

## ROSEISLE HERITAGE RESOURCES

**Locating Records/Information Sources.** Most of the records and sources of information listed below are accessible to the public through local libraries, museums, or online services. Other records or copies of information may be available through private sources (PS). For access to privately held records, please [contact us](#).

### 1. DESIGNATED\* OR CERTIFICATE HERITAGE SITES\*\*

Abbreviations: DHM (Dufferin Historical Museum); BRL (Boyer Regional Library); PS (Private Sources)

SITE	INFORMATION SOURCES	COMMENTS
Roseisle School	<p><i>History of the RM of Dufferin 1890 – 1980</i>, pp. 178-80 (BRL; DHM; online at <a href="http://manitobia.ca">manitobia.ca</a>)</p> <p><i>Roseisle School 1892-1992</i> I. Bramadat, 2006. History of 3 schools, lists of students, teachers, trustees 1913-1992 (DHM; PS)</p> <p><a href="http://carmandufferinheritage.ca">carmandufferinheritage.ca</a> (local heritage &gt; schools)</p>	Designated Municipal Heritage Site. Now a private residence.
Roseisle War Memorial	<p><a href="http://carmandufferinheritage.ca">carmandufferinheritage.ca</a> (local heritage&gt;heritage sites)</p> <p><a href="http://carmandufferinheritage.ca">carmandufferinheritage.ca</a> (local heritage&gt; monuments)</p>	<p>Heritage Certificate Site</p> <p>Lists local soldiers serving in WWI, WWII, Korea</p>

\*Designated heritage sites carry some restrictions, require approval of external modifications.

\*\*Certificate Heritage sites are recognized for their historical value and structural integrity but place no restrictions on the owner.

## 2. MONUMENTS & CAIRNS

Abbreviations: DHM (Dufferin Historical Museum)

SITE	INFORMATION SOURCES	COMMENTS
Roseisle Rose	<p>Newspaper articles ; photos (DHM)</p> <p>Plaque at site</p> <p><a href="https://mhs.mb.ca/docs/sites/roseislemonument">mhs.mb.ca/docs/sites/roseislemonument</a></p>	<p>Painted metal monument, to scale, crafted by Clifford McPherson, dedicated to early settlers</p>
Roseisle School Cairn	<p>Newspaper articles; photos (DHM)</p>	<p>Erected 2006. Plaques with school history, teachers, trustees</p>
WWI Obelisk	<p><a href="http://carmandufferinheritage.ca">carmandufferinheritage.ca</a> (local heritage &gt; monuments)</p>	<p>Located in Memorial Rose Garden; dedicated to local soldiers who gave their lives in WWI</p>
Roseisle United Church cairn	<p><a href="http://carmandufferinheritage.ca">carmandufferinheritage.ca</a> (local heritage &gt; monuments)</p>	<p>Corner 1<sup>st</sup> &amp; 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave.; rock with bronze plaque on former church site</p>
Roseisle Park Cairn	<p>Plaque on cairn</p>	<p>Rock with plaque dedicating park to deceased resident Don Klassen</p>

### 3. RELOCATED/REPURPOSED BUILDINGS

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BUILDING	INFORMATION SOURCES	COMMENTS
Roseisle United Church	<p><i>History of the RM of Dufferin 1890 – 1980</i>, pp.211-212;</p> <p>Introduction, Roseisle U.C.W. Cookbook (PS)  <a href="http://mhs.mb.ca/docs/sites">mhs.mb.ca/docs/sites</a>                      (Historic Sites of Manitoba)</p> <p><a href="http://carmandufferinheritage.ca">carmandufferinheritage.ca</a>                      (Local heritage &gt;churches)</p>	Built 1891 at Roseisle Cemetery site; moved to Roseisle 1894; closed 1971; relocated to Threshermen’s Museum; cairn on site.
First Pentecostal Church	<p><a href="http://carmandufferinheritage.ca">carmandufferinheritage.ca</a>                      (Local heritage &gt;churches)</p>	Originally the Maccabee Hall; 1918–1970s on 1 <sup>st</sup> St.; now a storage shed on D. Colvin property 2 <sup>nd</sup> St.
First Roseisle Gospel Hall	<p><i>History of Roseisle Gospel Hall</i> by Heather Dyck (DHM, PS)</p> <p><a href="http://carmandufferinheritage.ca">carmandufferinheritage.ca</a>                      (Local heritage &gt;churches)</p>	Originally built 1 mile west of Roseisle; moved 1918 to Main Ave.; Original church converted to an artist’s studio by Stephen Jackson
Reformed Church		Farm of Wes & Brenda Klassen Moved from Carman; used as storage shed
Roseisle Station	<p><a href="http://carmandufferinheritage.ca">carmandufferinheritage.ca</a>                      (Local heritage &gt;Special Places)</p>	Moved to Snow Valley; renovated

