



NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

P. O. BOX 2346, CHARLOTTETOWN

Meetings are held on the first Tuesday of the month at 8:00 p.m. in Room 47 on the third floor of the Provincial Health Building. (Enter through the parking garage and ask the Commissionaire for directions.)

Membership is open to anyone interested in the natural history of Prince Edward Island. Membership is available at any meeting or by contacting Margaret Mallett, 53 Fitzroy St., Charlottetown, P.E.I. C1A 1R4. (telephone 894-9595). Annual rates are as follows: Regular - \$4; Student - \$2; Family - \$5.

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Newsletters are published bi-monthly. Articles, notes, reports, drawings, etc. are welcomed from members. If you have seen anything unusual, please share it with us. It is important to have your observations recorded so that others may learn from them. All contributions should be sent to:

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Editors of other newsletters are welcome to reprint articles appearing in this issue but acknowledgement would be appreciated.

It's that time of year again when we start bugging you about renewing your membership or buying a membership as a gift for a friend.

Reading through some back issues, I came across an announcement by Winnie congratulating the Natural History Society on its 10th anniversary. That was in October 1979. By my calculations that means this issue marks the 15th anniversary of the present NHS - and that started me thinking of the benefits a membership can bring. The monthly talks; reports; bi-monthly newsletter; field trips; a sharing of ideas and concerns about nature - all these for only \$4 (regular fee) a year. Good value for your money!

P.S. - there's also usually a pretty good "lunch" provided at the meetings compliments of the lunch committee.