## **Local Business Voted Best British Shop in the World!**

The Daily Telegraph, a leading U.K. newspaper, holds an annual competition for the "Best of British" establishments around the world. They have just announced the winners for 2011 and a local business, Delish Fine Foods in Upper Tantallon, Nova Scotia, won the award for the Best British Shop.

The following is extracted from the announcement on their website, the full announcement can be found at <a href="http://www.telegraph.co.uk/expat/expat/life/9053953/Best-of-British-competition-the-winners.html">http://www.telegraph.co.uk/expat/expat/life/9053953/Best-of-British-competition-the-winners.html</a>

BEST of BRITISH competition ... The WINNERS

The winners of The Telegraph's Best of British competition, designed to celebrate the best that Britain has to offer around the world, have finally been chosen.

From the shops that stock English tea, to the old-fashioned boozers that serve a proper roast on Sundays, British establishments across the globe are a lifeline to the thousands of expats who crave a taste of home. With hundreds of new places nominated for our competition this year, picking the winners was anything but easy – but we hope our selection underlines the sterling work that British communities do all around the globe.

BEST SHOP Winner: Delish Fine Foods, Upper Tantallon, Nova Scotia, Canada Run by expats Linda and Denis Dineen, this popular shop keeps local Brits well supplied with their favourite goodies from across the pond, and even has a dedicated chef to turn out homemade treats such as Scotch eggs and meat pies. It's so good, you'll even find Canadians popping in there.

The Telegraph's write-up on Delish Fine Foods can be found at: http://expatdirectory.telegraph.co.uk/canada/nova-scotia/delish-fine-foods2/

## Background

"Best of British" awards were made in 7 categories

- Best Restaurant
- Best Shop
- Best Pub/Bar
- Best Business Club
- Best Social Club
- Best Accommodation
- Best Sporting Club

## Numbers of Entries:

- 2180 establishments in all categories across North America, Europe, Africa, Australia, New Zealand and South East Asia
  - 164 establishments in British Shop category
  - o 72 establishments in British Shop category from North America
    - 28 in Canada
    - 44 in the U.S.