



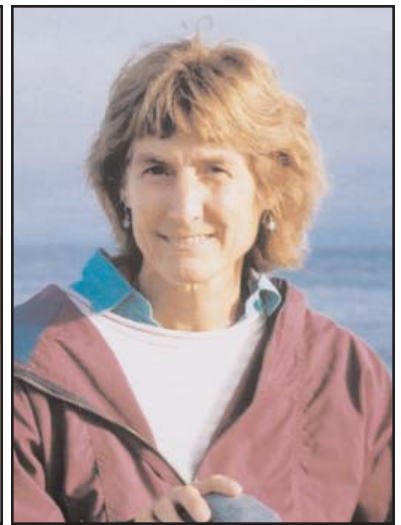
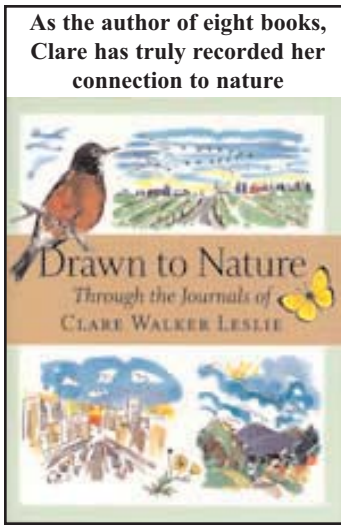
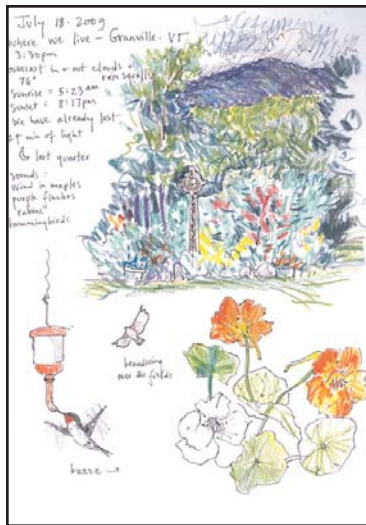
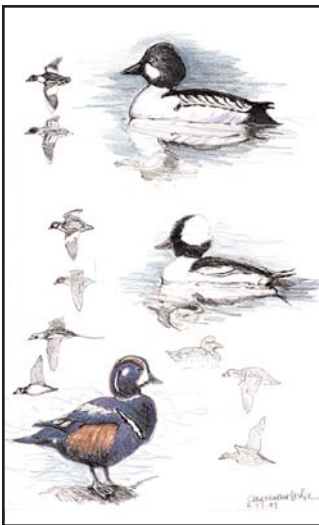
Nature Journaling

Connecting All Disciplines

at the Burnt Island Light Station

August 9-13, 2010

Clare Walker Leslie will be spending a week on a Maine island helping teachers develop a deeper connection to the natural world through Nature Journaling.



As the author of eight books, Clare has truly recorded her connection to nature

Teachers of ALL disciplines should experience, appreciate, and integrate the natural world into their curriculum.

The Maine Department of Marine Resources is sponsoring a week-long course for teachers at their Burnt Island educational facility in Boothbay Harbor, ME. This outstanding residential program will take place on an island that is rich in environmental, cultural, and geological resources.

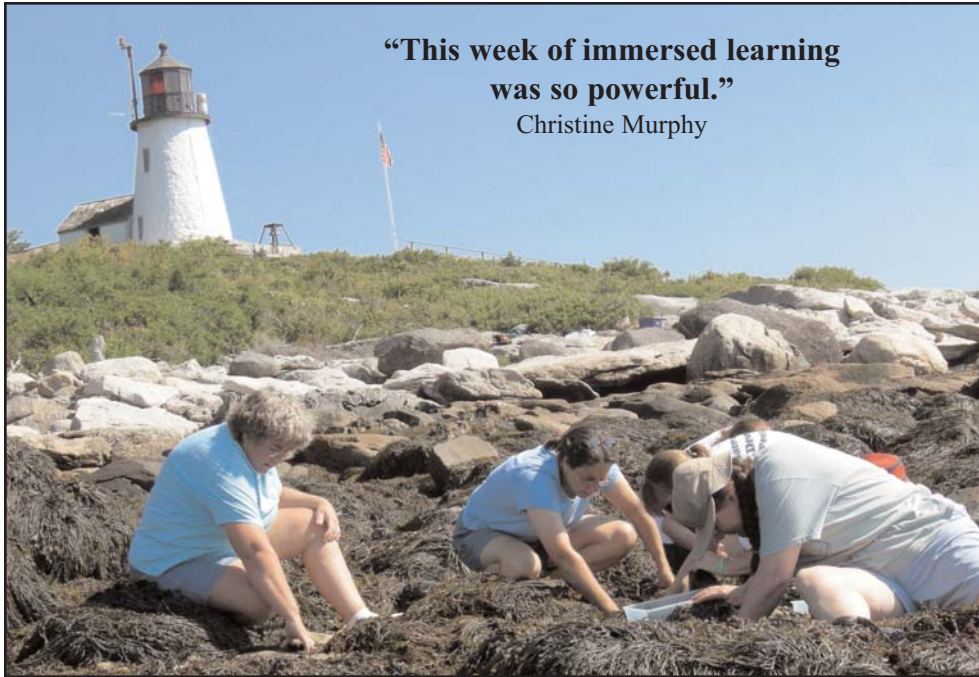
While on the island, teachers will increase their knowledge about nature, as well as develop their observing, drawing, and writing skills. The natural world will serve as the ideal laboratory for scientific exploration; the ideal subject for artistic rendering; and the ideal topic for written expression. By integrating nature journaling into the classroom curriculum, teachers will pass along a new understanding and appreciation of the great outdoors to their students. www.maine.gov/dmr/burntisland/index.htm

Clare Walker Leslie, a nationally recognized wildlife artist, naturalist, educator, and author, will be the lead instructor on August 10-11.



No prior drawing experience is necessary.

The Educational Experience Of A Lifetime!



**“This week of immersed learning
was so powerful.”**

Christine Murphy



Participants will reside in Burnt Island’s Education Center (or tent sites). Accommodations include hot showers and bunks.



Single & triple berths



Island Awakening

The rising sun silvers the sea
Touching the tops of the dark spruce trees
Whispers on wings of the gathering gulls
Shimmers on lobstering boats’ white hulls.
The island awakes and so do I
Loving the hues of the pure blue sky
Feeling the brush of the gentle breeze
Smelling the salt of the receding sea
Hugging the lighthouse so strong and tall
Not wanting to leave Burnt Island at all!

Poem and Photo “Morning Salute”
Angeli Perrow (August 7, 2009)

Lobstering aboard the *Hunky Dory*.



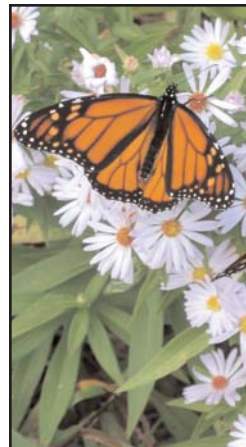
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Catching a Lobster



Charting a Course