July 7, 2017 Museum Presence at the Water Music Concert



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Water Music New York came to Brockport for a concert of the Albany Symphony conducted by David Alan Miller. Original music along with a dance performance was presented on a barge near the Welcome Center on the Erie Canal the evening of July 7, 2017 to celebrate the 200 year anniversary of the beginning construction of the Erie Canal. As it is also the 300th anniversary of Handel's Water Music, that piece was featured in the concert.

Before the concert there was a reception for the orchestra at Fazool's restaurant. Residents of Brockport were invited to this fund raiser for the Brockport Community Development Council. There were a few speeches from David Miller, and other state and village people. **The Brockport Community Museum** had a table staffed by Allan Berry and Archie Kutz. A small display from the group's Seymour Library Canal exhibit was visible while BCM brochures were distributed and pleasant conversation about Brockport Community Museum took place.

With the help of Garrett Roe the BCM exhibit was moved to a parking area opposite the Welcome Center where the group continued exhibiting and meeting the public during the actual concert.

Scroll three-quarters of the way down at the following site (at the time of this writing) to see more information and photographs about the Brockport performance.
http://www.albanysymphony.com/water-music-ny-gallery-2017/