

# Trail Riders wind up season with dinner, awards night



JUDY BROWN WAS JUNIOR Equitation and Junior Game point leader in Trail Rider competitions—(Staff Photo)

Rockwood Trail Riders wound up the season with a glittering awards banquet, handicraft sale and social time at Rockwood town hall Saturday night.

Retiring president Mrs. Jean Pettitt assisted by incoming president Moe McGinnis and secretary Gord Cox, presented awards at the conclusion of the roast beef dinner.

Films on quarter horse and the RCMP musical ride were shown by Al Fox, while a draw for a turkey was won by Vince Synott.

**High pointers**  
High point trophies for the season went to Dave Taylor in the western class with Harvey Pettitt reserve. Dave Rowe and Buz Ellis were deadlocked for first in the English riding class and each received a trophy. Babs Ellis and Wendy Klein were tied for reserve.

Number one junior rider for the year was Greg Dales who received the Tumblewood trophy, donated by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Symes. Anne Dales was reserve winner.

The President's Cup, which goes to the member who gives support over and beyond the call of duty, went this year to Pat Dales.

Other trophy and ribbon presentations were:

**Junior classes**  
Junior Equitation — Marlene Bromelow and Judy Brown tied with Susie Brown and Lynn Duncan tied for reserve.  
Junior barrel race — Pat Hebbes on Rainbow. Tied for reserve were Joker and Buttermilk.  
Junior obstacle race — Rainbow with the perfect score, ridden by Ian Hebbes. Reserve was Shady ridden by Tim Dales.  
Junior game — Vindicator ridden by Judy Brown. Reserve was the Joker B. Darned and Cassie.  
Junior reining — Won by Al Fox's horses and riders with Susie ridden by Marlene Bromelow as reserve.

**English classes**  
Pleasure — Harje's Doc ridden by Jean Pettitt. Reserve was Shawnee and Wendy Klien.  
Dressage — Won by Shawnee. Reserve, Harje's Doc.  
Hunter Hack — Shawnee with Wendy Klein. Reserve was Maverick and Di Duncan.  
Working Hunter — Mr. Tambourine, owned by Jackie Howe and ridden by Dave Rowe. Reserve was Duke.  
Scurry race — tie for Duke and Flair, both owned by the Ellis family and ridden by Buz. Reserve was Mr. Tambourine and Dave Rowe.

**Western classes**  
Trail — Happy Roy McCue, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Symes and ridden by Jean Pettitt. Reserve was Dandy ridden by Jean Schurter.  
Pleasure — Happy Roy McCue as above. Reserve: Rowdy ridden by Cheryl Emslie.  
Barrel race — Harje's Tony, ridden by both Harvey and Jean Pettitt. Reserve: Rainbow, ridden by Pat Hebbes.  
Reining — Charo, owned by Lou Tuck, ridden by Ken Tuck. Reserve: Shawnee, Kandy Klien.  
Pick-up race — Cheri-Rose, ridden by Dave Taylor. Reserve: Swen Sir 5, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Symes, ridden by Harvey Pettitt.  
Flag Race — Swen Sir 5, ridden by Harvey Pettitt. Reserve: Tony, ridden by Jean Pettitt.

Jean Pettitt was presented with a gift for her work as president over the last two years before the bake sale and auction of handicrafts which netted the club over \$25. Next event planned is a January euchre.



WENDY KLEIN with some of her awards presented at the Trail Rider banquet and trophy night.—(Staff Photo)



BRIDGET GLYNN took the trophy for top Junior Reining at the Trail Rider awards night.—(Staff Photo)

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DAVE ROWE AND JEAN PETTITT were among the top point getters in English and Western style riding in the Rockwood Trail Rider competition.—(Staff Photo)

# Purloins Yule tree

An out-of-town resident was spotted by neighbors recently when attempting to purloin three planted spruce trees from the Eramosa Township property on 30 Sideroad, the first one above Speedside.

The valuable trees had grown to Christmas tree size and the poacher, not known in the municipality, was taking the trees without consultation of any authority.

The culprit will soon be the recipient of a bill for

approximately \$12.00 to cover the costs of tree replacement.

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## Accident at Cornwallis

Leading Seaman Jack Bolton, presently stationed at Cornwallis, was hospitalized recently and will not be at home to spend Christmas with his wife Anne and their two children due to an unexpected accident.

While playing an intermural game of hockey, the recreational director of the H.M.C.S. Cornwallis base, Jack injured his foot which will necessitate an operation for torn ligaments and broken bones. The accident occurred last Thursday night and he was rushed by ambulance to the H.M.C.S. Stadacona Base Hospital in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Jack's wife and children, Debbie 3 and Lisa 1 year, cannot expect to see their father until the new year when he should be on the mend again and back at his Cornwallis home. His friends in Rockwood wish him a speedy recovery and send him and his family their best wishes and season's greetings.

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## New fire hall completed soon

January 9th has been set as the moving dates of the present fire hall equipment including two fire trucks, a tanker, and a paneltruck to their future home on Alma and Inkerman Streets.

The new Eramosa Fire Hall is in the final stages of completion and, as one of the last finishing touches, John Salmon will be erecting the transmitter tower for the reception of firecalls through mutual aid. It will also be used to radio messages to the trucks from the home base. Mosaic patterned indoor-outdoor rugging will enhance the fire brigade meeting room in preparation for the Grand Opening which will be held for citizens of Eramosa sometime in January.

