

Rockwood DIGEST

Ever been to a Shy Party? The Lionettes held one recently and invited all the ladies of Eramosa township to get together for a get-together.

The Shy Party originated last year in order to introduce neighbor to neighbor. The success of the venture led to a repeat event this year and another success was filed. Despite the rain, fog and general gloom, nearly 200 ladies visited Rockwood Community Centre for a wine and cheese party chaired by Betty Eason.

Jeanette Montgomery entertained, prizes contributed by local merchants were awarded, speeches of welcome were enjoyed. All who attended agreed the hospitality and company was good.



Enjoying a little wine at the Lionettes Shy Party. Vi Kramp and Ann Keitch get to know their neighbours.

Jeans and Things, a new store in the Rockwood plaza is looking back on a busy first month. The store run by Theresa Civerio and her daughters Anita and Sue caters to clothing the whole family but jeans are a large part of their inventory. Formerly the Bargain Centre on Highway 7 just west of Acton, the Civerio family decided to move the store to Rockwood. The family are also planning a move of residence to property south of the village.

Rockwood has its very own basketball team thanks to the combined efforts of Butch Given and Red and Brian (Knuckles) de Vries. So far the teenage team has no name and is in the early practice stage. Presently about ten youngsters, boys and girls, are practicing Saturday afternoon at Centennial school between 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.

There's a \$10 registration fee for equipment and uniforms. Any interested players between the ages of 13 and 16 years may call manager Butch at 856-4243 or the coaches Red and Brian de Vries. Apart from a love of basketball the only other requirement seems to be having a nickname!



Audrey Bilton held a recent open house to bring door-to-door shopping to the people of the village.

An Open House was held Sunday at the home of Audrey Bilton in order to give local people a chance to shop conveniently for products usually sold door-to-door.

Many local representatives from Avon, Sarah Coventry, Walklins, Gendron, Michelle Lee, Geni ware and Tupperware set up their tables in the Bilton rec room. Also featured were plants, ceramics, and Christmas goodies.

Visitors were entertained by two fortune tellers with crystal ball and cards and fed with coffee and fancy breads. Another open house is planned for next Sunday.

The Lionettes will hold their annual Christmas bazaar on Saturday December 1 at the Rockwood Community Centre starting at 10 a.m. and going on till 3 or thereabouts. Featured will be a bake sale, a penny table, Christmas decorations, crafts, a lucky draw and tea. Get your Christmas shopping done early, there's always a wide variety at this bazaar and it's a great place for the wee people (children I mean) to find gifts to fit their budget.

Two fires and a false alarm kept Rockwood volunteer firefighters on their toes this past week.

A chimney fire was kept under control, but a major fire Wednesday razed a house on the Sixth Line of Eramosa north of Hwy 24.

The house belonged to Frank Bertingoli and was part of the Shiloh Ranch property. There was no one in the house at the time of the fire and no one was injured.

At the recent open house held by Rockwood Centennial School the dessert party grossed over \$245. Organizers were gratified with the excellent support and turnout they received.

The school also collected \$75 by way of the Poppy Fund to donate to the Acton Branch of the Canadian Legion.

Please call Jennifer Barr 856-9096 or mail to Box 27 Rockwood with information, tidbits and stories for this column.



The 2nd Rockwood Brownie Pack enrolled 12 Tweenies last week. From left to right, front row, they are: Elisa Werry, Leanne Ford, Amy Verrey, Heather Wingate. Middle row: Debbie McIntyre, Sherry Townsend, Dana Billings, Jennifer Hawkins. Back row: Wanda Macdougall, Cheryl Thompson, Krissy Ritchie, Jennifer Gordon.

Eramosa asking for changes

Eramosa Township Council is seeking to change several street signs in the area.

The Wellington County Road Committee will be asked to consider making the intersection of County Road 44 and the Eden Mills Road into a four-way stop. It has stop signs on its north and south sides, while there are no signs east and west.

In Halton the Guelph Line is the continuation of Wellington County Road 44.

The roads committee will also be asked to consider changing yield signs on roads crossing county roads to stop signs.

Eramosa councillor John McLeod suggested council recommend the switch to the four-way stop signs because of the lack of visibility and the proximity of houses in the area.

Coming from the south, drivers cannot see to the left on the Eden Mills Road because of a house, observed Councillor McLeod. Deputy Reeve David Masson added vision is also obscured to the right when the hay field is up.

Reeve Bill Adsett told councillors he had telephone calls from people wishing for the signs to be changed. He said as time went on there should be a four-way stop for a time. Mr. Masson went on to say he thought it should be a permanent change.

Bowling

Latecomers, 23 pts., Lady Luck, 21, The Lost Causes, 17, The Slaves, 14, Henpecked, 14, Ivy Leaguers, 13, Carney's, 13, Guelphits, 13, Countrymen, 13, Up and Downers, 10, Rovers, 4.

