

# Maritime Wild Blueberry Field Day • Photos by Linda Harrington.



The powerful Shark Mower from Porter Equipment.



Neri Vautour, WBANA Canada had lots of wild blueberry promotional materials on display.



Kensington Ag Services Ltd had a couple New Holland Tractors on display, one with a Greentec Brush Mower.



Bill Davison of Davison Engineering chats with Zachary Williams and Zack Perrin about new technology at Davison Engineering Systems, Parrsboro.



Howie Shears stopped by to chat with Jacinthe Cormier, Canadian Wildlife Services.



Lauren Peters was busy serving up samples of Masstown Market's 50th Anniversary Wild Blueberry Soda and Wild Blueberry Tranquility Peace By Chocolate Bars.



Ron Kennedy of Central Equipment stands beside the impressive Massey Ferguson 5711.



Dr. Helga Mieble talks with Graham Kempton, Bayer CropScience Inc.



Jack Lynds and Riley Cameron were the official Pie Baking Contest judges. This is the third year the contest has been sponsored by the Foodland in Springhill.



Kaitlyn Wesley, a summer student working for the Wild Blueberry Festival was happy to pass along info about upcoming events including the Festival Kick-off on Wednesday, August 14th at Civic Square in Truro.



David and Coral Harris stopped by the Critters B-Gone booth to receive information from Suzanne Hawkesworth.



Melanie Lecher stopped by the Bee Pollinated booth and talked with Todd Burgess.



Sherin Jose and Joel Abbey have been caring our research at Dalhousie Faculty of Agriculture for Dr. David Percival.



Michelle Dymont of Nutri Ag, Albany, PE had lots of information to share with producers.



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