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Rec. Ramblings

Again it is with pleasure that I write you regarding several upcoming activities and, some changes in the existing Community schedule of events.

BROOMBALL

Firstly let me remind you that our 2nd annual R.A. Broomball Tournament is fast approaching us. Andy Cousineau, Tournament Chairman, has been working diligently securing teams for the 48 club Tournament scheduled for Thursday through Sunday, February 10, 11, 12 and 13 in the Russell Community Centre.

CARNIVAL

In addition to the above the Russell Lions Club's annual Winter Carnival is slated for Feb. 17, 18, 19 and 20, with a Carnival Queen Contest, Snow Sculpturing, Hockey Competitions, and an Intermediate Hockey Game. Included also is the First Annual Russell Lions International Midget "A" Hockey Tournament. George Eastman and his committee have been extremely busy putting together final touches for what is hoped to be the biggest and best yet. Don't forget that following the Saturday Hockey Tournament another Skating Party and Dance have been planned.

PUBLIC SKATING

Several requests have come to our attention that area adults would like a Public Skating session just for them. Well, the opportunity is being provided. As Saturday afternoon has provided little incentive we have decided to switch our Public Skating to

Saturday Evening effective immediately. From 7-8 p.m. Family Skating to recorded music will be provided followed by "Adults Only" from 8-9 p.m. also to recorded music. Cost will be just 35c per person. This will give us a chance to see if sufficient interest is there and if so perhaps we could try more sessions with live music.

CHILDREN'S MOVIE PROGRAM

With such a favourable response as was evident in early December our next Children's Movie Program will be scheduled for Saturday Afternoon, Feb. 12 at 1:00 p.m. in the Russell Public School with the showing of the action packed thriller entitled "The Great Locomotive Chase".

TEEN DANCE

As was mentioned earlier it was felt that a need existed for a periodic Teen's 'n 20's Dance to fill the void between High School dances. Dan Thompson, a third year Graduating Facility Management student and also our right hand man here at the Centre has been working closely for some time now with area teens and 20's and it has been decided that the first Dance will take place on Saturday evening, Feb. 5 at the Russell Community Centre.

The "Sons" will be the group featured for the opening dance with the cost only \$1.50 per person and dancing from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. If all goes well, Dan feels we'll go once a month when the hall is available.

Editor's Comment . . .

"New Review needs You"

This is the first edition of the Review in more than a month and the first edition of the New Year.

The deal since the Christmas issue was to allow the Review to adopt a new publishing schedule. The paper will now be published the first Friday of each month.

It is hoped the new schedule will make it easier for readers to contribute to the Review.

I would like to take this opportunity to renew an invitation to all Russell residents to get involved in the Review. All items are welcome from news to photographs.

The Review is a community-run paper partially supported by your tax dollars. You have an interest in ensuring its survival.

A community's vitality is reflected on its newspaper and through the Review residents have helped show clearly that Russell is thriving.

As long as the village continues to thrive, the Review will be here to tell you about it.

If you have something that you think might interest other residents, let the Review tell them for you.

O.T.H.S. News

The past couple of weeks have been busy for all sport teams.

First of all in volleyball, the seniors finished second overall in a tournament held at Almonte High. The winners were from Earl of March. The juniors however did not have a good day and finished with a not so good record and last place. The Almonte team took top honors with first place.

School volleyball saw the juniors start off with a 1-2 record and the seniors are 2-1 after three starts. The juniors lost their home and home series to Garneau both by three to zero matches. The seniors split their series with Garneau by winning the first one 3-2 but lost 3-1 at Garneau. But then both the juniors and the seniors beat the Cairine Wilson Wild-cats. The seniors won 3-1 while the juniors swept their series. And on January 29, there was a volleyball marathon at Osgoode, for 14 hours to try to raise money to buy uniforms for the junior and senior teams. So far we don't know how much money was raised.

Wrestling saw O.T.H.S. win 3 out of their last 5 matches. They lost 36-20 to Sir Robert Borden, and 32-26 due to the fact that we lost five matches by default because we had no-one for those weight classes. However we have won three in a row. O.T.H.S. dumped the Gloucester Gaters 30-10. We won our last two matches by default over Merivale and Garneau.

Junior Boys Basketball saw the boys lose their last four games. The scores were; Garneau 68, Osgoode 38; Gloucester 77, O.T.H.S. 30; Colonel By 50, Osgoode 27 and Cairine Wilson 75 and O.T.H.S. 22. Better luck next time! ! !

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Community Bulletin Board

1. RUSSELL SENIOR CITIZENS: Meeting, Feb. 7 — General Meeting, 1:30 p.m. in the Anglican Church Drop-in Centre. All welcome. Workshops each Monday in Feb. at 1:30 p.m.
2. PROGRESSIVE CONSERVATIVE WOMEN'S ASSOC. OF Ontario, Afternoon Tea, Sat., Feb. 5, 1:30 p.m. at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 470 Roosevelt Drive, Ottawa. Guest speaker is Mr. Walter Baker, Opposition House Leader.
3. RUSSELL PUBLIC SCHOOL MEETING
 Time: 8:00 p.m. sharp Mon., February 21, 1977
 Place: Russell Public School Gymnasium. We urge all concerned parents to come to this first meeting.

Topic: The growth of facilities for the education of our children.

Charman: Mr. Greg Ryan, Chairman of the Elementary School Board. Let's work together.

4. The Russell Minor Hockey Assoc. general meeting will be held on Feb. 9, 1977 at 8:00 p.m. at the Russell Arena Hall.

5. OPEN MEETING

The family of Bill and Annie Bouwhuis invite all their relatives, friends and neighbours to join them in celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary in the Russell Arena Hall on Feb. 25, 1977 at 8:30 p.m. Music by Helen Verhoeven.

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