

# Community

## Beavers briefs



Sept. 28 was a big day for the 2nd Georgetown Beavers as Beavers, leaders and family members got together to shine apples for Apple Day. (Photo submitted)



Brian Rogers (pictured above with hat) was in- Georgetown Beavers. Welcoming the new leader, is vested Sept. 24 as the new leader of the 2nd Dave Dubrevil, Laverne Brown and Lynn Pegg.

## 4-H Club bake sale

By BETTY SOJKA

Ballinafad's 4-H chapter took time at their last meeting to discuss and plan for a bake sale. This sale is slated for Saturday, November 10th. Doors of the United Church will open at 10:00 a.m. Hurry in to get some goodies, and help support this youth group. The 4-H have been learning more about the ways of bread making including the different yeasts, and have added cinnamon buns to their growing list of breads made.

It has been awhile since the community centre has been filled to the rafters, at a community centre dance. It was a sellout for last Saturday's Halloween Dance. D. J. George and son Shane were there to make the evening electric with tunes that had a crowd on the dance floor all through the night.

Costumes this year were truly exceptional. It was easy to see that much time and thought had been spent in the designs. Prizes were given in six categories. Best couple went to cave people Peggy and Steve Peat, who came dressed in animal-like skins complete with a big bone. It was an enterprising group of 16, who took the best group prize as they were dressed as the M and M's chocolates. Most Creative was captured by Rodney Allan. His costume as a robot was so real, and even had flashing lights in the headpiece.

Carlo Toccolino dressed as a pretty gruesome Grim Reaper

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won the prize for the Most Halloween traditional like. The Most Scariest went to Linda and Kevin Burnett who came as a very ugly red faced witch, and with Kevin as a creepy green monster. The Funniest category went to Dennis Robinson who had just the cutest little snout, as part of his pig costume. The night was a big success.

The success was due to people like Carol Matheson and Mrs. Carl Volmer who fixed up a pot of chili which helped to feed the partygoers. Carol also spent time working at the dance. Bruno Carnelos needs to be thanked for all the time he spent in setting up, the bar, and then tending it for the evening, in his special organized and courteous manner. The next community centre dance is planned for New Year's Eve.

The Ballinafad Business People got together last Wednesday, to iron out the details for their upcoming dance on Saturday, November 10th at the Community Centre. Starting at 9:00 p.m. the dance will feature Marion's Country Band. Tickets are now available at the Ballinafad General Store, or by calling 877-2487 and 877-4915. A light meal will be served. For just \$8.00 a

person, you can enjoy a live band, which is not a frequent occurrence at the community centre as in days gone by.

Marion's Country Band is quite a popular local group who can cast a spell with their lovely country sounds. Buy early to avoid disappointment, as this dance is sure to be a sellout.

The Hall Board at their recent meeting addressed the concerns of a local neighbour to the community centre. The resident spoke at the meeting, making the Hall Board know the concerns at the prospect of a parking lot for the soccer field. The Board quickly let the resident know that no such discussion for a parking lot had taken place and if in the future if there was to be one, residents would be invited to the meeting.

This Hall Board meeting was organized to analyze the success of the art auction to prepare notes to aid the organizers, for the next auction. The Hall Board would like to thank all those wonderful people, who gave up their time in helping make this event a success. These fine people pitched in at all facets, from coat check, registration, art running, clean up, and the finance table. The next hall board meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 20th. Residents are welcome to come. The Hall Board is always looking for new ideas for what people would like to have in their community.

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