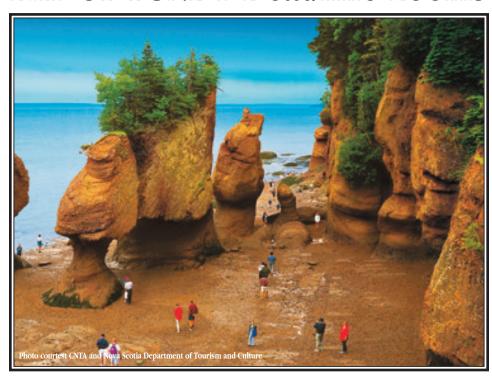
BAY OF FUNDY Deadline Looms



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their curriculum and living near the Bay they understand how incredibly unique it is," says Terri McCulloch, Executive Director of Bay of Fundy Tourism. "These kids wanted to do something to capture Canada's attention and encourage voting from coast-to-coast going straight to the 'top' so-to-speak was their innovative way of doing this."

The bottle and its messages travelled to Ottawa in the Bay of Fundy's unique whale car arriving there on October 18 and was presented to Atlantic Canadian Members of Parliament, Greg Kerr (West Nova) and Rob Moore (Fundy-Royal). Following the presentation by Terri McCulloch, Executive Director, Bay of Fundy Tourism, and student representatives, Rob Moore and Greg Kerr called on all MPs from across Canada to vote for Canada's only entry.

"Having all Canadian MPs vote and encourage their constituencies to vote would give the campaign a big boost," noted McCulloch. "A vote for the Bay of Fundy is a vote for Canada." The final **New7Wonders of Nature** are being determined by online voting from around the world. The Bay of Fundy is competing for Canada against such well-known natural regions as the Galapagos, the Dead Sea, the Amazon and the Great Barrier Reef.

About the Bay of Fundy: The Bay of Fundy is a 270 km (170 mile) long ocean bay that stretches between the provinces of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia on Canada's east coast. The Bay of Fundy is best known for the highest tides in the world and has been compared, in marine biodiversity, to the Amazon Rainforest. The Bay is the summer feeding area for half the world's population of endangered North Atlantic Right Whales and 12 other whale species. It is home to the world's most complete fossil record of the "Coal Age" (300 million years ago) as well as Canada's oldest dinosaurs. The Bay of Fundy is home to two UNESCO Biosphere Reserves (Bay of Fundy & Southwest Nova) as well as the Joggins Fossil Cliffs UNESCO World Heritage Site and the Stonehammer Geopark in Saint John.

About Bay of Fundy Tourism: Bay of Fundy Tourism is the official nominating committee of the Bay of Fundy in the New7Wonders of Nature campaign. The organization's mandate is to raise the profile of the Bay of Fundy as a Canadian nature tourism icon. This non-profit association is supported by Nova Scotia Tourism, Culture & Heritage; New Brunswick Tourism & Parks; the Atlantic Canada Opportunities Agency (ACOA), and Regional Development & Tourism Associations.

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Autumn Moments in Time through Lawrence R. Nicoll's eye

A horse poses for me against the fall leaves at Great Village, and at the entrance to Cumberland County itself a wonderland of colour greets me. (Lawrence R. Nicoll Photo)



Scores of motorcycles and sight seers ply the winding road through Moose River, excitement building as each new vista presents itself. (Lawrence R. Nicoll Photo)





A final stop at Parrsboro to view the calm water and reflections of the Aboiteau, supper, and a return home from a full day basking in the beauty of fall. (Lawrence R. Nicoll Photo)



Lobster season was about to open and the Parrsboro wharf was alive with activity as the fishermen prepared the "Cool Change" (Lawrence R. Nicoll Photo)

