



# Township of South Stormont Heritage Register

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**Historical Significance of Property:** Zina Hill Barbershop from the lost village of Moulinette. This original building was purchased by Harold Fickes, former deputy-reeve for the Township of Cornwall, at the time of the Seaway and Hydro Project, for ten dollars, and was moved to his farm north of Moulinette on the Second Concession. The building was then passed on to Bob and Sherry Lyons, who donated it in 1997 to the Lost Villages Historical Society. Mr. Hill's "one-and-only" barber's chair stands in the shop, as well as a replica of his illuminated sign and his barber's pole. This building provides an authentic look at a barber shop from a time and place that no longer exists. (Lostvillages.ca)

**Address of Property:** Ault Park – Fran Laflamme Drive, Long Sault, ON K0C 1P0

**Legal Description:** PLAN 293 PT BLK A 16355 AULT; PARK RD 16358 AULT PARK RD; 16361 AULT PARK RD 16380; AULT PARK RD

**Name/Address of Owners:** Township of South Stormont (former Cornwall Township)

**Listed/Designated:** Designated

**Date of Construction:** 1920

Ault Park & Museum Complex - Zina Hill Barber Shop



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**Historical Significance of Property:** The McLeod Log House is built of hand-hewn logs, set horizontally, dove-tailed and chinked. In 1984, the house was dismantled and moved to Ault Park, where it was rebuilt by volunteer members of The Lost Villages Historical Society. (Lostvillages.ca)

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**Listed/Designated:** Designated

**Date of Construction:** 1840

Ault Park & Museum Complex – McLeod Log House



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**Historical Significance of Property:** Ault Park is a park on the St. Lawrence River in the Township of South Stormont, near Long Sault, Ontario, Canada. Originally on Sheek's Island, the park was built on family property donated to the Township of Cornwall by Levi Addison Ault. The original site of Ault Park on Sheek Island was also the site of an important archaeological excavation between 1956 and 1958, before the island and dig site were permanently submerged under 14-feet of water for the construction of the St. Lawrence Seaway. (Wikipedia)

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**Listed/Designated:** Designated

**Date of Construction:** 1958

Ault Park & Museum Complex – Ault Park



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**Historical Significance of Property:** The Moulinette Station was erected 1910 through the lobbying efforts of Mr. John G. Snetsinger, Member of Parliament for Stormont County, 1896-1900. The station served passengers on the Grand Trunk/Canadian National Railway at Moulinette, Ontario. It received passengers, mail, and goods via the Moccasin train on its runs between Brockville and Montreal. The Moulinette Station was donated to The Lost Villages Historical Society by Mrs. Olive Alguire, widow of Elgin. (Lostvillages.ca)

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**Listed/Designated:** Designated

**Date of Construction:** 1910

Ault Park & Museum Complex – Moulinette Railway Station



**Historical Significance of Property:** The Ernie McDonald Blacksmith Shop was originally built on the J. McDonald farm, Lot 1, Concession 3, Township of Cornwall. Interior evidence reveals that this structure was once a dwelling, or part of a dwelling, estimated to have been built circa 1850. Partially planked walls, some of which were originally lined with brick, surround the single room, which served the blacksmith trade. (Lostvillages.ca)

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**Listed/Designated:** Designated

**Date of Construction:** 1850

Ault Park & Museum Complex – Ernie McDonald Blacksmith Shop



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**Historical Significance of Property:** The Corn Crib, built circa 1860, was not from one of the lost villages. It was originally on the J. Fulton farm, Lot 37, Concession 5, Township of Cornwall, which was just north of Moulinette. It is typical of corn cribs of the period and is constructed from sawn planks over a frame of hewn and rough timber. It has a steep-pitched roof and slanted sides, which allowed the rain to run off away from the building, keeping the corn dry. (Lostvillages.ca)

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**Listed/Designated:** Designated

**Date of Construction:** 1860

Ault Park & Museum Complex – Corn Crib





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**Historical Significance of Property:** The Manson/Lapierre Store or the “General Store”, as it was commonly known as, is an example of a typical working general store from any of the “lost villages”. This building was originally part of a barn until Howard Manson moved and converted it into a store, in 1928, which he ran for a decade. The cash register on the counter came from Markell’s Store in Wales and was a working cash register for the store until 2001 and remains as a genuine artifact on display. The clock on the wall is stopped at 8:00 am., the exact time that the cofferdam between Sheek’s and Barnhart islands was blown up. (Lostvillages.ca)

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**Listed/Designated:** Designated

**Date of Construction:** 1928

Ault Park & Museum Complex – Howard Manson/George Lapierre Grocery Store



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**Historical Significance of Property:** Was opened as a schoolhouse in 1870 and served the residents in school section #17 until 1950. The original floor bears the marks of the shoes of many children who were educated in this institution, and the original box-stove commands a position in the center of the classroom.  
(Lostvillages.ca)

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**Listed/Designated:** Designated

