

10 Days in October a Cultural Feast



This painting "Parrsboro Starry Night" was painted by Joy Snihur Laking Wyatt. (Submitted)

By Robert More

Parrsboro Creative and its Cultural Partners are hosting a 10-day celebration of arts and culture in Parrsboro on the shores of the spectacular Bay of Fundy. Billed as a Cultural Feast, this dynamic showcase for the arts offers an amazing variety of things to do and see with an exciting mix of Music, Workshops, Concerts, Geological Walks, Youth Art, Film, Sketch Crawls and a veritable Art Explosion with 37 artists, 7 solo collections, and 25 exhibition spaces.

Each Cultural Partner has something special to offer. The Festivities kick off at 2:00 pm on October 1 with the first Art Walking Tour, while later that day, the Chef of Wild Caraway Restaurant, Andrew Aitken, will be cooking up a 7 course meal for Ship's Company Theatre's annual Fall Dinner, to be followed by an Oktoberfest evening of music and dance at The Hall. On Monday October 3, you can go Star Gazing at Age of Sail Museum, and on Wednesday October 5, take part in a Rug-Hooking Demonstration on the veranda at Ottawa House Museum with its spectacular view of the Bay of Fundy.

On October 5 at The Hall, there's "Born To Be Blue"

Parrsboro Starry Night - Joy Snihur Laking Wyatt a feature film about Chet Baker starring Ethan Hawke. And on October 7, there's Wyatt Ship's Fall Concert with The Stanfield's and Ryan Willigar

Meanwhile, throughout the week, the special activities never stop. If you're interested in Geological Walks, just sign up at the Fundy Geological Museum. If visual arts is your passion, take one of our Daily Art Walkabouts, a two hour guided tour featuring a collection of extraordinary work in many different styles. Also on display are the fanciful explorations of young artists from the Parrsboro Regional Elementary & High School. And there are Photography Exhibitions as well, showing the superb work of Thaddeus Holownia and Lawrence Nicoll. And if music is your thing, be sure to take in the live music performances at the Black Rock Bistro - great atmosphere, great food.

10 DAYS IN OCTOBER is truly a Cultural Feast that has something for everyone. The work of celebrated visual artists like Tom Forrestall, Joy Laking, Bryan Maycock, Wayne Boucher, Heather Lawson and Monika Wright will amaze and inspire you. The artistry and

ingenuity displayed in the many special craft, heritage and music events during the week will delight you. Join us. Kick up your creative heels and have a ball!

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Guy Brown Bursary Recognizes 9 Students

By Maurice Rees

Nearly one hundred residents attended the annual Guy Brown Bursary dinner at the Springhill Branch of the Royal Canadian Legion on Tuesday, September 13th. Brown was an admired politician who served the area under the premiership of Gerald A. Regan both as an MLA and Cabinet

Minister and also as Mayor of Springhill.

The annual event provides a bursary to each of the high schools in the area, plus the community college. The high schools are located in Oxford, River Hebert, Springhill, Parrsboro, Advocate, plus the Nova Scotia Community College, Cumberland Campus in

Springhill. The bursaries are awarded during graduation ceremonies each June. Guest speakers at the event were Bill Casey, MP, Cumberland-Colchester and Terry Farrell, MLA for Cumberland North. To raise the necessary funds, the event included a silent auction, a bake table, and 50/50 draw.



The annual Guy Brown Bursary Fundraiser Dinner was held at the Springhill Branch Royal Canadian Legion on Tuesday, September 13th. Guest speakers were Terry Farrell, MLA, Cumberland North and Bill Casey, MP, Cumberland Colchester. Pictured above are: (L-R): Bill Casey, MP, Terry Farrell, MLA, Cumberland North, Katie Fiddes, Southampton, Miss Teen Nova Scotia 2016 and Gary Brown, President Cumberland South Liberal Association. (Rees Photo)

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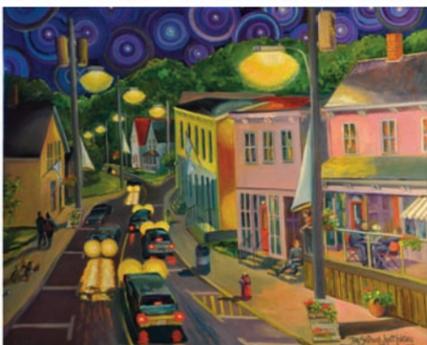
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Parrsboro, NS, October 1 - 10

A 10 Day Cultural Feast



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Including Tom Forrestall

Music - Dancing - Workshops - Oktoberfest

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