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1. June 3 : 3 Book Readings

There's a new Rebecca Rose book on the stands! And, there will be a book reading of three other local Q books "cinq à sept" Wednesday, June 3rd.

[Full details in this Wayves Magazine article.](#)



2. June's Second Sunday Salon

When: June 14th, 1pm - 3pm

What: Picnic in Raymond Taavel Park

Where: Raymond Taavel Park, 1004 Barrington St.
(corner of Inglis St & Barrington)

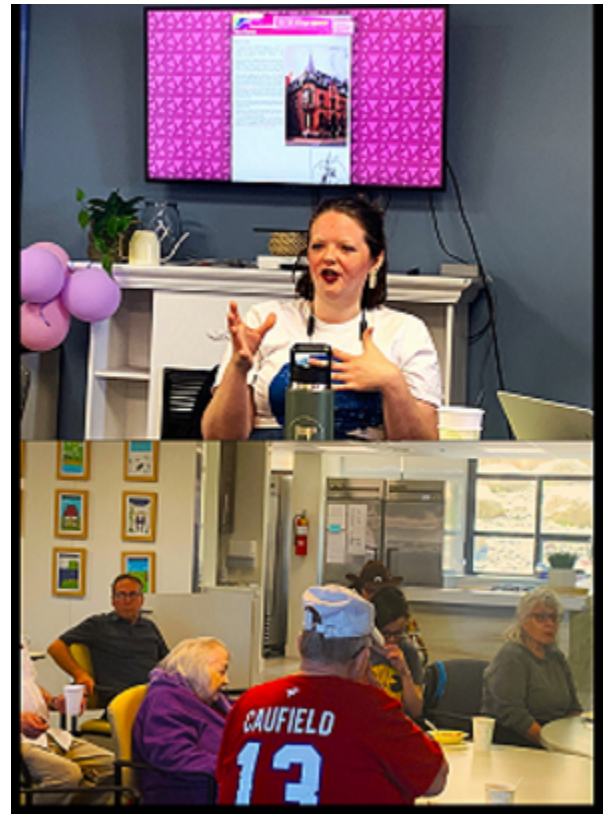
Rain location: Our regular, "Adult Day Space,"
2630 Gottingen St. If the weather is iffy, we'll send
out an email mid-morning calling it one way or the
other.

Particulars: Start baking and pack your insulin! We
will be hosting an all-cookie event including the
Elderberries exclusive, Raymond Taavel Cookies
baked by board member and chef Nathan and
perhaps other board members too. If you don't like
cookies - bring some other vittles.



3. Last Month's Salon: Turret Update

Brit Fox from the Turret Art Space Society (T.A.S.S.) gave an overview of the current fight with HRM Council over the Turret. She also went over the plans for the building if they win that fight. The Elderberries have agreed to write letters to the individual Councillors in support of letting T.A.S.S. keep the building and fully develop it into a queer community arts centre.



4. Bowling in Lower Sackville

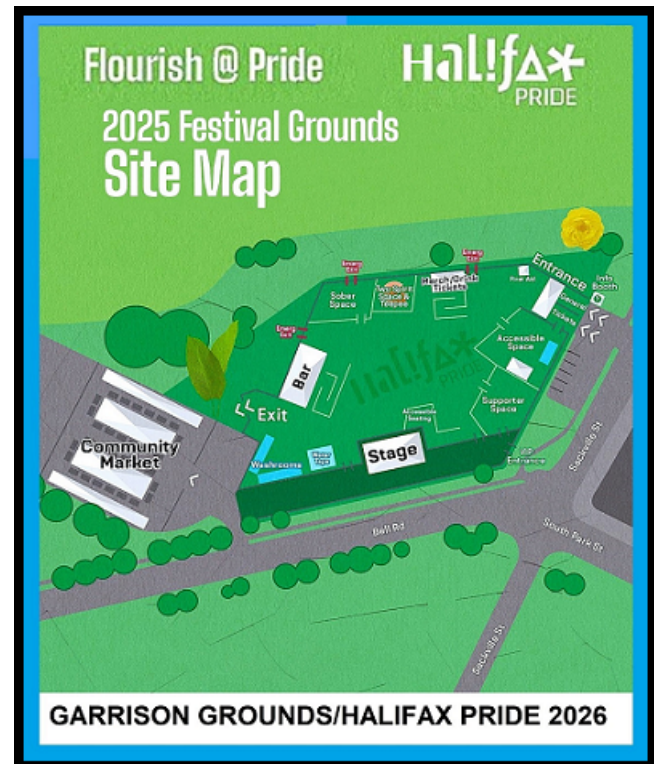
On May 9th, Ben, Peter, Bob and Kaitlin had fun playing 10 pin bowling at Superbowl in Lower Sackville.



5. Pride Elders Hangout

Mark your calendars for 4 pm to 6 PM on Monday, July 20th!

We'll have a hangout, refreshments and beverages, it'll be a chance to relax and catch up with old friends. There'll be a big cake and perhaps a slideshow of the queer community's history. More details to follow.



5. Anita Martinez Captioning Party

On May 5, a dozen people gathered at the Killam Library to flip through Anita's photo albums which staff at the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors Archive had pulled out. The Archives also provided light refreshments (in a separate area of course.)

[Read the story in the Dalhousie News here.](#)



6. Upcoming Events

You can find all local LGBT Events in one place at:

<https://gay.hfxns.org/LocalEvents>

Or google “gay Halifax Events”



7. 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



8. 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.



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" • To be removed from this mailing list, just <Reply> with the word "Unsubscribe".

