

From: Denise Harris <denise.harris@sympatico.ca>
To: <etcc@toronto.ca>
Date: 2/25/2013 11:44 am
Subject: EYCC Meeting February 26 - Item EY 22.5 re 28 Daisy Avenue
Attachments: Oldest Houses in Etobicoke Brochure Master.docx

To all member of the Etobicoke York Community Council:

I am writing on behalf of the Etobicoke Historical Society in support of the request to Designate under the Ontario Heritage Act the property at 28 Daisy Avenue in the Long Branch area of Etobicoke.

The original application to designate this property was made by the Etobicoke Historical Society, and the report of Heritage Preservation Services unreservedly supports our rationale.

In addition to the Staff Report, I would like to point out that this is the oldest building of any type remaining in the former community of Long Branch. In addition, it is one of the oldest houses and oldest buildings remaining in all of the former City of Etobicoke. I have attached a brochure I created for the Etobicoke Historical Society which includes photos of the 13 oldest homes in Etobicoke, and you can see that 28 Daisy Avenue is about the 5th or 6th oldest home. While all of the 13 homes in this brochure are on the City of Toronto's Inventory of Heritage Properties, only the first four homes are protected by a Designation. We strongly support making 28 Daisy Avenue the 5th to be Designated.

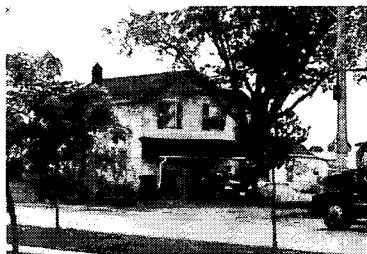
Denise Harris

Heritage Officer

Etobicoke Historical Society

www.etobicokehistorical.com

416-621-6006



**2095 CODLIN CRESCENT
CLAIREVILLE TOLLHOUSE**
Built 1854-5



**3904 BLOOR STREET WEST
JOHN & ISABELLA WARD FARM**
Built ca. 1856

We'd welcome having you as a member! To join, simply send a cheque payable to the "Etobicoke Historical Society" to the address on the front of this brochure, including your full name(s), address, phone number and mail address.

Membership Categories & Annual Dues:

Individual	\$25
Family/Dual	\$35
Institution/Organization	\$20

ETOBICOKE'S OLDEST HOMES



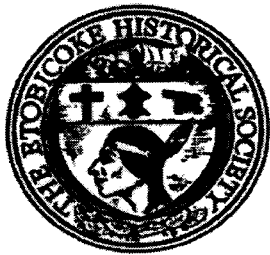
**1078 KIPLING AVENUE
JOHNSTON FAMILY FARM**
Built ca. 1855

The Etobicoke Historical Society has been a vital part of the community since 1958. Our members have the opportunity to:

- Learn more about the history of Etobicoke and keep in touch with changes taking place.
- Come out to hear fascinating guest speakers and socialize at historic Montgomery's Inn.
- Receive our dynamic, informative newsletter, *The Aldernews*, which provides details on upcoming meetings and includes a wide variety of historical articles (7 issues/year.)
- Get involved in projects preserving Etobicoke's heritage for the future.
- Enjoy free general admission to Montgomery's Inn Museum and 10% off purchases in their gift shop.
- Gain a little balance and perspective in their hectic modern-day lives.

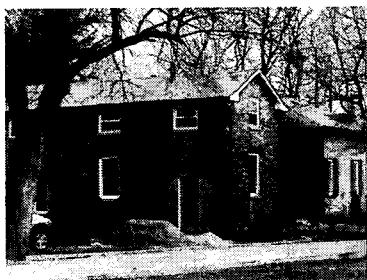
Presented by the
**ETOBICOKE
HISTORICAL SOCIETY**
Founded in 1958

WHY NOT JOIN US?

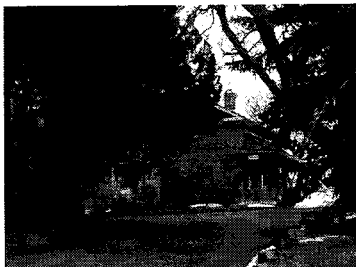


c/o Montgomery's Inn
4709 Dundas Street West
Etobicoke, Ontario
M9A 1A8

www.etobicokehistorical.com



72 OLD BURNHAMTHORPE RD.
SAMUEL & ANN MERCER FARM
Built ca. 1820-30



190 RATHBURN ROAD
BIGHAM/AGAR FARM
Built ca. 1840



18 GREAT OAK DRIVE

JOHN MOORE FARM
Built 1842-50



28 DAISY AVENUE
RICHARD & LUCY NEWBORN FARM
Built 1847-52



59 BEAVER BEND CRESCENT
ANDREW & MARTHA COULTER FARM
Built pre-1852

19 JASON ROAD (foreground) – Built pre-1820
23 JASON ROAD (at rear) – Built 1834
JOHN GRUBB FARM “ELMBANK”



**35 DANIELS STREET
NOBLE/DANIELS FARM
Built ca. 1850-60**



**125 KINGSWAY CRESCENT
JOHN BERRY HOUSE
Built ca. 1853**



**322 LAROSE AVENUE
DANIEL & CAROLINE LAROSE FARM
Built 1852-60**