



Oakdene School in Bear River. Photo Taken April 2015 By Cassandra Rice

## Get involved, share your stories

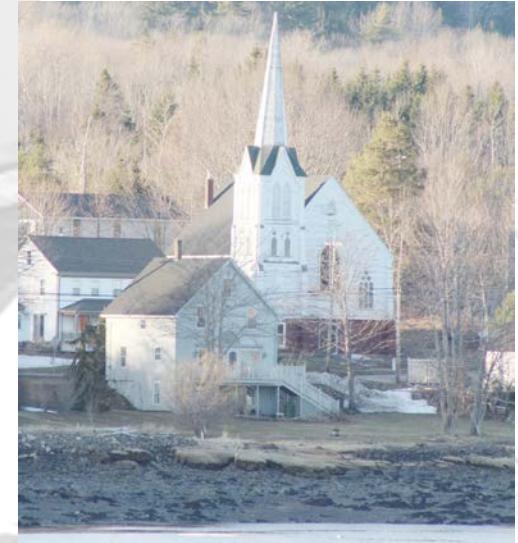
Anyone and everyone can be involved in this project. No computer or mapping experience is required. Bring your interest, knowledge and passion for sharing your stories and a desire to contribute to mapping our valuable communities.

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## About Us

*"Community-created asset maps are based on the premise that local residents possess expert knowledge of their local environments which can be expressed in a geographical framework which is easily understandable and universally recognized. Participatory maps often represent a socially or culturally distinct understanding of landscape and include information that is excluded from mainstream or official maps." ~ Map Annapolis*



# Community Mapping Project

 Centre of Geographic Sciences  
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Lighthouse found in Port George. Taken by Cassandra Rice in March 2015.

## Background Information

In 2011, a group receiving funding from the Federal and Provincial Governments was created called the Age Advantage Association. In 2013 the group began a web-based community mapping project. Technical expertise and training is provided by instructors at COGS and the geomatics students.

## AGENDA

Welcome and sign in

1 - 1:40pm → AV Room for Introductions and presentations

1:50 - 2:50pm → Break Out Sessions

2:50 - 3pm → Back to AV Room for closing comments, and door prizes

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*“Put your community  
on the map!”*

~ Cari MacKenzie,

Geographic Sciences Student

## Break Out Sessions

Map Library → W.K. Morrison Special Collection

Boardroom → Hard copy of maps, brainstorming ideas to put on the webpage

Boardroom → ArcGIS Online and Google Maps demos

## Presentations

Opening Comments/Welcome

Overview of the Project

Historic Homes/Cemeteries

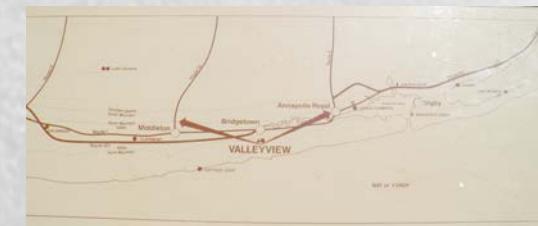
Wharves/Churches/Trails/Town

Black Loyalist/Acadian

Cultural Map

Bear River

Data Collection Form/Town



Map found in Valley View Park showing the areas you can see from the Park. Taken by Cassandra Rice in July 2012