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Glass Artisans Studio & Gallery

Artists in residence from August 8th to August 22nd

- Master glass blowers Matt Dyszkiewicz & John Rusza -
- Lampwork bead artist Jessie Tessolin -



Come and watch glass being made. Open daily 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
45054 Cabot Trail, North Shore, Cape Breton, NS



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Aviation Day

Sunday, August 21
2 - 4 p.m.

Celebrate Silver Dart's legacy with tetra kite & tetra party hat making, rocket launching, Celtic music, refreshments and more!

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Whale watching excellence

There is nothing quite as impressive as the sight of a breaching whale.

The waters off Victoria County are home to a large number of whales and as part of the migratory route of Humpback whales, Minke whales, Pilot whales, Sei whales, dolphins, seals and the second largest whale in the world, Fin whales, whale watching charters can be found all along the Atlantic shore of the County

Whales are particularly intelligent mammals. Like humans, they place great value on their families. Notably, individual families also migrate together in pods and each family member continues to play a role within that pod, as a greater unit of the family. These groups demonstrate the sociable nature of whales, and their unspoken cooperation with one another is evidence of the animal's insight and sense of responsibility.

The family and pod structure is designed to protect the weak and the young of the group. Because whale calves do not mature as quickly as some other mammals do, they require time to grow and develop within a protected environment. The organisation of the dominant male and the group of mothering cows ensures that calves are isolated from the dangers of the deep.

Travelling in this way also ensures that whale migrations remain orderly and safe for all involved, preventing smaller family units from

drifting off course or facing the dangers that come with isolation. Of course, whales are also social creatures and benefit from the close interaction with others of their sort. This level of mutual understanding and cooperation is another indication of

the levels of their intelligence.

Whales are mammals and, therefore, have lungs rather than gills. They decide when to breathe, and come to the surface to do so through a blowhole

on the top of their heads. They also surface to breach (lifting their bodies partially out of the water) and slap the water with their tails in impressive displays.

These mammals communicate with one another using whale songs, which often sound very high-pitched to the human ear. These songs are unique and fascinating when considered in more detail.

These mammals have long been hunted for their valuable meat as well as their fat or oil, their baleen plates and even the ambergris of the Sperm



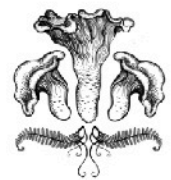
Humpback Whales are also found in the waters off Victoria County - one of the more dramatic to see.



A Minke Whale, one of the many Whale species to be found in the waters off Victoria County.

Whale (used in the production of perfume). Whaling, particularly before regulations were passed in many places in the world, ensured that some species were almost completely decimated. In the 1900's alone, over 2 million whales were slaughtered.

Many environmental organisations are working hard now to preserve and propagate the valuable whales we have remaining in waters all over the world.



The Restaurant at the Chanterelle Country Inn

Savour a cuisine created from locally and organically grown ingredients

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