#### 4. LOCAL HISTORY

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BOOK	INFORMATION SOURCES	COMMENTS
<i>History of the R.M. of Dufferin in Manitoba 1800 – 1980</i>	See the following pages: homesteads (6-7w) p.26; general history pp. 63-74.... schools pp.178-180; Roseisle United Church pp.211-212; Roseisle P.O. p. 230 & postmasters p.234; some local families also listed alphabetically	Edited by June Watson - provides a basic history of the area. Book is now out of print but available in BRL and DHM, and online through <a href="http://manitobia.ca">manitobia.ca</a>
<i>Peeking through the Keyhole</i> by Alma Barkman	Available in bookstores	Stories of growing up in Roseisle area.
<i>Roseisle School 1892-1992 – A Century of Service to the Community</i>	DHM; PS	History of 3 schools, lists of students, teachers, trustees 1913-1992; compiled by I. Bramadat
<i>Carman/Dufferin Cemeteries - A Guide to the Location, History, Art &amp; Craft of Local Cemeteries</i>	<a href="http://Carmandufferinheritage.ca">Carmandufferinheritage.ca</a> Copies: DHM; BRL	C/D MHAC project (I. Bramadat 2016); Roseisle Cemetery pp. 77.
<i>Roseisle – Volume I – The Early Days based on Photographs of J.B. Coleman</i>	Purchase at RCGC; PS	Pictorial history ca 1900-1916; photos with text

## 5. RECORDS OF LOCAL GROUPS & ORGANIZATIONS

Abbreviations: DHM (Dufferin Historical Museum); PS (private sources); O (original document); D (digital copy); C (hard copy)

RECORDS	INFORMATION SOURCES	COMMENTS
Minutes of Roseisle Community Club 1919	DHM (original); PS (D)	Donor: Bev (Garwood) Russell
Minutes of Roseisle Rink Committee	DHM (original); PS (D)	Donor: Bev (Garwood) Russell
Minutes of Roseisle Literary Society (1934)	DHM (original); PS (D)	Donor: Bev (Garwood) Russell
Minutes of Roseisle W.A. meetings 1932-1942	DHM (original); PS (D)	
History of Roseisle Curling Club	PS (C,D)	By Dorothy Hudson
History of Ski Birch	PS (C,D)	Interview with Doug Keith
Roseisle Snowmobile Club	PS (C,D)	Interview with Edgar Cummer
Roseisle Friendship Club Minutes/ album/ pictures	PS (O)	Minutes 1971-2003 (except 1982-1985), 40 years album, additional pictures
Roseisle War Memorial Minutes 1988-97	DHM –O; PS (D)	Donor: Evelyn Lahure (Sec.) Includes Correspondence with R.M.

History of Roseisle Gospel Hall	PS (O, D)	By Heather Dyck, 1998
History of Roseisle Pentecostal Assembly 1920-1995	PS (C)	By Diane Gillingham
History of Roseisle United Church & Roseisle Cemetery	PS (O)	Introduction to Roseisle U.C.W. Cookbook
History of Roseisle Evangelical Mennonite Church; page on Paul Walker (pastor)	PS (C)	History from <i>Messenger</i> journal Nov 1, 2000
WWI Soldiers	PS (O,D, C)	Profiles of casualties by local students on disk; profiles of all local WWI soldiers; IJB file with attestation papers, photos, other documentation Letters Home from WWI soldiers Dorval Saunders and Iver Bernhardt Werseen, preserved and re-printed by Stephanie Fraser, granddaughter of recipient Zelma Hood
WWII/Korean War Soldiers	PS ( O, D)	Profiles, photos where available
4-H Woodworking and Clothing Club	PS ( O)	By Evelyn Lahure

## 6. FAMILY HISTORIES/COLLECTIONS

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FAMILY	INFORMATION SOURCES	COMMENTS
Boyd Diaries	DHM ( O); PS (C)  Excerpts in <i>History of the RM of Dufferin 1890 – 1980</i> , pp.64-68	Diaries from 1891-92 kept by WDB Boyd, on whose property Roseisle developed; donor of land for churches, school, and other structures; councillor, Reeve.
Smith Family	DHM (O, D); PS (O,D)	Photos/documents of homesteaders Joseph and Ann Smith and families (Chisholm, Garwood, Green, Baker, Steed, Parker); includes Garwood history; E. Chisholm memories and notes on family, local birthdays, deaths. Donor: Bev (Garwood) Russell
Cummer Family history- 'Jacob's Flock 1735-1975'	PS - family copies	By M. Cummer Keiver; family have earlier history
Clearwater Family History	PS	
Benjamin/O.G. Leary family	PS (O,D)	History, photos
Ager family	PS (O,D)	History, photos

