

# NORTH AMERICAN VOYAGEUR COUNCIL

## FALL GATHERING 2017

November 3- 5, 2017

This year's Fall Gathering will be held at Fort Gibraltar, Winnipeg Manitoba, Canada! This will be a wonderful weekend of workshops, field trips, keynote speakers, networking, and sight-seeing. Check out our website (<http://www.navoyageur.org/gathering17.htm>) for more information about the keynote speaker and workshops. Space is limited, so plan now to attend.

Fort Gibraltar, originally built at the confluence of the Red River and Assiniboine River in 1809-1810, was a North West Company trading post. Fort Gibraltar played a crucial role in the development of the Red River Colony and in the conflict between the North West Company and the Hudson's Bay Company. Check out their website--French language website: <https://www.fortgibraltar.com/fr/>, English language website: <https://www.fortgibraltar.com/en/>

Deadline for registration is **September 15** if you plan to ride the bus with a room booked through NAVC. All other registrations must be received by October 1.

**REMEMBER YOUR PASSPORT; IS IT UP TO DATE? DO NOT PACK IT; CARRY IT WITH YOU.**

**NEW THIS YEAR!** To facilitate payments, especially cross border and exchange rates, the registration form includes the opportunity to pay by credit card. Once payment is processed no credit card information will be saved or stored--for your protection.

**Bus to Canada and Stay with NAVC!** Save wear and tear on you and your vehicle. Ride the NAVC bus to the Gathering. Bus and lodging included in that trip fee. **First come, first served!** For further info and to sign up, you must contact Paul Prenevost at: [pprenevost@msn.com](mailto:pprenevost@msn.com), 952 292 7821

### **Lodging**

This year lodging will be in a local hotel/motel, but if you are **NOT** riding the bus you **will need to make your own arrangements; to get a special NAVC price contact the Norwood Hotel with Group Number: "327-341" before October 1!** Norwood Hotel <http://www.norwood-hotel.com/>  
Also, check the 2017 Winnipeg Tourist Guide: [www.tourismwinnipeg.com](http://www.tourismwinnipeg.com)

### **\*\*\* Special lodging opportunity:**

There is space in Ft Gibraltar for 8 – 10 wedge tents, of which our Canadian hosts can provide 8. There are also 20 spots in fort buildings. In both cases you will need to bring your own sleeping gear etc. and in the case of the buildings your own cot/mattress. No showers, just restrooms. There will NOT be room on the bus for tents. **First come first served. You must contact "The Clerk" to ensure you have a spot in the fort.**

Arrival after noon on Thursday November 2<sup>th</sup>. Check in location for Gathering TBA; you will receive an email with your confirmation. Check the fall newsletter for updates.

**\*\*Remember to bring an item for the Silent Auction**, if you are able. This could be anything from something you make to a great fur trade book to some other fur trade related object. All proceeds from the Silent Auction help support NAVC and its programs.

NORTH AMERICAN VOYAGEUR COUNCIL  
FALL GATHERING 2016

**US Registration Form**

Please print out, fill in, and mail to:  
NAVC Fall Gathering 2017  
4449 Xerxes Ave South  
Minneapolis MN 55410

Questions?  
Contact "The Clerk"  
[clerk@navoyageur.org](mailto:clerk@navoyageur.org)  
Put **NAVC Fall Gathering 2017** in the subject line

---

**Registration and Membership: payable to North American Voyageur Council (NAVC)**

**1. Registration:**

Number of persons (12 and older) = \_\_\_\_\_ X \$110.00 USD = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00

**(if you are a workshop presenter you must submit the entire registration fee; workshop compensations will be paid at the end of the Gathering by the treasurer)**

**2. Membership, required:** (membership runs from Gathering to Gathering; **you must be a member to attend the Gathering workshops, keynotes, and events.** If you are a **new member**, please take a moment to fill out the membership form.)

Individual X\$10.00 USD = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00  
Household/family X\$12.00 USD = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00

**3. Bus to/from Winnipeg and Lodging (Paul Prenevost contact required)**

**Deadline for registration with this bus/lodging is September 15**

Number of persons \_\_\_\_\_ X \$256.00 USD = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00  
(Bus \$100, 3 nights lodging at Norwood \$156)

**Total for 1, 2 and 3: = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00 USD**

---

**Special:**

There is space in Ft Gibraltar for 8 wedge tents, which our Canadian hosts can provide. There are also 20 spots in fort buildings. In both cases you will need to bring your own sleeping gear etc. and in the case of the buildings your own cot/mattress. No showers, just restrooms.

**This is first come first served. You must contact "The Clerk" to ensure you have a spot.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Those attending \_\_\_\_\_

Payment: \_\_\_\_\_ check # \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ credit card (below)

Name as it appears on card: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit card # \_\_\_\_\_ Visa M/C Discover

Expiration: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ CVV #: \_\_\_\_\_

NORTH AMERICAN VOYAGEUR COUNCIL  
FALL GATHERING 2017  
**Canadian Registration Form**

Please print out, fill in, and mail to:  
NAVC Fall Gathering 2017  
4449 Xerxes Ave South  
Minneapolis MN 55410

Questions?  
Contact "The Clerk"  
[clerk@navoyageur.org](mailto:clerk@navoyageur.org)  
Put **NAVC Fall Gathering 2017** in the subject line

---

**Registration and Membership:** payable to **North American Voyageur Council (NAVC)**

**1. Registration:**

Number of persons (12 and older) = \_\_\_\_\_ X \$110.00 USD = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00

**(if you are a workshop presenter you must submit the entire registration fee; workshop compensations will be paid at the end of the Gathering by the treasurer)**

**2. Membership, required:** (membership runs from Gathering to Gathering; **you must be a member to attend the Gathering workshops, keynotes, and events.** If you are a **new member**, please take a moment to fill out the membership form.)

Individual X\$10.00 USD = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00

Household/family X\$12.00 USD = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00

**Total for 1 and 2:** = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00 USD

---

**Special:**

There is space in Ft Gibraltar for 8 wedge tents, which our Canadian hosts can provide. There are also 20 spots in fort buildings. In both cases you will need to bring your own sleeping gear etc and in the case of the buildings your own cot/mattress. No showers, just restrooms.

**This is first come first served. You must contact "The Clerk" to ensure you have a spot.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Those attending \_\_\_\_\_

Payment: \_\_\_\_\_ check # \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ credit card (below)

Name as it appears on card: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit card # \_\_\_\_\_ Visa M/C Discover

Expiration: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ CVV #: \_\_\_\_\_

# *North American Voyageurs Council*

## **Membership Renewal/Application**

All memberships run from Gathering to Gathering in November. Send a check for \$10.00 US per year (or \$12.00 for family; see below). Memberships taken out or renewed in conjunction with the Fall Gathering will run through the Gathering of the following year.

Payable to: North American Voyageur Council (or NAVC)

Mail to: North American Voyageur Council (NAVC)  
4449 Xerxes Avenue South  
Minneapolis Minnesota 55410  
USA

Renewal:  New:

Name (s) \_\_\_\_\_

**NAVC publishes a member directory. This information is solely to facilitate intra-member contact. If you do NOT want certain information listed please so indicate.**

NAVC may publish my contact information as listed below.

NAVC should only my publish  address  city/state  telephone  email

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip/Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Brigade Name (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

Size of Brigade Canoes (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

Areas of interest or expertise, if any, to be included in directory: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

My spouse wishes a vote too. Please enroll us as a family member \$2.00 additional fee