



Lyndhurst

LYNDHURST U.C.W.

Our meeting was held on October 1st. President Ruth Galway welcomed everyone and opened with prayer. Helen Moorhead read the 23rd Psalm from the Good News Bible. Her topic was the adventures and duties of a shepherd and this showed us an example of how God takes care of us. Helen closed with a Thanksgiving prayer. Business was attended to and correspondence read. Plans were made to decorate the church for Thanksgiving Sunday, also plans were made for our annual Bazaar, Tea and Bakesale to be held on November 19th from 2p.m. to 4p.m. The Bible this month will be sent to Zaire. The meeting was adjourned, followed by benediction repeated in unison. A delicious lunch was enjoyed by all. Hazel Gilfillen gave the vote of thanks. Betty Moorhead

ST. LUKE'S A.C.W.

The regular meeting of St. Luke's ACW was held at the home of Hilda Talboys on October 5th. There were 8 members in attendance. The opening, with Betty Hudson presiding, consisted of Invocation, Scripture reading, Meditation, and prayer by all members, taken from the Anglican Magazine. Roll call was answered with a scripture reading containing the word "plenteous." "Righteous" will be the word for November. Minutes from the previous meeting were read and approved. A thank-you note from Marjorie Jackson was read. Marjorie Morgan was the speaker at the area Deanery Luncheon. Jean Lafferty remarked on how well the sales went on the Pakistan Embroidery. The windows for the hall have been ordered and will be installed during October. The ladies enjoyed a luncheon in Brockville with Sally Stoner. Rummage Sale Fall 1990 October 26-27. Arrangements were made for setting up and dispersement of seasonal clothing. Members were also reminded of St. Peter's Smorgasbord and St. John's Craft. Ruth Johnson said we should still save Canada Packer labels. Betty Hudson will hold the 8 November meeting at her home. The Lord's Prayer and Grace were said by all. Ladies enjoyed a Penny Auction. Lunch was served. Hilda Talboys

MAKE LOVE YOUR AIM RALLY THEME

United Church Women from throughout the Elgin Section gathered on September 26th at the Lyndhurst United Church to explore the theme "Make Love Your Aim." As Seeley's Bay UCW attended the registration table, a total of 78 ladies signed in for their Annual Fall Rally. This rally always draws the largest support of those held in Kingston Presbyterian. Section President Betty Bond, of Portland, and Ruth Galway of Lyndhurst each welcomed the group as they settled in for a day of worship, music and fellowship. Morning worship by Ruth MacLean and May LaHay of Westport brought the Lord's Prayer into everyone's heart with the lighting of candles and the prayer repeated accordingly: a tall candle for God "Our Father"; a blue one for "heaven"; green (the enduring colour of cedar and pine) for "hallowed be"; purple for robes of "Thy Kingdom come"; brown for "on earth"; gold for "our daily bread"; silver for "trespasses" or debts; red for sin and "temptation"; black for "deliver from evil"; white for "kingdom and power"; orange of the dominant sunset for "glory forever". Memorial service followed with the placement of flowers in a vase, as Marjorie Earl and Sandra Freeman compared the action of a butterfly, as it gracefully lights then flies on, to that of the women who have enriched lives they have touched and moved on leaving a marvelous heritage. Kingston Presbyterian President, Norma Guthrie, and other officers, brought greetings, reminding everyone of coming events. A variety of books were displayed by Erma Bracken for purchase or viewing. Arlene Benn encouraged members to attend annual meetings of UCW Conference - the next one in Brockville (Wall St.) on April 2-3. Guest speaker Mary Nichols, introduced by Pat Carr of Portland, was a Canadian Missionary. A member of the Presbyterian Church, she taught nursing in India and Nepal, where she spent 12 years. Until the 1950's Nepal, a Hindu country, was not open to the rest of the world and had no hospitals. Preaching and Bibles were not allowed and those who were Christian were mistreated and beaten. Christian love, shown in the workplace and through quiet meetings in rented homes, resulted in 50,000 Christians in the country. Bibles have now found their way in and are being translated. Mt. Everest has brought tourism into the country. Mary was thanked for her wonderful work by Helen Barr of Burridge. Everyone was refreshed by a tasty meal at noon provided by Lansdowne and returned to enjoy more lively singing led by Kathryn Powell and accompanied by Wilma Baker.