Ladies over 500 for Tuesday Nov. 20, Sue Nightingale 651, Maureen Bolson 571, Marion Dunk 564, Alice Johnson 555, Marjorie O'Kraflka 543, Ellen Garner 526, Erke Van Driel 526, Leila Kingston 514, Ivy Ritchie 507.

Men over 600 for Tuesday Nov. 20, Bob Lilley 682, Dunc McPhedran 642, Pete Stokman 624, Paul Holman 622, Howard Dunk 619, Dunc Kingsbury 615, Jim Cerniuk 612.

Results of games bowled Tuesday Nov. 20, Henpecked, 2 pts., 2 highest bowlers, Don McKersie 568, Tony Stokman 520.

The Slaves, 0, Erke Van Driel 526, Bev Dahmer 492.

Ivy Leaguers, 4, Sue Nightingale 651, Alice Johnson 555.

Up and Downers, 3, Elmer Allan 587, Leila Kingston 514.

Latecomers, 7, Don Bottenham 565, Marjorie O'Kraflka 543, Carney's, 5, Bob Lilley 682, Howard Dunk 619, Guelphits, 3, Dunc McPhedran 642, Jim Cerniuk 612.

Unpredictables, 4, Fred Vandervalk 550, Jim Dales 509.

Lady Luck, 2, Pete Stokman 624, Paul Holman 622.

Lost Bolson, 5, Maureen Bolson 571, Walker McLaren 496.

Rovers, 2, Gordon Ostrander 525, John Roche 485.

Countrymen, 5, Bert Gould 501, John Van Milligan 474.

Eramosa seeking changes in grants

Eramosa is backing Woolwich in a bid to persuade Queen's Park to change its mind concerning equalized grant payments.

Eramosa Township Council endorsed a motion from Woolwich Township to have the equalization factors dropped because "they do not relate to people or the ability of townships to pay." Eramosa also decided, in last week's meeting, to draft its own resolution.

Support for Woolwich came on the heels of a presentation by a Ministry of Revenue spokesman concerning the formula the ministry uses to calculate grants to counties and school boards.

Councillors learned for the first year grants will not increase or decrease more than five per cent. Ministry representative D.J. McClenaghan outlined the formula, while saying the precise effect of the change will be detailed later.

Reaction from councillors centred on the weighing of the factors which show rural landowners paying more than city dwellers. "This will increase our taxes and decrease those in Guelph," observed deputy-reeve David Masson.

"It's going to make it tough on a lot of struggling farmers," predicted Councillor Murray Cox. The effect will also discourage many young farmers, he said.

pointed out that under the terms of the formula used by the ministry, Guelph has been paying too much for ten years. Under the formula council learned that a \$40,000 house in 1978 would be assessed in Eramosa at \$852. Its counterpart in Guelph would be assessed at \$755.

AIR CONDITIONING
The constant use of your automobile air-conditioning system adds about 10 per cent to your fuel bills. Avoid turning on the air conditioning when it is not needed.

Safety patrollers at Ice Capades

Safety patrollers across Halton, including many from Acton went to the Ice Capades recently at Maple Leaf Gardens in Toronto.

Close to 1,500 children and adults saw the show. It was part of an incentive program offered by Halton Region Safety Council to its patrollers.

URSC is a group of volunteers from each of Halton's four municipalities, working in conjunction with other community groups

Eramosa checks seniors' housing

Senior citizen housing for Eramosa will be considered by the township council after the subject was opened by Councillor John McLeod during last week's meeting.

Council will ask a representative of a government ministry to explain details of financing housing for seniors.

Under a new Ministry of Housing program, outlined for fellow councillors by Mr. McLeod, the municipality pays the least of the three levels of government involved.

A federal grant can reduce interest rates on the mortgage to two per cent, a feature which Councillor McLeod described as being "very attractive."

"I had several people ask me about it (senior housing)," said the councillor. Some of the inquiries came from the Sunshine Club, he said. "People don't feel good about moving to Guelph because this is where they're from," said the councillor.

