

Rockwood Roundup

By Kerry Chalmers
St. John's Anglican church will host this year's World Day of Prayer on Friday night, March 4 at 7.30 p.m. The theme for this year is Love in Action. There will also be an afternoon service at Barrie Hill United church.

Individual notices regarding the new numbering of all buildings and vacant lots in the village should be in the mail within the next few days, reports Village Secretary Len Hockey.

The Board of Trustees is asking for the co-operation of all owners to bring the new street numbering into effect on May 1, 1977. The necessity for this updated and ex-

tensive system is clearly outlined in the notice to the homeowner.

A final reminder—a public meeting for all interested residents to adopt the constitution, elect officers of the executive and establish the first order of business for a Rockwood Home and School Association will be held this Thursday, February 24 at 8 p.m. at Rockwood Centennial Public School.

The Trustee meetings will now be held on Monday nights. They are scheduled for February 28, March 28 and April 25 at 7.30 p.m. at the Parish Hall.

Rockwood CB club has 70 members



PRESIDENT of Rockwood G.R.S., Rick Rickard and social director Ken Johnston adjust Rick's base radio.

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"Breaker one nine, looks like we got us a convoy!" A CB craze is sweeping the continent and with it songs, stickers and "in-sayings". Current songs seem to play up only the camaraderie of trucks and the beating of speed traps, however there is also a very important role played by CB operators.

The Rockwood G.R.S. Club (general radio service) formed in January and already has a paid membership of well over 70 people. Rick Rickard, Poncho, is president of the club; vice

president is Phantom Lady, Marlene Bolton; secretary is Wishful Thinking and treasurer is Robert Guyett, Sundance. There are also four social directors: Ken Johnston, Skeezix; Les Nelson, Word Beard; Mrs. Betty Singer, Country Girl; and Malcolm Stead, Just Me.

Help anyone
"Contrary to some public opinion the Rockwood G.R.S. Club is dedicated to furthering the interests of the community," explained Rick Rickard in a recent telephone interview. "If anyone needs help the club is willing to lend a hand whether they own a CB or not."

He feels the club is a silent helper.

Many local people have been aided by a CB operator in the last few months. Rick Rickard monitors channel 9, the worldwide emergency channel, every day from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. He has directed tow trucks, police and help from other Rockwood residents on many occasions when the weather has caused extra hardships.

Accident
A recent mishap was an accident on Hwy. 7, by the Conservation Area, when a half-ton pick up pulling a 10,000 lb. trailer rolled across the road. One of the first on the scene was a CB operator who called Rick on channel 9 and set things in motion. Rick contacted the OPP who were there in 11 minutes, as well as a tow truck and other residents to control traffic.

The club meets on a regular basis and will meet this Sunday at 2 p.m. at Rockwood Centennial Public School. All interested Rockwood residents are welcome. Out of the area residents must be sponsored by a member.

HAM, too
Rockwood G.R.A. has access to tapes, books and records as well as first hand

experience on the operation of HAM radios and members can get a HAM licence through the club.

One can talk world wide with a HAM radio but the legal radius for a Citizen's Band radio is 150 miles. All CB and HAM radios fall under the jurisdiction of the Department of Communications who advise radio operators of their rights. When an operator gets his licence, instructions are given on how to assemble a base or mobile station.

A T.V.I. filter to prevent interference with radio and television is required by law.

Mr. Rickard advises that if anyone is having trouble with their reception due to CB interference they can record the calling numbers and get in touch with the operator. Anyone who owns a CB could contact the party and relay the difficulty.

Service club
The club describes themselves as a service club and a non-profit organization. They are presently planning community activities. There will be a euchre on March 12 and

money from this will be used to help with village outings perhaps for the senior citizens, once the warm weather arrives, Mr. Rickard outlined

A CB can be a friend, a telephone and a life-saver. If you need assistance the channel that can help is 9!

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Three firsts at festival

By Kerry Chalmers
The Eramosa Youth Choir, under the direction of Roberta Hoy, recently received three firsts at the Kiwanis Music Festival in Toronto. Adjudication marks were 84, 85 and 86.

Next stop for the choir is the Elstedoff Festival held in Llangollen, Wales. This International Music Festival takes place in July and folk, dance and instrumental groups as well as choirs from all over the world take part in the competition.

A fund-raising dance is planned at the Guelph Steel Workers' Hall on March 1. Fletcher's Orchestra, a country and western group, will provide the old-time music. For further information regarding tickets, phone

Lynsday Jones at 856-4913 or any choir member. There will also be a fashion show some time in the spring to help finance the trip to Wales. Details on this will follow.

Rockwood bowling

Team standings
Carneys 99, Optimists 88, Guelphites 85, Mustangs 80, The Happy Gang 80, Kay's Feeds 77, Countrymen 72, Five Plus One 72, Popeye 70, Dynamites 69, Nortons 68, Four Corners 67.

Men over 600: Harve Jestin (spare) 671, Bob Lilley 659, Ross Gordon 628, Fred Vandervalk 627, Gerry Birkholz 625, Dunc McPhedran (spare) 623, John Polo 612, Wally King (spare) 603.

