



# NOVA SCOTIA COUNTRY MUSIC HALL OF FAME

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**NOVA SCOTIA COUNTRY MUSIC HALL OF FAME**  
**\* NEEDS YOUR NOMINATIONS NOW FOR 2015 \***  
**\* FORMS MUST BE IN BY FEBRUARY 15TH \***

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Time is drawing short to get your nominations in for the Nova Scotia Country Music Hall of Fame Inductions slated for September 19, 2015.

The Nomination process and forms are available on line on our web site, just go to <http://www.nscmf.ca/nominate.php>

In order to nominate an individual or group, you must print off the necessary forms, complete and mail to Nova Scotia Country Music Hall of Fame, Nomination Committee, 450 LaHave Street, Unit 17, Suite 230, Bridgewater, Nova Scotia, B4V 4A3, postmarked on or prior to February 15, 2015, Faxed and emailed forms will not be accepted.

There are some changes made to the Nomination process for Inductees this year, so PLEASE READ THE RULES VERY CAREFULLY before submitting your nomination.

There are three forms to choose from - Please be sure to select the correct form when submitting a Nomination for consideration. Incomplete forms will not be accepted.



Our President, Floyd Spicer and his wife JoAnne Newman-Spicer have been very generous over the past years. They supply their home for Director's meetings and Christmas get togethers for Directors and spouses. They supply transportation for others to Director's meetings in the Valley and on the South Shore. They are always available to help out at fund raisers for the Nova Scotia Country Music Hall of Fame and many other events in the Province.

At our December Director's meeting we presented them with a beautiful poinsettia as a thank you gift.

## **OBJECTIVES OF THE NOVA SCOTIA COUNTRY MUSIC HALL OF FAME**

To recognize the contributions of Nova Scotians in the development of Country Music.

To honor Nova Scotians and others who have made a positive contribution to Country Music through the development and the construction of a museum/archive facility for the storage and display of memorabilia, documentation of achievements and recognition of accomplishments.

## **DIRECTORS and ASSOCIATE DIRECTORS**

The Nova Scotia Country Music Hall of Fame is always looking for people who might possibly let their names stand for nomination as a Director of the Nova Scotia Country Music Hall of Fame, if you have any ideas, please contact one of the present Directors .

The Board is without Associate Directors in a couple of regions;

Region 3: Cape Breton

Region 5: Queens, Shelburne and Yarmouth Counties

Each Region may have one or two Associate Directors.

The Associate Directors may be asked to do various things in their Regions like promotion of inductee nominations, promote and assist with sale of tickets for Induction Ceremonies and promote memberships.

Each Associate Director must organize at least one fundraiser per fiscal year and shall assist the NSCMHF Publicity Co-Chairs with promotion and publicity as it pertains to their area.

## **CLASSIC COUNTRY MUSIC EVENTS**

Many Classic Country Music Events are produced each year on behalf of the NSCMHF by Associate Directors and interested members, but there are many other events that happen monthly or annually; just in the East Hants area, NSCMHF Inducted member, Jim Hamilton operates the Nine Mile River Country & Western Jamboree, which has been operating the second Sunday evening of the month for just under 50 years. The Upper Nine Mile Country Jamboree has been operated by Preston Perry on the fourth Saturday night of the month for many years, and the Milford Meltdown Country & Western Jamboree operated by Inducted NSCMHF member Jerry Murphy, celebrates it's 10th year on February 7th, and happens on the first Saturday afternoon in February each year.

Besides these and the Annual Hank Snow Tribute, we have weekend events popping up across the Province now, A couple I can think of at the moment are; Fox Mountain Country Music Festival, Clare Country Music Festival, these are besides all the Bluegrass Festivals that also have Classic Country Content.



