



The Pittsburgh and Joyceville Women's Institutes held a joint garage sale during Recycling Week in late November. It was a garage sale with no price tags. Residents were invited to bring articles they no longer wanted and take away something in exchange. Dorothy Walker (left) of the Joyceville WI and Pat Barnes (right) of the Pittsburgh WI examine a child's skating jacket brought to the exchange. Donations of food and money were accepted for the local food bank, and old eye glasses were collected for the CNIB.



Through the efforts of Branch members, in co-operation with the local Ontario Provincial Police representative, a Neighbourhood Watch Program was set up in the community of Bloomfield. The community provided and installed the posts, while the Women's Institute financed all the signs and advertising, as well as recruited area captains for the program. The two WI members who led the project, Doris Leavens (left) and Debra White (right), are pictured above.

Grey North Hosts JWIO

The Annual Provincial Conference of the Junior Women's Institutes of Ontario was held on October 14 and 15, 1989, in Owen Sound. The Grey North Branch hosted the Conference.

The annual meeting was convened at the Holiday Inn. President Marg Greig's opening remarks emphasized the provincial theme — "Building Together." And, it is this motto that keeps our Junior Women's Institutes strong and active.

After the business session, congratulations were bestowed upon worthy members. The JWI Education Award was presented to Donna Clark of Aberdeen Branch, who is working toward an Ontario Management Development diploma at Georgina College in Owen Sound. Certificate of Merit Awards were presented to the following JWI members:

Elaine Catto — Grey North
Darlene Harding — Howick
Karen Robertson — Jean Scott

Nancy Snider — Saugeen
Sharon Judd — Norfolk

After committee reports and the installation of officers, a delicious dinner was served. A Sunday Brunch and a tour

of the Grey-Owen Sound Museum were the finale to a weekend enjoyed by all.

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Deliveries of a Different Kind!

Everyone I've talked to as Acting Editor of both the **Home & Country** and **The Enthusiast** magazines has asked: "Well, was it a boy or a girl?" For those who are still wondering, the latest addition to the Stewart-Kirkby family was delivered on October 17, 1989. The new arrival — Paul James — weighed in at 7.5 pounds.

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Now for those who are wondering what happened to their Oct./Nov. **Home & Country**, a short explanation.

It seems that duplicate copies and bundles have been delivered to several individuals and WI groups, while others have received none. The problem — some labels were duplicated, others were not printed at all. This has resulted in an apparent shortage of magazines.

We apologize for the mix up and are doing our best to correct the situation so that it does not happen again.

Some duplicate bundles have been returned to us, and we have forwarded them to those who notified us that their

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