

KIPLING WOMEN'S INSTITUTE - 50TH ANNIVERSARY- 2003

Hosting a Milestone of ACHIEVEMENT

On October 23, 2003 Kipling Branch celebrated the 50th Anniversary of their beginnings in Kipling. On October 23, 1953 the Kipling Branch was formed and they celebrated with a lunch and program at the Kipling Baptist Church Hall exactly 50 years to the day.

A display by Kipling Curator, Jean Johnson of 50 years of Branch History and photographs were enjoyed.

Roll Call: Tell us about your time as a member or friend of the Kipling Branch was answered by several District Member guests and former members and friends of the Institute. Many memories and good times were recalled by those attending.

Picture # 1: Hard working planning committee

Left to right: Shirley Payne, Diane Gagnon, Jean Johnson, Louise Bole, Myrna Carpenter, Alice Leduc.

Picture # 2: Members attending and Charter Members:

Two Charter Members of Kipling Branch in front of Cake:

Left to Right: Viola Halvorsen, Alta Engstrom

Presented with 50 year pins, corsages and bouquet of yellow roses.

Members and two other (former) members who joined at the first meeting

Left to right: Jean Johnson, Alice Leduc, Audrey Coulis, Glen Goslin (former), Diane Gagnon, Myrna Carpenter, Eva Webber (former) from Burks Falls, Shirley Payne, Louise Bole.

Pennies for Friendship were collected for A.C.W.W..