

MAY 16 - 1:00 PM - Hillier Hall

TOPIC: To select by consensus, the 2003-2004 programme

ROLL CALL: A topic I would enjoy (and sponsor) in the coming year.

HOSTESS: Joyce Brown & Peggy Burris

TEA TIME: Carrolle Wright, Phyllis Wight, Margaret Micklethwaite

Volunteer hours:



Hillier Women's Institute

By Joanne VanderWyst

The Women's Institute met on May 15th to select by consensus the 2003-04 program under the direction of Joyce Brown and Nina Hilton. It will be a dynamic program and will be finalized in time for the June meeting. Hillier Executive 2003/04 was incorrect and should have read Treasurer Mary Darlington (sorry for any inconvenience). We would like to give a special thanks to Joyce Brown for her donations to the recent potluck supper and

auction. Her wonderful pictures she put together sure added a "Special Touch" to each table and the kitchen help each received a beautiful hand knitted doily. Greatly appreciated by all! Any extras were raffled off.

Joan Priestman and Marilyn Rennie were presented with a past president pin. Marjorie Darling read us her letter to our on-going pen pal, the W.I. Branch from "Wells-by-the-Sea England. Grace Clements volunteered to write the next letter.

Brenda Dunley will be in charge of decorations for Hillier Branch to Garratt's Islands "Festival of Trees" which is donated annually by Prince Edward District. Pat Van Kregten was asked to be a guest speaker at the Wellington Branch to give a talk about the making of the Tweedsmuir CD-ROM. We are pleased to have as our guest Lee-Ann Scammell. She will join us soon. Betty and Bill Stapleton celebrated their 50th Anniversary on Mary 23rd while Rebecca and Alan MacKellar their 40th on June 8th. "Way to

go!" We hear Rebecca is doing much better after her nasty fall and are happy to hear that Betty Aleya is on the mend also!

P.S. Volunteer hours recorded with approximately 95% of our members reporting reached well over 4000 hours. Congratulations on your community involvement!

Dates to remember: Tuesday, June 17th, Wellington W.I. will be celebrating their 95th Anniversary at 11 a.m. in the Wellington Park.

June 19th Hillier W.I. meeting at 1:00 p.m. in Hillier Town Hall followed by a visit to the Wellington Heritage Museum to see the new "Douglas Crawford Canning Display" and afternoon tea at the Wellington Coffee House. Role call: What I know about the canning days in P.E.C.

Anyone interested in joining us for this outing please phone Jo/Anne at 399-2633.



CHEERS! to the new executive installed by Jean Alexander at the Hillier Women's Institute Branch annual meeting. They are: president Judy Thorp; past president Joan Priestman; vice-president Pamela Littlefair; secretary Ruth Crawford; treasurer Marjorie Darling; district director Betty Stapleton; public relations Jo-anne Van Der WYST and Rebecca MacKellar; education co-ordinator Joyce Brown and Nina Hilton; lobbying co-ordinator Louise Humphrey; Tweedsmuir Historian Pat Van Kregten; card convener Lois Conley; financial examiners Rebecca MacKellar and Marle Evans.

Hillier branch extended **CHEERS!** to Consecon branch on the occasion of their 90th anniversary celebration. Ten members of Hillier branch attended the celebration. Next up is the May 29th District annual meeting at Wesley United Church at Mountain View at 9 a.m.