

ACCOLADES

Eisenhower Fellowships recently announced the selection of **John Nutting** as the 2009 Agriculture Fellow. Nutting operates **Androscoggin Holsteins**, a farm in Leeds, with his parents and also works as a government affairs consultant for **Maine Street Solutions**, a service of Portland's Verrill Dana law firm.

U.S. Cellular recently awarded Director's Club honors to the following: **Laurel Feeney**, sales support specialist in Bangor; **Mary Grose**, sales manager of the company's Bangor retail store; **Kimberly Bolduc**, retail wireless consultant in Bangor; **Steve Batchelder**, facilities manager for New England; and **Krasimra Valcheva**, cashier greeter at the company's South Paris store. The Director's Club recognizes associates who serve customers with excellence and who exceed business goals.

At the 2009 Governor's Conference on Tourism in Portland, the following Maine Tourism Awards were presented: The **SummerKeys** music program of Lubec received Commitment to Innovation and Creativity; **Maine Port Authority's CruiseMaineUSA** received Commitment to Tourism Growth; **The Bayview of Bar Harbor** received Commitment to Customer Service; **The American Folk Festival** of Bangor received Commitment to Community; and the **Convention and Visitor's Bureau of Greater Portland** received the Governor's Award for Tourism Excellence.

The **Maine Marine Trades Association** recently announced a course catalog for its new **Marine Industry Owner/Operator College** in Thomaston.

The **Maine Maritime Museum** in Bath,

departing from its normal practice of recognizing an individual, recently awarded the Mariner of the Year award to all **Bath Iron Works** employees for building Arleigh Burke destroyers for the U.S. Navy.

Mindy Ruth Novick, a life path coach and facilitator, recently announced the opening of her practice in Yarmouth.



Novick

McClain Marketing Group, a strategic marketing solutions firm in Portland, recently received 18 awards in the sixth annual Service Industry Advertising Awards national competition. Nine were gold awards, three were silver and six were merit awards.

The American Bankers Association recently gave **Kennebunk Savings Bank** in Kennebunk an ABA Community Bank Award for its community investment program. KSB will be featured in an upcoming issue of the American Bankers Association's *Community Banker* magazine.

Berry, Dunn, McNeil and Parker, a public accounting and management consulting firm in Portland, recently announced that **Seth Webber** has been awarded the Certified Business Appraiser credential and **William Enck** has been awarded the Certified Pension Consultant credential.

Portland-based dog product manufacturer **Planet Dog** recently received the 2008 Pinnacle Award for its Slobber-Wick collection of buddies and bones for dogs. The toys were ranked first in the dog toys category of the annual *Pet Age* magazine awards.

