



WINNERS OF THE COSTUME CLASS at the Rockwood Trail Riders Junior Fun Day Sunday pose with their horses mostly the right way round. Little Lisa Taylor won best comic costume; young Davey Johnston of Rockwood was most original (he's the one sitting on his horse backwards); Melony and Sharla Wood of Acton were the most authentic costume.

Free Press

Rockwood and District

Happy to be together Rock-a-long resumes

The September meeting of the Rock-a-long Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. J. Benham, Everton. The members were glad that the meetings had started again and were all pleased to see each other.

Pot luck for Sunshine

A pot luck luncheon was enjoyed by the members of the Sunshine Club in the Rockwood Town Hall, Thursday September 9 at 1 p.m. In the absence of the President Mrs. Vera Black, the first vice-president Mrs. Mary Milne welcomed 52 members and guests.

After singing Grace all were invited to come to a long table well covered with goodies. The menu included cold meats, many different varieties of salads, rolls, tomatoes and pickles, cake and ice-cream. Some of the men folk even enjoyed a treat of home-made pie.

A short program was enjoyed. Mrs. Calvin Kay of Eramosa dropped in to enter-

tain the group. She played her harp and sang several modern and sacred songs. Mrs. Bert Davidson gave a humorous reading, which was also enjoyed.

Mrs. Isabel Nellis, the program convenor, thanked the ladies for their contribution toward the afternoon.

The remainder of the afternoon was spent by playing a friendly game of euchre and crokinole. Mrs. Jessie Dunk and Mrs. Mary Milne who convened the luncheon, wish to thank all for the donations of money and goodies that were given, also all that helped to set up the tables.

The next meeting will be September 23 at 2 p.m. in the Rockwood Town Hall.

Books, bottles to raise funds

The Parent Committee for the Brownies and Guides will be having a book booth at the Stone Road Mall on October 23 to raise money for the two groups. Anyone wishing to donate hard covered books or pocket novels is asked to call Marlene McKendry 856-9603 or Ena Petty 856-4374 and they will pick them up from your home.

The Rockwood Girl Guides will be having a bottle drive on Thursday evening, Sept. 23, 7 to 8 p.m. and would like to ask everyone in Rockwood to please save any returnable bottles you may have for them.

Tennis courts opening during outdoor dance

A former Rockwood area man will be providing the entertainment at Rockmosa Park Saturday evening for an outdoor dance on the new tennis courts, sponsored by the Rockwood and District Lions club.

Alex Hagtimers, under the direction of Alex Hawkins, now of Vancouver and television and recording star, will be playing music for everyone, including square dancing and rock.

Reports, invitation for church groups

The W. M. S. and W. A. Group met at the home of Mrs. Max Milne on Wednesday afternoon. The president Mrs. Helen Sinclair was unable to be present so the 1st vice-president opened the meeting by reading from the Upper Room. Open your hearts to God who hath made everything beautiful in its time, followed by a short prayer, and a hymn.

Miss Elva Pearen read the minutes of the July meeting. A report of the cards that had been sent to the sick and Bereaved by Mrs. A. Duby was given.

Mrs. Margaret McNabb was able to be present after several months illness, and expressed her thanks for be-

ing remembered by flowers and cards while she was in the hospital. Mrs. Isabelle Swanston also thanked the members for the lovely flowers and cards that she received on her 95th birthday.

The Devotions was taken by Mrs. Lloyd Johnston, and the topic by Miss Elva Pearen. An invitation to the home of Mrs. John Freeman near Harrison for the October meeting was accepted. Mrs. Freeman was organist and choir leader in the Presbyterian Church for many years.

Mrs. Leach read a Poem and the meeting was closed with a hymn followed by all repeating the Lords Prayer. A dainty lunch was served by Mrs. Milne assisted by Mrs. W. Matby and Mrs. L. Leach.

Eramosa Community Library Notes

by Georgina Kelso
With the beginning of the fall season, the Eramosa Community Library will revert to regular hours. We will be open Tuesday and Thursday from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. and from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. and on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. The story hour for children will continue as usual on Saturday from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m.

New books on the shelves include: Adult fiction, The Passionate Enemies, by Jean Plaudy, Bright Candles by Nathaniel Benchley; The Matriarch by Charles MacKinnon, The Doctor's Desperate Hour, by Elizabeth Seifert, Not A Penny Less, Not A Penny More by Jeffrey Archer.

Juvenile fiction: Blaze Finds Forgotten Roads, by G. Anderson, Henry The Explorer, by Mark Taylor, The Silver Christmas Tree, by Pat Hutchins, The Little Drummer Boy, by Ezra Keats, Really Spring, by Gene Zion.

Non-fiction: Solar Homes and Sun Heating by George Daniels, On The Track of Bigfoot, by Marian Place;

Care and Training of Your Puppy, by E. Daglish; Mexico in Pictures, by Barbara Hall; Gerhard; a Love Story, by Betty Kennedy.

Eden Mills Guides, Brownies

by Diane Wallace
After a quiet summer, Brownies and leaders are anxious to get back to work again.

We started with a film show on Sat. Sept. 11 at 10 a.m. until noon, in the village hall. Our night has been changed to Thursdays now and we open on Sept. 16 at 6:45 until 8:15 p.m. Registration will be five dollars this year and weekly dues 20 cents.

We hope to see you all again this year and all our new twentees joining us for the first time. The guide program started on Tuesday Sept. 14 at 6:30 p.m. until 8:30.



TWO LITTLE GIRLS on a pony. These two-year-old cousins, Carrie and Shauna Stone, share a pony at the Rockwood Trail Riders Junior Fun Day recently.

Rockwood notes

Mrs. Alice Duby and sister Mrs. Lucy Lyons of Guelph are holidaying at Apsley, Ont., guests of Kay and John Cotterill at their summer home.

The many friends of Hazel Dolton, Andy Johnston and Cliff McDougall are pleased to know they are all home after an illness in the General Hospital. But friends are sorry to hear that two of the oldest Village ladies are still in the hospital after a fall. Hurry and get around again as you are missed. Mrs. Jessie Meadows and Itoy Bacon are also in General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman and family of Acton, have taken over Al's Groceries, groceries and meat business. Call in and welcome them to the Village, for after all what

would Rockwood be like if it weren't for our local places of business?

Also welcome to newcomers on Guelph and Mary St. Mr. and Mrs. C. Hall and young son who have moved into the Dunbar house, and Mr. and Mrs. N. Beattie into Mrs. Gordier's house. Mrs. Gordier has gone with her family Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Day to make her home.

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Official Opening and Dedication of Plaque at 2 p.m.
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