



July 10th to 12th was Parrsboro Lion's Club Old Home Week Events. During that time 10 girls competed to be crowned the Old Home Week Queen. The crowd cheered on the girls during the final announcements of the selections at the Lions Arena, Parrsboro. Tylor Tennant was voted Miss Congeniality by the other girls and then also won Second Princess. Pictured above is Parrsboro's royalty for 2013, (L/R): 1st Princess Chalene Yorke; 2013 Queen, Katie McKay; 2nd Princess & Miss Congeniality Tylor Tennant and the past (2012) Queen Audriana Smith. (Lawrence R. Nicoll Photo)

Mad Hatter's Tea Party a Success

By Linda Shears

The Mad Hatter's Tea Party, held on the lawn of St. James United Church in Great Village on August 18 was well-attended and carried on the old tradition of a garden party. Many of the party goers wore colourful, decorated hats and some ladies wore long dresses. The White Rabbit was there as promised, though he sat very quietly on a bench.

Top notch entertainment was provided by the musical talent of Ally Francis and Brian MacEachern. There was a variety of delicious blueberry desserts and a choice of Steeped Teas, including herbal, oolong and black. This was the second Mad Hatter's Tea sponsored by the Community Association and hopefully it will become an annual tradition.



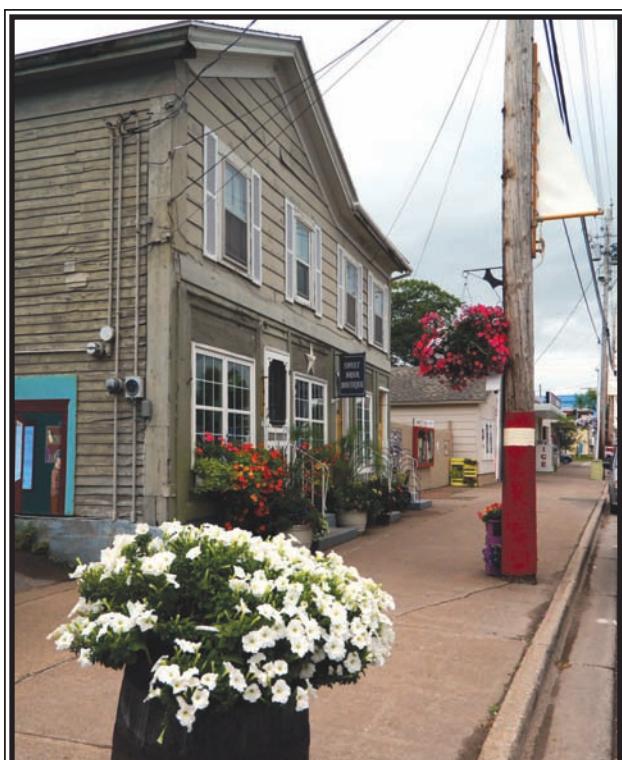
Brian MacEachern and Ally Francis provided harmony and melody for the Mad Hatter's Tea Party. (Submitted)



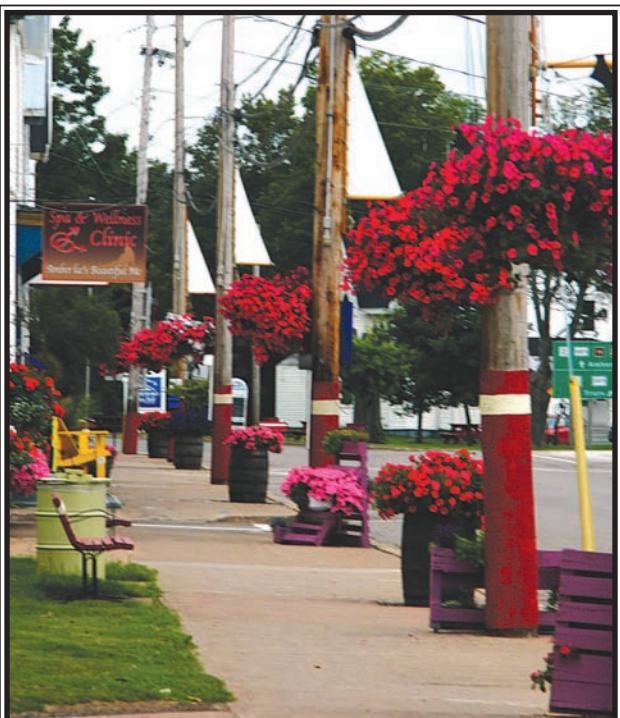
Terry Francis served Steeped Tea and blueberry desserts. (Submitted)



Emily Neily served tea to adults while Alexis Merzbach and Aidan Myers helped themselves to iced tea. (Submitted)



Flower pots, flags and wrought iron sculptures occupy prominent places along Parrsboro's Main Street as part of the Communities in Bloom initiative. (Coleen Martin Photo)



A committee in Parrsboro has been working hard to beautify the town as part of the Communities in Bloom initiative. Judges visited the community recently. Results will be announced later this fall. (Coleen Martin Photo)

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