



Old Cemeteries Society

The Old Cemeteries Society is having a ZOOM meeting this coming Sunday, November 27th at 2:00 pm.

With John Adams:

Captains of Industry. In spite of its fame as a city of gardens, until the 1960s, Victoria was a gritty, smoky, noisy place, filled with industries. Numerous sawmills, foundries, shipyards, paint factories, brickyards and even cigar factories lined the harbour and surrounding areas. Many of the people who owned these businesses or worked in them are buried at Ross Bay Cemetery. John Adams will discuss the industries, the owners, employees and their graves in this illustrated Zoom presentation. Sunday November 27, 2022 at 2:00 pm.

The link to the Zoom meeting is: [LINK](#).

All are welcome but please log in early to allow time for the moderator to allow you access.



WELCOME *to* OUR ARCHIVES

You are invited to our Esquimalt Municipal Archives open house

10 a.m. – 2 p.m. | Wednesday November 23 | 103-1249 Esquimalt Road

Visit our new, temporary archives space! This new space is our public facing archives reference room. It is a space for researchers, students, and community members to both share and learn about the municipal history of our community.

- See if we have a photo of your house, street, or neighbourhood;
- Learn about joining the Archives volunteer team;
- Donate photographs or letters of a community event, family member or house;
- Check out the Esquimalt Archive's online database.

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Learn more: 250-412-8540 | esquimalt.ca/archives

Esquimalt Archives, now located at 103 - 1249 Esquimalt Road will have an OPEN HOUSE tomorrow, Wednesday, November 23, 2022 from 10 am to 2 pm. to show their new space. Drop in and learn about Esquimalt's colourful history.

**Reminder - John Adams & Chinese Victoria -
Dec 7, 2022**

December 7, 2002 for the talk by historian John Adams .

Please join with John Adams and the Hallmark Heritage Society as we hold our first major meeting since COVID.

At 7pm, on Wednesday, December 7th, we shall meet at the James Bay New Horizons Centre, 234 Menzies Street, as John Adams, author of *Chinese Victoria: A Long and Difficult Journey*, for an illustrated talk about the buildings of Chinatown, from the gold-rush era to the present day. Discover how wooden structures gradually gave way to brick ones, and some of the earliest brick structures were replaced by bigger ones. Find out about the changing architectural styles, civic bylaws that had an impact on Chinatown's built environment and its social patterns, and some of the architects who designed Chinatown's surviving heritage infrastructure. The talk will focus on past developments but will also trace the conservation movement that affected Chinatown as early as the 1960s and continues to today.

Please Click this [LINK](#) to book your ticket

Tea, coffee and treats will be available.

Please bring a contribution to the Refreshments Table



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