

# Browns 4-H <sup>Feb. 18/81</sup> Name Wakem

The first meeting of the Brown's 4-H club was held Feb. 14 at Mrs. Joyce Tate.

The group held its election of officers with president Christine Wakem, vice president Heather McKay and a floating press reporter and secretary.

Christine then opened the meeting with the 4-H pledge and the Roll Call. Name a popular chicken dish and its origin was answered by six members.

The meeting was then handed over to the leaders. Mrs. Dorothy McKay discussed hen and chicken.

The members were then divided into groups of two and told to write a poem or song on the name given, which were Broiler-Fryer, roaster or Capon.

An example of one poem on a Broiler-Fryer is the following:

I'm just a little chicken 10 weeks old  
The farmer's wife so mean and old  
Has a wish to stick me in her frying pan  
But I'll show her that I will beat her if I can

Although I am very smart I didn't seem to get a very good start  
I'll end up in the oven so hot and warm  
And so in the oven I will stay to cook  
While she reads a book

My farewell story to this world

Is don't get caught in a nook. The group acted out charades on good food jangling practices.

In the kitchen members found and read the labels on chickens and their grades. They were shown how to sharpen a knife and how to cut up a whole chicken. Tips on freezing and thawing food were discussed as well.

The home assignments were read and explained and the next meeting will be held at Mrs. Dorothy McKay Feb. 16 at 7.30 p.m.



100 children and adults turned out for the events which included toboggan, ski, skating, tug-of-war and snow sculpture contest. <sup>Feb 18/81</sup>

A. Chris Craig  
B. Mike Craig

PETER BLACK, ONE OF THE ORGANIZERS of the Kinsmen's winter carnival, hands out medals following the tug-of-war contest on the Flats Saturday. Approximately

## Brown's Corners 4-H Cackling Chicks <sup>Feb 25/81</sup>

The second meeting of the Browns Corners 4-H Club was held Feb. 16 at Dorothy McKay's.

At 7:30 President Christine Wakem opened the meeting with the 4-H pledge.

Last week's minutes were read by Cheryl Anne West with errors and omissions corrected.

Roll call had each member naming a different chicken bone.

The group considered some suggestions for a club name and decided on the Brown's Cackling Chicks.

The leaders then divided members into two groups with one group cooking Niagara's nice and spicy chicken and the other group cooking chicken with a Chinese accent.

While the chicken was cooking, members talked over about making chicken stock and listed what goes into the stock pot.

Members wrote down three ways of preventing dryness when broiling chicken. The group did the Hen Party Quiz and calculated

the number of kilograms of chicken for each individual family.

The meeting closed with everyone trying the chicken recipes.

## Brown's Corners WI <sup>Feb 25/81</sup>

Brown's W.I. held another euchre last Thursday night. Prize winners were Ladies High Verna Switzer, Men's High Albert Chowen, Low prize winners David Arthur and Bill Switzer, Lone Hands Jean Robinson and Irwin Tate.

The next euchre will be on Feb. 26th.

Congratulations go out to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Darling on the arrival of their little son, last week, and to Mrs. Muriel Darling on the birth of her first grandchild.

Everyone is invited to the luncheon and euchre for the Cancer Society at Brown's School Saturday March 7 at 12.30 p.m.

Dinner will be served followed by the regular euchre games with many extra prizes which are being donated.

The Agriculture and Canadian Industries Group are in charge and will be assisted by all W.I. members.

All proceeds go to the Cancer Society.