

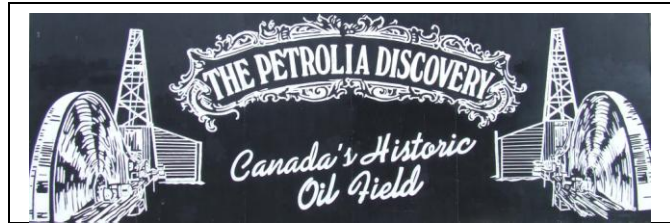
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**Petrolia
Discovery**

Oil Field History...in Action.



A modern day oil baroness... was announced on Fri., Jan. 11, 2008 with the draw for the Petrolia Discovery's fundraising Black Gold Raffle. She is Dorothy Oana, from Sarnia, Ont. The winning ticket was drawn by Pat Davidson, MPP for Lambton. A dinner/theatre play presentation of "Oil Days" by the Petrolia Community Theatre (PCT) was part of the evening. The play, written by PCT member Carol Graham, condensed 150 years of oil history in the Petrolia and Oil Springs area, into 30 minutes and included several lively songs eg. "Oil on the Brain". Everyone in attendance enjoyed a delicious buffet dinner catered by Normand Piquette. The Board of Directors appreciates the support shown to Petrolia Discovery by everyone who purchased a Black Gold Raffle ticket and those who attended this event.



The Petrolia Discovery Foundation Inc. and many volunteers have worked diligently to increase 2007's fundraising activities. A "Secret Santa", an anonymous donor, matched donations given during a 2 ½ week period prior to year end. The money raised will continue to offset operations costs and to fund restoration projects. Thank you to everyone who participated! Just a reminder: receipts are available for all charitable donations made throughout the year, as well as in memorium gifts.

Recently, a group of photography enthusiasts formed the Petrolia Photography Club. Meetings will be held monthly, usually at Petrolia Discovery. Anyone interested in joining and learning more about digital photography, please phone 882 – 3575.

Up and Coming Events:

Fri. April 4 – Spring Clean-up day at Discovery
Help is needed – please contact Carolyn 882-3575
Thurs. May 15 – AGM
Sun. June 15 – Annual Classic Car Show

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