**Date of Construction:** 1869

Ault Park & Museum Complex – S.S. # 17  
Schoolhouse



**Historical Significance of Property:** The Sandtown Advent Christian Church was originally built as an Orange Lodge, circa 1860, on Lot 22, Concession 8, Township of Osnabruck. The Advent Christian faith began worshipping in this building in 1890. The Sandtown Advent Christian Church was originally built as an Orange Lodge, circa 1860, on Lot 22, Concession 8, Township of Osnabruck. The Advent Christian faith began worshipping in this building in 1890. (Lostvillages.ca)

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Ault Park & Museum Complex – Orange Lodge/Sandtown Advent Christian Church

**Name/Address of Owners:** Township of South Stormont (former Cornwall Township)

**Listed/Designated:** Designated



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**Historical Significance of Property:** The Stuart Home, originally from Wales, was owned by Dr. James Stuart, a surgeon in the King's Royal Regiment of New York. Dr. Stuart had received a land grant of five hundred acres in the Township of Osnabruk in 1783. It was on this land that the Stuart home was built circa 1810, and five generations of Stuarts lived in this home on the Stuart tract, between 1810 and 2003. In 1957, the home had to be relocated to higher ground at the north end of the Stuart tract due to the flooding which would be taking place as a result of the Seaway and Hydro Project. The home was donated in 2004. (Lostvillages.ca)

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**Listed/Designated:** Designated

**Date of Construction:** circa 1810

Ault Park & Museum Complex – Stuart House



**Historical Significance of Property:** Simon Fraser, this famous fur trader and explorer, son of a Loyalist officer, was born in what is now Vermont and came to Canada in 1784. He entered the fur trade with the North West Company in 1792 and in 1805 was placed in charge of operations west of the Rocky Mountains. In 1808, while searching for a water route to the Pacific, Fraser descended the turbulent river which bears his name. The skill and daring required to traverse those 800 km with their violent whirlpools and rapids make this feat one of the most outstanding in the exploration of Canada. Retiring from the Company in 1817, he settled on this property where he farmed and operated mills. (waymarking.com)

**Address of Property:** County Rd 18 & Concession 6, St. Andrews West

**Legal Description:** CORNWALL CON 5 PT LOTS 19; AND 20 CON 6 PT LOTS 19 AND; 20 AND RP 52R8086

**Name/Address of Owners:** Township of South Stormont (former Cornwall Township)

**Listed/Designated:** Designated

**Date of Construction:** N/A

Site of Simon Fraser's Mills



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**Historical Significance of Property:** When the Parish soon outgrew the log church and work on this second church started in 1798. Built in 1801 across the street from the old church this building is currently used as the Parish Hall. Much of the contributions towards this new church came from partners of the Northwest Fur Trade company who included Simon Fraser.

(<http://www.cornwalltwphistorical.ca/Tour.html>)

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**Address of Property:** County Rd 18 & Highway 138, St. Andrews

**Legal Description:** CON 5 N PT LOT 13  
RP52R4278

**Name/Address of Owners:** The Catholic  
Diocese of Alexandria-Cornwall

**Listed/Designated:** Designated

**Date of Construction:** 1801

Old St. Andrew's Roman Catholic Church (Parish  
Hall)



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**Historical Significance of Property:** The cemetery in St. Andrews West, along with its church, is one of the oldest in Ontario. It's the resting place for notable individuals such as John Sandfield MacDonald, the first premier of Ontario, and Simon Fraser. The exact number of burials is unknown, as not all burials were recorded or marked. A replica of the first church, can be seen in the original location. The inactive Cemetery is a focal point in the village of St. Andrews West and showcases how the community has grown around these churches.  
(<http://www.cornwalltwphistorical.ca/Tour.html>)

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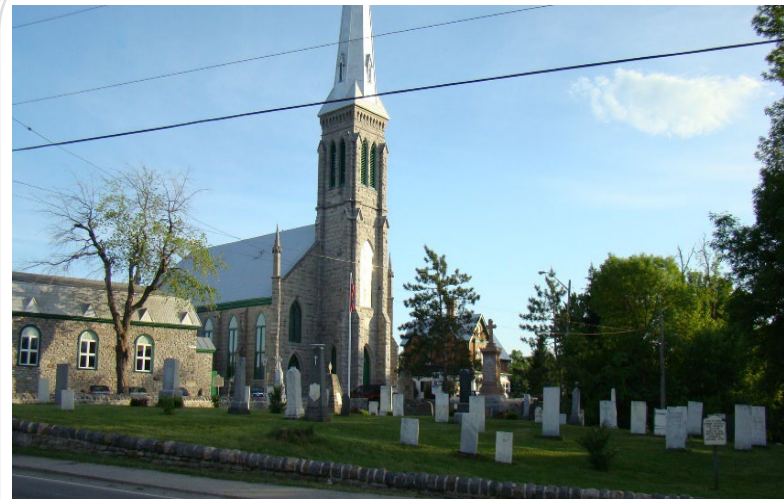
**Legal Description:** CON 5 N PT LOT 13  
RP52R4278

