

# *Eldon House*



# *Eldon House Background*

- *Built in 1834 by John and Amelia Harris*
- *Home to four generations of the Harris family until 1959*
- *Gifted to the City of London effective January 1, 1961*
- *Managed by Museum London since 1989; previously managed by the London Public Library*
- *Eldon House Corporation established as a municipal service board through By-law 6825-162 on May 22, 2012*
- *The 5-person Eldon House Corporation Board of Directors appointed August 28, 2012*
- *Eldon House Board assumed stewardship on January 1, 2013*

# *Eldon House Vision*

*Eldon House is a heritage property dedicated to preserving and promoting the Harris family legacy and the history of London and Canada.*



# *Eldon House Goals*

- *Market and Promote Eldon House as a destination Heritage Property*
- *Create and maintain Beautiful Heritage Gardens*
- *Create Exciting Programming*
- *Reach out to the Community*
- *Attain Financial Sustainability and Responsible Management*



# *Eldon House Finances*

<b>Revenue</b>		<b>\$ 173,654.00</b>
Government Grants	\$ 146,612.00	
Foundation & Corporate	\$ 5,000.00	
Direct Public Support	\$ 27,042.00	

<b>Expenses</b>		<b>\$ 239,954.11</b>
Personnel ( <i>incl. benefits</i> )	\$ 142,313.00	
General & Administration	\$ 14,826.38	
Facilities	\$ 49,641.45	
Exhibits & Programming	\$ 25,342.00	
Marketing & Promotion	\$ 2,331.00	
Other	\$ 5,500.00	

<b>Total</b>		<b>(\$ 66, 300.11)</b>
--------------	--	------------------------

*2013 Projected – As at April 28, 2013*



# *Eldon House*

*Looking ahead to a bright future*