

In recognition of Black History month, the Sarnia-Lambton Local Immigration Partnership presents:

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN VIRTUAL TOUR

FEBRUARY 17, 2022 1-2PM

An estimated 30,000 Black refugees from slavery in the United States fled to Canada along the silent tracks of the Underground Railroad – a network of people who aided these refugees as they followed the North Star to freedom. One of these freedom seekers was abolitionist, Underground Railroad conductor and former slave Josiah Henson.

Josiah Henson's story is told at Uncle Tom's Cabin Historic Site in Dresden, Ontario. Your live-streaming experience incorporates a tour of the museum and two-hectare (five-acre) property, including the Interpretive Centre, three historical buildings – including the Josiah Henson House – a sawmill, two cemeteries and numerous artifacts that have been preserved as a legacy to those freedom seekers

This free live tour of Uncle Tom's Cabin Historic Site brings the history of the Underground Railroad to life through artifacts, a walking tour of the historical buildings, interactive activities and incredible storytelling. A brief question-and-answer session will follow the tour.

Registration is limited. Register <u>here</u>