

# Buxton 100th Homecoming

September 1-4th, 2023  
21975 A D Shadd Rd, Merlin, ON N0P 1W0



A celebration of family, friends and heritage...

Homecoming in Buxton is a special time and for many an emotional experience, a reminder of the injustices endured and the struggles to overcome them. Our unique history has touched the lives of many African Canadians and Americans. Many courageous people made the perilous journey of the Underground Railroad to acquire freedom, an education, and build a future for themselves and their descendants.

This event was intended to draw those former residents who relocated to various parts of Canada and the United States for a return visit to this community. This is a formal invitation for you to attend the 100<sup>th</sup> Buxton Homecoming, for more information on what this event entails, please click [here](#).

## Get Involved

### Volunteer

If you are interested in volunteering your time, expertise, or energy to the 100th Buxton Homecoming, please fill out our [volunteer registration form](#). Volunteer opportunities include Beer Tent Bartender, Museum Tour Guide, General Volunteer, and more.

### Labour Day Parade

We invite you to participate in the 100th Buxton Homecoming Parade, a significant event celebrating our community's heritage. Join us as a guest or sign up to showcase an entry to a large crowd. It is free of charge and open to individuals, families, businesses, organizations, churches, and schools. The parade will begin at 12:30pm on September 4, 2023. To secure your entry, please [REGISTER HERE](#) or call (519) 352-4799.

### The Black Vendor Market

Connect with black-owned businesses, discover diverse products and services, and support the local community. If you own a small business, seize this opportunity to showcase your products! Register your business now and join us Saturday to Monday for a wide range of offerings including food, crafts, cosmetics, clothing, and souvenirs. Don't miss out on this chance to expand your reach and connect with the Buxton community and visitors. Sign up today! [here](#).

### Labour Day Book Advertisements

The Labour Day Book is a remarkable compilation of creativity, reflection, and appreciation, designed to honor the spirit of our community and those who contribute to the culture. Inside its pages, you will find a rich tapestry of written submissions, art contributions, memorials, and business ads. We are calling all artists, commemorators, and entrepreneurs to submit your creative masterpieces, heartfelt memorials, or captivating business ads, and let your vision leave an indelible mark on our collective canvas! Please send all submissions to [MGShreve@gmail.com](mailto:MGShreve@gmail.com).