

Elderberries Newsletter April 2026

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1. April 2nd Sunday Salon

When: April 12th 1PM ~ 3 PM

Where: 2630 Gottingen St Northwood Halifax
Campus Adult Day Space

What: A casual time of just playing board games, snacks and chatter. We'll provide some games, but you can bring your favourites. Humble eats to share would be appreciated.



2. The March AGM

The Elderberries Annual General Meeting was held briefly on March 22nd. 16 people were present. The outgoing Board had 8 members. The new Board has 9 members as we welcome Peter Lund aboard as Vice Chair. Nathan Elling will be the new Chair. Dan MacKay is still Secretary. Kaitlin Drury remains as Treasurer. Lynn Murphy is stepping down from the Board. We thank her for her many years of faithful leadership and insights! Barend will be on the Board as ex officio (past chair) without a vote. Allison Brewer, Pauline Federick and Renee Clark will act as Board members at large.

For a more complete record we will provide a link to that full report upon request.



3. After the AGM Bluesky Roundtable

How do we get more and different kinds of people to attend our salons and events? Some ideas were to organise a Discount Tuesday movie night. Go lawn bowling. Attend a local hockey game. Play Darts for free at an Armed Forces Club ie on Maynard St. Attend a concert of country/ rock or classical music. Enjoy a play at Neptune or by a local troupe. Take a computer class together. Get involved with a group supporting international LGBTQ+ rights.

What would you add?



4. Upcoming Events

You can find all local LGBT Events in one place at:
<https://gay.hfxns.org/LocalEvents>

Or google “gay Halifax Events”



5. Members Notices

Broadcast your news!

If you have an announcement about a birth, Graduation, moving, or 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 cosy gift? Elderberries mugs are perfect.

On the back is the grey pride ribbon and the words: ***We're 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. 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" • To be removed from this mailing list, just <Reply> with the word "Unsubscribe".

