



**RUNNING STARS!** This group of Rockwood Centennial Junior and Primary cross-country runners recently won the Junior overall award at a county meet at the Conservation Area.

## LETTERS

### Critical of rat pack

To the Editor,

I don't know why I was surprised. I shouldn't be. Why would the three incumbents, Harris-Mercer-Tosh, who pretty well got their way throughout their term of office, want to run as a slate?

I know that when two of them ran in the last election, they were advised not to run as a slate and so didn't. After all, in public office one must stand on one's own feet.

It has been my experience that

people who think for themselves don't run in packs. Are these guys that insecure?

Their actions in the past year have shown how much alike they think. Even the Guelph Mercury got two of them mixed up. Couldn't tell the difference, I guess.

So now I am in a quandary. You see, I know that for good decision making you need as many of the various interests represented and talking. That tells me then that I may only need one of them. Do I "eeny, meeny, miney, moe?"

But then again, Curly, Larry and Moe wouldn't have had the same impact if they were working alone. So perhaps, I just might be better off without any of them.

*Rose Stocco,  
Rockwood*

## Students are getting ready for winter

### CENTENNIAL NEWS

BY JASON McLEOD,  
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There is a new French teacher at Rockwood Centennial School. His name is Mr. Dunbar and he is taking over for Madame George, who moved to New Brunswick. Madame George is going to be greatly missed by all her students.

Last Friday the Grade 3 and 4 classes visited the University of Guelph Arboretum. Mr. Morris' and Mrs. Martens-Clark's class had a great time walking through the nature areas.

The boys' and girls' school volleyball teams are training hard after school to get ready for their tournaments in December. We are getting a bigger sidewalk built at the front of our school to help the students walk more safely to and from their buses without the chance of slipping into the traffic.

We are very lucky at Rockwood Centennial to have such a beautiful playground right next to the Conservation Area. We have been able to watch the season change over the last few weeks. The trees had brilliant colours such as orange, yellow and red but now those leaves have all fallen and covered the ground. Soon winter will arrive at our school.

## Parents meet

The next Rockwood Home and School Association meeting is scheduled for next Wednesday, Nov. 16 at the Rockwood Centennial library. Time for the gathering is 7 pm.

All area parents are urged to come out and get involved.

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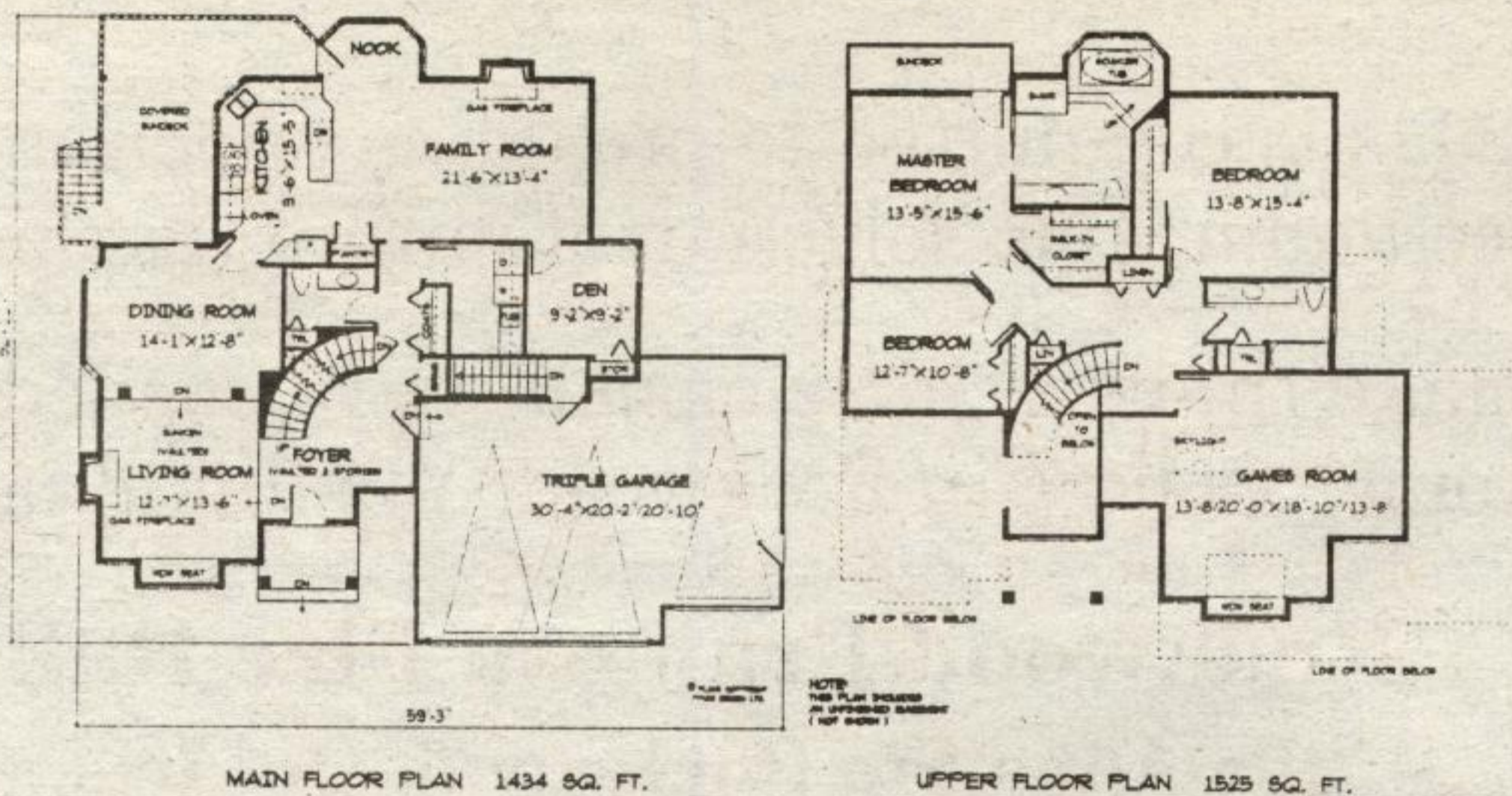
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