Born in Stanhope, PEI, Blair started his career with CP Rail Ltd. as an Engineer in 1972. Since that time, Blair has been involved in operating and owning and/or co-owning a variety of successful businesses, - Island Coastal, Green Gables Golf Course, Anderson’s Creek Golf Course, Island Petroleum, Bike Shop Source for Sports, to name a few.

Blair is involved in numerous community and charitable organizations including:

- Holland College
- UPEI Athletics
- JA Board of Governors
- Ducks Unlimited
- Atlantic Road Builders
- PEI Road Builders
- Canadian Construction Assoc.
- Trinity United Church

He and his companies have won a number of prestigious awards over the years including:

- Excellence in Engineering Engineers PEI
- PEI Roadbuilders Honorary Lifetime Membership
- Gzowski Award – PEI Literacy Alliance
- Dept. of Transportation and Infrastructure - Renewal Environmental Awards and Renewal Grading Awards
- PEI Road Builders Safety Award
Blair is a very successful businessman and is a very deserving recipient of the JA Business Hall of Fame award.