IGA 99¢ SALE

<p>CHALLENGER PINK SALMON 7 1/4-OZ. TIN 99¢</p> <p>PEEK FREN BISCUITS 400g TO 15-OZ. PKGS. 99¢</p> <p>WELCH'S, PURE Grape Jam or Jelly 24-FL. OZ. JAR 99¢</p> <p>GREEN GIANT, FANCY, FROZEN Whole Kernel Niblets Corn 2-LB. POLY BAG 99¢</p> <p>ASSORTED FLAVORS Royal Jelly Powders 5 3-OZ. BOXES 99¢</p> <p>PANTRY SHELF, CHOICE Peach Halves or Slices 2 14-FL. OZ. TINS 99¢</p>	<p>REGULAR OR DIET 7-UP 3 750 mL. BTL. PLUS 25¢ DEPOSIT PER BTL. 99¢</p> <p>DEL MONTE, FANCY, SEASONED GREEN OR WAX BEANS OR PEAS 3 14-FL. OZ. TINS 99¢</p> <p>SQUIRREL SMOOTH OR CRUNCHY Peanut Butter 500g JAR 99¢</p> <p>IGA 60% Whole Wheat or Cracked Wheat Bread 2 24-OZ. LOAVES 99¢</p> <p>DEL MONTE, ASSORTED VARIETIES Mini Puddings SLEEVE OF 4 x 5-OZ. TINS 99¢</p> <p>MISS MEW ASSORTED VARIETIES Cat Food 4 6 TO 8 1/2-OZ. TINS 99¢</p>
<p>FLAVORED, ASSORTED FLAVORS Quench Drink POLY BAG OF 4 1/2 L. PKGS. 99¢</p> <p>MIXED CORNATION Stuffed Manzanilla Olives 12-FL. OZ. JAR 99¢</p> <p>MFG. PREPARED 1.33 DOWNY Fabric Softener 1 L. PLST. BTL. 99¢</p> <p>BID "O" Bugles or Cheez Whizzers 5 TO 6-OZ. BOXES 99¢</p> <p>TROPHY BLENCHED, SPANISH OR BARBECUE Salted Peanuts 400g PKG. 99¢</p> <p>BUTONI Ravioli 800g TIN 79¢</p> <p>KITTY PAN, PREMIUM Cat Litter 8-LB. BAG 1.79</p> <p>ASSORTED VARIETIES EXCEPT BABY Suave Shampoo 350 mL. PLST. BTL. 79¢</p> <p>BABYSCOTT SUPER DISPOSABLE Toddler Diapers PKG. OF 24 2.29</p> <p>EVEREADY, REGULAR "C" OR "D" CELL Batteries PKG. OF 2 89¢</p> <p>SARALEE, FROZEN, CHOCOLATE, VANILLA OR STRAWBERRY Layer Cakes 13-OZ. PKG. 1.19</p> <p>100% PURE, FROM CONCENTRATE UNSWEETENED FBI Grapefruit or Orange Juice 32-FL. OZ. BTL. 69¢</p> <p>MONARCH 100% PURE VEGETABLE OIL Soft Margarine 1-LB. TUB 79¢</p>	<p>FRESH! SHOULDER Butt Pork Chops LB. 99¢</p> <p>RANCH OR EVERSWEET SLICED Side Bacon 1-LB. PKG. 99¢</p> <p>NEW ZEALAND, FROZEN Lamb Shanks LB. 99¢</p> <p>PREVIOUSLY FROZEN SLICED Beef Liver LB. 99¢</p> <p>CANADA PACKERS DEVON BRAND Breakfast Sausages LB. 99¢</p> <p>SELECTED PREMIUM VARIETIES MAPLE LEAF Sandwich Meats 8-OZ. PKG. 99¢</p> <p>PREVIOUSLY FROZEN Chicken Legs LB. 99¢</p> <p>FRESH! Pork Side Ribs LB. 99¢</p> <p>MARY MILES Wieners LB. 99¢</p> <p>PRIDE OF CANADA SLICED Cooked Ham 6-OZ. PKG. 99¢</p> <p>SCHNEIDER'S 2-PIES PER PKG. Meat Pies 8-OZ. PKG. 99¢</p> <p>STORE PACKED, FROZEN, Fish Cakes LB. 79¢</p> <p>PREVIOUSLY FROZEN, Boston Bluefish Fillets LB. 1.15</p>
<p>Christmas Baking Suggestions</p> <p>ALL PURPOSE Robin Hood Flour 5kg BAG 2.99</p> <p>EAGLE BRAND Condensed Milk 14-OZ. TIN 1.09</p> <p>CHIPTS, SEMI-SWEET Chocolate Chips 12-OZ. PKG. 1.99</p> <p>DALTON Deacidated Coconut 8-OZ. PKG. 99¢</p> <p>TROPHY Chopped Walnuts 150g PKG. 1.69</p> <p>LIBERTY Red Glacé Cherries 8-OZ. TUB 1.79</p> <p>LIBERTY, DICED Mixed Peel 8-OZ. TUB 99¢</p> <p>SUNNY GOLD, AUSTRALIAN SEEDLESS Sultana Raisins 1-LB. PKG. 1.39</p>	<p>Look for these cards</p> <p>ALL POWDERED DETERGENT 3-L. BOX \$3.49</p> <p>SPECIAL \$3.75 \$3.49</p> <p>Fight Lung Disease With Christmas Seals. It's a Matter of Life and Death.</p>
<p>CANADA NO. 1 GRADE P.E.I. Potatoes 20-LB. BAG 99¢</p> <p>PRODUCE OF U.S.A. CANADA NO. 1 GRADE Cauliflower SIZE 1 1/2" EA. 69¢</p>	<p>FROM BRITISH COLUMBIA CANADA FANCY GRADE Red or Golden Delicious Apples LB. .59</p> <p>FROM BRITISH COLUMBIA CANADA FANCY GRADE Anjou Pears LB. .59</p> <p>PRODUCE OF U.S.A. ONTARIO NO. 1 GRADE, "SWEET" Green Peppers LB. .59</p> <p>PRODUCE OF U.S.A. Walnuts-in-the-Shell LB. 1.29</p>