



SENIOR TROPHY WINNERS: at the Rockwood Trail Riders annual awards night were, front left to right, Donna Ledger, Babs Ellis, John Dales, Back, Jim Dales, Bob Smith and Ken Tuck. —(Wendy Thomson Photo).



JUNIOR TROPHY WINNERS presented with awards at the annual banquet of the Rockwood Trail Riders Saturday evening were left to right, John Dales, Kathy Brown, Linda Bodera and Linda Cox. —(Wendy Thomson Photo).



THE PRESIDENT'S CUP, awarded to the one who contributes most to the Rockwood Trail Riders, this year went to Ray Ellis, shown with his wife Babs, who was high point award winner for the riders. —(Wendy Thomson Photo).

Trail Riders banquet at Rockwood

By Jennifer Barr
The annual banquet and trophy night of the Rockwood Trail Riders was held at the Rockwood Town Hall on December 4. Members and friends brought hearty appetites to enjoy the turkey supper provided by the many talented ladies of the United Church. Puzzled glances and stares occupied most faces

as members tried to recognize each other formally attired. Bob Smith was the affable master of ceremonies and president, Mo McGinnis presented the very beautiful awards.

Contributes most
The president's trophy is presented, each year, to the non-executive member who con-

tributes the most to the club. Mr. McGinnis presented the trophy to his choice, Ray Ellis, amid loud applause. Last year's winner, Pat Dales, won the door prize. Five new directors were voted upon and they are: Bill Nofal, Babs Ellis, Jean Pettit, Jenny Barr, and Bob Smith. Lynda Cox and John Dales remained as junior directors. Marg Cox takes

over as secretary-treasurer. The president and vice-president are Mo McGinnis and Gord Cox.

Sales popular
A craft and bake table was very popular, followed by an auction sale. A very enjoyable evening brought to an end a most successful year.

Anyone wishing to join the club

may do so by calling Mrs. Marg Cox, 856-9967.

Awards presented
The awards were as follows:

Junior Pleasure Trophy, Linda Bodera, Dec. reserve, Linda Cox, Skeeter; Cathy Brown, Chief.
Lynn Wilton Challenge Trophy, Linda Bodera, Dec. reserve, Cathy Brown, Chief; reserve, John Dales, Cassie; Junior Barrel Race Trophy, John Dales, Cassie, reserve, Cathy Brown, Chief.
Senior Dressage, Donna Ledger, Trade Winds; reserve, Donna Ledger, Seven Seas.
Showmanship, Donna Ledger; Seven Seas; reserve, Bob Smith, Dec. Hunter Hack, Donna Ledger, Trade Winds; reserve, Babs Ellis, Wahoo's Pride.
English Games, Donna Ledger, Trade Winds; reserve, Babs Ellis, Wahoo's Pride.
Western Open Pleasure Trophy, Babs Ellis, Wahoo's Pride; reserve, Bob Smith, Dec. Western Open Trail Trophy, Babs

Ellis, Wahoo's Pride; Bob Smith, Dec. Reserve, Ken Tuck, Charo; Western Riding Trophy, Ken Tuck, Charo; reserve, Bob Smith, Dec. Open Barrel racing Trophy, John Dales, Cassie; reserve, Dolores Knox, Major.
Open Western Pickup Trophy, Jim Dales, Buttermilk; reserve, Lu Tuck, Charo.
Open Pole Bending Trophy, John Dales, Cassie, reserve, Dolores Knox, Major.
Tumble wood Trophy, John Dales; reserve, Cathy Brown; English Division High Point, Donna Ledger; reserve, Babs Ellis; Open Western High Point, John Dales; reserve, Bob Smith.

Junior certificates
Junior award certificates: 6th Steve Buchanan, 5th, Chris Dales, 4th Tim Dales, 3rd Lynda Cox, Greg Dales, 2nd Cathy Brown, 1st John Dales.
Senior award certificates: 10th Lu Tuck, 9th Bill Nofal, 8th Agnes McGinnis, 7th Mary Hatch, 6th Ken Tuck, 5th Gord Cox, 4th John Dales, 3rd Bob Smith, 2nd Donna Ledger, 1st Babs Ellis.

