

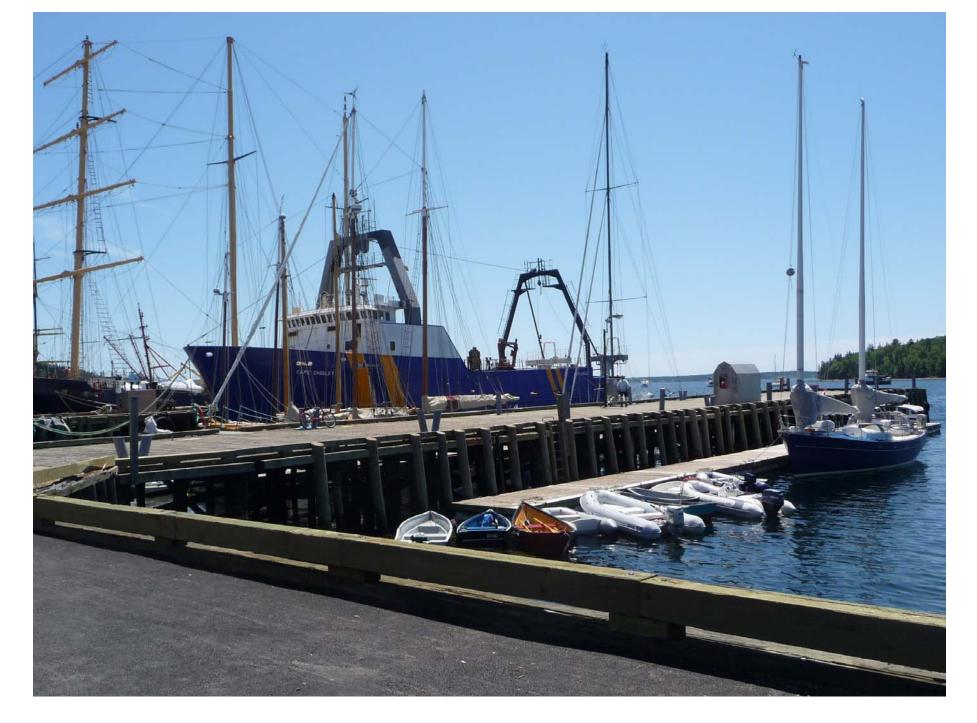
We see our friend, John Steele, in Lunenburg and he shows us his lovely schooner Papa I built by his Covey Island Boatworks.



Inside Papa I with John & his wife, Madeline.



Beautiful stern section of the Papa I. Carved dolphin head on each side of the handrail.



Tied up to the Zwicker wharf at the new floating docks. Papa I is on the other side.



John moves his boat from the dock to it's mooring buoy nearby.



Lyle Hess designed 26' cutter built by Covey Island Boatworks. This is like Lin & Larry Pardey's classic first boat "Seraffyn".



Lunenburg street scene. Joyce has a soft spot for pretty horses.



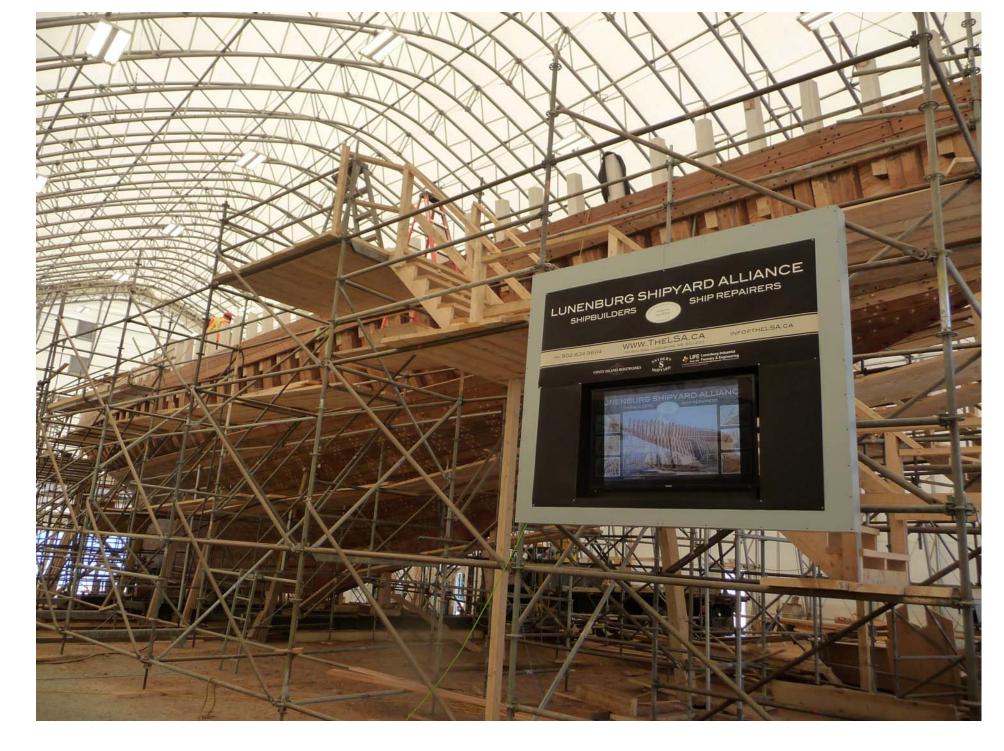
Colorful Lunenburg stores and B & B's.



