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CHURCH-WELLESLEY VILLAGE BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA

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NOTIFICATION OF STREET CLOSURE

3:00 pm Saturday, October 4, 2008 to 8 am Sunday, October 5 2008

Dear Residents and Businesses in the vicinity of Church Street (between Gloucester Street and Alexander Street).

Once again, the village will be hosting "nuit blanche in the village" in association with the city wide celebration of Scotiabank nuit blanche. This year our village celebration is entitled *The Ethereal Forest*. **The following streets will be closed from 3:00pm Saturday October 4 to 8:00am on Sunday, October 5 2008.** The event will run from 7pm on October 4th to 7am October 5th.

- **Church Street from the *south* side of Wellesley to the *north* side of Alexander.**
- **Church Street from the *north* side of Wellesley to the *south* side of Gloucester.**
- **Maitland Street from the west side of Church to 100' west.**
- **Maitland Street from the east side of Church to 100' east.**

Part of our goal with this evening is to celebrate art and bring awareness to the village and its merchants. We intend to promote and encourage the public and the community members to come dressed for the theme and take part in the creation of various art forms which will be present.

Attention: Monteith Street Residents:

You will not have access to Monteith Street to or from Church during the event's hours of operation. However, an assigned police escort will be provided in order for you to gain access to and from this street. The police will escort your vehicle from Monteith to Dundonald Street when exiting the area and from Dundonald to Monteith upon your return.

General Public Notification:

Signs will be placed and posted along Church Street notifying residents of the road closure to traffic and that businesses will be open, one (1) week prior to the event. Paid duty officers will be on hand during the Fair in order to facilitate traffic flow and ensure residential and business access during the event as well as participant safety.

Parking:

Our plan for parking is as follows: Parking would be accessible off of Maitland Street between Yonge and Jarvis Streets. Vehicular traffic would be allowed access through Wellesley Street.

The Church-Wellesley Village BIA appreciates your support and patience of our efforts and would like to take this opportunity to thank you on behalf of the members of the Church-Wellesley Village BIA