

## Lyndhurst

### 1ST LYNDHURST SCOUTS AND CUBS

We had a good turnout this last fall with a total of 37 boys (29 Cubs and 8 Scouts). We hold our Scout meetings at the Lyndhurst Conservation Club every Wednesday at 7 - 8.30. The Cub meetings are on Thursdays at the same time but held in Sweet's Corners Gym. The boys range in age from 7 to 13, and come from Delta, Lyndhurst, Seeley's Bay and surrounding areas.

Our Scout and Cub leader is Bob Saucier. At present he is assisted by Mr. Bob Bennett. We have a group committee which helps the leaders plan their outings, etc. Our Chairman is Mr. Doug. Mainse, Sec. Mrs. Gail Wilkinson, and Treas. Mrs. Martha Bennett. Mrs. Sheila Tye keeps our records.

In November we had a bake sale, which proved successful, and in Dec. had a 50-50 draw. Mrs. Kay Stafford of Seeley's Bay was the lucky winner. A bottle drive was cancelled due to the cold weather.

Feb. 15-22 is Scout/Guide Week. We have planned a Father-Son Banquet for Fri. Feb. 20 and the boys will attend a Church Service on Sun. Feb. 22. At this time we generally invite the District Commissioner for Scouting, and other District leaders.

Mr. Saucier has a heavy workload, and finds difficulty trying to teach so many boys - he would very much like someone (male or female) to train as a leader. The work is very rewarding, and the boys learn so quickly when divided into smaller groups for discussion.

How about it? Can anyone help? Let's not see our Scouting Movement fall apart!

## LYNDHURST U.C.W.

The December meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Flora Slack. Mrs. Hazel Gilfillen was acting president for Mrs. Helen Moorhead, who has been a patient in the hospital. Hazel welcomed everyone and read a poem. Mrs. Mary Townsend had the Devotional with the theme: "Christmas Is". Mary opened with a poem "The Priceless Gift of Christmas". Then followed several Bible readings and the lighting of candles by Flora Slack, Ruth Galway, Marion Warren and Audrey Welch promising us joy, hope and peace. The hymns - "Silent Night" and "O Little Town of Bethlehem" were sung and the offering dedicated.

Following the devotional the minutes were read and approved and the treasurer's report given. Roll call was answered by 14. A poem on stewardship was read by Mary Townsend.

Following the adjournment of the meeting, three new offices were filled for the new year - President: Mrs. Hazel Gilfillen, Vice-president: Mrs. Betty Moorhead, and Secretary: Mrs. Audrey Raison. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Iva Sweet.

A lovely lunch was served by Mrs. Lillian Carey and Mrs. Vienna Kelsey. Mrs. Marion Warren acted as Santa, exchanging gifts.

Mrs. Velma Kelsey thanked Flora for opening her home and Mary Townsend for the devotional, and also everyone who helped.

### LYNDHURST U.C.W.

The January meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Iva Sweet with 13 members in attendance. Our new president, Hazel Gilfillen welcomed everyone and opened the meeting with a poem. Mary Townsend was in charge of the devotional after which she gave a reading about new beginnings which was very appropriate for this time of the year.

Mary Townsend gave a reading on Stewardship. The minutes of the last meeting were read by Betty Moorhead and approved. Velma Kelsey read the treasurer's report. Thank you notes were read from Alexis Landon, Elva and Mrs. Danby, Renford Wing and the Olivet Sunday School. Hazel also extended thanks on behalf of Mrs. Banks.

The congregational meeting is to be held Jan. 21st, at the home of Flora Slack.

A report was given on the year's work by the treasurer.

A lovely lunch was served by Audrey Welch and Ruth Galway, following which Flora Slack thanked all those who had taken part in the meeting.

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