



Award-winning internment documentary screens October 27th at The Holy Trinity Auditorium

VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA – The multi-award-winning documentary, *That Never Happened: Canada's First National Internment Operations*, will be screened in Vancouver at the Holy Trinity Auditorium, 154 East 10th Avenue, on Sunday, October 27, 2019.

The documentary, produced **by Armistice Films Inc.**, recounts the forced internment of thousands of Ukrainians and other Europeans from 1914 to 1920. Several internment camps were implemented in British Columbia. Among them was the internment camp in Vernon, which became one of the largest and longest opened, and one of only two that held women and children. Guest Speaker, Andrea Malysh, Program Manager of the Canadian First World War Internment Recognition Fund, is featured in this documentary.

The Vancouver screening, a presentation of **The Ukrainian Studies Foundation of BC**, **the Ukrainian Women's Association of Canada, Lesia Ukrainka Branch, Vancouver**, and **the Canadian First World War Internment Recognition Fund**, reveals how public records were destroyed in 1954. Three decades later, researchers began the task of stitching together the story of this dark chapter in Canadian history.

That Never Happened has met with critical acclaim at film festivals across North America. It has garnered 7 Awards: 6 Awards in the Best Documentary category and THE PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD at the Bay Street Film Festival. In 2018, the documentary screened at the United Nations as Canada's contribution to the 70th Anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.

After the Vancouver screening, there will be a Q & A opportunity with Andrea Malysh, followed by a light reception.

Admission by Donation
Doors open at 1:00pm Screening at 1:30pm.

To view the trailer, please visit https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DDZ4HnX--hg

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