Comin's and Goin's

Want to know who's really well again—except, of course for some walking lessons? It's Fire Chief Carl Meadows. Guess all that rooting his fellow villagers came up with worked and he's well on his way to recovery. Nice going there, Carl.

Look who has a birthday. It's a special cake, all the trimmings, and neighbors and friends who dropped in at Donna Green's home on MacKenzie to welcome back in the district and celebrate the birthday of one of Rockwood's favorites, Mrs. F. Diamond was 90 years young on Tuesday and her unrepresent friends wish her well and send along genuine greetings for many happy celebrations ahead.

Somebody else came back to their home in Rockwood, Mr. Max Milne arrived via ambulance last Friday, and according to his family, he's getting along nicely. Villagers will be pleased to know that all his fractures are mending and that he's in town for Christmas.

Roast beef and ham decked with varieties of potatoes, mashed, roasted and scalloped, salads galore and all the trimmings added to the gala occasion of the C.W.L. ladies annual Christmas fiesta to which spouses and Father Bedford attended alike. It was not until the supper, a brief meeting and cards for the 30 who attended with merriment and fun and a special

collection for Christmas presents for the C.W.L.'s foster child, Isabel Gordon and her family in Guatemala.

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Sitting up, walking some, but still taking food through straws, Jean Meadows is showing all her spunk and is gradually recuperating from her traumatic automobile accident. She is in a hooded cast from head to waist and her relatives and friends are proud of her recovery. Hopefully she could be home soon.

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Dorothy Boulton, with a cast on her leg, is also hopeful to be home from the hospital sometime this week. Villagers are pleased at her quick recovery. Nice going, gals, you've both been bricks.

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Eden Mills nursing home residents invite all their friends to attend a program of Girl Guides choral singing at 7 p.m. on Dec. 13, 7 p.m. accordion recital Dec. 14, Salvation Army Christmas carolling at 3 p.m. Dec. 18, and Christmas tea Dec. 20 All are welcome and asked to drop in anytime.

The sankeroot plant, from which some tranquilizing drugs are made, has been known in the western world since the 16th century, but it was not until the 1930's that any serious scientific interest was given to its medical potential.

Vesper service at home

The sitting room and hallways were spilling with residents during last Sunday's Christmas Vesper service when visitors from the Eden Mills Presbyterian Church and others from Rockwood joined in the festivities to sing carols and enjoy the fellowship of Eden House Nursing home.

"Peace on Earth, Silent Night, and Away in the Manger" rocked the usually quiet premises as everyone sang. Four young visitors, Marjorie and Linda Ramsay and Leslie Chamberlain from Eden Mills and Sandy Root from Rockwood led in one of the carols "What Child is This" as Mrs. Maizie Lasby sang two solos assisted by Mrs. Don Blacklock at the organ.

It was a casual delightful service with Ev Barsten the organizer and Master of Ceremonies. Rev. Don Sinclair gave a brief sermonette dealing with Christmas and what it

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community projects.

The President regretted that the Cub and Scout troups in the village had diminished and also that the Village Boys' Club had been discontinued. However he said he felt, all in all, the club had made progress and for that his time in office had been well worthwhile.

Elections of new officers were then conducted and for president, Trevors Clifford was elected; vice president is Bob Love, secretary, Jean Reinhart, and, continuing as treasurer, Joan Lawrie.

While in the chair, Mr. Bell referring to the Eramosa Recreation Committee, said that he hoped that the newly elected Community Club Committee would pursue the hope of the past members in getting the Eramosa Council to have a Recreation Committee responsible only for grants, with each community handling its own recreation affairs and using the Township committee simply as a liaison between Provincial government and individual area recreation clubs.

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