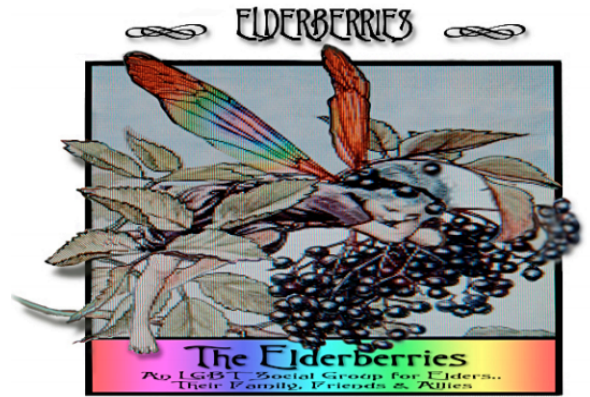


Celebrating 13 Years of Elderberries - 2010 - 2023
May 2023 Newsletter

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1. May Second Sunday Salon

Where: Northwood. Use the 2630 Gottingen Street entrance

When: May 14, 1:00pm - 3:00pm. We now have a compressed time slot, so please show up at e.g. 12:45.

Program: Moms! Roundtable storytelling about mother figures in your life! Bring some pictures.

Food: Bring food to share: finger food, a casserole, or a dessert. We'll have plates, cutlery and some beverages ready.



2. Last Month

Turret Storytelling! Sixteen people sat around a few tables and told stories of The Turret. [The audio, and index, has been put on line in the Halifax Rainbow Encyclopedia.](#)



3. Kings Central Rural High Wellness Day

On April 26, Elderberries members Stephanie, Jan, Paul & Dan spent the day at a rural high school, talking to junior and senior high students separately and enjoying a quite delicious lunch in between.

There were some questions we'd heard before: What was it like to come out? How did people react? When did you realize you were LGBTQ?

And new ones: What was it like being an activist during that time? Are you happy you came out? Is there a way to tell if you're transgender? Do you know what a furry is? Do you like Harry Potter?

We do this on a regular basis; if you're interested in being on the team participating in a high school "Ask Me Anything" in high schools, talk to a board member at an event or email

AtlanticCanadaElderberries@gmail.com .



4. Wayves has been rebooted

From: Publisher Dan

Wayves has been rebooted, on line! [Read all about it in this article.](#)

To be notified of new articles, [Like the Facebook Page](#) or [get on the email list](#).

And, this is important, please share stories that you like with your friends. This is how word of Wayves ges around.



5. Isolation Time History Work

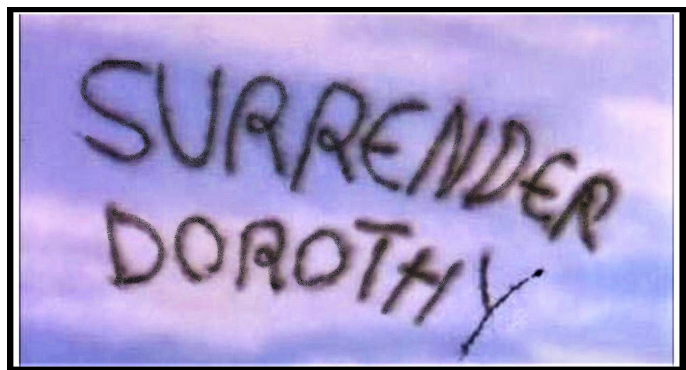
FROM: Dan MacKay, Provincial Queer Archivist

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 downsize your stuff to the Provincial Queer Archives, email me at daniel.mackay@dal.ca



6. 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



7. 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.



8. 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”



9. 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 Facebook Group,
“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”.