Women over 500: Violeta Lilley 676, Nellie Stokman 623, Wendy Gray 595, Corrie Kuiper 576, Sue Nightingale 575, Ivy Ritchie 553, Gwen Gordon 534, Diana Carney 533, Kathy Dolman 523, Barb McLaren 521, Ann Parkinson 518, Gerda Birkholz 509, Marg McKersie 504, Ruth Kingsbury 504.

Results of games played Tues. Feb. 15.
Nortons 5 pts., Sue Nightingale 575, Ivy Ritchie 553, Mustangs 2 pts., Doug Carney 573, Rick Seim 550.

Dynamites 5 pts., Fred Vandervalk 627, Paul Holman 538, Kay's Feeds 2 pts., John Polo 612, Dunc McPhedran (spare) 542.

Countrymen 5 pts., Corrie Kuiper 576, Jan Loof 576, Optimists 2 pts., Gerry Birkholz 625, Ted Jestin 575.

Carney's 5 pts., Violeta Lilley 676, Harve Jestin (spare) 671, Guelphites 2 pts., Ross Gordon 628, Dunc McPhedran (spare) 623.

Popeye 5 pts., George Smith 482, John Morrison 429, Five Plus One 2 pts., Kathy Holman 523, Val Samuel 471.

The Happy Gang 7 pts., Wally King (spare) 603, Wendy Grey 595, Four Corners Opts. Nellie Stokman 566.

Ready-mix concrete and plywood purchased is destined for a new service building, it was stated at a recent Authority executive meeting.

"How many buildings have you got up there?" demanded Chairman Clarkson of Authority Superintendent Cruikshank. The reply was "five or six."

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Dairy Bar owners enjoy holiday in Florida sun

By Kerry Chalmers
When Rockwood Dairy Bar opens once again for business on March 8 the public will see some changes in the decor. Owners Guy and Stella Lavoy have recently returned from an extensive holiday in Florida and report that they are well rested and set to go for another busy season.

The Lavoy's spent their holiday in Tampa, Largo and Clearwater finishing up in Miami Beach. Despite cool wet weather they enjoyed themselves with local attractions and met many new

friends. One of the more interesting tours they enjoyed was the John Ringling home, circus museum and art museum in Sarasota, Florida. This 27 million dollar complex was beautiful, according to Guy, who said the house was filled with imported furniture and that the house itself was built with world-gathered materials. Another attraction was the Busch Gardens.

Guy and Stella are glad to be back and are now in the midst of replacing the floor

and ceiling and will put in a new counter.

Guy will also do some painting to brighten up his shop.

The Lavoy's have altered the menu since purchasing the Dairy Bar and Chicken and Atlantic Burgers are now a specialty of the bar. Wedge fries are still in great demand and once May arrives cones, milk shakes and other ice cream delights will be offered.

So drop by March 8 and enjoy a burger and wedge fries in the new surroundings.



ROCKWOOD, OSTRIDGE and Eramosa Brownies are pictured after the Everton Christian Church service this past Sunday.

Environmental Assessment Board
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
PROVINCIAL SEWAGE WORKS PROGRAMME
Township of Eramosa
(Police Village of Rockwood)

The Ontario Ministry of the Environment is developing a provincially owned sewage works consisting of a sewage pumping station and pretreatment facilities and a pipeline to convey the sewage from the Police Village of Rockwood in the Township of Eramosa to the City of Guelph sanitary sewer system. The pipeline would pass through the Township of Guelph and the Township of Eramosa.

The Minister of the Environment has, pursuant to Section 30 of The Environmental Assessment Act, 1975, ordered that the construction programme with respect to this proposed sewage works be exempted from the application of the said Act. This exemption was approved by Order-in-Council No. O.C. 2889/76.

The Environmental Assessment Board will conduct a public hearing to obtain information and to hear the views of the public so that it can make recommendations in respect of the proposed sewage works. Written and oral submissions may be made to the Board at the hearing. The Board will not consider any submissions regarding the proposal after the hearing has been closed.

The hearing will be held on Tuesday, March 15, 1977 at 11:00 o'clock in the morning, local time, in the Rockwood Town Hall, Main Street, Rockwood, Ontario.

Plans of the proposed sewage works will be available for examination and inspection during normal business hours in the office of the Clerk of the Township of Eramosa, R.R. 1, Rockwood, of the Clerk of the Township of Guelph, R. R. 5, Guelph, of the Secretary of the Board of Trustees for the Police Village of Rockwood, Rockwood, and in the office of the Environmental Assessment Board, 1 St. Clair Avenue West, 5th Floor, Toronto, Ontario, M4V 1K7.

STATUTORY REFERENCES
The Ontario Water Resources Act, (R.S.O. 1970, Chapter 332, as amended).

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A \$34,000 Ontario grant will be provided to the Credit Valley Conservation Authority for a preliminary engineering study on the Credit River watershed.

The study will comprise the recommendation of priorities for an erosion control program and the establishment of fill lines on specific streams on the East and West Credit Rivers.

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