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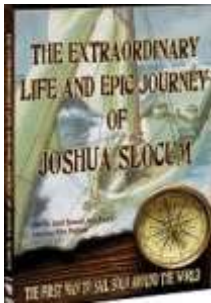
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MOVIE NIGHT AT THE BOAT SHOW

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2012 AT 7PM

Reviving Joshua – “The Extraordinary Life and Epic Journey of Joshua Slocum.”



This beautifully shot, award winning 45 minute documentary by producer Peter Rowe tells the story of Joshua Slocum as a skilled sailor and classic author. It follows his life from birth on North Mountain by the mighty Bay of Fundy to his mysterious disappearance.

Every sailor has heard the story of Joshua Slocum and his solo voyage around the world with the 36 ft. sloop “Spray” from 1895 to 1898. Captain Slocum commanded some of the finest tall ships of his time while leading a life of high adventure, romance and tragedy.

In collaboration with the North Sails Atlantic “Yacht Shop” of Halifax, Cliff and Alice Drysdale will discuss the history of Slocum’s family in Nova Scotia, the Mount Hanley Schoolhouse Museum, the Royal Western Nova Scotia Yacht Club’s Capt. Joshua Slocum Cup Race, and other projects celebrating a great Nova Scotia sailor. A limited number of copies of the DVD will be available for sale.

Attend Movie Night on Friday night and you will be entered into a draw for a Signature Grohmann Joshua Slocum Sailor’s Knife, donated by Grohmann knives of Pictou, Nova Scotia



Alice Drysdale is a retired teacher and has worked as a volunteer for many years in the heritage and literacy fields.

Most recently she serves as a living history interpreter at the Mount Hanley Schoolhouse Museum where Joshua attended school. Cliff Drysdale worked for Parks Canada as a biologist, at Kejimikujik National Park and National Historic Site, as well as for the Smithsonian Institution, and has a background in heritage preservation. Cliff is a keen sailor and learned to sail in the Annapolis Basin by the Bay of Fundy.

