

EIGHT YEAR OLD Beverley Craid finds the community library a great place to spend a Saturday morning. She is seen with her mother Marilyn of R.R. 3, Rockwood, searching for weekend reading material.



STRETCHING HIGH one young render is trying to get down a book from a top shelf while David Hill, 11, of R.R. 2, Rockwood checks the one he has procured. The Hill family arrived en masse for last Saturday's reading.

Membership increasing for library

Using the side door from cording to last Saturday's residents are finding the new Eramosa community library at Rockwood Centennial public school a tremendous asset in the district.

Forty members attended

the meeting of the Rockwood

and district Sunshine club

held at the town hall on May

9. Rev. Ralph Williams chaired and Mrs. Wm. Black

played the piano for a hearty

Mrs. Vincent Montgomery

was the guest who sang and

played during the program.

The Green Green Grass of

Home and My Sweet Gypsy

Rose were two of the mem-

bers' favorite songs she sang,

along with The Chicken Song

and The Auctioneer, Mrs.

Montgomery also displayed

jewelry and, during

Mary St., dozens of township visitors who say they like to frequent the new facilities and take advantage of the stock of reading material.

Many trips to distant opening enrollees but libraries are saved, ac- membership is increasing

Meeting fun for

Sunshine club

steadily and is already up to 158 book borrowers. Assistant librarian Georgina Kelao says there are almost 10,000 fletion and non-fletion works The library was officially opened on Wed., April 10. in the present collection, all contained on organized shelves to whet the literary appetites of both children and

There were only a few pre-

demonstration, one of the

gentlemen present acted as a

next on the afternoon agenda,

Mrs. Rose Oakes, Mrs. Alice

Duby, Fred Alton and Albert

Shultis. George Nalsmith and

Mrs. William Black were the

A delicious timeh was then

served by Mrs. Douglas

McNabb and Mrs. John

Milne. Members were

reminded to turn in names at

the next meeting for those

going on the June bus trip.

Rockwood

and District

lucky cróklnole champs.

in the group.

Operating hours Library hours show Tuesdays and Thursdays as days for 4 to 6 p.m. operating hours with evening times set at 7 until 9 p.m. on the same days. Saturday hours are morning openings from 9 to 12

Last Saturday's visit was a scene of children quietly listening to records via carmodel along with other ladies phones, others watching film Euchre and croklaste were strips in the library education area while mothers and Winners of the cuchre were fathers browsed easily, choosing material for weekend reading.

Although there is no fee for book usage to the citizens of Eramosa, there will be one for those outside the township, according to Mrs. Kelso. The Eramosa library board receives financial assistance from provincial grants at the current rate of \$1.35 per mosa. The board intends to age expend the vast majority of these funds for the purchase [: [[]]] of library books.

At the present time summer hours have not been established. It is expected the next meeting of the board should produce decisions on operating times for summer

Responsibility of pur-chasing resources for the

library board. Procedures for County Board of Education day-to-day operation are the representative, Jack Gillan; responsibility of the advisory Burton Hill and Barrle committee which consists of Grant McRae, principal of Rockwood Centennial school Board, and Warren Parkinchalrman; McPhedran, school librarian;

centre is that of the Framosa George Day as Wellington; Dryden, as representatives: from the Eramosa Library Rita son, reeve of Eramosa town;



LAURIE JAMIESON OF Pine St., Rockwood holds baby reader Lyndon Nelson as they watch Mary Hill pour over a magazine. Although Lyndon: capita in addition to one mill is young for reading now his potential as a future from the township of Era- library member is being established at an early

Lions auction Friday starts Spring Fest

Going, going, but not gone boxes, a gun stalk chair with is the story of the amazing round plank seat and conglomeration of items numerous items are being being turned in to the Rock- continually added to the wood Lions for their mam- items for sale. Glass pieces, moth auction sale to be held china and crockery will also Thurs., May 16 at 6 p.m.

Location for the sale will be and amber sealers. The the Rockmosa Community Grounds on Main St. Rock- everything from a copper wood, just over the tracks, boiler and cow bells to lead "Follow the signs and see pots and harness brass. where the crowds are going, is the way the Lions spell it out and the Thursday auction will be the start-off for weekend festivities.

Pine furniture, blanket

Eramosa council briefs

A letter from the Grand River Conservation Authority came under discussion at the May 6 regular meeting of the Eramosa Township Council held at the council chambers. All members were present and the reeve presided. Also in attendance were the clerk and delegations.

