

# Cliff Notes

The official newsletter of The Joggins Fossil Institute

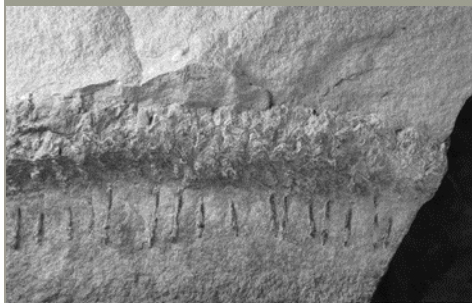
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## NOTEWORTHY



New millipede found at Joggins last season by a visitor is the focus of research by Dr. Joe Hannibal (Cleveland Museum of Natural History) and JFI Curator, Dr. Melissa Grey. Research will be presented at the 17<sup>th</sup> International Congress on Myriapodology!

## ArtScape: JFI's Artist-in-Residence

Sophie Jaillet, the first artist-in-residence with ArtScape begins her residency at the Joggins Fossil Centre on Monday July 31. For the following six weeks, she will be creating art onsite along with providing a workshop and lecture and weekly studio visits. Drop in this summer to meet Sophie watch her recreate – on paper- the Joggins land and seascape. ArtScape is made possible with funding from the Municipality of Cumberland County and ArtsNS. Thank you!



## Events at the Joggins Fossil Institute



- **Canada Day** (July 1) JFI entry in Joggins Volunteer Fireman Field Day parade.



- **UNESCO Inscription** 9<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration (July 7) with Dr. John Calder and Dara Legere



- **Summer Children's Day Camps** (July 25, 26, 27 and August 22, 23 and 24) REGISTER NOW!

## Celebrating Don Reid ONS (1922-2016)

“For Don it was more than just collecting things: I think his passion was discovery.”

- John Calder Senior Geologist, Dept. of Natural Resources

It was a full house on May 18 for the opening of *Collecting Communities: A Carboniferous Cabinet of Wonders* and tribute to the late Don Reid ONS.



The Joggins Fossil Institute thanks the local residents who contributed items to the *Collecting Communities* exhibition including Roger Glenn, Benny Legere, Dara Legere and Don Reid. Partial funding was received from a SSHRC grant by J. Rogers (MTA). The Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada and the Marjorie Young Bell Fine Arts and Music Awards (MTA) contributed additional funding.

Left to Right: JFI Board Chair Don Trenholm, Dr. John Calder, Dr. Melissa Grey, Thaddeus Holownia and Dr. Janine Rogers

## Ninth Anniversary as UNESCO World Heritage Site

July 7, 2017

2:00 p.m. – Dr. John Calder, Department of Natural Resources, reads from and signs copies of his popular reissues book, *The Joggins Fossil Cliffs: Coal Age Galápagos*, which is available in the gift shop

7:00 p.m. - Local historian Dara Legere presents an illustrated lecture on the August Gale of 1927 and the Voyage of the *Minas Princess*. The August Gale of 1927 was one of the most ferocious storms ever to hit the Atlantic Provinces.

Refreshments throughout the day – everyone is welcome to attend!



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