



BEVERLEY SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB

The Beverley Senior Citizens Club enjoyed a meeting with the Athenia Club as invited guests. Pres. Leta Burt welcomed all. Grace was sung and eighty people sat down to dinner convened by Mildred Aimer and Eva Dougall. It was the regular day for Meals-on-Wheels sponsored by the Delta Club on the first and third Friday of each month. We extend thanks to the volunteers for delivering the takeouts to shut-ins each time.

Bingo games were played after dinner.

The regular business meeting opened with the singing of O Canada and Happy Birthday/Anniversary.

The treasurer's report was given as well as a report on the sale of 50-50 draw tickets in September at the Maple Syrup Festival. Correspondance consisted of a letter from the Ministry of Health advising Senior Citizens to write letters concerning extra billing by doctors as many seniors have suffered hardships.

A sing song will take place at the Athens Seniors Room on May 13th with several clubs participating.

A \$300. cheque was received from Parks and Recreation to help finance a one day trip. A donation is to be sent to the zone president and also the Delta Fair Committee. The Health nurses were present in April for their services to the community.

The Athens club invited us to go on a bus trip to Quebec City on June 18, 19 & 20. Peter Breedyk showed pictures of many interesting places that he had visited, especially the Canadian Rockies. Meeting closed with the National Anthem.

DELTA UCW

The Delta UCW met in the Sunday School rooms. Pres. Irma Chant welcomed all, especially Millie Sweet who has returned from the sunny south. A poem was read by Irma about spring time when seeds are planted.

A hymn was sung followed by Edith Woods reading the scriptures. Dione Kirby led in prayer. The minutes and the treasurer's reports were read and accepted.

It was decided that we again have our Bakeless Bake Sale. Betty Henderson, who led the worship service, gave a study on Indians, mentioning among other things, that there are 300 tribes in the U.S.A.

Dione closed the meeting with prayer after which lunch was served.

The next meeting will be held in the S.School Rooms - hope to see you there.

DELTA MAPLE SYRUP FESTIVAL COMMITTEE

The Delta Maple Syrup Festival Committee would like to thank the following people who contributed to the success of our festival:

Committee members and all who worked at the Community Hall; the service clubs and organizations; those with crafts, etc.; participating farmers; Delta Fire Department for directing traffic and the use of their hall; Parade organizer Gary Raison and his two helpers; the three judges; Wills' sound equipment; Parade Marshall Max Keeping; M.P. Jennifer Cossitt; John Currie; Warden Ron Godkin, Reeve Arch Ostrom; King, Queen, Prince & Princess from Beverley School and their two drivers; those who supplied cars and drivers for VIP's; RCMP & their horses; Queen's University Band

and Dancers; all entries and participants in the Parade.

Donations of vouchers and money for prizes were received from: United Maple Products; Morris & Son Grocery; Sweet's Hardware; Delta Freshmart; Willard's Bakery; Wilson Winegarden; Legion Auxilliary; Fire Department; Senior Citizens; Stearry's Service Centre; Lablakama; Merton Candy Fuel.

DELTA COMMUNITY HALL

The newly formed Delta Community Hall Board became official on April 7, 1986. The committee members are: Chairman Gary Raison, Vice-Chairman Dave Morris, Treasurer Bill Penstone, Secretary Cheryl Halladay, Alice Leeson, Bud Donald, Victor Raison, and Phyllis Tackaberry.


The Delta Community Hall is available for anniversaries, dances, meetings, etc. at a reasonable rent. There are kitchen facilities, washrooms, a large dance floor and stage. The Hall can hold up to 126 people. For information call any committee member. For reservations call Dave Morris at 928-2551.

The winner of the 50/50 Draw in April was Sybil Smith.

There will be a Panasonic Microwave Oven Demonstration at the Hall on May 15th. The microwave ovens are from Duncan's T.V. in Elgin and they also will donate their time to give the demonstration.

We would like to express our thanks to the Recreation Committee for their very generous donation, and to the anonymous donor of \$100.

There will be a dance at the Hall on Saturday, June 14th from 9-1 with a social hour from 8-9. The cost is \$10.00 per couple and a cold buffet will be served. The entertainment will be Evan Wills DJ. Proceeds to the Delta Community Hall. This is a dance to introduce everyone to the facilities that the Hall offers.



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**BASTARD & SOUTH BURGESS TOWNSHIP
GOVERNMENT GRANTS RECEIVED IN 1985**

The Township of Bastard & South Burgess was approved for \$57,050.00 in grants under the Make Work Program. We employed a total of seven (7) people making one hundred and sixteen (116) man-weeks. Our accomplishments were as follows:

- provided a "Red Cross" Swimming Program in the villages of Delta and Portland for approximately 135 children.
- general maintenance and clean-up of municipal buildings and village properties during the summer.
- remaining half of cedar rail fence at the entrance to the park was rebuilt - 1,000 feet of cedar rail fencing.
- partial costs were covered for a new septic system at the fish cleaning stand washrooms.
- material for a 16 foot floating dock.
- conducted a project of bank stabilization along the banks of the Mill Creek, Delta, which runs through the Park and also the removal of accumulated siltation at the mouth of Mill Creek and Cowans Creek.

Break-down of Finances are as follows:

Provincial Government - \$36,158.00
Federal Government - \$20,892.00
Municipal Government - Nil

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