The NSIS looks forward to celebrating its 150th Anniversary in 2012, with special issues of the Proceedings planned for that year. Please read the journal, become a contributor, and join in this exciting journey of documenting scientific discovery and progress in Nova Scotia and the Maritimes.

Peter G. Wells, Ph.D., Editor  
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TREASURER  
MARCH 31, 2010

ASSETS:  
Bank Account 9,954.75  
Investments 60,598.90  
TOTAL ASSETS 70,553.65

LIABILITIES AND NET WORTH:  
Accounts Payable  
Science Fairs 200.00  
Honorarium 200.00  
400.00

Net Worth 70,153.65  
Total Liabilities And Net Worth 70,553.65

INVESTMENTS:  
Renaissance High Interest Savings Account 8,798.90  
Laurention Bank Certificate A @4.500% (due June 2010) 10,000.00  
CIBC Investment Certificate A @5.05% (due Jun 2011) 11,500.00  
CIBC Investment Certificate A @5.20% (due Oct. 2012) 20,000.00  
National Bank of Canada Certificate A@2.900% (due May 2013) 10,300.00  
TOTAL INVESTMENTS 60,598.90

NOTES  

Finances: The net worth of the Institute is $70,153.65. For this year, revenue included a grant of $1000.00 from the Nova Scotia Department of Tourism and Culture. The Institute also received $507.26 from ACCESS copyright for publication royalties.

Expenditures for donations and prizes totalled $2000.00. This included $100.00 donations to each of 10 regional Science Fairs in Nova Scotia; a $50.00 donation to the APICS Undergraduate Chemical Conference at Saint Francis Xavier University; and a $200.00 donation to École-Rose-des-
Vents, the winner of the FIRST LEGO League Competition in Nova Scotia and chosen to attend the World Festival in Atlanta, Georgia.

Two writing competition awards were given; $500.00 for graduate and $250.00 for undergraduate.

**Membership:** The Institute has 99 active individual members including 7 life members and 1 student member. This year there were 7 new members. Dues from individual members amounted to $1,890.00 and from institutional members $370.00.

Respectfully submitted to the AGM
May 3, 2010
Elaine D. McCulloch
Treasurer

**Revenue**

**Membership Dues**
- Individuals: $1,890.00
- Institutions: 370.00
- AGM (2009): 2,336.00

**Donations/Grant**: 1,160.00

**Sales/Page charges**
- Proceedings: 51.94
- Other: 665.00

**Other**
- Cancelled cheque: 50.00

**Income/Royalties**
- Investment Income: 2,447.32
- Access Copyright Royalty: 507.26
- Bank Interest & Exchange: 1.81

**Total Revenue**: $9,479.33

**Expenditures**
- Advertisement/Promotion: 139.64
- AGM (2009): 2,214.35
- Office supplies: 20.99
- Rent: 165.03
- Postage: 49.64
- Donations/Prizes: 2000.00
- Honoraria: 600.00

**Total Expenditure**: $5,189.65

**Net**: $4,289.68