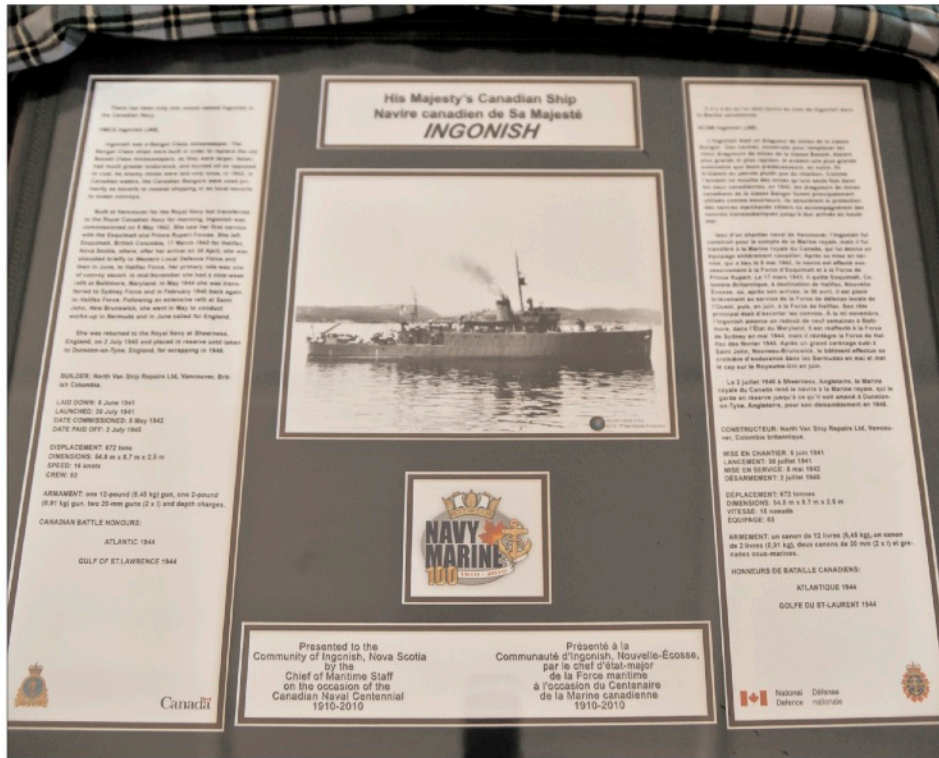


# Local sailors part of Ingonish ceremony



A photo history of HMCS Ingonish, presented November 11, 2010 marking the 100th Anniversary of the Canadian Navy.

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throughout the remainder of the war was convoy escort. Making several runs across the Atlantic HMCS INGNISH was left in England at war's end and broken up for scrap in 1948.

Leading Seaman Tom Doucette was born in Neil's Harbour and grew up in Ingonish. Doucette joined the Navy as a Hull Technician in 2001 following in the footsteps of his family. Doucette is posted to HMCS ST. JOHN's and has just returned from operations in and around Newfoundland and Labrador. His parents and family still can be found in the community today and his brother Larry is currently serving in Halifax as well.

Along with Leading Doucette is Lieutenant (Navy) Kevin Nolan, who

was also born in Neil's Harbour. Nolan graduated high school 1995 and went on to St. Francis Xavier University before joining the navy in 1999. He joined as a Direct Entry Maritime Surface and Sub-Surface Officer. As part of Nolan's career he was deployed in Operation APOLLO following the September 11 attacks in New York. In 2004 he sailed with HMCS CHARLOTTETOWN as part of the 60 anniversary of D-Day. He is currently posted to HMCS ST. JOHN's.

Similar namesake presentations are being made across Canada to bring attention to the Centennial of the Canadian Navy and to highlight the connection the Navy has with communities large and small in every corner of the country.

# Schooner Amoeba off to the Caribbean Sea



Baddeck sailing charter, the schooner Amoeba, cast off for the Caribbean on November 12th with a local crew consisting of owner and Captain John Bryson, Jamie Kennedy, Joey Burroughs and Mac Fuller. First Port of Call will be Bermuda where Mr. Fuller will disembark while the others continue on to St. Lucia. The remaining Bryson family left on shore will re-unite with John and crew in December in St. Maarten. The Brysons will keep a blog of their trip on amoebasailingtours.com. The ship and crew are expected back in April for another summer of sailing the Bras d'Or.



**North of Smokey  
"Parade of Lights"  
Saturday, November 27<sup>th</sup>  
6:00 to 9:00 pm**

The 2nd Annual North of Smokey Christmas "Parade of Lights" will begin at 6:00 pm at St. Peter's Parish Hall and end at the Keltic Lodge where awards will be given & hot chocolate & snacks will be available.

Don't forget that there will be letter carriers picking up Letters to Santa along the route, so make sure the kids have them ready so that Santa can write back before Christmas!

*The Cabot Trail will be closed to traffic from the Hall to Keltic at 5:45 that evening, so be sure you're there in plenty of time!*

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