# FOLK COMP ANNUAL REPORT 2021

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# CONNECTING WITH TRADITION - DISCOVERING OUR COMMON ROOTS

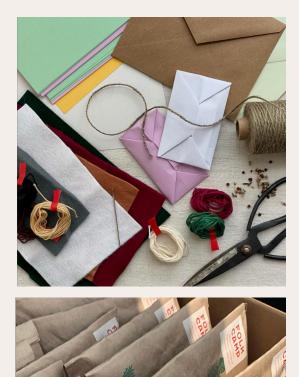




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# SUMMER CAMP KIT



In lieu of holding Summer Camp in 2021, due to the ongoing pandemic, the Folk Camp team decided to engage members from home by mailing out special packages of activities in a Summer Camp Kit. The Kit was offered as a free gift to current members and used as an initiative to encourage new or renewed membership.

The mailed kit itself consisted of:

- Make your own Notebook bundle (bookbinding instructions + paper))
- Yummy salad Recipe by camp chef Eva Salina
- Folk Camp greeting card by Kathryn Durst
- ► Ripka (Turnip) Folk Tale
- Scavenger Hunt for Kids
- ► Summer Connections Quest
- ► LHerbal Lemonade Recipe
- Wycinanki Polish Paper Cut craft
- Folk Songs (Lyrics + Videos online)
- Veggie Seeds (for Canadians only)
- ► Felt Stuffie Craft
- ► Veggie Colouring Sheet
- Blank Card + Envelope to write designated Folk
  Camp Penpals



In addition, a "Members Only" page on the Folk Camp website was dedicated to the Summer Camp Kit which hosted a welcome video, songs, instructions, images of campers, recipes, as well as printable copies of items in the Kit.

In total, 40 Summer Camp Kits were mailed out to members of the community mostly locally in Ontario but one made its way to Antigonish, Nova Scotia and even to the USA!

We received positive feedback from many members who were delighted with the team's effort, high quality items in addition to the thoughtfulness of the package itself.

This project took place in a short time span, and the team was pleased with its success of encouraging members to keep the spirit of Summer Camp alive, connect with the earth, with seasonal traditions and with the Folk Camp community.



# **BLOK:** Toronto's Eastern European Music Festival and Conference

Folk Camp had the privilege of being invited to participate in the first ever BLOK outdoor music festival just off of Queen Street, at Augusta, in Toronto on September 18, 2021 (blokmusic.ca).

The multi-day festival was organized to showcase Eastern European musical and artistic performances, and featured panel discussions on various cultural and industry related topics. Bozena Hrycyna spoke on a panel with other community arts organizers called "Beyond Community", where she shared her experience working within and beyond the Ukrainian diaspora community over the past decade with Kosa Kolektiv and Folk Camp.



## FOLK SHOP



FCC updated our affiliated online Folk Shop (www.folkshop.ca) to provide the public with some of our favourite pysanky (Ukrainian easter egg) supplies such as hand crafted styluses from Ukraine, locally made dyes by Ukrainian Eggcessories and locally made beeswax products just in time for pysanky making season. We also added to the pysanky-making instructions and videos available on the site, most notably resources for making homemade natural dyes.

Folk Shop is also a place to find art and crafts made by the Folk Camp community.



All proceeds from the sales go to Folk Camp Canada.







### FINANCIAL REPORT

#### (UNAUDITED)

OCT. 1, 2020 TO SEP. 30, 2021

REVENUE	\$9,928.12
GRANT/SPONSORSHIP	\$-
COMMUNITY SUPPORT	\$289.20
MEMBERSHIP	\$2,713.75
FOLK SCHOOL	\$-
FOLK SHOP	\$6,925.17
FOLK CAMP	\$-
EVENTS/OTHER	\$-

EXPENSES	\$6,094.45
HONOURARIUM	\$266.72
WAGES	\$-
OFFICE SUPPLIES	\$653.26
FOOD/BEVERAGE	\$-
VENUE RENTAL	\$-
WORKSHOP MATERIALS	\$-
EQUIPMENT PURCHASES	\$-
MERCHANDISE	\$2,637.28
TRANSPORT/TRAVEL	\$-
PROFESSIONAL FEES	\$750
ONLINE PRESENCE	\$953.08
POSTAGE/OTHER	\$834.11

### BOARD MEMBERS



OKSANA HAWRYLAK – Board member BOZENA HRYCYNA – Board member MARY PTUCHA – Board member STEPHANIE TURENKO – Board member

#### RESIGNED

ANGELA LYTLE MARY PTUCHA STEPHANIE TURENKO

#### THANK YOU!

We are truly grateful to all our members who have volunteered their time to guide and support Folk Camp Canada through out the years.









