



Wetland Management/Enhancement at Glenfinnan Marsh, PEI

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In 1967, the Glenfinnan Marsh was constructed with a road for locals to access the marsh. Over the years, the road became impassable, causing the marsh to be inaccessible to hunters, trappers and wetland managers alike. This project addressed the degraded state of the marsh by reconstructing the access road, which allowed access for the maintenance of the water control structure and the management of the wetland.

MANAGEMENT

- 350m of road was grubbed and 163 loads of sandstone was added to build up the road and parking area.
- 3 culverts installed and a public boat launch was constructed.
- Water levels were temporarily lowered in the marsh to better survey the vegetation, dry out the mud flats, re-oxygenate the soils and stress some of the fringe cattails as part of wetland enhancement activities.

COMMUNICATION AND EDUCATION

- Project communications were achieved through social media, the EHJV website, and an ArcGIS online story map.



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Connecting Women to Wildlife

Trout Unlimited Canada - Prince County Chapter
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This program offered a multi-step approach to women who were interested in pursuing hunting activities: 1) firearms familiarization, 2) firearms safety/hunter education training, 3) skeet shooting, and 4) mentored hunts.

COMMUNICATION AND EDUCATION

- 3 Firearms Familiarization Days were held.
- 2 Canadian Firearms Safety and Hunter Education courses, and 3 Skeet shooting days were organized and completed.
- 7 Women's Mentored Hunts were held.