City of Barrie



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SIR ROBERT BARRIE PROJECT UPDATE

Bill Sergeant provided an update regarding the Sir Robert Barrie Project. Mr. Sergeant advised that June 7th had been proclaimed by the Mayor as Sir Robert Barrie Day in honour of the City's namesake. He described that in recognition of Sir Robert Barrie Day, that the Borough of Harrogate North Yorkshire United Kingdom flag was raised at City Hall. He explained that the Sir Robert Barrie Project Committee held a Sir Robert Barrie Day Poetry Contest that was open to all students in Grade 8 and 9. Mr. Sergeant advised that the winners were presented with their prizes virtually on June 7th as part of the celebrations. Mr. Sergeant announced the winners are as follows:

- First Prize: Cassandra Parent
- Second Prize: Levi Taylor
- Third Prize: Lucas Pennell

Mr. Sergeant outlined what the Sir Robert Barrie Committee will be putting together for the new website on the Committee's projects and historical information regarding Sir Robert Barrie.

Bill Sergeant discussed a potential proposal for creating flag banners related City's twinning/partnership for the downtown Barrie area. The Committee provided their feedback to Mr. Sergeant regarding the flag banners.