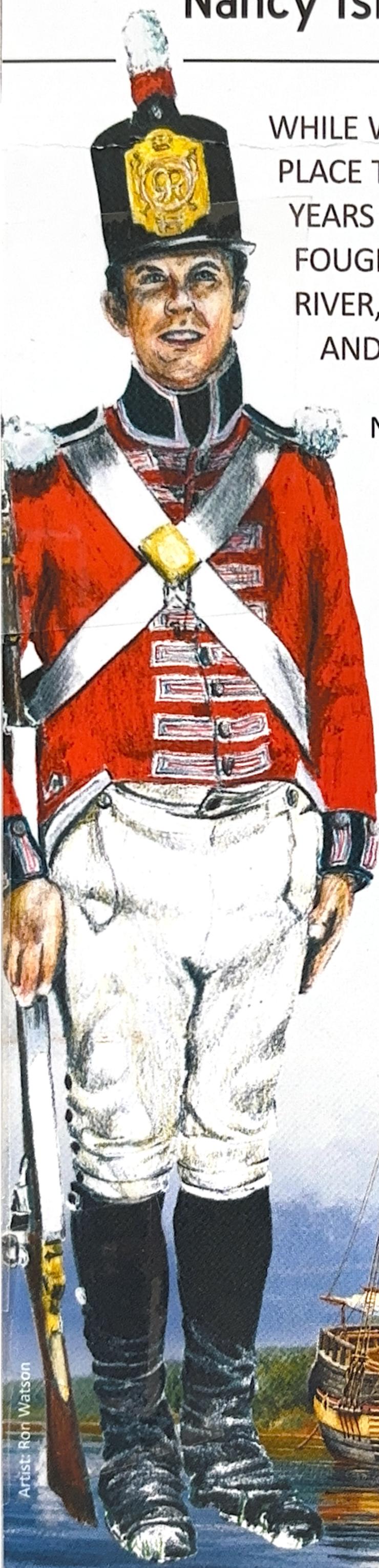


Wasaga Beach

Nancy Island Historic Site

WHILE WASAGA BEACH IS A PEACEFUL PLACE TODAY, APPROXIMATELY 200 YEARS AGO A NAVAL BATTLE WAS FOUGHT ON THE NOTTAWASAGA RIVER, RESULTING IN A SUNKEN SHIP AND THE CREATION OF AN ISLAND!

Nancy Island has served as a historic site since 1928 and is the most viable and related site to the War of 1812 in Simcoe County and the Georgian Bay Region. It represents a major event during the War of 1812 - HMS Nancy's August 14, 1814 battle against three American schooners.



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To learn more about how the valiant struggles of the HMS Nancy and her crew helped to determine the borders of Canada as we know them today, visit the Nancy Island Museum and Theatre, across the bridge from the Wasaga Beach Welcome Centre.

Hours of Operation:*

Late May to mid June:
weekends 10am to 6pm

Mid June to Labour Day:
daily 10am to 6pm

Labour Day to Thanksgiving:
weekends 10am to 6pm

*Hours are subject to change

For information on public education programs, group reservations, and special events please visit:

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