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Hopefully, you will have had a chance to take a look at the new Friends website, found at friendsofthebruce.ca.

If you were waiting for a chance to apply as a Host, the application process is found on the website, and we encourage you to complete and submit it as soon as possible. There are still spots available for this coming season.

Membership Applications can as well be completed through the website. Once again, the cost is on an annual calendar year basis, with family, single and lifetime memberships available. Please take a few minutes and submit your application.

We were fortunate that we had the assistance of Heather Keast and Holly Dunham for completion of some of the website text. Heather submitted the text related to the Museum, and Holly provided the text related to the History of Lighthouses. Both segments are interesting reading, and we thank Heather and Holly for their submissions and assistance.

We have had numerous inquiries about the Orchid Festival. We are taking a year off any formal orchid related activities, as we focus on the 40th anniversary of Friends, as well as our other projects. We note the other organizations which highlight orchid activities, including the Peninsula Bruce Trail Club which is hosting several flower focused hikes starting this spring. We do hope to resurrect the Friends Orchid Festival in the coming years, and ask that if anyone is interested in being the event co-ordinator, that they contact Friends by email.

Once again, thanks to all of our members, volunteers and supporters. We are excited to be heading into another season.