

“Don’t Believe Everything You Sea”

VILLAGE FOLLIES’ DINNER THEATRE HELD IN MID APRIL



Nadine (Shannon Fielding) was sometimes a bit of a handful for her husband Donald (John Harrington) during the sea cruise. Shannon wrote “Don’t Believe Everything You Sea” for this year’s Dinner Theatre presentation by the Village Follies. (Harrington Photo)



Jim, played by Laurence Tuttle, had the audience in stitches from the time he walked out on stage with his wife Kelly (played by Anne Forbes). This was the tenth year for the Village Follies Dinner Theatre at the Debert Hospitality Centre. (Harrington Photo)



Kelly (Anne Forbes) sings to her love interest Brock (Paul Gamble) during the Village Follies’ Dinner Theatre held in mid April. (Harrington Photo)



Some rather colorful charaters showed up for the “Posiedon’s Paradise Ball” on the Village Follies Dinner Theatre Cruise recently. Left to right- Lynn Macpherson, Andre Myette, Paul Gamble, Anne Forbes, Shannon Fielding, John Harrington, Malcolm Macpherson and Lisa McBurnie. (Harrington Photo)



Ship’s Security Officer, Vinnie (Malcolm Macpherson) chats with lounge entertainer Leanne (Lisa McBurnie) during the Village Follies’ presentation of “Don’t Believe Everything You Sea” at the Debert Hospitality Center. (Harrington Photo)

Out and About with Ken

By Ken Kennedy

I was about to sit down and start off this column with something about our goings on over the past couple of months when I picked up today’s (Apr.19) Truro Daily News and read the obituary of Tom MacLean who died in Cuba over the weekend. The obituary mentioned something about Tom’s involvement with the Shoreline Journal over the past little while. That’s putting it mildly. If it were not for Tom MacLean there would be no Shoreline Journal, for it was in his little office and down in the musty basement that the Shoreline was born in Feb. 1994. That was the days of waxing and pasting and using little black tape to make borders and ad boxes. Ugh! Tom didn’t have much time to enjoy his retirement but I’ll bet he made the best of it.

Whew. I’m tired of travelling. We flew down to Orlando on March 7th and met Greg and family there in the Lake Buena Vista resort where we shared a suite with he, Cindy, and 8-year-old twins Michael and Sarah. We stayed an extra week after they went back to Newmarket and did some driving around to see more of the State of Florida. We saw an Blue Jay’s game at Dunedin before they went back. It was so hot we pretty near died. We went back up that way again after they left and spent some at the Indian Rocks Gulf Coast beach, and

the Madeira beach as well. On the way back we dropped in to Zepherhills where we thought we might see someone from home - not realizing how big a place that is and how my vacation home locations are there. We did call in on Fred and Catherine Lawrence for a few minutes but they were on their way out to sing at a club down the road.

Back in Orlando we rested up a bit and then headed out to find the other coast - the Atlantic coast at Daytona beach and Cocoa beach. People told us before we left that the Atlantic waters were cold. Obviously they hadn’t swam at Melmerby beach lately. Actually, I couldn’t see much difference in water temperature from the Gulf shore.

Of course we did a lot of other stuff but my wife keeps warning me not to be telling too much of our personal life. I tell her that if I didn’t do that there would be no column at all! Somehow I don’t think she will mind if I tell you that we are new grand-parents to Pam’s baby girl, Olivia Grace Kennedy, who weighed in at 7lb 5oz on Friday April 8th. The next day we left for Toronto by plane early in the morning so as to babysit the twins while Greg and Cindy went on Best Buy business trip to Jamaica. We just got back last night at 11:00 p.m.

Now do you see what I mean when I said we were tired of travelling!

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