



PROCLAMATION

**The Corporation of the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake
Proclaims the Week June 20 to June 26, 2021**

“UNITED EMPIRE LOYALIST WEEK”

WHEREAS Niagara-on-the-Lake was the cradle of Loyalist settlement and the home of one of the most famous Loyalists, Colonel John Butler; and,

WHEREAS the Ontario Legislature in recognition of the contributions that the United Empire Loyalists and their descendants made and continue to make to the development of Ontario, passed an Act on December 18th, 1997, proclaiming June 19th as United Empire Loyalist Day in Ontario.

THEREFORE Be it resolved that I, Lord Mayor Betty Disero of The Corporation of the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake, do hereby declare the week of Saturday, June 20th to Saturday, June 26, 2021 “United Empire Loyalist Week” in the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake.

Betty Disero

Lord Mayor Betty Disero

Loyalist Day 2021 in Niagara-on-the-Lake

Col. John Butler Branch's Loyalist Day Flag raising in Niagara on the Lake (NOTL) was held on Saturday 19 June 2021.

Dale Flagler worked on this project for months. He lives in Niagara Falls, NY and due to the Covid restrictions was unable to cross the border to attend.

Attendance was extremely limited of course because the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake remains under a state of emergency as you can see by the masking and distancing in the pictures.



The Lord Mayor of NOTL, Betty Disero and Niagara Falls M.P., Tony Baldinelli attended with Past President Carol Clifford', Elizabeth Oliver-Malone and yours truly.

Beth Audet, Executive Assistant & Communications Officer to the Lord Mayor & CAO, Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake was really helpful; she is not in the pictures because she took them. She made the arrangements with Dale, made sure everything ran smoothly and took the pictures and sent them to Dale. Beth, even brought her lovely dog who was amazing!

We attracted a lot of attention!!

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