



CALL FOR JUDGES

The Squamish Historical Society is pleased to announce that Squamish has been selected to host the 2016 Sea to Sky Regional Heritage Fair. This event will take place at the Brennan Park Community Center and will run in conjunction with the Cultural & Heritage Festival on April 29th – 30th.

The Sea to Sky Region consists of students (Grade 4 – Grade 10) from North Vancouver to Squamish. Students attending the Regional Fair have been selected from their school fair and move on to the next level to represent their school at the Regional Heritage Fair. Five students from the Sea to Sky Region will be selected to attend the 2016 Provincial Heritage Fair in Prince Rupert, where they will be joined by 80 student delegates from 13 regions throughout the Province. All the costs for the student delegates from the Sea to Sky Region to attend the four day Provincial Heritage Fair are paid for by the BC Heritage Fairs Society.

In order to evaluate and select the five student delegates to represent our region (Sea to Sky) at the Provincial Fair we are looking to recruit judges / adjudicators from the community to help evaluate student projects. We anticipate that approximately 50 students, representing their various schools, will display their projects for judges on Saturday, April 30th, with judging of projects taking place from 9:00am to noon. This is a wonderful opportunity for you to see firsthand some unique historical and heritage projects and be amazed at what students in our school district have achieved!

We would like to extend an invitation to you to be a part of this exciting event by volunteering a few hours of your time to be one of our Regional Heritage Fair judges. The judging process is a very easy evaluation of the student's project. Judges are provided with a pre-established set of criteria where they interact with students while providing students with the opportunity to orally present and discuss their project and the process involved in researching the information presented. **If you are interested in participating as a judge at the 2016 Sea to Sky Regional Heritage Fair, please RSVP via email to Cindy Rowell hfcoordinator@gmail.com on or before March 31st.** Once you acknowledge your intent to be a judge, more information will be sent to you in preparation for judging day on April 30th from 9:00am to noon.

The showcase of Heritage Fair projects is open to the public to view that day along with a variety of other activities featured as part of the Cultural & Heritage Festival. In order to acknowledge the hard work of the students who qualified from their school fair and reward top students in the region for their outstanding Heritage Fair project, an Awards Ceremony will take place at 3:30 (April 30th) with a variety of achievement awards being presented to outstanding students.

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