

Wild Blueberry Jams – Numerous concerts and live music venues are held throughout the festival all offering a dash of wild blueberry flavor!

AMHERST

Wild Blue Hullabaloo - Aug 28: Saturday August 28th come to downtown Amherst (on Victoria between Church & Havelock) for a Family Fun by Day — Including Berry Fun Activities put on by local community groups, live music, Blue-BQ & More! Stop by in the evening for Rockin' Party by Night* — Live street concert Featuring Rik Reese & Neon Highway (* 19+ event).

Annual Blueberry Dance - Sept 11: Cumberland Twirlers 36th Blueberry dance. Saturday Sept 11, 2010 Amherst Regional High School, 190 Willow St, Amherst, NS 8:00 – 10:00 pm. \$10 per couple. Mainstream and rounds, lunch and prizes. Caller: Kerry Fletcher, cuer: Beth Dickinson. Contact: Gerry & Marion McLellan (902) 447-2857, mclellan.gm@ns.sympatico.ca, for more information.

TIDNISH

Pick-n-Grin - Aug 17: There will be a bluegrass festival at the Tidnish Community Centre from 7:00pm - 9:00pm to raise money to help people with disabilities. Donations at the door and door prizes.

OXFORD

Wild Blueberry Bash - Aug 21: The Oxford Curling Club at 56 Waverly Street will be hosting a full day of activities to celebrate the Wild Blueberry Harvest Festival. Come for breakfast from 8:00 - 11:00 am and enjoy live entertainment while you eat. The full breakfast is \$10.00/plate with all proceeds going to the food bank. A dance will take place in the evening from 8:00pm - 1:30am. The dance is \$12.00/person and will host entertainment by FreeFall. For more information call Cecil Hannah at 664-4077 or 552-2081.

PARRSBORO

Ryan Cook and Sunny Acres - Aug 23: Enjoy the fast-rising honky-tonk & country music singer/songwriter, Ryan Cook. From Yarmouth, Ryan is poised to become something of a new country music star. Ryan has won a few: Music Nova Scotia Awards (Male Artist Recording of the year, Country/Bluegrass Recording of the year); the 2008 Rodeo Idol Songwriting and Singing Competition; and has been nominated for many other awards, including: several Music Nova Scotia Awards and East Coast Music Award for Country Recording of the year. The show starts at 8:00pm at Ship's Company Theatre and you would be best to book your tickets ahead. Call the box office at 1-800-565-SHOW.

Tonveta's Blueberry Festival - Sept 4: Come join in on the festivities including a country music concert featuring #1 classic country singer Don Haggart, David Anderson, Wendy Manning and Tonveta Band (including Al Snell, Keith DeLong, Dave Murphy) on September 4 at 8:00pm. Tickets are \$25 at the door or by calling 686-3876. Blueberry dessert fundraiser for the Parrsboro Lions Club.

ECONOMY

Blueberry Dessert Coffee House - Aug 21: Blueberry Dessert Coffee House sponsored by the Board of Stewards, Economy United Church. Beginning at 7:30pm at the Economy Rec Centre. Includes blueberry desserts, entertainment, music, skits, etc. Cost is \$6/person.

GREAT VILLAGE

Great Village 'In the Blue' - Aug 21: We will be in the blue. Join us for day long events. Starting at 1:00 Tea and dessert everything blue and much more, Chinese Auction, 50/50 draw, displays, games and activities for the kids including a chocolate bar bingo. BBQ at supper time with live entertainment. All happening at the St. James United Church, Great Village Legion and the church green in Great Village. Keep your eyes open you may catch a glimpse of our blueberry Mascot.

BIBLE HILL

Entertainment on the Wild Blueberry Stage at the NSPE - Aug 25: Entertainment on the Wild Blueberry Stage will include the Mister J Magic Show at 2:00pm. It will be followed by the Youth Talent Competitions Auditions at 4:00pm and the Nova Scotia's Got Talent Auditions at 5:30pm. The day will end off with a Fiddle Fest at 7:30pm. For more information, visit www.nspe.ca.

NSPE Wild Blueberry Stage Entertainment - Aug 26: The NSPE will host Kidzact at 1:00pm, the Mister J Magic Show at 2:00pm, and an encore performance by Kidzact at 3:00pm. This will be followed by Youth

Talent Competition Auditions at 4:00pm and Nova Scotia's Got Talent Auditions at 5:30pm. We will finish off the day with Scott DeCoste at 7:00pm and Ian Stewart's Hypnosis at 9:30. All events take place on the Wild Blueberry Stage. For more information, visit www.nspe.ca

Entertainment at the NSPE on the Wild Blueberry Stage - Aug 27: Come to the Wild Blueberry Stage to see Razz-ma-tazz at 2:00 and 4:00pm. At 3:00pm, the Youth Talent Competition Auditions will take place, followed by the Nova Scotia's Got Talent Auditions at 5:30pm. At 6:30, Paul Mingo will take the stage, and at 8:00 Rawding Lowe & Lily will perform. Visit www.nspe.ca for more information.

Wild Blueberry Entertainment Stage at the NSPE - Aug 28: The Wild Blueberry Stage will be the place for children with the Children's Bike Competition at 11:00am, the Mister J Magic Show at 1:00pm, and Richard Zurawski's Kid's Presentation at 3:30. At 3:30pm, there will be Richard Zurawski's Adult's Presentation, followed by Darcy & Mandi at 4:30pm. The evening will end off with the Youth Talent Competition Finals at 6:00pm and the Open Talent Competition Finals at 8:00pm. Visit www.nspe.ca for more information.

TRURO

Festival Kick-off! - Aug 20: Come out to the Marigold Cultural Centre and help to kick off the Wild Blueberry Harvest Festival from 6:00 - 10:00 pm. There will be a free outdoor concert sponsored by Margolians, a celebrity pie-eating contest, a bouncy house, and lots of family fun. Come enjoy some wild blueberry concessions, including fresh blueberry crisp with proceeds going to the Bill Rawlinson Memorial Outreach Fund.

The Wild Blueberry Roadshow - Sept 3: The Colchester Historical Museum in Truro will be hosting the Wild Blueberry Road Show starting at 7:00 pm. There will be wild blueberry desserts & two exhibits: Horsepower to Horsepower and a Planter 1761, as well as a musical performance by Doris McKinley & Friends.

KEMPT SHORE

Kempt Shore Bluegrass and Old-time Music Festival - Aug 13 - 15: A three day family event in Kempt Shore overlooking the beautiful Minas Basin featuring the Maritime's best bands in bluegrass and oldtime music. Visit www.novascotiabluegrass.com for more information.