



Hugh R. MacDonald

The Cabot Trail Writers Festival continues its tradition of great workshops, readings, commissions, and music.

The festival brings together internationally respected award-winning authors in a weekend sure to delight and inspire both writers and readers.

Hugh R. **MacDonald** is a writer of fiction, and a singer/songwriter. Hugh has been a member of the Writers Union of Canada and the Writers Federation of Nova Scotia (WFNS) for many years. His YA novel, *Trapper Boy* has been published by Cape Breton University Press, and has a sequel entitled *Us and Them* due to be released in October 2016. Also, his work has been in three anthologies, and online. Hugh is a graduate of Cape Breton University, and works in the human service field.

Hugh's song, *Trapper Boy*, that he wrote prior to the novel of the same name, has been added to the repertoire of the world famous Men of the Deeps, and was included on their 50th Anniversary Compilation CD. Most recently, Hugh's song *A Cape Breton Lament* was included on the CD *Cape Breton Songs of Steel, Coal and Protest*, produced by Dr. Richard MacKinnon (Cape Breton University).

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