



FOLK CAMP

Dear patrons, supporters, fellow community members,

Kosa Kolektiv is a community organization that aims to explore, celebrate, and revitalize authentic Ukrainian and Slavic folk traditions and art, with a focus on accessibility, inclusiveness, and grass-roots community engagement. We have been active as a group of artists and community builders in Toronto over the past 6 years, working on a wide array of projects, including organizing, running and promoting craft workshops, folk singing workshops, charitable initiatives, public art shows, and various seasonal celebrations. We rely heavily on grants and donations from the community to fund this work, and are especially grateful for all the support we have and continue to receive from the Ukrainian Canadian community.

We are reaching out for your financial support for our biggest project of the year: Folk Camp, our annual summer camp held in Grafton, Ontario.

Folk Camp is inspired by our passion for Ukrainian folk traditions and our desire to pass on the spirit of these traditions through living culture. The goal of the camp is to provide our community and people from all over the world with a unique opportunity to explore and celebrate in the richness of our folk heritage and the beauty of the outdoors. The program is rooted in sharing timeless skills and knowledge that cross borders and boundaries, with a focus of camp on Slavic and European folklore. People of all ages and backgrounds participate in workshops and activities, and share meals, allowing them to connect with folk traditions of song, dance, food, and craft, within a community setting created by Kosa Kolektiv.

Last year, we had over 50 people at camp and it was a resounding success! Our goal is to build upon this success, and in addition to already offering reduced rates for families, students, and people in need, we plan to broaden our program by offering a short pre-camp artist residency program for the scholarship recipients. We have seen incredibly talented people connect with and contribute to our community over the past years, and we wish to continue these fruitful collaborations.

Your generous donations will help make this possible. Please consider donating today, so that we can meet our final fundraising goal of \$15,000.

Thank you for your time! We look forward to seeing you at our upcoming community celebrations. Please feel free to reach out to us about Folk Camp, or any other projects or activities that you may be interested in. Your support and interest is always deeply appreciated.

Wishing you a Happy New Year!

May Peace & Love reign in our hearts, and in our communities.
Веселих Свят!

Sincerely,

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You can **DONATE** by
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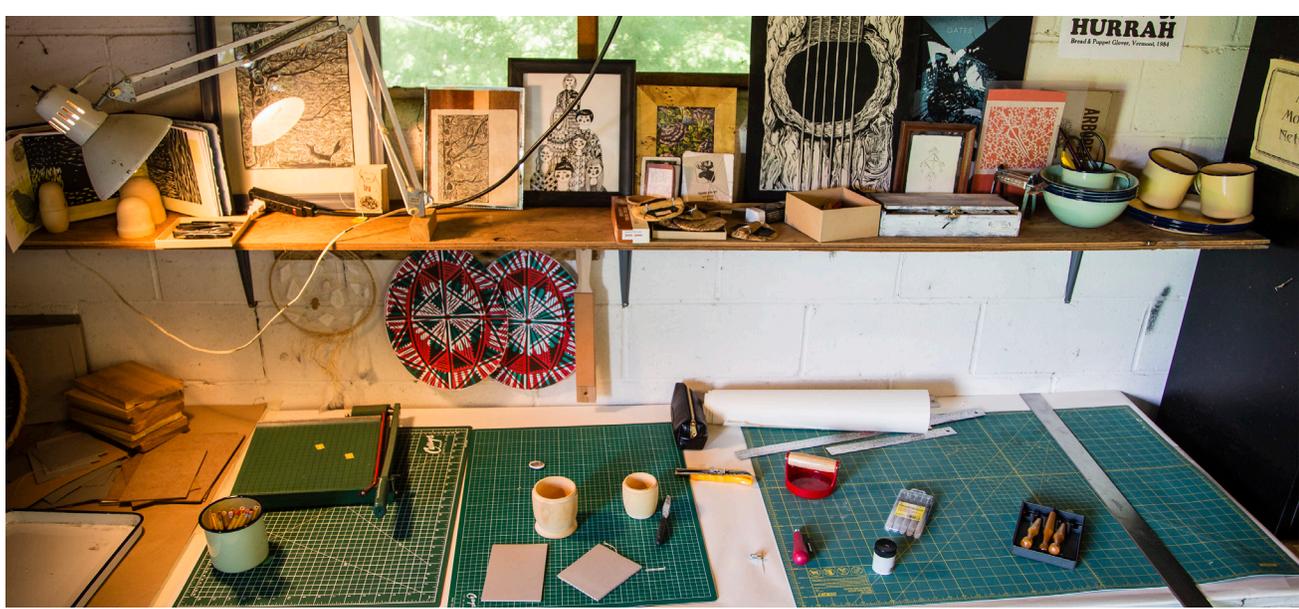
A WEEK OF FOLK CRAFT, SONG, DANCE, AND TRADITIONAL COOKING



Folk Camp in Grafton, ON
is August 15-21, 2016 !!

- Organic and healthy meals • Beautiful and comfortable cabins • Workshops
- storytelling • concerts, dances, and bonfires • swimming and games

We welcome people of all ages and backgrounds !



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