



Ninety-four-year-old Marion Hunter of the Ashgrove Womens Institute helps president Marlene Pearson (right) cut the cake for the organization's 90th birthday celebration last week at Hillcrest United Church. Hunter said she has been attending the monthly meetings since the late 1940s.

Photo by Eamonn Maher

## Ashgrove W.I. celebrates 90th anniversary

For the past 90 years, the Ashgrove Women's Institute has met on the third Tuesday of each month and this past week the group celebrated the anniversary with a lunch of quiche, spinach salad and a birthday cake.

Several neighbouring women's institute members from nearby Silver-Wood and Guelph also attended the 90th anniversary meeting at Hillcrest United Church on Tra-

falgar Rd.

There are currently 14 registered members in the Ashgrove Women's Institute and although a few of them have moved out of the area, they return every month for the meetings.

The oldest current member at age 102 is Jean Austin, who unfortunately was unable to attend the anniversary gathering.

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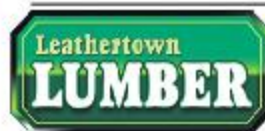
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