Lunenburg is a boat building mecca. Here are the twin schooners being built that were featured in Wooden Boat Magazine.



Hardhats & safety glasses required to get a free viewing of the Bluenose II under construction.



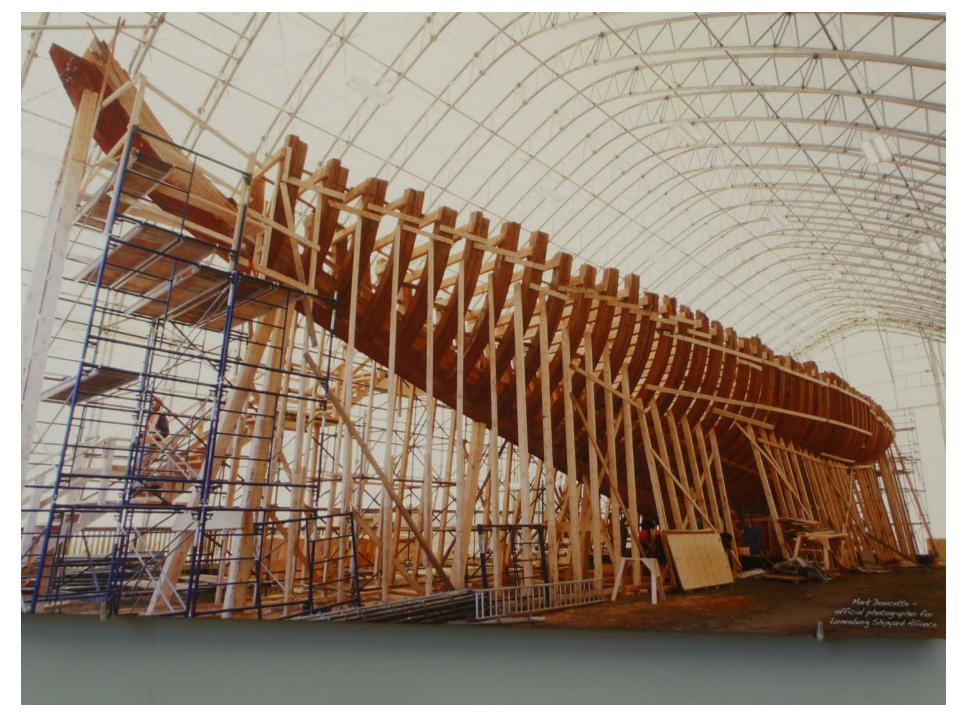
The Bluenose II. Covey Island Boatworks is part of this Shipyard Alliance.



Maurice R. Crosby, official painter of the Bluenose II.



Maurice Crosby's paintings of the Bluenose II.



Mark Doucette, official photographer for the Bluenose II. Here's one of his photos.



Ocean 60 raceboat, Spirit of Canada, which has been around the world 3 times.



We meet up with friends Rod & Gail Fraser on Nor'easter in Folly Island Channel.



