Celebrating 12 Years of Elderberries - 2010 - 2022 May 2022 Newsletter

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1 May's Second Sunday Salon

Sunday, May 8th, 2:00pm - 4:00pm:

Know Talent / No Talent Show! This is the first time we've done this! We're bringing back a very old tradition of people entertaining each other. Please plan to perform *something* no more than 3 minutes long. It can be a reading of a poem, a piece of text, some jokes, interpretive dance, a song or a piece of music on whatever instrument you bring with you and plan to enjoy your fellow Elderberries!

If you could register by replying to this email, it will help us plan the afternoon a bit better - and especially if you need some music played during your piece.

At: Radstorm, 2177 Gottingen Street, roughly across the street from where Menz Bar used to be.



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2 Last Month's Second Sunday Salon

Sunday, April 10h, 2 pm - 4 pm:

A group of us met at Radstorm to discuss what we'd put in our Elderberries time capsule. This was to commemorate the legal founding of the Gay Alliance of Equality in 1972. We decide not to bury it but entrust it to an archival society.



3 June and July EventsEvents

June 12: Halifax Pride Hosts The Elderberries - for High Tea as in former years.

July 10: Pride Plans! The Halifax Pride Festival starts on the 14th..



4 Isolation Time History Work!

FROM: Dan MacKay, Provincial Queer Archivist This is a great time to launch, or to continue working on your personal history! If you'd like to write your story, long or short, and want some coaching or talk about the publishing process, OR set up downsizing your archival materials to the Provincial Queer Archives, email me at daniel.mackay@dal.ca.



SHARE if you've used a computer.

Alan Turing's logic engines were the precursor of modern computers we use today. His essays outlined how a computer would work.

In 1954, homosexuality was illegal. Turing was given a choice between imprisonment or to undergo hormonal treatment. He committed suicide.

LGBT History

5 Members' Notices

Broadcast your news! If you have an announcement about a birth, a Graduation, moving, wedding, of you, your partner, kids, your grandkids etc, just <Reply> with them, or send them to <u>AtlanticCanadaElderberries@gmail.com</u>



6 Elderberries Mugs For You!

Need a cozy gift? Elderberries mugs are perfect.

On the back is the grey pride ribbon and the words: We are old. We are tired. We can get away with things. So... don't piss us off! The price is \$15.00; you can get one at our events or we can mail one to you.



7 Upcoming LGBT Events

You can find all local LGBT Events in one place! Check out: <u>http://gay.hfxns.org/LocalEvents</u> or google "gay halifax local events"



8 About The Elderberries

The Elderberries is the social, educational, and activism group for LGBT Elders in Atlantic Canada. To join the Society and the mailing list, send an email to <u>AtlanticCanadaElderberries@gmail.com</u> • We have a Facebook group too! Join the Facebookgroup, "NSElderberries" • We have Elderberries mugs for sale; if you're interested, please email us at the address above • To be removed from this mailing list, just <Reply> with the word "Unsubscribe".

