

Students in Business

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Local 17-year old Claire Haliburton has a love for photography and the way it lets her see the world in a whole new way.

When she first began the process with Shelburne CBDC to enter into the Students in Business Program*, she once again saw the world in a whole new way but this time it wasn't just through the lens of a camera but through good business sense.

Claire applied to the program and was accepted to launch her business proposal to create and sell her book on photography entitled, Scenic Shelburne County.

Each page of the book has a stunning photo of the many corners of Shelburne County.

"While doing the book I realized how beautiful the place we live in really is," she said. "I tried to include everybody's Shelburne County in it."

Her love for photography developed as a young child when her uncle gave her a camera as a present but her love of business didn't develop until later in her teen years.

Always thinking she would pursue the sciences, Claire decided in the end to take her Bachelor of Commerce at Queens University in hopes of becoming a management consultant.

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eyes up to the rarely discussed side of business, commerce and entrepreneurship," said Claire. CBDC would help her to understand the ins and outs of running a business, a valuable tool for her career.

"There were so many variables I didn't take into account," she said. "It's not something you just read and learn from a book. You have to learn from experience."

Throughout the business process Claire learned to write a business plan, choose a mentor, work on various business skills like accounting and keep track of her overall experience through a monthly report.

"Knowing I can now do these things has given me a boost of confidence," said Claire. "You are your own boss...it teaches you self-discipline, you don't have anyone telling you what to do except yourself."

She is accepting preorders for her photography book, Scenic Shelburne County at claire.haliburton@gmail.com



**The Students in Business program offers a 0% interest bearing loan of up to \$5,000 with rebates of 10% if certain conditions are met. It is open to Nova Scotia students ages 15-34 who are attending or plan to attend full time a high school or post secondary institution.*

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