

Overview:

- The Committee is hoping that the St Huberts Island Website will remain relevant and useful to our community. The site is in an older format but performs reasonably well on smaller formats such as mobile phones.
- It is a large site with many useful contributions being made over the years.
- It is a little cluttered and one of my aims is to lean it down to make the site more focused, and easy to navigate on phones and tablet like devices. Without a complete rebuild and move to another platform this process is slow and ongoing.

Site statistics:

- Last year there were 14,693 visits, 10,370 unique visitors, 30,491 pages and 352,323 hits. Around 30,000 hits per month, slowly increasing throughout the year.
- These figures were generally higher than the year before.
- This year the numbers for each month have been higher again (34k, 78k and 36k for Jan, Feb, Mar).

Island Bridge:

- The bridge has been the focus of difficult discussion in recent years. We would like to move the focus back to the interesting historical and engineering issues, and the bridge's role in our day to day lives.

The Island News:

- We continue to provide the Island News as a link on the Website. This provides a coloured version of course, and there are useful links that can be accessed from the online document.
- There is an archive available on the site where you should be able to view all the past Island News editions.

Events and Reports:

- I have not been able to add a great deal to this page, but we will see if this can be improved in the future.

Community Updates:

- This is a new initiative aiming to provide more timely and current information. This is essentially a blog page that will enable our committee to provide timely and useful information to everyone as required.
- We are not providing a feedback link for the posts on this page. This carries a very significant maintenance overhead that we simply cannot provide. However, we do provide a feedback option though the **ContactUs** link on the page, and we will respond appropriately as required.
- We hope that this will become a useful tool for the community.

Contact Us:

- This is the way to contact our committee. It is a simple form that posts directly to our Secretary.

Business Directory:

- This is a recent addition to the website. The committee felt that we should assist the current advertisers in the Island News by creating interactive directory listings on the website.
- This was a difficult task, and it took time to complete. The process is complicated by the different functionality of a website viewed on a computer as opposed to viewing the same information on a phone or tablet like device.
- The page provides a list of the current Island News advertisers. If you click on any of the entries you can view their Business Card that provides useful live links to items such as their website, social media pages and so on.
- If you are viewing on a phone or other suitable device the phone number is active and clicking on it will open the phone app so the business may be called directly.

Wrap up:

- Overall, the intention is to tidy up the website and with the aim to keep the site relevant and useful to the island residents.