

Fine Weather - A Successful OHW



A group of people are having fun saying "Adult Day could be your life".

By Lawrence R. Nicoll

As the final day of Old Home Week 2016 drew to a close on July 16th, this year can only be called successful. Good weather followed all the events and attendance seems to be exceptionally high.

The week's preliminary

Lawrence R. Nicoll captured some of the highlights of Parrsboro's Annual Old Home Week and the 2016 Queens competition with these photos. The six Old Home Week Queens had their final day in the limelight on Friday night with crowning ceremonies. 2014 OHM Queen Victoria McLellan crowned the 2016 Queen Genevieve McCulley. The girls voted Kelsey Paul as Miss Congeniality. The event held in the arena was well attended. Photos by Lawrence R. Nicoll, unless designated otherwise.



Parrsboro OHW queen contestants line up ready to serve the meal at the Queens supper.



Miss Teenage NS Katie Fife rides the float with MLA Jamie Baillie in the Parrsboro OHW parade.



All kids enjoy the Merry-Go-round, when Hinchey's Amusements set up for Parrsboro's Old Home Week.



There's nothing like a Pipe and Drum band to add excitement to the Old Home Week Parade.



On Tuesday even the RCMP got into the act with Constable Tim Stockard practicing hand signals and riding ability in the RCMP/Lions Bike Rodeo.

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Wednesday the official start of the week long festivities included a great parade and the opening of the fair grounds, Thursday the Queens served supper at the Legion, and finally Friday night the new Queen Genevieve McCulley was selected OHW Queen 2016.

1st Princess is Daniel McLellan, 2nd Princess is Ashley Dowe and chosen by the girls themselves Kelsey Paul is Miss Congeniality. Saturday was another day of exceptionally good, but hot weather for families to enjoy the musicians in the arena and the rides in the fairgrounds.

2016 was one of the best years for weather throughout the entire week. The high attendance resulted in another successful Old Home Week.

Take Your Pictures from 'Ok' to "Wow" Workshop



Kite Flying At Ottawa House taken by Lawrence R. Nicoll, Landscape Photographer, Parrsboro. (Lawrence R. Nicoll Photo)

By Robert More

On Saturday August 13, Ottawa House Museum-By-The-Sea, Cultural Campus Partner with Parrsboro Creative, is presenting a workshop during which there's an opportunity to spend a day with Lawrence Nicoll and to pick up some insights on how to make your own photos better. He will share his knowledge of photography with tips on things like - "framing, symmetry & patterns and dynamic lines".

Lawrence Nicoll has a reputation for being one of the best photographers in the country. And no wonder! Every photograph he publishes has a shining and evocative energy which always seems to perfectly capture the moment. When Lawrence Nicoll takes a photo, he isn't just taking a picture, he zeroes in on the "inner life" of the scene in a way that delights and inspires. It's a talent few artists have, and Lawrence Nicoll has it in spades.

Do you need to be a professional for this workshop? Not a bit. All you need is a love of photography. Do you need a fancy

camera for this? Not according to Lawrence Nicoll - "The final image does not depend on the equipment you have, but in learning how to capture the image that has impact for others, as it did for you".

Class size is limited, so best to book your seat now. And the price is right! \$75 for the day, and this includes lunch and a

photo shoot on the beach with a Rum Runner car and a mysterious guy in zoot suit!

For Course Details & Registration, just go to: <https://www.parrsborocreative.com/events/composition-the-art-of-seeing-lawrence-nicoll/> Or you may call Susan Clark at Ottawa House at: 902-254-2376.

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Bernie Burke Memorial Golf Tournament Aug. 19

The Bernie Burke Memorial Golf Tournament will take place on Fri. Aug. 18, 2016 at the picturesque Parrsboro Golf Club. Registration begins at 9 am with refreshments and a shot gun start. Cost is \$100.00 per person or 3 member team \$300. It is encouraged you make up your own teams. This year we have a brand new website. The band association would like to thank Goaline in Halifax for their kindness in designing and donating their services for this new website. Players can register and pay on-line through the website. Go to www.thehall.ca and click on the icon for the tournament. Players who wish not to go through this way need to call Brenda Wheaton at 1-902-497-6855 or e-mail at brendawheaton@gmail.com. There will be several contests during the tournament which prizes will be given instead of everyone getting a prize. Proceeds from this event will go to SCCCC and "The Hall".

The 27th Anniversary of the Anne Murray Centre will be celebrated on Saturday, July 30th, 2016. A special Anne Murray Meet & Greet VIP Patron's Package is available for Anne's July visit. Patrons will have the opportunity to attend a private meet and greet with Anne. Following the meet & greet, Anne will be visiting with her fans at the Anne Murray Centre. Please stop by to say hello and have your photo taken with Anne. For more information contact the Anne Murray Centre: 902-597-8614, E-mail amcentre@eastlink.ca

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2014 OHW Queen Victoria McLellan crowns the 2016 OHW Queen Genevieve McCulley.



Ever popular at OHW Parrsboro is the Doll Carriage Parade. (Tommy Strutz Photo)



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