

EDGARTOWN NATIONAL BANK CELEBRATES 100 YEARS

The Edgartown National Bank turns 100 this summer. "It's exciting to be celebrating a century of banking on Martha's Vineyard," remarked bank President and Chairman of the Board Donald W. Vose, pride in his voice,

years of banking on Martha's Vineyard." The big anniversary celebration will culminate on Thursday, September 15th, from 3pm to 5pm, when each branch will host an "Old-Fashioned Ice Cream Social" for its customers.

doors 100 years ago, the bank has added branches in Edgartown, Oak Bluffs and Vineyard Haven – and has made some history. It was the first bank on the island to offer an ATM machine, and, this year, it becomes the oldest banking

institution on the island. In fact, the original Edgartown building, which still houses a branch and administrative offices, is the oldest brick structure on Martha's Vineyard.

What's next? This summer, the bank will unveil two



as he reminisced about Edgartown National Bank's history and looked forward to celebrating that history this summer.

The bank will celebrate with a number of planned events throughout the summer, leading up to the big celebration on September 15th. Every Friday from June through September, each branch will offer lemonade and cookies in honor of "Customer Appreciation Day." The bank will be participating in the Fourth of July parade with a float commemorating "100

The celebrations are a way for the bank to honor its long history and thank the island customers that have made that history possible. "My grandfather was one of the founders of Edgartown National Bank," said Vose, who has served as the family-owned bank's president since 1957. Back in 1905, his grandfather opened the bank in the notable red brick building on Upper Main Street that had previously housed Martha's Vineyard National Bank.

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new tools for its island clients: internet banking and financial planning services. "One of the great things about our upcoming 100th anniversary," explained Edgartown National Bank's Executive Vice President and CEO Fielding Moore, "is that we get to do two things: celebrate our long Island history and look forward to many more great years of banking on Martha's Vineyard." **vs**

Vintage photo of Edgartown National Bank (above) taken circa 1920.