

Grand occasion for Earl Preston

Wyebridge

by John and Liz Dennis
On Sunday, June 7, more than 180 relatives and friends gathered at the farm of Earl and Hazel Preston to help celebrate Earl's 70th birthday.

Special guests were Earl's brother Bill of Wyebridge and his five sisters: Leah, Mrs. Carl Wilson, Meaford; Rhoda, Mrs. Howard Downer, Toronto; Maudie, Mrs. Lawrence Marshall, Peterborough; Mabel, Mrs. Alven Ney, Midland; and Ada, Mrs. Charles Robins, Midland.

Also present was sister-in-law Jessie, Mrs. Bill Preston; sister-in-law Rosie, Mrs. Cecil Preston; brother-in-law Charles Robins; and a nephew Lorne Howard,

Wyebridge, son of Earl's oldest sister Carrie (deceased).

Most of the nieces and nephews and their families attended. In many cases there were four generations present!

Anne and her husband Alain Fredette and children Christopher and Geneya came from Sorel, Quebec for the happy occasion.

Lloyd and his wife Jo-Ann and children Brent, Andrew and Karla-Jo were present from Midhurst.

Other guests came from Barrie, Brampton, Brantford, Collingwood, Don Mills, Elmvale, Gravenhurst, Huntsville, Midhurst, Midland, Mississauga, Mount St. Louis, Orr Lake, Perkinsfield, Peterborough, Stroud,

Tottenham, Trenton, Wasaga Beach, Waverley, and Wyevale as well as from Wyebridge.

The occasion was highlighted by music provided by Lloyd and Earl and some of Lloyd's friends and family members.

These included Al Beardsall, Elmvale; Tony King, Mount St. Louis; Mervin Bell, Huntsville; Orval Adamson, Wyebridge; Josh and Beverly Maffey, Toronto; Mabel Ney, Midland; and Frances French, Orr Lake.

The annual strawberry supper will be held at the Wyebridge Community Centre, on June 23 from

4:30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

The cost will be \$5 per adult and children, \$2.

On Sunday June 7 there was a youth service at the church. Four cubs received their Religion in Life badges.

They were: Robby Turner, Michael Dutton, Steven Scott and Daryl Leonard.

Cubs are now planning for a weekend camp-out at Awenda Park slated for the Weekend of June 26.

First Wyebridge Cubs and Beavers held their second annual parent and son banquet recently downstairs in the Wyebridge Community Centre.

There were no less than 65 people present

and all were treated to a delicious dinner catered by the Dock Lunch.

Representatives included Milt Ellery, Church of the Good Shepherd; Robin Nutbrown, Assistant District Commissioner for Beavers; Joyce Philips, Assistant District Commissioner for Cubs; Ernie Latanville, District Commissioner; Doug Reynolds, Akela First Wyebridge; and members of the First Wyebridge Group Committee.

Awards handed out were as follows: Best six: Steven Scott, Bradley Searl, Chris Woods, Daryl Leonard and Adam Mosley.

Best attendance:

Steven Scott, Daryl Leonard, Michael Dutton, Shaun Graham, Chris Buccanan and Carl McLean.

Best sportsman: Ronnie McGugan. Most badges earned: Bradley Searl.

Cub of the Year: Steven Scott.

Last Tuesday, Wyebridge Warriors and Elmvale battled to a 1-1 tie in Elmvale.

This was to have been played the day before but rain caused its cancellation.

Last Wednesday the Wyebridge Squirrels and the Midland Summers Trophies played a very entertaining game which saw a total of 55 runs scored between the two teams.

It is indeed a treat to see our up and coming athletes play the game of baseball for what it is - a fun sport.

Any way, at six years of age a child should not be subjected to pressure situations. They will get enough pressure and competition later in life.

Although Wyebridge came out on the losing end of the game the real winners were the youngsters on both teams who were able to do what children their age do best - have fun.

Next night, Thursday, Wyebridge gave Elmvale "Two" a run for their money by scoring 11 runs. The final score saw Elmvale double Wyebridge 22-11.

