

### PUBLIC INVITATION



## Plaque Ceremony - Loyalist Burial Site

The Loyalists were the first non-Indigenous people to settle our region in 1784, following the American Revolutionary War. Here they built the foundation of modern Ontario. The United Empire Loyalists' Association of Canada (St. Lawrence Branch) erects plaques to commemorate our local Loyalist burial sites. The next plaque unveiling will take place on the following day and location:

# June 14<sup>th</sup> 2020 at 2:00

### POINT IROQUOIS CEMETERY

6013 Carman Road (adjacent to the Iroquois Lock), Iroquois, ON

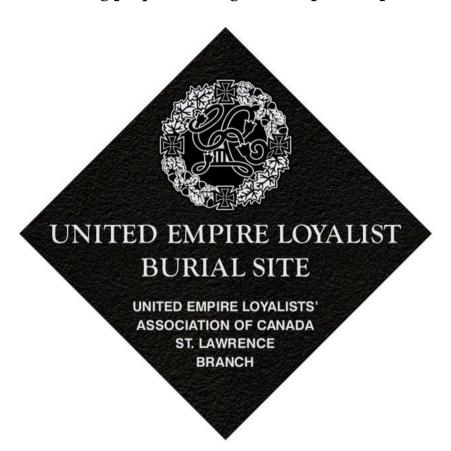
The ceremonies will occur, rain or shine. In case of rain, the ceremony will take place at Riverview Presbyterian Church, 22 Church Ave., Iroquois, ON. Everyone is welcome!

For more information, please consult our branch website: <u>uelac.org/st-lawrence/</u>

United Empire Loyalists' Association of Canada (St. Lawrence Branch)

#### LOYALIST BURIAL GROUND PROJECT

Beneath the ground, in numerous cemeteries located in Stormont, Dundas & Glengarry (SD&G), lie the mortal remains of Loyalists: The men and women who supported the Crown during the American Revolutionary War (1775-1783). The St. Lawrence Branch launched a project, in 2018, to formally recognize these locations. Its mandate: To identify and confirm the locations, and to erect enduring plaques to recognize the special importance of these sites.



A selected list of local cemeteries that contain Loyalist burials: Trinity Anglican Cemetery, Cornwall; St. Andrew's-Knox United Cemetery, Bainsville; St. John's Presbyterian Cemetery, Cornwall; St. Andrew's Presbyterian Cemetery, Williamstown; St. Andrew's R.C. Cemetery, St. Andrew's West; Salem United Cemetery, Summerstown; Faulkner Settlement Cemetery, South Lancaster; St. Raphael's R.C. Cemetery, St. Raphael's; Maple Grove Cemetery, Cornwall; St. John's Anglican Cemetery, Crysler; Iroquois Point Cemetery, Iroquois.