## THE NOVA SCOTIA COUNTRY MUSIC HALL OF FAME

IS PLEASED TO PRESENT A

### CLASSIC COUNTRY CONCERT

FEATURING

FLOYD & JO-ANN SPICER - NSCMHF INDUCTEES  
JOYCE SEAMONE - NSCMHF INDUCTEE  
MATT BALSOR  
RUTH MANNING  
MATT LUNN  
& GRAHAM MOOREHEAD



**DATE:** SUNDAY FEBRUARY 22, 2015  
**TIME:** 2:00 PM  
**PLACE:** WATERVILLE FIRE HALL  
**COST:** \$10.00 per person/at the door




GIFT BASKET DRAW - 50/50

ALL PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT THE NOVA SCOTIA COUNTRY MUSIC HALL OF FAME



## THE NOVA SCOTIA COUNTRY MUSIC HALL OF FAME

IS PLEASED TO PRESENT A

### TRADITIONAL COUNTRY SHOW

*FEATURING*

FLOYD SPICER - INDUCTED 2009  
JO-ANN NEWMAN SPICER - INDUCTED 2012  
DON HAGGART - INDUCTED 2006

*SPECIAL GUESTS*

BLAIN HENSHAW  
NEIL BROWN  
REG VINCENT



**DATE:** SUNDAY APRIL 12, 2015  
**TIME:** 2:00 to 4:30 pm  
**PLACE:** ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH HALL  
14 ST. MICHAEL'S AVE, SPRYFIELD  
**COST:** \$7.00 per person/at the door




GIFT BASKET DRAW - 50/50  
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ORGANIZED BY THE LATE BILL EULOTH - NSCMHF ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR  
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2015 "HubTown" Concert FundRaiser In support of the Nova Scotia Country Music Hall of Fame

# "Classic Country Music Show"

Saturday, APRIL 18  
7:30 pm  
Best Western Plus Glengarry  
150 Willow Street, TRURO, NS

**More details  
coming soon!**

Show Contact: Dianne/Ron 902-897-9653,  
Email [bassplayer.obrien@gmail.com](mailto:bassplayer.obrien@gmail.com)

## Enter to Win!!

### Weekend Get-A-Way for Two

At the "2015" Annual Nova Scotia Country Music  
Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony

Valid at Best Western Glengarry Truro  
Cost to enter draw: 2 tickets for \$5.00

**The lucky winner will receive....**

- 2 nights Accomodation for Two- valid only weekend of NSCMHF Induction Ceremony  
*(Check in Friday September 18 Check out Sunday September 20)*
- Hot Breakfast (Saturday and Sunday morning)
- \$50 Meal Card \$50 Gas Card
- 2 tickets to the NSCMHF Induction Ceremony- September 19<sup>th</sup>, 2015

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Draw will be held **Thursday June 25<sup>th</sup>, 2015**  
**Hidden HillTop Campground Hall**  
(Open Mic Night)  
2600 Hwy 4, Glenholme, NS  
Proceeds in support of the NSCMHF.  
Winner will be contacted. Not required to be present to win.  
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Tickets will be available to purchase at our  
**NSCMHF Concert Fundraiser Shows.**  
Tickets are also available from NSCMHF Directors & Associate Directors.

For more information, please contact Associate Director:  
Dianne O'Brien 902-897-9653 Email: [bassplayer.obrien@gmail.com](mailto:bassplayer.obrien@gmail.com)



Editor`s Note

The next publication of this Newsletter will be the first of May and the deadline for submissions will be April 15th.

We have many things going on in the various regions pertaining to the Hall of Fame and I depend on the Directors and members to keep me informed. I need to know of any events pertaining to the Hall of Fame so I can pass them along to our members

Any information may be forwarded to my email address on the front of this publication.

Cheers ... Jerry



MISSION STATEMENT

THE NOVA SCOTIA COUNTRY MUSIC HALL OF FAME

- To establish and maintain a permanent Nova Scotia Country Music Hall of Fame.
- To develop and promote public interest in old time fiddling, and country and bluegrass music in Nova Scotia.
- The preservation and the public display of artifacts and memorabilia of those inducted into the Nova Scotia Country Music Hall of Fame.
- To encourage nominations for induction into the Nova Scotia Country Music Hall of Fame

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We have just learned of the passing of Mr. Bill Euloth, our Associate Director for Halifax and Lunenburg Counties, which happened on January 19th. On Behalf of the Board of Directors of the Nova Scotia Country Music Hall of Fame we send our condolences to Bill's family and friends. He will be greatly missed by them and the Country Music World.

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