PGH births

Recent births at Penetanguishene General Hospital are as follows: on June 12, 1981, a boy weighing seven pounds 13 ounces was born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Beaudoin, of RR 2, Penetanguishene. Mr. and Mrs. Garry Classen are the parents

of a nine pound five ounce boy on June 12, 1981. Mr. and Mrs. Classen live at 46 Lorne Street, Elmvale.

And on June 10, 1981, a six pound nine ounce boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Desrochers, of 543 Finlayson Street, Port McNicoll.

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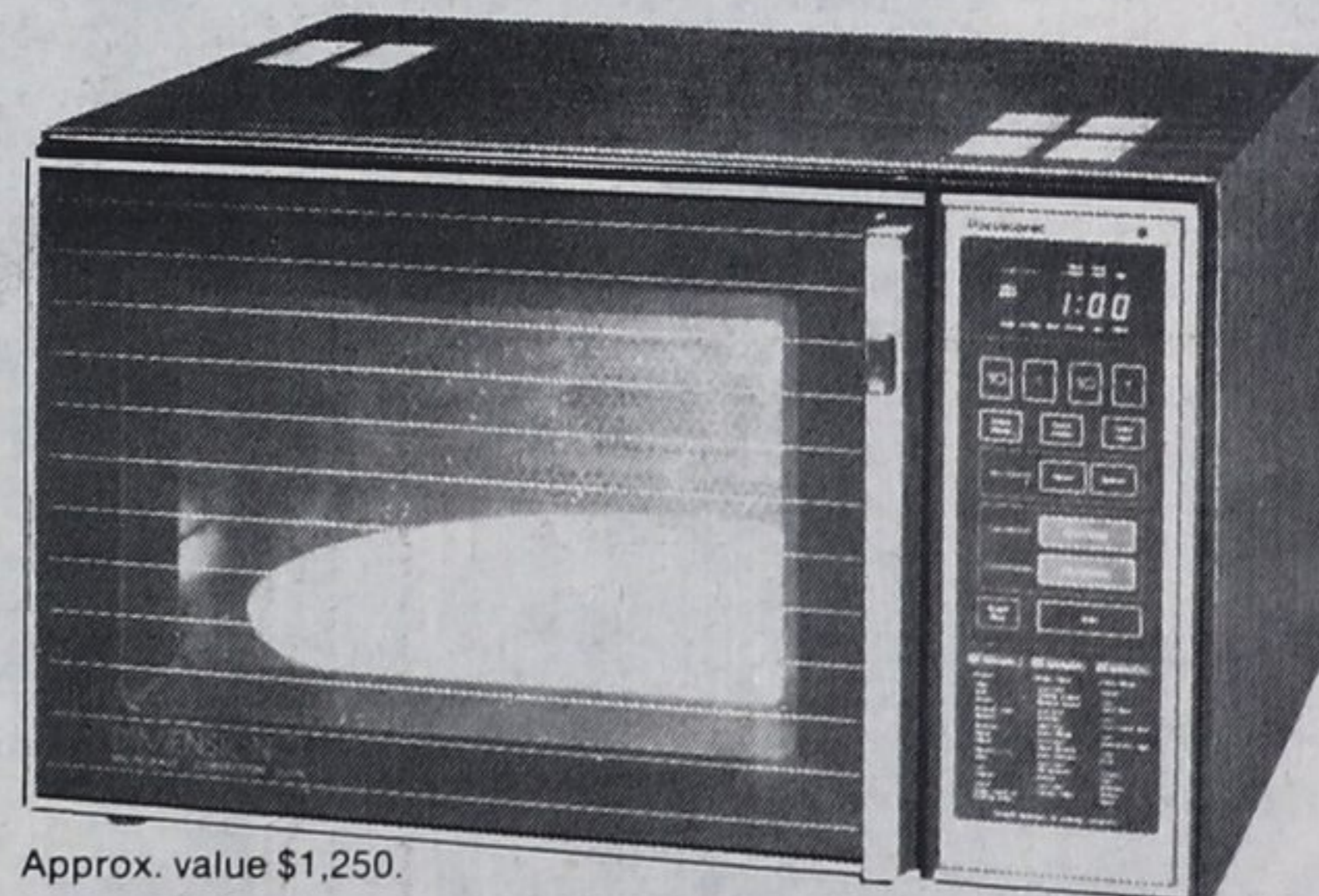
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