

**YOUR COUNCIL AT WORK**  
**Bastard & South Burgess**  
**P. McManus**  
**A. Greenhorn**

We are all happy that Mrs. Vera Sheridan received a Volunteer Service Award. As she was unable to attend the presentation in Kingston by the Ministry of Citizenship and Culture, her award was presented by Reeve Ostrom at a meeting of the Beverley Senior Citizens. Members of Mrs. Sheridan's family were present as were Deputy Reeve Joe Raison and Councillor Anna Greenhorn. Mrs. Sheridan replied in her usual effervescent manner so everyone present felt they were participants in the honour bestowed on Mrs. Sheridan.

Council proclaimed October 16th as WORLD FOOD DAY in an effort to increase awareness of severe hunger throughout the world. This day will be recognized in 147 countries. All food banks are low on supplies and Bastard and South Burgess is no exception. Donations may be left at your church or at the Municipal Office, Chantry. Unfortunately, the Municipality has no facilities for handling perishable food.

Work has started on the thorny problem of Young's Hill, Forfar Road. Already the old pavement has been torn up, chewed up and regurgitated by a new-fangled but efficient (and cost efficient) machine. Plans are to add 4" to 6" of gravel, grub and ditch the sides of the road, pave the hill to prevent wash out and, if budget permits, put a top coat on the entire road before snow flies. Some owners have commenced rehabilitation of the trees, others are planning how best to preserve the vista.

John Bonser, Rideau Canal Superintendent, and Brian Grimsey, Parks Canada Planner, attended the Sept. 21st meeting at the invitation of Council to discuss the

Policy Paper. This was a positive meeting with both parties expressing a desire to work together for the enhancement and protection of the waterway, wetland and municipality.

Council acceded to a request from the Delta Mill Society to engage, through a B.R.I.C. grant, the services of a professional consultant to carry out a structural examination of the Old Stone Mill.

Mill Bay Court, the Senior Citizen's Apartment Building, was officially opened Sept. 18. Ed Adair, first tenant, gave a speech of welcome and included a few entertaining anecdotes about life in Mill Bay Court. Rev. Paul Kompass dedicated the building with a few well chosen words. Reeve Arch Ostrom, assisted by guest speakers Larry South, MPP Frontenac Addington and Jennifer Cossit, MP Leeds Grenville, cut the ribbon. Other guests in the standing room only crowd included Mr. Robert Runciman MPP and Mrs. Runciman, Brian Sutherland, Provincial Minister of Housing and Douglas Ewart, C.M.H.C. Frank Perrin, President of Non-Profit Housing Corp., officiated in his usual capable and efficient manner. He and other members of the Corporation, past and present are to be congratulated on a job very well done.

Council and staff will be increasing the pace of an already hectic schedule. Reeve Ostrom and Clerk-Treasurer Shirley Bryden are off to the P.R.I.D.E. administration seminar in Toronto. Dept.

Clerk-Treasurer Jane Purdie will join them there on her way home from a Financial seminar in London. Deputy Reeve, Joe Raison, will be in Thunder Bay as a delegate from District Health Council at a Health conference. Councillor Pat McManus

is attending a seminar on Waste Management sponsored by the Cataraqui Conservation Authority. He and Councillors Phyllis Tackaberry and Anna Greenhorn are also attending the Eastern Ontario Planning conference in Kingston. All members are planning to attend a Pay Equity seminar in Brockville.

This township is part way along the road to pay equity as job descriptions have been in place for some time. The waste disposal sites have received positive feedback from both the Ministry of Environment and the ratepayers.

The Environmental Conservation Committee was briefed by Adam Ciuline, Ministry of Environment, Toronto, and two engineers from the Kingston office on directions the Municipality might take in solving Waste Management and Recycling Problems. Members of Council attended this meeting. As a direct result the Township will be inviting other Municipalities to a meeting to consider a joint study.

The impact of the book "My Own Four Walls" is still being felt. In October, PBS television is filming a 30 minutes special for the programme "Folklife" on Heritage buildings and features the Township. The LACAC will be host to a workshop on the establishment and operation of a Local Architectural Conservation Authority Committee on Oct. 20 in Forfar Hall. The main speaker will be from the Ministry of Citizenship and Culture, Toronto, with presentations by both the Pittsburgh and Bastard and South Burgess LACAC. See you here next month.


**PORTLAND UCW**

Pat Carr conducted the worship service which was centered on the UCW purpose and beauty. Grace Kirkland read the scriptures and an article about beauty. Pat explained the meaning of each phrase in the Purpose and Bev McDonald read what stewardship means for members. Pat closed with prayer.

Betty Bond opened the business portion of the meeting with an inspirational thought. Reports of the committees were given and the quarterly donation to M&S sent. A Resource Fair at Edith Rankin Memorial Church in Kingston will be Sept. 23, 24. The annual UCW Fall Rally with its theme, The International Year of the Homeless, will be Sept. 30 at Toledo. Lynne Evans, representing the Outreach Committee, announced the Hand Bell choir from Edith Rankin Church will present a program at an evening service in our church on Oct. 4. Plans were made to serve dinner to the Hand Bell choir and others may buy tickets to the dinner. Calendars for 1988 were ordered.

Next meeting will be Oct. 20 at 7:30. Following the benediction a social hour was enjoyed.

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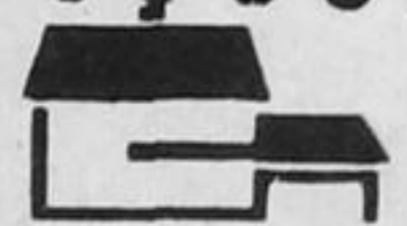


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