

Fund-raiser goes over well

by Eileen Hocken
The euchre party, put on by the Mothers' Group to help raise money for the Brownie and Girl Guide Organization last Tuesday, was a success.

It was rather disappointing though, that not many of the mothers showed up.

Prizes were awarded for Ladies' High Score, won by Vicki Stuckey, Second High, won by Marble Strong. The men's High was won by Wilton Howell, Second

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High, by Don Calvert. Blanche Zelisney won for most Lone Hands, while the Booby Prize went to Irene Lapp, who laughingly refused to let anyone know her score. Three door prizes went to Doris Holden, Judy LeSaux, and Barb Watson.

A nice lunch completed the evenings entertainment.

Port McNicoll Girl

Guides went snowshoeing at the Wye Marsh Saturday, Jan. 24. They were accompanied by their Guiders (leaders) Jackie Legault, Rosemarie Rioux, and Marv Beausoleil, and three mothers who'd volunteered to give snowshoeing a try.

Out of 21 Girl Guides, 11 tried out for their snowshoe badge. The

older ones earned theirs last year. The girls trudged almost two kilometres, through field and bush. The naturalist guide from Wye Marsh, Eva Kaiser, patiently pointed out the different signs of animal and bird wildlife to be found in the out-of-doors, even in the winter months.

Laurie Henderson, Lisa Thompson, Stephanie Harris, Patty Waltenbury, Jennifer Hocken, Chaila Edwards, Laurie-Anne Kerdeikis, Jessica

Rioux, Terri-Ann Duval, Allison Dorion and Tracy Cadieux earned their snowshoe badge.

They learned the care of snowshoes, how to put them on and take them off on the trail, how to walk backwards, run in snowshoes, and climb a fence.

The long walk ended with hot cups of chocolate back in the Wildlife Centre, appreciated by girls and mothers alike.

To mark Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, Bonar Presbyterian Church in Port McNicoll held a service Wednesday, Jan. 21, at 7:30 p.m.

Rev. Al Farthing, minister of Bonar Church, invited Father Vincent Egan, priest of Sacred Heart Parish, to participate in the service.

Everyone joined in the gathering hymn, "The Lord's My Shepherd". Pauline Kelly sang two solos, "Come, Holy Spirit", and "Service".

The service ended with the closing hymn, "The Church's One Foundation".

Afterwards, thanks to a group of fine ladies, The Willing Workers of Bonar Church, refreshments were served in the basement hall of the Church.

There are rumours going around Port McNicoll that the roof of the Community Centre has caved in. Those rumours are completely

false.

The building inspector has gone through the whole building and found it to be structurally sound and in no need of major repairs.

Senior citizens have a fun night, usually the last Thursday of each month. They play Euchre, and will welcome anyone who wants to participate.

There are many prizes, which makes playing just that little bit more fun and exciting. The Euchre Party is held at the Port McNicoll Legion at 8 p.m. Admission is only \$1.50 per person.

On Saturday, Jan. 17, the Port McNicoll Beavers spent a fun time tobogganing at Little Lake Park in Midland.

Exercise and play over, the Beavers were happy and ready to tuck into hot-dogs and hot chocolate.

Port McNicoll Cubs are planning a tobogganing trip at the far end of Wye Marsh next

Sunday.

They will also be working on their Winter Cubbing Badge, which deals with identification of some trees, identifying different birds, learning some winter first aid, etc.

A few weeks ago, I mentioned in this paper that the Port McNicoll Boy Scouts had visited Maclean-Hunter Studio to make a short program which would be aired on Cable 12 in the near future.

The date has been fixed for 7 p.m. Wednesday and 7:30 p.m. Thursday. It should be interesting to tune in to see what those boys have done.

An ice-fishing trip to Shantv Bay has been planned for one of the patrols in the Boy Scouts for Sunday, Feb. 1.

The ice-breaker, Griffon, worked its way into Port McNicoll harbor Monday, Jan. 26.

If you have been using the Bay for snowmobiling, please beware.

Unique classes continue

by Mrs. M. Gervais
Upholstery Classes are being held in St. Mary's Church basement every Tuesday evening. This course will run for 10 weeks from 7 to 9 p.m. Each person is required to bring something to work on. Anyone wishing any further information on his class may call Mrs. Mary Lou Mount at 534-7054.

Mrs. Dorothy Rogers has returned home from spending over a month in Huronia District Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lidstone and John of Willowdale spent the weekend at their home here.

Word was received in the village of the death in Brockville Hospital on January 19 of Capt. Kenneth Crooke a former resident of the village. He was the only son of the late Mr. and

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Mrs. Alvin Crooke. He is survived by his wife Betty and daughters Debbv and Cynthia. His aunt Mrs. W. A. Stewart lives in Midland.

Mrs. V. Phillips, Mrs. F. Wilks and Mrs. Ann Nuis have returned from spending holidays in Florida.

The Victoria Harbour and District Lion's Club held their regular meeting on January 14. The club would like to start a Leo Club.

Anyone wishing information about the new club is welcome to attend an information centre on Feb. 1st at the Victoria Harbour Youth Centre or call Mr. John Bauland at 534-7574.

The Victoria Harbour

Chamber of Commerce is hosting the 2nd annual Mini Bon-homme Carnival Parade which starts at 11:45 a.m. from behind the Legion.

Anyone wishing to enter a float contact Mrs. Bev Juneau at 534-3118. Another Carnival events

Atoms suffer first loss

Elmvale Lions Atom A team suffered their first loss of the season last Saturday at the hands of the team from Owen Sound.

Owen Sound scored at the 5:44 mark of the opening period on a screened shot but just 44 seconds later, Grant King flicked a backhand pass from Derek Haines into the goalmouth where Chuck Adams

is now underway, the ice fishing derby. any fish caught in the area may be weighed at the Harbour Dominion Hardware Store. Motor cycle races on the bay and Friday & Saturday evening dances will be held.

Mrs. J. Todd and Capt. Ted Belcher spent the weekend with relatives in Weston.

Owen Sound went ahead once more only to have Adams tie the score on a pass from Scott Kirton and Mike Thompson.

Elmvale play dominated the remainder of the game, but exceptional goaltending on the part of the Owen Sound goaltenders foiled the local boys.

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