



Title: The Gathering Tree

Year: 2008

Artist: Ron Baird

Medium: Stainless Steel

Location: Kitchener Memorial Auditorium Complex
400 East Avenue
Kitchener, ON
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Acquisition Method: Public Art (1%)

Gathering Tree is a site-specific polished stainless steel sculpture in the shape of a tree, approximately 25 feet in height. The top third of the sculpture features three arms of maple leaves. The sculpture is 'kinetic', that is, it responds to wind with a rotating motion. In addition, the polished surfaces reflect sunlight and artificial light. The Gathering Tree is a unique centrepiece for the plaza and the Kitchener Memorial Auditorium Complex.