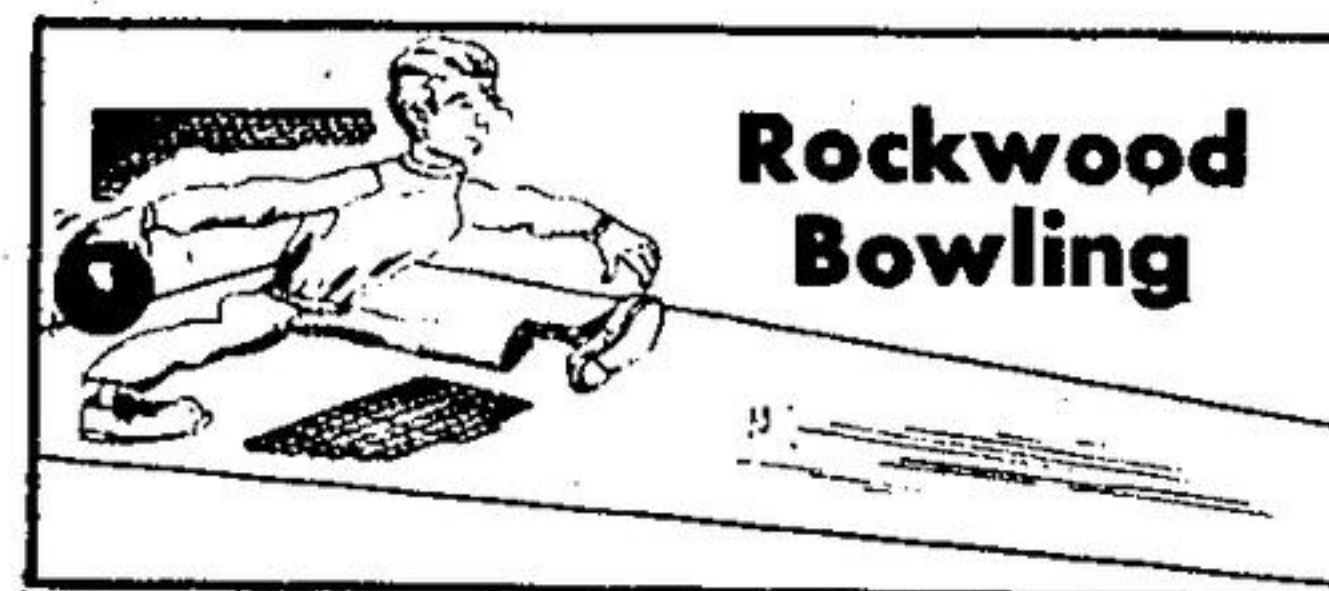
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to the  
Voters of Eramosa Township  
for their  
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"Season's Greetings to All"

**RICHARD STRONG**



THE PRESIDENT'S CUP and best junior rider went to the Dales family at Saturday's Trail Rider trophy night. Left is Pat Dales and Greg's on the right.—(Staff Photo)



Norton's Bluebirds 7 points— from Gooyer Bro. 30 points. Fred Nightingale 215, 248, 242 - 705; Viv Nightingale 225, 219 single, 608 triple; Ivy Ritchie 225, 208 single, 617 triple; Winnie Hills 183 single; Adrian Gooyers 188 single.

Carney's Plg. & Htg. 2 points from Four Corners 5 points. May Swackhamer 222, 200, singles 606 triple; John Carney 214, 207, singles; Bob Lilley 209 single; Tony Stokman 222 single; Nellie Stokman 220, 209 single; Jack Parkinson 207 single.

Strattons 2 points from Guelphites 5 points. Vic Wilms 271, 225, 216 - 711; Dick Dupuis 248, 203, 201 - 652; Dunc Kingsbury 226, 212, singles; Jim Thatcher 217, 211 singles; Don Archibald 265, 226, 225 - 716; Gary Parks 204 single; Freeman Wilson 223 single.

Neighbors 5 points from Whitewashers 2 points. Doug Battenham 294, 235 single, 716 triple; Bill Garner 264, 225 single, 675 triple; Clarence Hilton 266, 201 single; Jerry Hilton 233, 227, single; Marina Mulder 201 single. Clippers 0 points from Elmer's Alley Cats 7 points. Ted Justin 268, 210 singles, 676 triple; Bert Archer 235 single; Doug Chandler 207 single; Arnold Duffield 238, 228 singles, 643 triple; Bill Hindley 231 single; Gloria Alton 200 single.

Pacers 7 points from Osprige Slow Pokes 0 points. Bob Van Wyck 299, 233 singles, 679 triple; Brian Slipp 261, 208, 206 - 675; Doug Hilton 244, single 604 triple; Ann McCormach 230 single; Ross Ferguson 192 single; Harold Theaker 152 single; Floria Bruce 158 single.

**STANDINGS**  
Team standing: Pacers 63, Clippers 58, Guelphites 50, Strattons 47, Whitewashers 46, Four Corners 44, Neighbors 43, Norton's Bluebirds 43, Carney's Plg. & Htg. 34, Elmer's Alley Cats 32, Gooyer Bros. 27, Osprige Slow Pokes 16.

**WOMEN OVER 600**  
Ivy Ritchie 617, Gerry Hilton 616, Viv Nightingale 608, May Swackhamer 606, Nellie Stokman 583, Irene LaVole 558, Marina Mulder 547, Mary Stahlbaum 540, Gloria Alton 539, Ann McCormach 519, Marjie Battenham 513, Ellen Garner 501.

**MEN OVER 600**  
Doug Battenham 716, Don Archibald 716, Vic Wilms 711, Fred Nightingale 705, Bob Van Wyck 679, Ted Justin 676, Bill Garner 675, Brian Slipp 675, Clarence Hilton 656, Dick Dupuis 652, Arnold Duffield 643, Doug Hilton 604.



INCOMING PRESIDENT Moe McGinnis presents trophies to Buzz Ellis (left) for the English scurry race and for a tie with Dave Rowe for top English rider.—(Staff Photo)

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