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Message from the Chair

This is the fourth SWVP Bulletin meant to update you on SWVP activities and plans. SWVP is an historical research organization with several inter-related goals and objectives (see www.swvp.ca/purpgoal.html) with the main purpose being to discover, or perhaps more aptly, re-discover, Sir William Vaughan and his connections to 17th century Newfoundland.

Work on the International Virtual Symposium Early Modern Wales and Newfoundland 2012 is progressing and research plan activities are underway. Symposium participants are working on their papers and presentations; all in all everything points to some lively discussions in the fall.



Sir William Vaughan Project Activities

The Organizing Committee continued with its many efforts in June. Air photos of Trepassey Bay were obtained and scanned and are available for researchers on the site; contact tor@swvp.ca. The OC is arranging a field trip to Trepassey's Lower Coast to investigate the numerous stone walls found there.



International Virtual Symposium on Early Modern Wales and Newfoundland 2012

There are about 10 interested symposium participants and the range of topics is very interesting. Stay tuned, get your papers and presentations ready, the end of August deadline draws ever nearer.



Recent Readings

What Difference Does a Mode Make? A Comparison of Two Seventeenth-Century Colonies: Canada and Newfoundland, Robert C. H. Sweeny. *The William and Mary Quarterly*, Third Series, Vol. 63, No. 2 (Apr., 2006), pp. 281-304. Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture

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