

Provincial housing program extended until Feb. 28, 1991

TORONTO - The Ontario Seasonable Housing Assistance Program has been extended until Feb. 28, 1991, Ontario Minister of Agriculture and Food David Ramsay and federal Employment and Immigration Minister Barbara McDougall recently announced.

"For some time, this program has been of substantial benefit to Ontario farmers, particularly those in southwestern Ontario who rely on seasonal workers to harvest crops. I'm pleased that we've been able to continue to provide this assistance," Ramsay said.

Under the program, jointly funded by the federal and provincial governments, \$800,000 is available to help Ontario farmers provide agricultural seasonal housing. Grants will be available to producers who have not previously participated in the program and to those producers who have not used up the maximum benefits available during the 1986-90 program.

The Ontario Seasonal Housing Assistance Program is funded under the Canada-Ontario Memorandum of Understanding Regarding Agricultural Employment. The program helps producers provide approved housing for seasonal workers employed in the production and harvesting of fruit, vegetables and tobacco.

The current agreement provides grants of up to 40 per cent of the cost of construction or renovation of seasonal housing or up to \$500 per worker housed, to a maximum of \$5,000 per applicant. Individual payments received during the 1986-1990 program apply to the current program.

Between 1986 and 1990, 558 grants totalling \$2.8 million were approved, and housing was provided for 4,540 seasonal workers.

Under the current memorandum of understanding, the Canada/Ontario Agricultural Employment Committee will continue its operations. The committee, composed of members of the farm community and both the provincial and federal governments, is funded equally by the Ontario and federal governments.

educational purposes. The committee also funded six educational workshops and seminars in 1989 dealing with recruitment methods and motivation of employees.

"Promotional brochures and radio tapes, produced and distributed by the committee, con-

tributed to successful recruitment drives for seasonal workers for Ontario," Ramsay said.

In addition, the committee established an interprovincial exchange program to encourage young people to enter agricultural jobs across Canada.



RASPBERRY BROWNIES

Brownie Ingredients:

- 1 cup (2 sticks) unsalted butter, room temperature
- 1 1/4 cups sugar
- 1/2 cup firmly packed brown sugar
- 4 large eggs
- 1/2 cup unsweetened cocoa powder
- 1 tbsp. clear raspberry brandy or brandy
- 1 tsp. vanilla extract
- 1/4 tsp. salt
- 1 1/4 cups unbleached all-purpose flour
- 1 1/2 pint basket fresh raspberries

Glaze Ingredients:

- 4 ounces semi-sweet chocolate, chopped
- 2 tbsp. clear raspberry brandy or brandy
- 2 tsp. hot water
- Powdered sugar

Method - For Brownies:

Preheat oven to 325° F. Grease 9 x 13 pan. Beat 1 cup butter, sugar and brown sugar in large bowl until fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition. Stir in cocoa, brandy, vanilla and salt. Gently mix in flour. Pour batter into prepared pan. Sprinkle raspberries evenly over batter. Bake 30 minutes approximately. Cool on wire rack in pan completely.

Method - For Glaze:

Combine chocolate, brandy and water in top of double boiler. Set over barely simmering water and stir until smooth. Cool slightly. Sift powdered sugar lightly over brownies. Dip fork into glaze and drizzle glaze decoratively over brownies. Let stand until glaze sets, about 30 minutes. Cover and store at room temperature.

Note: We found these best when set in refrigerator and served chilled.

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"This federal/provincial committee, through consultation with the private sector and local farm organizations, tackles the important problem of farm labour shortages," McDougall said.

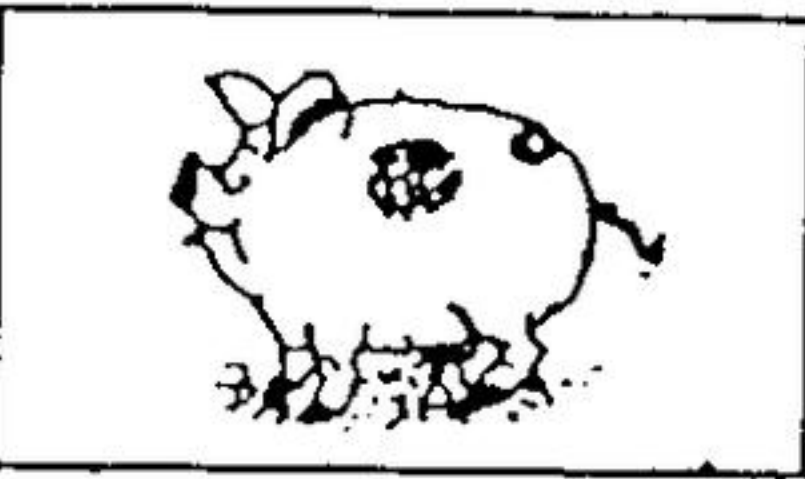
During the past year, the committee initiated a research study on methods of recruiting, motivating and keeping farm employees. The committee hopes to determine the best methods for various types of farm operations, and to use the knowledge for

Parent-child centre new season starts September 11

The Georgetown Parent-Child Centre starts its new season Tuesday, Sept. 11 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. The membership fee for a year is \$15 per family.

Registration for the first Take-A-Break session will also take place that day. Take-A-Break provides a break for parents or care-givers away from the children so they can have an opportunity to meet other adults. The cost is \$10 per session. Some of the topics include Interior Design in Your Home, Lasting Weight Loss, Practising to be a Teenager, Reading Begins at Birth and Holiday Entertaining. During the program there are activities available for children.

The Centre is a non-profit organization operating in Georgetown since 1988 serving parents and care-givers with children ages birth to 5 years.



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