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## FRONT PAGE BRIEFS April 2015

**An early apology is extended.** If readers or advertisers sent information for this issue via email and it's not in this issue, I sincerely apologize. Just after March 10th, my computer was infected with a very nasty virus. Two days earlier, while watching CBC-TV news, I learned about a couple in British Columbia whose computer was affected the same way with all data being encrypted and it cost them \$800 to get relief. I got this weird message, what happened to your files? Then as you read on they give you 10 days to resolve the problem. Whoever was behind the virus asked for \$500US to be paid in BITCOIN through Western Union or Wells Fargo.

After consulting with my computer supplier, he knew of three other cases locally and so far no way has been found to re-establish the files. With a cost of over \$800 Canadian and not knowing who you are dealing with and no assurance files will be re-established, I decided to install a new drive, software and virus protection.

As a result all data files, including Word, spreadsheets and photos have been lost. The one salvation it did not affect internet or web-site accounts. I've spent the last week rebuilding all forms, and all the things I use on a regular basis.

In closing if you sent me something for this issue and it's not here, I apologize. Please resend again. **Maurice Rees, Publisher**

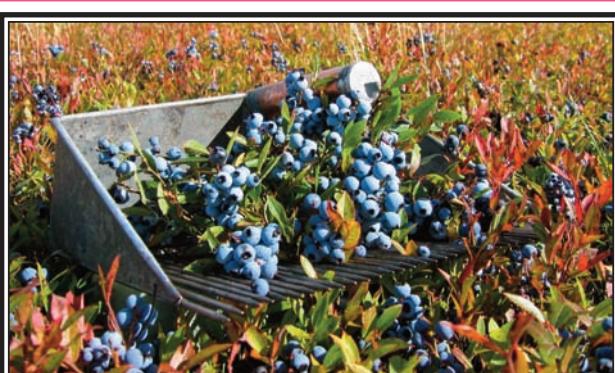
**Our 5th annual 90 & 90+ Birthday Party** will be held Saturday, May 9th at the Economy Recreation Centre. If sometime this winter you provided names of those who should be invited, please send along again, as updated data in the files for 2015 has been lost. We would have been working on the invitation list and preparing them to go in the mail later than week. Now we are behind the eight ball, but will get the invitations out in the next week or so. Please email your nominee, who will be 90 in 2015, or perhaps was born prior to 1924 to: Maurice@theshorelinejournal.com or call me at 902-647-2968.

**Nova Scotia's P to 12** students are invited to help design a symbol to represent Nova Scotia Heritage Day. The Department of Communities, Culture and Heritage is looking for unique and original submissions. The final design will be revealed for Nova Scotia Heritage Day 2016. Deadline for submissions is June 1st. Guidelines, registration and consent forms are available at: <http://heritageday.novascotia.ca>

**CNTA** will not be offering Amherst Border Display Space any longer. Renovations have taken place at the Amherst Border VIC and CNTA can no longer access this space. If tourism operators had utilized space this past year and have not been contacted they are asked to remove any business related advertising by April 1, 2015.

**In May, the Age of Sail Museum**, Port Greville will host a group of students from Washington Waldorf School, Bethesda, Maryland who will be visiting the museum and doing some volunteer work. A series of photos and detailed story will be published in the next available issue of the Shoreline Journal.

**MP Scott Armstrong** announced on March 16th volunteers from the Colchester-East Hants Public Library, are holding a tax preparation clinic to promote the Community Volunteer Income Tax Program (CVITP). In April the clinic is being held at the Colchester - East Hants Public Library, 754 Prince Street, Truro, NS, April 07, 10:00 am - 1:00 pm; April 11, 10:00 am - 1:00 pm; April 14, 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm; April 16, 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm; April 18, 10:00 am to 1:00 pm; April 21, 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm; April 28, 10:00 am to 1:00 pm, and April 30, 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. By appointment. Walk-ins are welcome. Call (902)-895-4183.



Soon...Soon. The Wild Blueberry Assoc. of NS held their Winter Information meeting in Truro. Growers look forward to scenes like this soon. See Linda Harrington's report on page 10 & 11. (WBANS Photo)

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