ROL'S CORNER

I recently attended a Scrapbooking Retreat. Thinking about it later, I realized that this is a great programming idea for your Branch.

Why not host your own Scrapbooking day. We ALL have photos that need to be dealt with before we forget who's in each one! Why not invite someone who does scrapbooking (or several people) to bring their albums to one of your Branch meetings and tell why they enjoy doing this? What a good way to share ideas, thoughts and techniques.

You can charge admission and serve refreshments to raise funds for your Branch. Ask someone who has a shop or sells supplies to provide such a service at your day. Scrappers are very busy people too and appreciate a day when they can work on their albums undisturbed by kids and other distractions. You might even decide to provide childcare. Who knows...you could

become interested in this craft yourself.



Make this event a public event. Invite friends, family and neighbours and this becomes a **ROSE Session.**

Congratulations **Donalda Brown**

from Eady Grenard WI in Simcoe North.

Her entry was chosen as the winner for the Autumn book cover!

Only 750 of the Autumn books will be printed and available for the 2007 Area Conventions.

You won't want to miss out!

The next seasonal book is Summer! It will be available for 2008 Area Conventions. The deadline for the Summer seasonal book cover November 15, 2007. Content deadline is January 2008.

Watch for details in The Connecting Link, Chit Chat and in upcoming provincial newsletters!

Recognizing an Outstanding Contribution

Joan Playle of Bridgeport WI was awarded an honourary provincial Membership last year.

Joan's volunteer contribution to this organization has included a variety of tasks including planning committees,

helping at the Provincial Office and of course proof reading our provincial newsletter to name a few!

Joan's dedication and enthusiasm for WI remains strong after 60 years of involvement.

Thank you Joan - we all appreciate everything you do for WI!

