



FOR HOME AND COUNTRY-the Women's Institute of Uniondale celebrated its 50th Anniversary, last Thursday night. From left are Pat Smith, Oxford North District President; Sheila Greason, Uniondale W.I. president; Irene Richardson, Provincial Board of Directors and Hilde Morden, London Area president. A tree planting ceremony took place following the official greeting of the 50th Anniversary celebration.

Brown's W.I.

4-H members give fitness presentation

The June meeting of Brown's W.I. was held on Tuesday, June 25 with the 4-H members and their parents as guests.

The meeting opened with the singing of the Ode and repeating the Mary Stewart Collect.

President Janet Uren welcomed everyone and read a poem on volunteers.

The meeting was turned over to the 4-H leaders Liz Harrison and Carol Miller.

The 4-H members presented a presentation "Focus on Fitness" those in the club are Sue Ellen Hopkins, Mellissa Hopkins, Terri Muir, Lynne Wakem, Connie Wakem, Sarah Harrison, Laura Beacham, Matthew Miller, Derek Baker, Tim Muir, Noel Harrison, and Barbara Muir who also was the youth leader.

Barbara had completed 24 projects and received a Peter Synder print from the O.M.F.A. office and Evelyn Arthur on behalf of the W.I. congratulated her and presented her with a plate "Spring Beauty".

Barbara replied thanking all for the encouragement and help she received from the W.I. members and leaders through her years in 4-H.

She had a display set up entitled "4-H and me" and featured the different clubs she had taken. She spoke very highly of 4-H and what it had meant for her and encouraged all the

members to set their goals high.

Heritage club is upcoming for the 4-H and will be lead by Barbara, and her mother Mable Muir.

The 4-H leaders presented the club members with their awards on behalf of the O.M.A.F. office.

Joyce West presented the leaders each with a gift certificate.

A musical number by Heather West. Lunch was served and the President thanked the 4-H members.

Janet Uren conducted the business. Evelyn Arthur gave the secretary report and correspondence.

The treasurer's report by Joyce West. Carol Miller reported on the District Annual held in May at Brooksdale.

The Agriculture Society of Embro Fair is looking for a Fair Queen, some girls have been approached.

The collection of used batteries are to be left at Vincent Garage on Highway 2 east of Thamesford through the month of July, phone number 285-2640.

Thank you notes were read from both the Cancer Society and Heart and Stroke for the donations from our charity euchre and luncheon held in April.

The W.I. members voted to supply 20 pies in Sept. for the Citizen-Advocacy of St. Marys.

The meeting closed by singing of O Canada.

Brown's W.I. attend

Interiors 1991 in Arva

The May meeting of Brown's W.I. was held on Tuesday May 21. The Family & Consumers group in charge of program.

Carol Miller convenor arranged a car trip for members and friends to Arva to attend the Interiors 1991 showers.

We were divided into groups with a guide to tour the home and see the different styles and colours, with furnishings to decorate the beautiful home which all admired.

When leaving the home dwelling we went to the barn to view paintings by various artist's and the many craft displays.

A lunch counter was available with an assortment of delicious food, which all enjoyed.

A short business meeting was held with Janet Uren as president.

Joyce West gave the treasurers report with Evelyn Arthur the secretary report as well as the recommendations from the executive meeting.

Delegates appointed to attend the District Annual on May 28 at Brooksdale Church.

A work shop will be held in Centralia on June 17 for the co-ordinator and Public Relations Officer to attend.

On Aug 9, 10, 11, a quilt show will be held at Milton, Audrey McMurray, Verna Switzer and Marjorie Pearson, designed and made a runner to be entered in the show, and some of the members are planning to attend. The recommendations were passed.

The 4-H association are planning a collection of used batteries, to be held in July. Anyone in the community wishing to dispose of farm machinery, truck or car batteries, please contact a W.I. member for further information.

Browns W.I. will be serving the meals at the Friendship Centre the last two Fridays of May.

The June meeting will be held one week later June 25 at 8.00 p.m. with the Citizenship and World Affairs group in charge with the 4-H as guests presenting there achievement night. The President closed the meeting.

Browns Church 34th Annual

CHICKEN B.B.Q.

Thursday, July 18

5:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Home-made pies, salads, etc.

Take-out orders available

•Adults \$8.50 •Children \$4.50

Advance Tickets Only by July 15

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