

4-H Achievement Day - Dec 5, 1976



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A group of 4-H members, leaders, parents and friends listen attentively to comments and pointers given by Home Economist Mrs. Wendy Adams of South Porcupine. She commented on each demonstration and exhibit at the Achievement Day held by area 4-H Club members in J. H. Kennedy Public School on December 4.

Debbie Page receives County honours for completion of six projects.

The first meeting of the Monteith 4H club, Group 2, was held at the home of leader, Mrs. Denise Purdy on February 28.

This year's unit study is 'clothes for leisure.' The club, at this meeting chose its name -- 'The Leisure Girls.' Election of officers was held. President is Laurie Hart; secretary, Marion Hart; press reporter, Monique Vandebosch. Members are Marion and Laurie Hart, Brenda Page, Vera and Monique Vandebosch. The leader will be Mrs. C. Lessard with Mrs. Denise Purdy as assistant. Meeting night is Monday. The girls will next gather at the home of Mrs. Lessard on March 7.

'Dressing Up Vegetables' was the theme of the 4-H Club Achievement Day held on Saturday, December 4 in the auditorium of the Joseph H. Kennedy Public School in Matheson. Members from seven clubs throughout the area attended.

The afternoon program was opened by Mrs. Marjorie MacDonald, Home Economist from New Liskeard. Porquis No. 2, 'The Garden Nibblers' gave a demonstration on 'a vegetable relish tray' conducted by Patricia Neil and Beverley Belhumeur. 'The Dip Sticks' of Black River No. 2 had an exhibit on 'vegetables for all the family.' Monteith No. 2 'The Vegetarians' gave a demonstration on 'dressing up vegetables with spokesmen Marion Hart and Vera Vandebosch. The 'Garnish Cuties' of Porquis No. 1 presented an exhibit on 'five ways with one vegetable.' This presentation was made by Lena Berlinghoff.

The Black River No. 3 'Cabbage Cuties' spoke on 'cabbage-unree-ways'. The 'Kooky Kumbumbers' of Montrock gave a demonstration on 'potatoes every day' with spokesmen Charlene and Monique Lepage. Brenda Brooks of Black River No. 4 commented on the exhibit, 'Kool Slaws'.....'Colour for Vitamins.'

Janet Wright of Matheson gave a brief report on her trip to the Guelph Girls' Conference sponsored by the 4-H club. Miss Kathy Silverson reported on her 4-H trip to the CNE in Toronto. Awards were presented to members who completed two projects and 4-H spoons were presented to each member and leader.

Awarded a five-year leader's certificate were Mrs. Norma (Tom Monahan and Mrs. Simone (Georges) Daoust both of Matheson.

Receiving county honours for completion of six projects were: from Matheson, Diane Baragar, Carolyn Ewen, Wanda Dambrowitz, Brenda Brooks, Donna DeMarchi and Heather Lamb, from Monteith Debbie Page.