

From healthcare for fishermen to food for families and life-changing opportunities for kids, we've been making life better on Maine's islands and along the Downeast coast since 1905.



# Maine Seacoast Mission

*Lighting the Way by Land and Sea*

## August 2016

*News of Our Work with the Outer Islands & Coastal Towns of Downeast Maine*

### **Sunbeam Open House in Jonesport, Maine, and Virtual Tour**

Come join us for our Open House aboard the *Sunbeam*. Tuesday (8/9) and Wednesday (8/10), 5:00 - 7:00 p.m., Jonesport, Marina.

The Maine Seacoast Mission and crew welcome you aboard to visit the *Sunbeam* and learn about her work on Maine's remote coastal islands. Light refreshments will be served.

If you can't make it to Jonesport, we hope you'll visit us online with the [Sunbeam Virtual Tour 2016](#).

Learn More

#### **Open House Aboard *Sunbeam V***

Tuesday, August 9th & Wednesday, August 10th  
5:00 pm — 7:30 pm  
Jonesport Marina



The Maine Seacoast Mission and crew welcome you aboard to visit the *Sunbeam V* and learn about her work on Maine's remote coastal islands.

Light refreshments will be served.



### **Sunbeam Award Gala 2016 - Please Join Us!**

Please join us at our Thirteenth Annual Sunbeam Award Gala, recognizing Edward R. Flanagan, Cookie Horner, and Jack Russell. It will be a fun night and a wonderful opportunity for you to express support for the Mission's programs.

August 19, 2016 at The Bar Harbor Club, 111 West Street. Cocktails at 6 p.m. Dinner, program and dancing at 7 p.m. . Cocktail attire.

For tickets and information contact Anna Silver at 207-288-5097 or [asilver@seacoastmission.org](mailto:asilver@seacoastmission.org)

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Thirteenth Annual

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## EdGE Summer Camp: Thanks to Everyone for Six Great Weeks

[EdGE](#) had six great weeks of summer camp (June 20th to July 29th) at three sites: Grades K–8 at Rose Gaffney School in Machias, 3–8 camp in Cherryfield, and a K–2 literacy camp in Milbridge. A total 259 children enrolled for summer camp, with 118 enrolling for all four weeks.

We thank the wonderful college and high school students who served as camp staff. Also, the various organizations offering camp activities: Maine Coast Heritage Trust, Food Corps, Pierre Montoux Children's Concert, Downeast Salmon Federation, and the Mission's *Sunbeam*. Activities included biking, kayaking, hiking, cooking, drama, visual arts, robotics, chess, various outdoor games, swimming, gardening, and carnival activities.



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## Carl Little Lecture Continues Mission's Robert S. Neuman Ship to Paradise Exhibition

The Maine Seacoast Mission, as part of its Robert S. Neuman Ship to Paradise exhibition through September 9th, 2016, is hosting a lecture at the Colket Center, by Carl Little on Wednesday, August 24th, 5:30-7:30 p.m. The Mission's Neuman exhibition focuses on the artist's surrealist illustrations for an edition of Sebastian Brandt's *The Ship of Fools*, a 15th century allegory on the foibles and folly of man. Robert S. Neuman's Ship to Paradise Series is the artist's personal exploration of this same theme.



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## Linda Greenlaw: Record-Breaking Attendance at Mission Land & Sea Lecture Series Kickoff

Our July 13th Land & Sea Lecture with author and



swordfishing captain, [Linda Greenlaw](#), was a record-breaker with more than 200 people in attendance. Thank you, Linda.

MDIslander editor, [Earl Brechlin](#), captured the spirit of the Land & Sea Lecture in this photo of Linda Greenlaw posing "with 15-year-old Grace Rodick., who that very morning began fishing her own string of 100 lobster traps in Frenchman Bay."

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## ***Maine People, Maine Spirit* Campaign: Building Solid Ground for the Future**

The Mission is within striking distance of achieving greater sustainability for Mission programs and work.

The [Maine People, Maine Spirit](#) campaign is on the home stretch to winning the full match offered by an anonymous foundation for sustaining the Ed Greaves Education (EdGE) program into the future.

We also aim to build a firmer foundation for the Island Health program, which brings medical and other health-related services to outer islands.

The Mission needs many hands here — we hope you will find ways to participate.

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## **Colket Center 'Rusticator' Tours Open Through August**

To help celebrate Acadia National Park's Centennial, we are offering tours of the Colket Center, our Bar Harbor headquarters through August. Volunteer docents are giving tours of the beautiful house donated to the Mission in 1972 on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 1:00 and 2:30 p.m. Exhibits will also highlight the Mission's boats, 1930's rug project, and past and present medical, education, and Christmas programs. Interested in helping? Please contact [Terri Rodick](#) or call 288-5097 for more information.



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## What Can You Do?

Volunteer? Donate? Spread the word? Share this eNewsletter? There are many ways you can help the Maine Seacoast Mission strengthen island and coastal communities in Downeast Maine. You can visit us, say hello through our Facebook page, call us, or [send us an email](#). Thank you!



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