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cer research. The Dave Armstrong Memorial Sporting Families Award will go to the Piers Family. This award does not recognize an athlete, a team, a coach, or a builder. The award celebrates the many contributions that families have made to sport over multiple generations in the Truro area. Part of their citation includes: The Piers Family - Truro's "First Family of Tennis". Known as Truro's "First Family of Tennis" the Piers family have been playing, coaching, organizing and building multiple sports in the

Truro area for generations. Johnson Saunders Chartered Accountants Merit Award goes to horse racing enthusiast: Diane Daniels, has "horsed" around since the early 1950's. With the passion of her parents and the tutelage of people like Ingham Palmer, Doug Harkness, Frank Daniels among others, she developed a devotion and love for the sport of harness racing. From her first job as counter clerk to writing with substantial authority on the sport, she has been an integral and sustaining spirit in the sport she loves.



The Caldwell Roach Insurance award for the outstanding high school team was presented to the CEC Cougars volleyball team. Kneeling, L-R: Michael Adams, Zachary Richard, Ryan McEachren, Henry Doucet, Matthew Sanderson and Thomas Vickers. Back row, L-R: Harvey MacEachern, coach, Jennifer McNutt, coach, Jacob MacGillivray, Nicholas Faulkner, Dean Berry, Sam Lilly, Sean Gallie, Adam McEachern, Austin Atkinson, Taunya Pynn-Crowe, coach and Matt Roblee, Caldwell Roach award sponsor.



The Home Hardware Mosquito AAA Bearcats baseball team were recognized as the under 15 outstanding team. Kneeling, L-R: Zach Gloade, Nate Davison, Seth MacPherson, Spencer Dowe and Kaelean Bakker. Second row, L-R: Alexander Field, Aidan McBurnie, Carter Sharpe, Carter Higgins, Camden Weatherbee and Greg Dorey, who presented the award on behalf of sponsor, Dairy Queen Truro and Stewiacke. Third row, L-R: James MacPherson, Craig Higgins, Earl Dowe, Paul Sharpe and Austin Warren.



The Piers family was recipient of the David Armstrong Family award. Shown above, L-R are: Brooklyn Brown, David's granddaughter; Scott Armstrong, David's son, who jointly made the presentation to: Carol Piers, Bob Piers, Mary Piers, Jeff Piers, Romaine Piers, Jack Piers, Theresa MacKinnon, David Piers, Dora Hunt and Pauline Piers.

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Documentary, Nostalgia, produced by Brewed Productions Inc., has been approved for a funding commitment of \$105,162 based on eligible Nova Scotia expenditure of \$339,233. Nova Scotia Business Inc. (NSBI) announced the funding through the Nova Scotia Film and Television Production Incentive Fund.

Two young women from Sipekne'katik First Nation, (Indian Brook) Hants County, were part of Canada's delegation to the United Nations 61st Congress on the Status of Women in New York. Shurenda Michael and Michaela Julian presented a workshop, Wednesday, March 15, on indigenous girls' leadership. It featured the story of Nova Scotia's Peaked Cap Project which is a Mi'kmaq approach to the United Nations Girls' Roundtable model. The girls developed tools to define what their future is going to be. The girls involved with the Peaked Cap Project from Sipekne'katik First Nation created a video that can be viewed at <https://youtu.be/OcQziFQK7wa>

Premier Stephen McNeil said news of the federal government's \$325 million Atlantic Fisheries Fund investment will result in a stronger fisheries sector in Nova Scotia. Nova Scotia's seafood exports have grown and, in 2016, reached an all-time high of \$1.8 billion. There are now more than 9,400 people working in fisheries in Nova Scotia. In 2010, that number was 6,900.

