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Lake Wilcox YWCA Prepare For Christmas

Organized early in November, the Lake Wilcox Take-A-Break group has already attracted 20 women who are interested in getting together weekly for crafts, coffee and conversation.

Under sponsorship of Richmond Hill YWCA the group has been making Christmas decorations, working with materials at hand such as pine cones, milkweed pods, remnants of velvet and hand-rolled beeswax candles.

They meet in Lake Wilcox Public School each Thursday from 1:30 to 3:30 pm, and there

is a baby-sitting service for the pre-school children. There will be no meetings during the school's Christmas break, but plans are underway for a handicrafts program in the new year. The new TAB group is playing it by ear, planning programs from week to week to suit the members.

Above (left to right), Myrtle O'Meara, Mary Clayton, Gloria Windum and Louise Gore work together on a centrepiece for Christmas. For more information contact Louise Gore, 773-5868.

Santa Visits Legion Grandchildren

Santa Claus visited Richmond Hill Legion last Sunday and brought a lot of joy to a very happy group of grandchildren.

On Friday the auxiliary will have its turn to enjoy a Christmas Party—at the Legion Hall at 7 pm.

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PHYLLIS HAWKES

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Legion Reports

Branch 375, Royal Canadian Legion
By Chris Ratchford — 884-5260

Magicians, Carols, Presents, Food For Children's Christmas Party

Just where do we start this column? So much has happened that it's a difficult decision. Oh well, let us take it off the top and let these words of wisdom fall where they may. Like maybe Friday night.

The weather was ugly! Not very many visitors in the lounge, so we all repaired to the clubroom and had a swinging time. Some of us played so many dart games that your reporter felt like the pitching arm was going to fall off.

We won some and lost some. Not too bad for an amateur. The usual crowd was there for shuffleboard. Others played either bridge or euchre. Then there was the singalong when one of our members decided to play the old piano. Gosh what fun we all had. This was time up for the mixed bowling dance on Saturday.

Despite the wet weather for Saturday, the girls put on their glad rags and had their men into suits and joined in the fun planned for this night. Plenty of spot prizes and a door prize. Your reporter regrets that due to long working nights we fell asleep at the switch and didn't get the names of any of the winners. This goes for the door prize also.

Won't you please accept our very sincere apologies for now. We will try to get this information for you next week. (Wonder if we forgot anything for the children's Christmas Party tomorrow?)

CHRISTMAS PARTY
Here it's Sunday and we are all busy getting things under way for the great invasion. Decorations going up nicely giving the right atmosphere for the coming day and the holiday season. Balloons to be blown up—sure were lucky here—just found a pair of youngsters with nothing to do. Just right! A few last minute fixings and we are in business.

Here come the youngsters. Already their excited faces have paid us back for the long days and nights of planning. What a treat it is to know that you are making somebody happy!

To start the program off there was a magician (Raymond Lowe) and he kept that audience glued to their seats. Course it is always impossible to tell who enjoyed this more. The older youngsters or the ones for whom this was planned. You should have heard the many different explanations that the young ones were giving to each other as to how each trick was made possible. Where on earth do they get their imaginations from?

Following the magician's act, the two clowns (Neil

Jarvie and Vic Colton) started a singsong and this got the children into the act. After some urging several youngsters formed a small chorus and helped everyone sing some of the old Christmas Carols. Comrade Harry Lever helped the celebration along with his piano playing. This is always a pleasure.

Now it was time for the mess call. Under the capable management of Comrade Frank Barrott and following the clowns, the young people filed in pairs to get hot dogs and pop. Everything was very orderly for a time, then appetites took over and they couldn't be held back. Just being completely natural. Who doesn't like a mess of hot dogs, pop and ice-cream!

Gosh, isn't that Santa's sleigh bells that I hear in the distance? Here he comes and the kids are yelling their heads off. Gosh what excitement. This year, the lady vets had an innovation when it came to handing out the presents. Each youngster was called by name and went forward when called. When it came to the tiny ones, the parents went forward as eagerly as the children. All too soon this day has come to a close and another party is under the belts of the lady veterans.

Plans are already under way for next year. Wonder just what they plan for the youngsters. Guess we will just have to wait and see.

The lady veterans would like to extend their very sincere thanks to those who pitched in and helped make this occasion a success. Comrades Madge Barrott, Frank Barrott, Neil Jarvie, Vic Colton, Allison Hughes, Harry and Gladys Lever, Bob Dickson, Janet and "Ren" Johns, Marsh Tomner, Bill MacPherson and many others. Very special thanks to Raymond Lowe for his appearance.

Most of all our thanks to the children and the parents for turning out. You made it all worthwhile. Maybe we'll see you again next year. Have a good Christmas everyone.

Random Shots
During the dance Saturday night there was a birthday cake for Don Parnell. We sincerely hope he enjoys many more of the same.

All members please pay attention. Don't forget the next general meeting on Monday at 8 pm sharp. Sure hope we see you all there at the New Year's Dance on December 31. What better way to start off the New Year. Tickets going fast for the low price of \$15 per couple. Won't you come along.

See you next week. We hope.

ELGIN MILLS - JEFFERSON

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Church News

At St. John's Anglican there will be a Blessing of the Tree and Carols Sunday at 10:30 am. At 7:30 pm there will be a service of carols by candlelight and of lessons.

There was a celebration of Holy Communion Sunday. The choir sang the anthem "Fight the Good Fight". The confirmation class held its last meeting on Sunday until the new year.

The ACW Christmas gathering took place Thursday evening with guests Anita Joshua and Joy Biswas. Their presentation of life in Pakistan was tremendous and will be remembered by all.

The junior young people will meet for a Christmas Party and Pot Luck Supper at St. Mark's Chapel Friday from 7 pm on.

Cliff Rumble, People's Warden of St. John's Anglican, Sunday gave the second of three addresses made by the wardens to the people. Rumble said that up to two decades ago St. John's was mainly a rural church serving the farm families of the area, but now is more and more becoming an urban church still in its original surroundings.

"By celebrating the anniversary and recording the history we hope to show how the people of this area developed the church through hard work, fellowship and the love of Christ," he said.

"The celebration was not designed to raise money for the parish but to rejuvenate the spiritual worship in the community served by St. John's and to pay special tribute to two beloved benefactors, Schyler and Marjorie Snively, by erecting a flagpole in their memory. With any additional funds that may be raised the outreach projects have been asked what we need rather than what we want to give them."

Two projects have been mentioned: a projector and screen for Washago and a clothes dryer for Port Harrison.

After thanking a number of people who helped in the planning of the celebrations he said the history of the parish that was to be ready for sale December 17.

Rumble mentioned that last week the committee planned to have an auction sale in the spring. In order that it can be properly advertised, to ensure its success, the committee would ask that the members who will be contributing items list them on the Items For Sale board located on the bulletin board inside the parish hall.

If this celebration is to be a success the co-operation and prayers of every member of the parish will be needed.

Neighborhood Notes
Birthday wishes go to Shawn Mackay who will be 11 and to Ramsay Joseph who will be six on Saturday.

Akela Mrs. Betty Sutton was presented with the wood badge by District Cubmaster Mrs. Kay Atwell Saturday at the 1st Jefferson Cub meeting.

Bill Sutton received the Tawney Star, thus becoming a five-star Cub. Nigel Walker received the green star.

The Cubs are going to entertain the folks at Green Acres, Newmarket, Friday with songs and skits. They swim at the House of Concord Saturday at 10:30 am.

In this busy Christmas Season there is a date that is a must for everyone who likes music, drama, fun and Santa Claus. That date is Wednesday of next week at 8 pm at Jefferson Public School.

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