Heritage and Archives

Newsletter

September and October, 2013

It is time, once again, for the monthly newsletter – this newsletter will combine both September and October.

Both months were busy here at the Archives. There were quite a number of visitors who dropped in along with several inquiries via e-mail and telephone.

The Baddeck and Area Historical Society met after its summer break on Wednesday, 18th September here in the Court Room. There were approximately 12 members present. The October meeting took place on Wednesday, 16th October and was also held in the Court Room. I was off on vacation and did not attend the October meeting. The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, 20th November at 2 p.m. and will be held here as usual.

The Heritage Cape Breton Connection held two board meetings between September and October. The September meeting took place on Friday 27th and the October meeting was held on Friday, 25th October. Both board meetings were hosted by the Victoria County Archives and were held in the Court House. Both meetings focused planning for the Fall Members meeting which will be held on Friday, 22nd November commencing at 10:00 a.m. The HCBC members meeting will be hosted the **North Sydney Historical Society**. The society is located at **309 Commercial Street in North Sydney**. Everyone is looking forward to seeing their new building and museum. Snacks and a full lunch will be available on site at the meeting for a cost of \$15.00 per person. Any individual or association interested in the heritage of Cape Breton is most welcome to attend.

In 2014, the Victoria County Court House will be one hundred and twenty-five years old. It was built in 1889 and was the 2nd court house on this site. Plans are underway already for a suitable celebration of this milestone. Details will be available in the next two months with regard to activities around this event. Please check the county website for further information.

That is the news from here for the past two months.

I hope everyone will be attending the annual Remembrance Day services which will take place all around the County on Monday, 11th November.