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Local Author Set to Launch Murder Sequel

INGLESIDE - Who knew that the Seaway Valley was such a hotbed of murder and intrigue? That the majestic waters of the St. Lawrence could serve as a perfect grave for corpses, as well as secrets? Obviously Maggie Wheeler did, as she follows up the successful publication of her first novel, *A Violent End*, with the much-anticipated *The Brother of Sleep*.

The second novel in the Seaway Valley series, *The Brother of Sleep* will be launched at the South Stormont Home and Trade Show, April 23-24.

In *A Violent End*, Maggie Wheeler proved herself a skilled storyteller, a novelist who can deftly blend historical fact with suspenseful fiction. *The Brother of Sleep* continues this tradition, keeping the reader turning the pages as Farran tries to find the clues that will lead her and the ones she loves to safety - and perhaps justice?

Maggie Wheeler has become a prominent voice in the growing movement to preserve and celebrate the stories of this country. Her classroom lectures, symposium presentations, and media interviews have harpened the focus on Canadian history in general and the Lost Villages of the Seaway Valley in particular. *The Brother of Sleep*, featuring history professor Farran Mackenzie, is published by General Store Publishing House and retails for \$24.95.

The Home and Trade Show will be held in the South Stormont arena in Long Sault, April 23-24. Hours are 6:00 p.m. - 9 :00 p.m. on Friday evening and 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. on Saturday.

Admission is free.

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