**Name/Address of Owners:** The Catholic Diocese of Alexandria-Cornwall

**Listed/Designated:** Designated

**Date of Construction:** 1860

St. Andrews Roman Catholic Church, Parish House & Cemetery



**Historical Significance of Property:** The First Cornwall Township Council meeting took place in St. Andrews on January 21, 1850. Until 1855 meetings were conducted in members' homes or at William Eamer's hotel. The Township Hall was erected on the front of the east half of Lot 18, Concession 4 on land purchased from John Milroy on June 13, 1855. The building also functioned as a community center which saw many dances, showers, suppers, socials and even housed the Post Office prior to the advent of rural delivery. This property is privately owned and not open to the public. (cornwallcommunitymuseum.wordpress.com)

**Address of Property:** 16933 Cornwall Centre Road, Cornwall

**Legal Description:** CON 4 S PT LOT 18 RP51587

**Name/Address of Owners:** VALADE, STEVEN & VALADE, SUZANNE

**Listed/Designated:** Designated

**Date of Construction:** 1855

Former Cornwall Township Hall / Municipal Office





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**Historical Significance of Property:** This single, detached brick building with a Mansard style roof was originally built for George C. Forbes as a reading room (library) for the village of Newington in 1901. This building one of the most historic buildings in the Township of South Stormont, constructed as a public institution. The Forbes Memorial Reading Room was given as a gift to the community of Newington in the name of Mrs. Peter Forbes (Isabella), mother of George C. Forbes. On October 7, 1901, a meeting was held for the purpose of starting a Public Library on the grounds donated by Dr. Munroe. The only condition was that it should always be kept open, to all races and creeds. (Lostvillages.ca)

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**Address of Property:** Ault Park - 16383 Ault Park Rd, Long Sault, ON K0C 1P0

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**Name/Address of Owners:** Township of South Stormont (former Cornwall Township)

**Listed/Designated:** Designated

**Date of Construction:** 1901

Ault Park & Museum Complex - Former Forbes Memorial Library Building



**Historical Significance of Property:** This Cemetery was established across the road of its associated church. The church was demolished in the year 1959; however, the cemetery still showcases the original church location in the middle of North Lunenburg. There are approximately 260 grave sites within the cemetery. There is also a possibility that others were buried, with or without markers, in the surrounding area. (<http://www.cornwalltwphistorical.ca/Tour.html>)

**Address of Property:** Northeast Corner of the Intersection of North Lunenburg Road East and County Road 12 (No Civic Address)

**Legal Description:** CON 5 W PT LOT 6 RP 52R2992; PART 2

**Name/Address of Owners:** United Church Canada (currently operated and maintained by the Township of South Stormont)

**Listed/Designated:** Designated

**Date of Construction:** 1831

Willis / North Lunenburg Cemetery



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***Historical Significance of Property:***

The house was originally constructed by Mortimer O'Leary in 1812 and was used as a Stage Coach Inn and Post Office. The house has historical value and interest to the community. The property is now privately owned and is not open to the public.

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***Address of Property:*** 17616 County Rd. 18,  
Martintown

***Legal Description:*** CON 5 W PT LOT 7

***Name/Address of Owners:*** SZANCZUK,  
LUKASZ & MICHAUD, TARA

***Listed/Designated:*** Designated

***Date of Construction:***

Mortimer O'Leary Property



**Historical Significance of Property:** Quinn's Inn was built in 1865 by John Sandfield MacDonald, who served as Ontario's First Premier, from 1867-1871. The building continued in operation as a hotel until it was gutted by fire in 1879 and was purchased by William and Elizabeth Masterson in 1895, who it is believed, renovated the interior. The building opened under their management as a store, barber's shop and post office a few years later. In 1924 Frank Quinn became owner, followed by his sons Maynard, Alfred and Ernest in 1948. It continued as a general store until 1989 when it was purchased and historically restored by the Quinn family. Currently Quinn's Inn is owned and operated as a restaurant and banquet hall by the Belmore Family. (<http://www.quinnsinn.ca/history.htm>)

**Address of Property:** 17329 County Road 2, St. Andrews West, Ontario

**Legal Description:** CON 5 W PT LOT 12  
RP52R3613

**Name/Address of Owners:** 1090870 Ontario  
Limited

**Listed/Designated:** Designated

**Date of Construction:** 1865

Quinn's Inn



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**Historical Significance of Property:** This building is one of the older original buildings in Long Sault, and it appears to be the oldest stone home existing prior to the construction of the village. This home is privately owned and not open to the public.

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**Address of Property:** 23 Moulinette Rd, Long Sault, Ontario

**Legal Description:** CON 5 PT LOT 38 PLAN 271 PT; LOT 10 INCL RP52R5064

**Name/Address of Owners:** SPARTAN ARMS INVESTMENTS INC.

**Listed/Designated:** Listed

**Date of Construction:**

23 Moulinette Road, Long Sault

