

The Shoreline Journal

20TH ANNIVERSARY CHRONOLOGICAL RECAP

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November, 2008 (Vol 12, No 11) - Carol Dexter wins big at American Dahlia Society National Show with "Cobequid Daphne", winning two awards. Great Village is one of the few legions, which does not have a liquor license, but continues doing community work. The foundation for the newly relocated Five Islands Lighthouse is completed awaiting for the lighthouse to be moved later this fall. Karen Casey, MLA delivers cheque for \$23,323 to Onslow Belmont Fire Brigade. OBF and Bass River each held successful fall fund raiser auctions.

December, 2008 (Vol 12, No 12) - It's official Carol Ann Naugle's wreath with diameter of 251 feet nine inches is in Guinness World Record book. On November 19th without much warning the area received 30 cm of snow, snarling traffic and closing the Cobequid Pass stranding 1,500 vehicles for 8-10 Km back toward Truro from 4:00 pm Wednesday until the highway reopened at 11 am on Thursday. On night of November 10th someone torched the Pugsley Lumber Mill on Harrington Road. The Shoreline published five pages of photos taken at area Remembrance Day ceremonies. Colour centerfold provides photos and citations of 12 area residents who received Canada's Parliamentary Democracy Certificates.

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January, 2009 (Vol 13, No 1) - Diefenbunker to become Dataville was Anton E. Self purchases the facility to turn it into a data security centre. Two page centerfold highlights the Onslow Belmont Fire Brigade Annual Awards Banquet. Former H-Hut ownership transferred to Debert Military History Society to operate the military museum. Hope Bridgewater provides details of Wentworth Volunteer Fire Department recognizing members in award ceremonies.

February, 2009 (Vol 13, No 2) - Bay of Fundy finishes second in global 7 Wonders of the World Contest as the nature tourism region in Canada. A broken water pipe cancels classes at CCJHS. Leslie Wilson details events for a busy season at Ski Wentworth. Colchester Trefoil Guild celebrates 20th anniversary in snowstorm. Great Village Farmers market is planning for third season. Jamie Muir, MLA Truro-Bible Hill delivers \$40,000 cheque to Colchester Historical Society for planned improvements to its exhibit program and interior building improvements.

March, 2009 (Vol 13, No 3) - Great Village's Martha Graham passes at 104. The first annual International Day of United Nations Peacekeepers will be held at Veteran's Memorial Park, Bass River on May 29th. Karen Casey, MLA, delivers \$10,000 cheque to Great Village Garden Club to add more panels to the Heritage Pergola. A four page review of area fire brigades. Lawrence Lynds, Wentworth wins the 2008 Dominion Chair Striped Bass Contest with his 28 pounder measuring 41 inches.

April 2009, (Vol 13, No 4) - A one-day conference "Growing Grass for Fuel Pellets", is planned for April 23th at Holiday Inn. Shoreline Journal places in top 3 in two categories of the 2009 ACNA Better Newspaper Competition involving 57 papers in Atlantic Canada. Debert Legion Branch 106 president Charles Borden Jr presents Comrade Betty Crossman with 2008 Legionnaire Award. Ronnie McBurnie accepted a Colchester Historical Society Heritage award on behalf of the Five Islands Lighthouse Preservation Society for work related to relocating the lighthouse to a safe place in the community.

May 2009, (Vol 13, No 5) - On April 20th a transport slammed into the Cobequid Toll Plaza causing extensive damage. The toll booth worked was airlifted to hospital. Karen Casey was nominated by acclamation as the incumbent candidate for the Progressive Conservatives at the OBF and Bass River on April 25th. Tatamagouche Elementary to receive \$5.4-million renovation. Brandon Millen and Mitchell MacNeil build and erected sign to collect donations to pave Little Dyke Road. Karen Casey, MLA presents cheque to Great Village Historical Society to help reprint the History of Great Village.