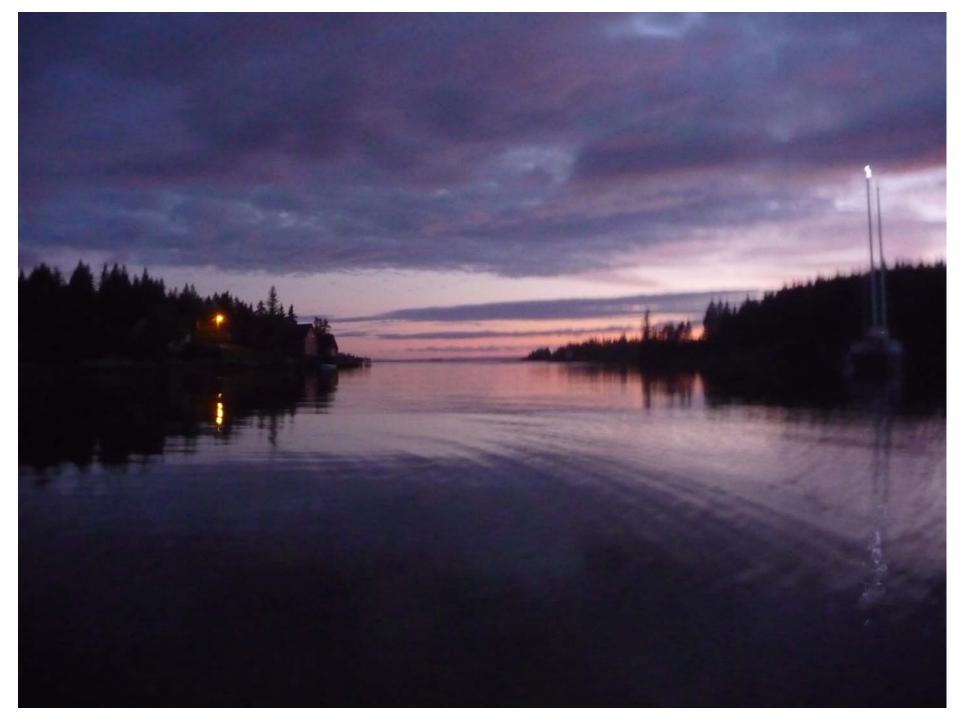
We anchor in front of the old Covey Island Boatworks in Folly Is. Channel.



Gail & Rod are from Chester in Mahone Bay. Met them in Cape Breton last August & enjoy a gourmet dinner with them on their boat.



Pretty picture of Folly Island Channel.



Sunset in the Folly channel. Running Free is at right with it's anchor light on.



So long, Rod & Gail. Smooth sailing to you!



Brooklyn Marina in Liverpool Bay. Canteen to the right in picture.



Wayne, the volunteer marina manager & Canteen cook, makes us a wonderful steak dinner on July 28.



Brooklyn paper mill by marina. The friendly people & Wayne's good food made up for the not so nice scenery.



Motor sail to Shelburne. This shows the Atlantic as gentle as a mill pond.



Motoring with mizzen sail up stabilizes the boat. Deck shows our new life raft & solar panels in the foreground.



Must've been a bad storm that got this lobster boat on the rocks.



Shelburne Yacht Club. Happy to be there.



We enjoy Happy Hour with fellow sailors, Megan & Bob Kline from Maine & Janine & Terry Plain from Vancouver. The Plains have been cruising for 21 years around the world.



We leave Shelburne Harbor on July 30 with new friends, Bob & Megan on **Serenity** (Kittery, Maine) and Paul & Mary on **Restless** (Halifax, NS).



How exciting it was to see this whale right next to our boat on the way to the Tusket Islands, N.S.



Sunset at anchor by Turpentine Island in the Tusket Islands. Our last night in Canada. Overnight passage to Maine the next day.



Skipper Adrian Boudreau picks Joyce up on his lobster boat for the party.



The party at Adrian's cottage on Turpentine Island was for all these wedding guests.



Adrian & Paula Boudreau, the hosts of a fun wedding party. All the folks there were Acadian so a mixture of French & English was spoken.

Adrian gets ready to bring Joyce back to Running Free after a couple hours at the party. It was a fun Nova Scotia experience--Joyce's last one before leaving for Maine. So long Canada, it's been great.