Government is taking immediate action to address the increase in illicit fentanyl and other synthetic opioids in Nova Scotia with more than \$1 million in funding. The Department of Health and Wellness is spending \$564,000 to expand access to naloxone, a medication that blocks the effect of opioids and can reverse an overdose. This funding will support the purchase and distribution of naloxone kits through a range of community and health care organizations, including community pharmacies and municipal police. Government is also investing \$559,000 to support three community-based harm reduction organizations in 2017/18: \$160,000 in new funding to Northern Healthy Connections Society, Truro; an increase of \$247,000 to Mainline Needle Exchange, Halifax and an increase of \$152,000 to Sharp Advice Needle Exchange, Sydney. Sixty people died of opioid overdoses in the province in 2016, four of which involved illicit fentanyl.

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Lloyd Berliner, centre, representing Patterson Law presented the outstanding team, 21-plus award to the 55-plus women's hockey team. Pictured above are, L-R: Beverley Read, Kathy Dean, Moe Aubut, Lloyd Berliner, Cindy Miller, Brenda Ryan, coach and Julie Small.

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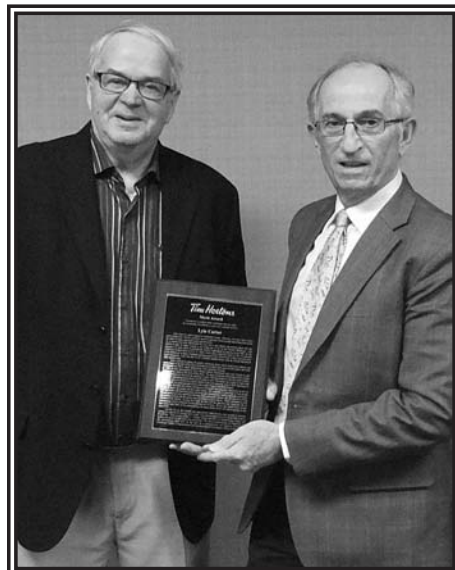
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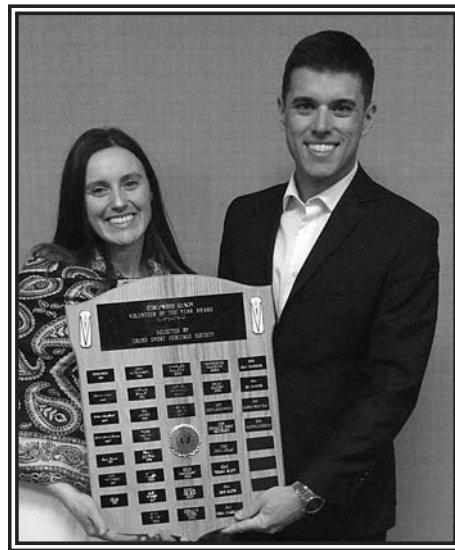
Tammy Armstrong representing The Snook Group presented the outstanding senior female athlete award to Wanda McClellan.



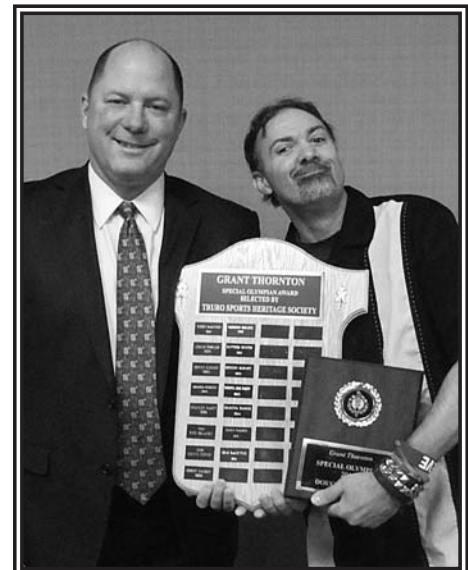
Duane Rath representing Pro-Cresting presented the outstanding male, 21-50 award to Joyce Millman, who accepted the award on behalf of her son, Peter.



The Tim Hortons Merit Award was presented to Lyle Carter by Chris MacDougall, right.



Volunteer of the year award was presented to Lavinia Carrreau by Chris Guinan representing CIBC Wood Gundy.



Kelly Kolke presented the Grant Thornton Special Olympian award to Dougie MacIntyre.


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