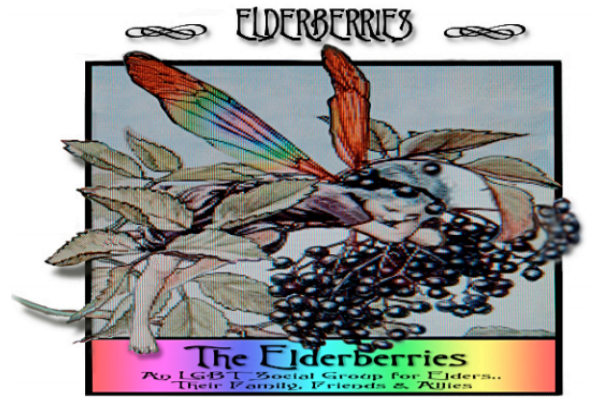


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August 2022 Newsletter

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1 August Second Sunday Salon

Sunday August 14th 2 PM - 4 PM

Where: Point Pleasant Park at the picnic area beside Black Rock Beach, Halifax. Parking and porta potties are available nearby. You'll need to bring a blanket and or folding chairs as there are few picnic tables. If you're sharing food please write out a note of what's in it. Some have allergies or food sensitivities.

A map will be sent out with a reminder email close to the date.



2 Last Month's Halifax Pride activities

Sunday June 17th Youth and Elders Storytelling Salon. Stephanie Brown and Barend Kamperman were chosen by the youth to represent seniors. Written questions were then given to all speakers. At times it became quite emotional as young trans people spoke of their pains and frustration in dealing with identity. Respondents were frank and their comments at times jumbled but convincing.

Elder Hangout June 19th, 2:30 - 5:30 PM

About fifty people showed up, arriving, lingering and leaving as they wished. There was a buffet of snacks and a big cake. All to mark the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Gay Alliance of Equality. Reg Giles ended up narrating a slideshow of the metro community's history. Small groups chatted at tables. Old connections were strengthened and new ones made.



3 – Eastern Shore Pride

Eastern Shore / Musquodoboit Harbour is hosting an entire Pride Week this year, from August 19 to 27th!

[The schedule is here.](#)



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.



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

AtlanticCanadaElderberries@gmail.com



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: <http://gay.hfxns.org/LocalEvents> 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 AtlanticCanadaElderberries@gmail.com • 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”.

