



**HEADQUARTERS FUND UPDATE**

The Headquarters Fund currently sits at **\$661,993**

*Your support will ensure that WI continues long into the future.*

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**“If you think you are too small to be effective, you have never been in bed with a mosquito.”**

~ Betty Reese

## Second Line of Drummond WI Makes Special Donation

Community Chef Judy Dempsey (centre) of the Table (Perth's community food centre) demonstrates vegetable preparation done by a Robot Coupe commercial food processor. This food processor performs a host of culinary feats. It is designed for high speed and quality vegetable processing. Looking on are Shirley McLenaghan (left) and Theresa Brady (right) of the Second Line of Drummond WI (Eastern Area) which donated \$1,200 to purchase the machine. Chef Judy comments that "the Table is beyond grateful of this much needed piece of equipment".



## Lorne Sutherland WI Supports Local Hospital

The Members of Lorne Sutherland WI (Eastern Area) have made a \$2,000 donation to the Arnprior District Hospital's Partners in Caring Foundation for its digital mammography equipment. Taking part in the donation ceremony from left in front are Ina Mills, mammography campaign chairman, Kimberley O'Shaugnessy, Pat Herrick and Marina Semard. Back row: Gwen Steinke, Berna McClure, Robin Smith, Jane Potter and Joyce Headrick. Missing from the photo are Jacky Connell, Polly McColl, Debbie Mohr-Caldwell and Terry MacHardy. The donation was also made on behalf of the WI's Honourary Life Members, Agnes Brydges, Helen MacHardy and Hellen MacHardy. Wow, it must be fun when two Branch Members share the same name!

## Norfolk District Donate Gifts That Make a Difference

Stuffed animals, lap robes and quilts were again gathered and donated by Members of the Norfolk District WI (Hamilton Area) at their annual meeting in Langton on April 29th. Many of these are handmade and are donated annually to several local agencies who distribute them to children and adults. Representatives spoke on the value of these gifts and they will go to local nursing homes, the hospital, the Children's Aid, the Women's Shelter and to the police for accident victims. The 8 Branches in Norfolk had also gathered \$1,220.13 throughout the year, which will be sent to ACWW to assist women in third world countries.

*Pictured (L-R): Helen Columbus (Vittoria WI), Madaline Wilson (Lynedoch WI) and Rosemary Stickl (Vittoria WI).*