## 7. INTERVIEWS & MEMORIES

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NAME(S)	LOCATION	COMMENTS
Hugh Clearwater	Transcribed, PS (O, C, D)	Early memories
Bert Cummer	Transcribed, PS (O, C, D)	Early memories
Val Durand & Iona Cummer	Transcribed, PS (O, C, D)	Roseisle 1950s on
Rod McPherson	Transcribed, PS (O, C, D)	Roseisle memories
Doug Keith	Transcribed, PS (O, C, D)	Ski Birch
Edgar Cummer	Transcribed, PS (O, C, D)	Snowmobile Club
Mary Verhaghe	Transcribed, PS (O, C, D)	Memories, early Roseisle
Evelyn Lahure	Written format , PS (O)	Memories
Alice Burrows	Written format , PS (O)	Eldorado memories
Bertha Norberg	Written format , PS (O)	Memories of Roseisle
Ethel Chisholm	DHM-O; PS (C,D)	Early memories of Roseisle
Dan Bottrell	PS (C)	Notes from tour of Roseisle
Clifford McPherson from Jack Townsend	PS (C,D)	“Disaster of North Boyne River (drowning of horses)”

## 8. ROSEISLE CEMETERY

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ITEM	COMMENTS
Cemetery Archway	Crafted by local metal wizard Cliff McPherson; erected 1981
Cemetery record book	Cemetery Committee safe ; PS (D)
Cemetery maps with copies	Copies held by Cemetery Committee President, members
Information Centre resources	Map, binders with cemetery history, alphabetical list by family with plot number, individual maps of plots with location of burials, basic information PS (O, D); collection of family files is in progress.

## 9. MISCELLANEOUS ARTIFACTS & RECORDS

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ITEM	INFORMATION SOURCES	COMMENTS
Cartoon cut-outs	Stories on cut-outs	Plywood representations of early Roseisle events by artist Karen Adamson, 2011; on Main Avenue
Roseisle School hand-bell	PS	
School registers	PS (O, C, D)	
Roseisle report cards	PS ( O)	Assorted
Roseisle School cash books	PS (O)	1940-47

## 10. ARTICLES & CLIPPINGS

Location: the following items are at present in private collections

EVENT	COMMENTS
Roseisle Store Clippings	Closing Campbell's Store; building and opening Roseisle Community Grocery Co-op, Ltd.
Snow Valley information	
Sports	Includes photos of mountain bike races, memories of Doug Keith of Ski Birch; sports at Birch—cross country running, trail ride, etc; new skating rink for Roseisle
Roseisle Bonspiel History 1956-2006	
Organizations	Copy of UCW history, copy of picture of W.I. members
Schools	Eldorado School history 1901-1959; copy of picture of Kenneth School, Leary school pupils by Alice Burrows; Roseisle School clippings and reunion pictures
Miscellaneous	Original pictures, scanned pictures, clippings of various articles, including July 1
2011 <i>Valley Leaders</i> —re Roseisle's 125 <sup>th</sup>	
Local Businesses	

## 11. PHOTOGRAPHS

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PHOTO(S)	COMMENTS
JB Coleman photos	PS - ca 1900-16. Originals scanned, D; also refurbished copies
Photos & scans of recent events	PS, O, D Val Durand album – school reunion 2000; July 1 – several years; 125 <sup>th</sup> anniversary photos; local store building, opening, events; BBQs
Roseisle 125 <sup>th</sup>	Pictures by Trish Aubin

## 12. VIDEOS & SLIDESHOWS

Abbreviations: PS (private sources)

VIDEO	COMMENTS
VHS tape of Roseisle Wild Rose	PS
VHS tape of Roseisle School Reunion July 15, 2000	PS
Roseisle 125 <sup>th</sup> slideshow	PS
Roseisle Rose Garden slideshow	PS

### 13. MISCELLANEOUS

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ITEM	COMMENTS
Listing of Land Owners and Residents in Townships 6-7 and 7-7	Dating from 1880's to abt. 1996 in places. (compiled by S. Snider; incomplete, needs updating)
Notes on 1924 assessment rolls from R.M. of Dufferin for Roseisle	PS (C)
Garwood miscellaneous	Folders with various articles including an autograph book, documents pertaining to sale of Garwood store, letters; PS (O); D