

# PHOTO FEATURE

**The Wild Blueberry Producers Association of Nova Scotia held their Annual Field Day in Debert on July 20th with over 300 in attendance. (Harrington Photos)**



Producers were given an update on research trials.



Cavendish Agri Services offer a variety of fertilizers, crop protectants and farm supplies.



JR Tardif has flail mowers from 4 feet to 16 feet wide. The one on display is a 13 ft model. They also manufacture mulcher and stump-grinding equipment.



The band "For Old Times Sake" entertained the crowd at the Field Day.



There were several sizes of Weed Dragons and a new blueberry harvester on display at the Pictou County Berry Ltd. booth. Weeds are no match for the propane driven Weed Dragon, whether on your lawn, along your driveway or in the crop field. The harvester on a Grasshopper Tractor can pick up to 7000lbs of berries/day. See a demo at <http://youtu.be/JhdnRnsblS0>



Tasty roast beef on a bun and delicious salads were served for lunch, with a blueberry dessert of course!



Yum! Molly Smith tops a delicious wild blueberry dessert with whip cream.

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**Custom Manufactured Products:**

- 1) **Mechanical Blueberry Harvester** - Reel-type picking head side mounted to a tractor; picking head follows contours of the ground. Reduces harvesting costs as much as 50%.
- 2) **Blueberry Gang Mower** - BGM-3 Gangmower three mower heads mounted in a staggered pattern under a tow frame. Available with 3-foot or 4-foot mowing heads with a cut path of 8'6" and 11'6" respectively.
- 3) **Roadside Mower** - Single head, side mount mower 5-foot head. There are 25 units in operation throughout Nova Scotia. Units are used in bush cutting operations and roadside mowing in the State of Maine.
- 4) **Excavator Mower** - Single head, boom mount mower has 5-foot head. Head is mounted to the excavator boom using existing bucket mounting pins enabling mower head to mow contour of the ditches.
- 5) **Highway Median Mower** - BMM-5 median mower is a combination of 2 mid-mount 5-foot side mowers mounted on left and right sides of 90 HP tractor unit and 2 five-foot heads with 1 four-foot head mounted under a tow frame with a total cut path of 21'6". All heads are independently raised and lowered.
- 6) **DBE Electronics** - We offer contract electronics manufacturing with an emphasis on product quality and on time delivery. Manufacturing capabilities include electronic assembly, printed circuit boards and cable assemblies for prototype to production run quantities. No quantity is too large or too small.
- 7) **Cranberry Harvester** - This is the latest addition of Doug Bragg Enterprises's lineup of custom manufactured products. This machine is intended for dry picking cranberries with as little waste as possible and with virtually no damage to the bog. The ground pressure with the recommended setup is less than a foot print of an adult of average size.







