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Five videotapes from OMAF

Looking for ideas for a program feature at your organization's next meeting?

The Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food Film Library (at Johnston Hall, University of Guelph, Guelph, NIG 2WI) has the following video tapes. Borrow by calling 519-824-4120 ext. 3324. OMAF will pay the postage to send the video tape to you; you are responsible for the return postage.

The Farm...The Family — the ability to accept and adapt to change is a major factor in achieving a successful farm business and a happy farm family. 15 mins. color, with study guide, 1988

When Murphy Goes Farming — a humorous look at coping with stressful situations on the farm. 15 mins. color, with study guide, 1986

The Farm Team — focuses on goal setting for the family by comparing a successful baseball team to a farm family. 12 mins. color, with study guide, 1987

Neighbor to Neighbor — focuses on the value of self-help groups to deal with problems arising from economic difficulties. 15 mins. color, 1986

The Rural Boardroom — shows how one family finds that a farm family business meeting becomes a method to make business decisions. 15 mins. color, with study guide, 1986

Recycling Language

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MOBIUS LOOP — the popularly adopted symbol for recycling used by many recycling groups and industries throughout North America. The symbol conveys the infinite use and re-use of materials that are recycled: solids, aquids and gases.

"HOTODEGRADABLE — can be decomposed by ultra violet rays.

LY ASH — toxic material, usually containing heavy metals such as arsenic, barium, cadmium, lead and mercury. Froduced during incineration of garbage. Must be stored in hazardous waste sites.

Nominations for extension award

The Ontario Agricultural College Alumni Foundation is seeking nominations for the 1989 T. R. Hilliard Distinguished Agricultural Extension Award. Presented annually to a person who has made outstanding contributions to agricultural extension in Ontario, the award consists of a citation and \$1,000 to be used for an extension, research or educational project of the recipient's choice. Nominations should be sent to OAC Alumni Foundation c/o Dean Freeman McEwen, Ontario Agricultural College, University of Guelph, NIG 2WI by Feb. 28.

Youth info

If you're trying to reach 15 to 24 yearolds, you may be interested in a book recently published by the Canadian Youth Foundation. It's called Canada's Youth: Ready for Today, and is a compilation of surveys completed by 2,100 Canadian youth. For a free copy, write to Employment and Immigration Canada, Ottawa, K1A 0J9 or call 819-994-6313.

PRIDE

PRIDE or Parent Resources Institute for Drug Education is a resource, information, conference and training institute. It disseminates accurate, up-to-date drug information to young people, parents and concerned individuals about adolescent drug abuse. For more information, call toll free 1-800-667-3747.

Visiting hours at Hoodless

Here's an update on visiting hours to the Adelaide Hoodless Homestead.

Monday to Friday, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. From May 24 to Thanksgiving Day, open Sundays, noon to 5 p.m. Closed the month of February, Dec. 24 to Jan. 2. Other times by appointment 519-448-1130.

Full-time Homemaker

Mrs. Diane Hoskins, 1730 Meadowview Crescent, Gloucester, K1V 1V1, is working on the creation of the full-time job of Homemaker, to allow for tax concessions and pension contributions. She is interested in hearing from other individuals on this subject. Please write to her at the above address or call 613-824-0428.

What is a volunteer?

At a meeting of a volunteer organization, there was heated discussion over who would be responsible for some 900 prize ribbons for the annual fair. The job had previously been done by a long standing member. Now the time had come for younger hands to get involved. No one volunteered.

Finally a member was nominated who promptly said, "I don't know if I would like it."

The woman who had done the job for so long replied, "You don't have to like it, just do it."

Everything that describes a volunteer was said in that short exchange.

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