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## Recipe Entrants Enjoyed Times Cook Book Contest

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'There'll be a whole lot of cookin' going on' in the area this year according to the great response by the public to obtain extra copies of the Cook Book edition published by The Times in the Oct. 29 edition of the newspaper.

The Oshawa Times' 50th Anniversary Cook Book Recipe contest was enthusiastically entered by women in the Durham Region.

So many beautifully prepared recipes were submitted to The Times by numerous individuals and ladies' organizations, the decision to choose three contest winners was truly a difficult one.

After much consideration with regard to neatness, number, variety and promptness of recipes submitted, three prize winners were selected.

First prize winner of \$40, Mrs. Barton MacNeill of 98 Roxborough Ave., submitted

over 30 recipes, neatly typewritten and arranged according to food type. Hers was also the first recipe book to arrive at The Times' office.

Mrs. MacNeill is the mother of two children, a son, Dean, 11 years old, and a daughter, Marilyn, 9, both of whom are fond of cooking.

Mrs. MacNeill says she loves to cook, and thoroughly enjoys competition, that is the reason she gave for entering the Cook Book contest. She enjoys collecting cookbooks as a hobby and said she would probably purchase another couple of cook books with a portion of her winnings.

Sinclair Public School, Home and School Association, in Whitby, was second prize winner of \$15. Mrs. Eric Branton, of the Home and School Association entered their Centennial Year Cook Book on behalf of the Assoc. Sinclair Public School is

celebrating its 100th birthday this year. As a Centennial project, the Association requested the children in the school to bring to them favorite recipes of their parents and, they in turn produced a number of Centennial Cook Books. "We have sold approximately 200 of our cook books," said Mrs. Sally Woodward, member of the Sinclair Home and School Association. "there was a terrific response to our Centennial project." Mrs. Woodward was delegated by the Home and School Association to accept from The Times the monetary award on behalf of the association. Mrs. Woodward said she thought their winnings would help towards the payment of some of their Centennial year bills.

"Scugog School was a Times' Cook Book Contest winner some years ago," said Mrs. Clifford Redman of the Scugog Island UCW, winners of \$10 third prize in the 1974 Cook Book contest.

Mrs. Redman said the UCW has been collecting recipes for quite some time, and when The Times Cook Book Recipe contest was announced in the paper, they decided to compile all the recipes into a book and submit it. She said the winnings would be helpful with one of their many worthwhile projects.

Mrs. MacNeill, Mrs. Woodward and Mrs. Redman visited The Times office Thursday afternoon at which time they were each presented with a cheque by Times' Family Editor, Mrs. Maureen Mattis on behalf of The Times.