next fiscal year.
- 5) Motion to Confirm all Resolutions of the Board.
- 6) Report of the Nominating Committee and the Election of Directors.

As provided by the by-laws of PRCSA, the Nominating Committee is charged with recruiting nominees to fill vacancies on the Board, who taken together reflect a balance of skills and aptitude, of experience and passion for the aims and objects of PRCSA, of those who are instrumental and those who are thoughtful, without regard to sex, occupation, or any other characteristic prohibited by the Human Rights Code of Canada for consideration by the membership. The Nominees are:

**Agata Durkalec (S-1Yr), Chris Hall (S-2Yr), John Muir (C-2Yr), Matthew Rappolt (S-2Yr), Helen Wallis (C-2Yr), And Sheldon Willerton (S-1Yr).**

Further nominations may be made by any seven (7) members in good standing by delivering a nomination paper signed by them to the Secretary of PRCSA not later than forty-eight (48) hours before the annual meeting. Proper delivery shall be deemed to have been executed if a duly executed nomination paper is received by 2pm, Thursday, 24 March 2011 at the PRCSA Office, Room 103, 751 George Street North, by a responsible PRCSA representative. Elections shall be by show of hands except on contention or request by another member present, in which case election shall be by written ballot.

The affairs of PRCSA shall be managed by a Board of seven (7) directors, each of whom at the time of her/his election and throughout her/his term of office shall be a member of PRCSA. In addition, each Director must be, eighteen years of age or older; capable of conduct which is that of passionate disinterest, divesting themselves of self-interest or private advantage; and not normally employed by PRCSA. Taken together, the Board shall be balanced at all times. A majority of the Board shall be enrolled as a student of Trent University at the time of their election. A Director's term of office shall expire at the second Annual General Meeting after the Director's election [...] so as to allow for staggered terms of office for Directors.

- 7) Any Other Business
- 8) Motion to adjourn.

The definitive agenda, reports, and all information pertaining to the Annual General Meeting can be obtained online at:

<http://www.sadleirhouse.ca/agm.shtml>

## Membership Information

You can help support the activities of Sadleir House by becoming a member. Membership fees are used to help support the operational costs of the building as well as for use in producing publications such as the Sadleir House newsletter and the Annual Report. Members are also eligible to serve on Sadleir House working groups & committees, run for positions on the Board of Directors, and will have a special role to play in our future programmes.

Regular Membership . . . . \$25 (1 yr.)\*  
Sustaining Membership . . . . \$75 (1 yr.)  
Lifetime Membership . . . . \$1,000 (forever!)

Lifetime and Sustaining members receive printed copies of the Sadleir House newsletter, annual reports, and all other publications in addition to special recognition in Sadleir House publications.

*\*All full-time undergraduate students of Trent University are Regular Members, paid as part of their student organisation fees.*

### ***P. R. Community & Student Association (Sadleir House Facility) Membership Form***

( ) *New Membership*                      ( ) *Renewal*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Salutation (Ms., Mr., etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Prov: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Other:

- ( ) *I do not wish my name published in relation to my membership\**
- ( ) *Please do not send me print materials, I prefer all correspondence via email*
- ( ) *I prefer not to be contacted, please do not send me any extraneous information*

*In addition to my membership of \$ \_\_\_\_\_, enclosed please find an additional donation of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Charitable tax receipts will be provided for all additional donations; Membership fees are not eligible for a tax receipt).*

*Please include a cheque or money order made payable to the P. R. Community & Student Association.*

*Membership forms or letters containing the same requested information should be sent to:  
751 George Street North, Peterborough, Ontario, K9H 3T2*

*\*The P. R. Community & Student Association will not share or sell membership information to third parties.*