The letter from GRCA was a request for the Eramosa township to share construction costs of road changes and improvements required in conjunction with the proposed Guelph dam. Council decided to invite the Guelph Township council to attend a meeting to discuss

the proposal. Victor Jessop of R.R. 5, Rockwood, attended the meeting and complained to council about the erosion on the Hill municipal drain and culvert partly washed out. Council advised Mr. Jessop they would have the drainage commissioner and road superintendent make an inspection of complaints and advise council what action should be taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harris of Main St., Rockwood, approached council proposing adding portions of lots 33 and 34 to the private right-of-way and conveying the balance of Station St. and a portion of Stanley St. to the abutting owners. Council stated they would discuss the matter with the Rockwood Village trustees and advise Mr. and Mrs. Harris within 15 days of

their decision. A request was made by Mrs. Audrey Bilton of Wetherald St., Rockwood, for a permit to build a swimming pool. She was instructed to contact the building in-

spector. The following motions were passed:

THAT a by-law to authorize making a grant to the Federation of Agriculture (Eramosa Branch) in the amount of \$600 be given the necessary readings, passed and numbered 13-1974;

THAT a by-law to authorize the repealing of by-law no. 23-2973 be given the necessary readings, passed and numbered 14-1974;

THAT the 1974 budget be accepted as presented and the clerk prepare the necessary by-law;

THAT accounts amounting to \$35,370.27, (general \$25,802.72, road \$9,567.55), be passed for payment.

The meeting adjourned. The next meeting will be held on Monday, June 3 at 7.30 p.m., or at the call of the reeve.

be sold including Beaver jars miscellaneous wares include will be greater than ever.

Crowds expected Local auctioneer Max Storey will be the man on hand to nuction items and the Lions club say that lunch will be available for hungry buyers wanting to stay on the

spot and not let any bargains Several other exciting features will comprise the 1974 Rockmosa Spring Fest weekend. Large crowds are show on the road. expected from many areas of southern Ontario. Friday night will see the crowning of Miss Rockmosa at 8 p.m. and, immediately following, the Ecomosa Junior Farmers will present their festival **ROCKWOOD VILLAGE** SPRING CLEAN-UP

- Fun - Games - Rides - Fireworks

play The Wedding. Saturday's the day set for the Rockmosa parade with 1.30 p.m. the planned time for dozens of floats to wend their way through village streets. A midway will run continuously at the Lions community grounds site and, after the parade bingo will

begin at 2 p.m. Sunday will be special. At the Centennial public school the Rev. Bob Rumball will again be guest speaker at the 11 a.m. inter-denominational church service. At last year's worship, district residents

Monday, May 20 will refreshment and food tent, running for everyone to en-joy. "Let's make this annual, week getting last minute arrangements tied up and the

were given a tremendous message from the former athlete who has done so much in assisting deaf students in Ontario. In the evening, a fireworks display will be held at dusk. Weather per-mitting," the Lions say, and add that this year's selection of rockets and fire-crackers

Committee dance success Saturday night's dance at the Rockwood town hall was one of great fun and socializing, according to group committee spokesmen sponsoring the event.

culminate the five-day series of events. The midway will be open along with the Lions games and rides will be Spring Fest carnival the best yet," say the Lions who are working industriously this

PRESENTS

4 BIG DAYS

THURSDAY, MAY 16

p.m. at Centennial School

SATURDAY, MAY 18

Midway — Bingo 2 p.m.

SUNDAY, MAY 19

(Weather Permitting)

MONDAY, MAY 20

Fun - Games - Rides

Rev. Bob Rumble

ROCKMOSA PARADE 1.30 p.m.

at Centennial School — Guest Speaker

MIDWAY, Lions Tent, Bingo 2 p.m.

GIGANTIC FIREWORKS DISPLAY at Dusk

FRIDAY, MAY 17

AUCTION SALE at Rockmosa Park

ROCKMOSA SPRING FEST

MAY 16-17-18-20th

Bingo - Rides - Parade - Beauty Contest

SPRINGFEST MIDWAY - Full Evening Entertainment, in-

cluding Crowning of Miss Rockmosa and Junior Farmers play - 8

ROCKWOOD COMMUNITY CHURCH SERVICE 11 a.m.

- Church Service - Fireworks

"It was fabulous, Every time the Shanes' leader sald they always enjoyed coming to Rockwood, someone from another table would call out. what about Acton and Eden Mills?" Reportedly that's the

arm huss

Polkas, mix-ups, swing numbers and slow was the music the popular six-piece musical group provided for everyone. Proceeds from the affair will finance excursions

way it went.

WEEK

May 20th to May 24th

Pick-up on

Saturday, May 25th

"Take Pride in Your Village"

and projects slated for the Rockwood and district cubs, scouts, guides and brownles and, with Saturday's success netting worthwhile gains, the committee are already planning another dance for

Starting at 9 p.m., music stopped in time for a repost of delicious food. Lucky winners of prizes awarded during the evening were Helen Hill, door prize; Charlle Glendenning and Dirk Jonsen, lucky draw prizes. Commendations for convening the festivities were

given to Ena Petty of Everton.

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