## Congratulations to this year's **AMM Award Winners!**

The following awards were presented at the AMM's Annual Award Banquet at the Delta Winnipeg on Friday, October 2, 2015.

## **Award of Merit**



Bob Riddle: for his significant contribution in preserving Manitoba's heritage. His custom mounts, mannequins, and storage boxes have enabled The RCA Museum (Shilo) to better preserve their collection to benefit both Manitoba and the military community.



Upgrading mannequins to archival quality

Since 2008, Bob has regularly committed a day per week to a variety of projects that enhance the preservation of the collections of The RCA Museum. His contributions are vital to the military

history it is our mandate to protect. Averaging 200 volunteer hours each year, he devotes much of his volunteer time working with our curatorial staff completing preventative

conservation projects.



Jennifer Woodbury: for her significant contribution to presenting Manitoba's Heritage, particularly Manitoba's First Nations and Métis Heritage.

As Executive Director of the Art Gallery of Southwestern Manitoba (Brandon) since 2003, Jennifer has successfully drawn national attention as well as significant public and private funding to the art gallery through exhibition and education programs that emphasize excellence, accessibility, community collaboration, and cultural diversity.

## **Award of Excellence**



Mennonite Heritage Village (Steinbach): for their book A Collected History: Mennonite Heritage Village. This book enhances the knowledge for the museum visitor and the museum professional in the history of the Russian Mennonites in an engaging way and has promoted awareness of the role the Mennonite Heritage Village has played in preserving and exhibiting their stories.



Oak Hammock Marsh Interpretive Centre (Stonewall): for their Bird in Hand Experience. The innovative development and presentation of this program enhances the museum experience and encourages preservation of Manitoba's Natural Heritage.



Winnipegosis Museum (Winnipegosis): for their Renewal Project. This long-term project has allowed for the better preservation and presentation of Manitoba's Heritage and specifically the history of the small communities of Winnipegosis, the RM of Mossey River and surrounding areas.

For information on the Awards Program click here. For comments or more information please contact the AMM office.