

Margaree Salmon Museum Newsletter June 2022

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Message from the MSM Vice President

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When I retired to the area of my birth thirteen years ago and went to the Margaree Salmon Museum for the first time, it was clear that we have a real gem here. I continue to believe that.

Our museum can be a focal point of interest and a draw for tourists in the Margarees.

I feel that there is a new sense of optimism in the Margarees. Families and businesses are growing. As a tourist-based area, individuals locally, as well as organizations and government need to assist in promoting all that we have to offer here. As your local museum, we appreciate your ideas and support!

A lot of work has been done on maintenance and renovations to the building in recent years so that your visits will be more informative and memorable. I encourage you to visit the Salmon Museum as we begin the 2022 season – don't be a stranger!



Spring is here at the Museum!

Our thanks to the MADA Communities in Bloom volunteers who planted these tulip bulbs last Fall.

As well, we need community interest and involvement in activities and projects being planned for the upcoming season. Keep your ears open for those that might interest you.

Some ideas we have been planning for this Summer and Fall include fly tying and photography workshops, walking tours of the salmon pools, and others to check out flora and fauna, native birds and mushroom foraging.

We are also hopeful of a September Tea event - one that we had to postpone for the past two years but the tea is on!

Bring your families and direct your friends to our museum in 2022.

Let's get the word out!

Colonel MacLellan



NEWS, NEWS, NEWS

Short Castings

* The MSM congratulations Blair Phillips, our new District Councillor.

* Sincere thanks to Ruth Austin for her continuing assistance with financial statements in recent months.

* Make sure to buy raffle tickets on the two fabulous fibre crafts on sale throughout the season. Draw date is in mid October.

* Memorial donations may be made to the MSM. Memorial cards are now available at the Museum.

* Plans for a nature walk, a photography workshop and a tour along the salmon pools are in the works. Stay tuned!

* Check out the Museum website for updates:
www.margareesalmonmuseum.ca

Museum hours for the 2022 Season

9 am - 4 pm

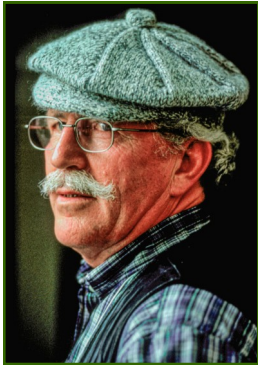
OPEN Wednesday through Sunday

Opening date Wed. June 29th



We encourage our visitors to follow guidelines for hand sanitizing and social distancing at the museum. Face masks are appreciated.

Pat Wall - MSM Volunteer for 2022



The Margaree Salmon Museum is pleased to nominate Pat Wall as our 2022 Volunteer for his long-standing interest in the museum and in recent years, for his active involvement on the MSM Executive. Pat has served as MSM President as well as making a significant contribution to fundraising efforts for our organization.

Fibre Crafts on Raffle Tickets for 2022 Season



Two draws in October - Above, a quilted wall hanging crafted by Claudia Fortune ; below, "Colour Burst", a queen size quilt by Helena Hart Tickets available at the Museum or through MSM Board members. \$5.00 each



Pat began coming to the Margarees in the early 1960s and has had a love for the area, its people and the river ever since. A founding member of the Margaree Salmon Association in 1982, Pat has also shared his talents as a photographer and travel writer in promoting the sport of salmon fishing on the Margaree River. In retirement, we feel fortunate that Pat chose to make his home here.

The Directors of the Margaree Salmon Museum appreciate Pat's commitment to the Margaree area and his volunteerism with the museum. We are proud to have him as our nominee this year.

Nova Scotia 2022 Fishing Licenses for trout and salmon are sold on site at the Margaree Salmon Museum.

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The Margaree Salmon Museum P O Box 64, Margaree Centre, Nova Scotia B0E 1Z0

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