June 2009, (Vol 13, No 6) - Julia McLennan, grade 12 student at WCCS, Bass River is awarded \$70,000 TD Community Leadership Scholarship. Shoreline Journal publishes 12 page 2009 "Visit the secrets along our shore" tourism section. Shoreline Journal asked candidates in Colchester North and Cumberland South a series of questions on their opinions prior to the upcoming June 9th provincial election. A series of 11 photos highlight the Great village brigade's award winners.

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Food From the Heart - Donations Needed

Truro, NS - Starting Sunday August 31st and running until Monday September 15th, the Colchester East Hants Hospice, in partnership with select Sobey's and Foodland stores, will be holding the "Food from the Heart" program.

Participating Sobey's and Foodland stores throughout Colchester East Hants will be appealing to customers to make a \$2 donation to the Hospice Food from the Heart Program.

A key component of Hospice services, Food from the Heart has proven to be a crucial program. Families in need of assistance, as identified by the Palliative Care Program, are provided grocery cards on a bi-weekly basis that can be used at Foodland or Sobey's. Serving an average of 10 families per

month, Food from the Heart helps to relieve financial pressure experienced by families facing end of life.

The program, developed by the Hospice Society, the Palliative Care Program, and local Sobey's and Foodland stores, is unique to Colchester East-Hants and ensures 100% of all funds raised go directly to families in our communities.

An increased awareness of the program among patients, and palliative care nurses, has resulted in more people accessing Food from the Heart. With this success has come a greater need for program funding. We invite you to consider donating to this program by visiting your local Sobey's or Foodland store from August 31st-September 15th. Your donations directly impact families in Colchester East-Hants!

10TH Annual Umbrella Relay Walk - September 13TH

By Noreen Lewis

The 10th Annual Umbrella Relay Walk of the Cobequid Pastoral Charge of the United Church of Canada will be held on Saturday, September 13. The walk covers the distance from Portapique to Lr Five Islands in 2 Km intervals.

It will start at both ends at 9:00 am and to until complete, meeting at Economy United Church for a celebration and refreshments.

Come as an individual or gather a team of 2 to 4 people and join in the fun. To register as an individual or team and obtain sponsor sheets, please contact: Darlene Smith, Bass River, 902-647-2817; Dorothy Carson, Five Islands, 902-254-3759 and Carole Dibbon, Economy, 902-647-2022.

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Masstown Community News

By Chris Urquhart

As the weather cools down be sure to set some time aside for driving around our wonderful countryside. Soon, boy I hate to say this, the leaves will start turning and you can get some great photos if you just take your time.

As hard as it may seem to be, school starts up again next week! Please remember to watch out for our little ones as they often forget about traffic when they are excited about getting to school to find out what all their friends did over the summer. Mothers and some fathers will be packing lunches for these young scholars and here is something you can make for them either to take with them or for breakfast prior to heading out the door: Blueberry-banana smoothie:

Want a new way to enjoy fresh fruit? Make your own blueberry-banana smoothie. In a blender, add 2 fresh or frozen bananas, 1/2 cup fresh or frozen blueberries, and 1 cup low-fat vanilla yogurt. Blend until smooth. It is always good to have some form of fresh fruit for not only our children but ourselves!

The Masstown Community Association will meet on Tuesday September 30th,

7pm, in the restaurant part of the Masstown Market. We will be making plans for our annual Pumpkin Carving for the children. We also need to make plans to remove the small building on our park property. If you know anyone who would be interested in removing this building please contact our chairperson Lynda Stevenson 641-2320. Everyone is welcome at this meeting.

Other visitors and visiting folks this past month were: Rev. Carol Gillard was in Ontario visiting her daughter and family. Brenton and Denise Smith from Kentville visited Ron and Chris Urquhart; Rev. Diane and Percy Crewe from Loon Bay NFLD visited Rev. Carol Gillard.

Congratulations go out this month to Marilyn Mitchell on the birth of her granddaughter, Guinevere Joelle Walters, a daughter for Jodi Mitchell and Curtis Walters who live in Kemptown.

I send out condolences on behalf of our congregation to the family and friends of Susie Taylor who passed away recently in Debert. Susie played the organ and piano at Masstown United for many years. She will be greatly missed.

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