



**The United Empire Loyalists' Association of Canada
St. Lawrence Branch**



New & Returning Members Application Form

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FULL NAME

ADDRESS

PHONE NUMBERS & EMAIL ADDRESS

IF APPLYING FOR FAMILY MEMBERSHIP PLEASE INCLUDE SPOUSE & CHILDREN'S NAMES OF THOSE TO BE INCLUDED.

LOYALIST ANCESTOR(S) (Optional. You do not have to be a Loyalist descendant to become a member)

1. **Annual Membership fees** (member of UELAC in general and your local branch): Individual Membership \$50; Family Membership \$65 for two persons and \$5 for each additional family member. Annual memberships are from January 1 to December 31.
2. **Branch Membership** (UELAC members who have paid their membership dues with another branch can also be a member of the St. Lawrence Branch by paying an annual fee): \$10 individual or \$15 for household.
3. **"Friend of the St. Lawrence Branch"** (Non-members) subscription to the branch newsletter for an annual fee of \$15.
4. All information collected is kept confidential.
5. Only Regular, Affiliate and Associate Members of the UELAC are full members. See website for more information.
6. If you would like to have membership cards mailed to you please add \$1 for postage.

Make cheque payable to "St. Lawrence Branch UELAC" and send this form & payment to the Treasurer at the address listed above. Interac E-transfer is also available by contacting Michael Eamer, Treasurer, at eamermc@yahoo.com. **See the Benefits of Membership on the flip side of this form.**

Benefits of Membership:

- **Subscription to [The Loyalist Gazette](#)**, the official magazine of the UELAC, published bi-annually (twice a year).
- **Subscription to [The Royal Yorker](#)**, the newsletter of the UELAC St. Lawrence Branch, published quarterly (four times a year).
- **Visit the Loyalist Resource Centre (LRC)**, within the Dundas County Archives, in Iroquois, ON at 5 College Street for research about your Loyalist ancestors and UE certificate applications. Genealogists are available to assist with research and certificates from Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and Saturday 9:00 a.m. to noon.
- **UE Certificate:** Descendants of Loyalists have the right to append the initials “U.E.” at the end of their names. This originates from a 1789 proclamation issued by Governor Guy Carleton (Lord Dorchester). UELAC has a certification program where Branch members, after submitting the appropriate genealogical documentation and form, can receive a certificate confirming their Loyalist ancestry. Members work with Branch genealogists to verify this ancestral connection. Genealogists provide direction and guidance and help with the research. The fee for each certificate is \$45.
- **Receive the latest news about and participate in** our Branch meetings, projects, events and activities. Members are welcome to attend any Branch meeting, as many times as they wish.
- **The Branch has four gatherings a year** which you are encouraged to attend: **Spring AGM** (April/May); **Summer picnic** (June/July); **Annual Autumn banquet** “charter night” (Sept. /Oct.); and the **Late Autumn Meeting** (Oct. /Nov.).