



Leith Orr, right, president of Newspapers Atlantic presents Maurice Rees, publisher of the Shoreline Journal a Gold Quill award at the Newspaper Atlantic annual conference held in Charlottetown on May 30, 2014. Beginning his career in Woodstock, New Brunswick in 1963 Rees has worked with newspapers in Woodstock, NB, Digby, Yarmouth, Halifax and in January 2008 co-purchased the Shoreline Journal. The inscription on the granite plaque reads, "The Gold Quill presented to Maurice Robert Rees by the Canadian Community Newspaper Association in recognition of 50 years of distinguished service to the Newspaper Industry. May 30, 2014".

Boucher's Art Exhibition Begins July 8TH

By Janice Quinan
LOOKING BACK" is a retrospective exhibition by artist Deanna Boucher. Included are works spanning 5 decades of art. It will be hanging at McCarthy Gallery NSCC from July 8 to August 27. Come on out to the opening on Tuesday July 8th at 7:00p.m.

Deanna has lived in the



Nancy Jennings congratulates Margie (Miss Rip) MacIntyre on her upcoming retirement. A retirement celebration was held on May 29th at Cobequid Consolidated Elementary School. Margie MacIntyre taught Physical Education at several schools in Colchester County over her teaching career. Best wishes on your retirement Miss Rip! (Harrington Photo)

Truro area for about 24 years. Her works include decharge, acrylic and other mediums. The subject matter encompasses figurative, landscape, floral and some visual puns. She was born in Winnipeg and meandered to Nova Scotia after living in many parts of Canada.

Deanna received her BFA degree from the University of Alberta, Edmonton. She has participated in many exhibitions over the years. Her works hang in the Town Hall, the Municipal Building and in the Colchester East Hants library. She is also a featured artist in the book, "Contemporary Nova Scotia Artists, Volume 2", by Dee Appleby.



Deanna Boucher holding "Prairie Gold". (Submitted)

New Art Gallery Open in Glenholme

By Linda Harrington

It was art that originally brought them together and now sixteen years later the Connolly's are opening a new gallery in their home.

"Starting a gallery is something we have been thinking about for awhile. We wanted to have our own location to display and sell our artwork. This year we decided to go for it," says Kelly Ryan-Connolly.

Kelly met her husband Quentin in painting course at Saint Francis Xavier University back in 1998. They studied acrylic and ink sketching techniques in the year-long course, plus took an Art History Course. Quentin took an additional watercolor course, as well.

Kelly was born in Truro and raised in Glenholme. Quentin Connolly was born

in Stephenville, Nfld. and raised in Stephenville Crossing. They moved to Ottawa after graduating St. FX, and married in August, 2003. After having their first son in 2006, they moved back to Nova Scotia, settling in Glenholme. They have since had two additional sons in 2009 and 2012.

The Connolly's have always had an interest in art.

Quentin started painting during High School and Kelly started painting during her university years.

"We both have an interest in lighthouses, and have a variety of original lighthouse paintings available in the Gallery," says Kelly. "Quentin paints in watercolor and acrylic, with a focus on the coastline and still life. I started out in coloured pencil and

charcoal, and now focus more on acrylic painting of floral life, trees and still life."

Quentin has sold a variety of pieces in Newfoundland and Nova Scotia, including at the former Village Farmer's Market. He has a selection of greeting cards, prints, and a variety of original large and small buoys available to purchase in the gallery. Kelly is working on having greeting cards and prints available in the near future.

The Gallery has been open by chance and weekends since May 24th. "We have had tremendous support from family and friends and very positive feedback through social media," says Quentin. "Our three boys are excited to see part of our house transformed into the gallery."

Connolly Gallery is located at 9507, Highway #2, Glenholme and will be open by chance or through appointments by calling (902)655-2058 or e-mail qkconnolly@eastlink.ca.

If you want to see some of their work you can "like" them on Facebook, and visit their website at <http://www.connollygallery.yolasite.com>



Kelly and Quentin Connolly are excited to have opened an art gallery in their home along Hwy #2, Glenholme. Connolly GALLERY is open by chance or appointment and will be open the weekend of the 75km Yard Sale, July 14 and 15th. (Harrington Photo)



Welcome to my pad! Temperatures have finally gotten warm enough to enjoy a little sun bathing down at the frog pond. (Harrington Photo)

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