Afternoon worship centred on "love", as Edna Gile and Marjorie Emmons from Harlem-Chantry reminded listeners that lives must have a strong foundation, a foundation built upon faith. We must not forget that God loves us as we are and we can be channels of love to others. Faith comes from hearing the message, as stated in the Bible (Rom.10 v.17). A skit called "A Unit Meeting" was humourously portrayed by Portland. And a member of that group recorded the day's minutes, Sylvia French. Westport-Burridge members extended an invitation to next year's rally; and Irene Goodsell of Delta, who will now be 2nd Vice President, thanked everyone for their part in an inspirational day. Marg Shaw

ST. JOHN'S A.C.W.

The October meeting at the home of Suzanne Gatenby was opened with the ACW prayer. Mabel Standen read the Meditation and all members joined in prayer. Ruth Ann Glover read Matthew 22:1-14. Eight members answered roll call. Minutes of the September meeting were read and approved; Denise Gordanier read the Treasurer's report and a collection was made. The October Arts and Crafts was discussed; all members were asked to bake for the bake table and canteen. Tickets will be sold on a Harvest Hamper and on a quilt. October 26 and 27 are the dates for the Fall Rummage Sale. St. John's ACW will work Friday afternoon. A note received from Marjorie Jackson thanking the ACW for a lovely lunch served at the Deanery meeting. November meeting will be at Etta Glover's home. Meeting closed with Grace, after which Suzanne served a lovely lunch.

RECREATION COMMITTEE

The Recreational Committee meeting of the Township of Rear of Leeds and Lansdowne was held in the Council Chambers at 7:30p.m., September 11, 1990. The meeting was chaired by Joan Tye. Six members were present. The minutes of the previous meeting of June 25, 1990, were accepted as circulated. The Leeds District Western Horse Club was represented by Mrs. Shaw and her two daughters. The Club's annual Awards Banquet was to be held on September 29 and the members were seeking donations for trophies. There was discussion regarding the 1990 Recreation Levy for Centre '76, Athens. This matter will be discussed further at the next meeting. A motion was made to not have the Volunteer Appreciation Night this year. A motion was made to give money towards a trophy or plaque for the Leeds District Western Horse Club. The next meeting will be held on the 29th of October or at the call of the chairperson.

CHAFFEY'S LOCK WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The October meeting of the Chaffey's Lock W.I. was held at the home of Lola Timpany and the theme was "International Affairs". The guest speaker was unable to attend and so Marion Goulah spoke of her work with refugee children. Canada has opened its doors to many immigrants from such countries as Guatemala, Poland, El Salvador, Hungary, etc., and many of these children don't speak English, have never seen snow, and are unfamiliar and a little afraid of our life here in Canada. The schools, churches, and government groups have done wonderful work to make them welcome here. President Kathy Eberhard thanked Ms. Goulah and suggested that perhaps W.I. members could help too.

President Kathy again appealed to the women for a Hall Board chairperson, and this sparked a lively discussion on the future of the hall in this community. The former Hall Board has been disbanded and Hall Board chairperson Shelah Carruthers has resigned her position, so that there is no clear cut direction for the affairs of the hall. It was decided that a meeting would be called at the hall on Sunday, October 28th at 2:00p.m. This would be a general open meeting and all the community is invited to participate. There are alternatives to the familiar rule of the Institute overseeing the hall. Rentals have to be made, money collected, rules adhered to, repairs made, and future plans drawn up. This is a community hall and the W.I. would like the community residents to attend this meeting and express their wishes and ideas. Correspondence was read and a motion passed to sponsor the 4-H Club under the direction of Ms. Nancy Hayes. Roll call was "What international news event has caught your interest recently and why?" Some of the events mentioned were Gorbachev receiving the Nobel Peace prize, affairs in Iraq, the confrontation at Oka, etc. President Kathy closed the meeting with a thanks to Lola for the use of her home and the hostesses who provided the tasty refreshments. The next meeting will be November 20, at the home of June Alford. A committee headed by Bea Hughson will be planning the Christmas party at the hall and the guest speaker will be Julia Scotland, speaking on holiday decorating and crafts. All are welcome. Thea Dodge

FOOT CARE CLINIC

Is being held in the Seeley's Bay Library Room the second Monday of each month. The next Clinic is September 10, from 1p.m.-4p.m. A small fee is collected and appointments are made in advance by phoning Mrs. C. Jardine, 387-3829 or Mrs. H. Sweet, 387-3569. Please phone either of the above if you want information.