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FROM YOUR PRESIDENT--

For the past couple of years, Iris Prentice, Adult Activities Chairperson, with the help of several B.C.A. executive members, has conducted Association dances, Monte Carlo nights, and other social events of general interest to the community. This has been a heavy workload for the Chairperson who organized and worked at each and every event. In addition, it put a strain on the other executive members who already had their own areas of responsibility.

However, events were organized and run in this manner until just recently, when added personal commitments on the part of Iris meant that she had to resign. The Executive then had to make a decision. Would it seek another Adult Activities Chairperson part way through the Association year and continue as before, or would it find an alternative solution? The Executive decided to try another approach for the remainder of the year, at least, and to fill the Adult Activities Chair at the beginning of the next term, if necessary.

The Special Projects Chairperson is now responsible for the co-ordination of dances, Monte Carlo nights and other social and fund raising events of the Association. However, this Chairperson is not required to organize and run such activities. Anyone who wants to stage a dance or whatever for the residents of our community should contact the Special Projects Chairperson and volunteer to organize and run that event. The Chairperson would then supply information and/or contacts related to such events that took place in the past, issue an advance, describe financial controls, and provide any help or guidance that he could. But, as stated above, he would not actually organize and run the event.

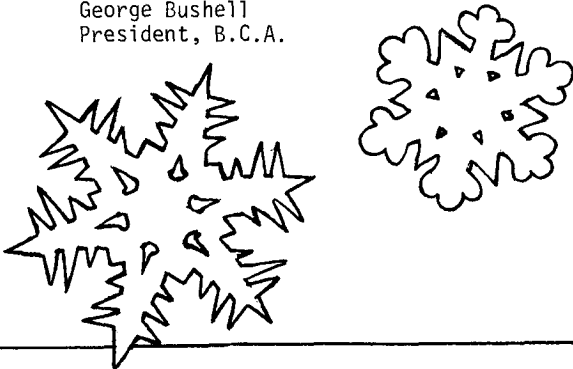
At the end of this term, the policy will be re-evaluated and a decision taken on whether or not we should continue with the idea of asking volunteers to organize and run events and whether or not we should leave it with Special Projects, or transfer it back to Adult Activities.

Personally, I think the policy itself is a good one. It will spread the workload among the community residents and groups who can concentrate on their event. The result should be well planned and smoothly run activities. More people will be involved and this should increase attendance and participation. Both the community at large (through increased enjoyment) and the B.C.A., in particular, (through fund generation), should benefit.

In fact, the policy is already starting to work. Pam Gibbs has come forward to organize and find volunteers for the Monte Carlo night to be held on March 10th. (See advertisement in this issue of the BANAR.) Joanne Cottingham and Ed Grover have offered to run the annual Volunteer's Appreciation Dance on April 28th. Harry King is going to organize and conduct this year's Fun Fair dance.

If you feel that our community should have a particular dance or other social event, give Chuck Conway a call and discuss it with him. Remember, YOU can make it happen.

George Bushell
President, B.C.A.



Thank you
We thank Iris Prentice for serving our community well in her capacity as Adult Activities Chairperson.

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BCA EXECUTIVE
1978 - 1979

MINUTES OF THE GENERAL MEETING HELD ON JANUARY 30, 1979 AT GLEN OGILVIE SCHOOL

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The meeting, consisting of approximately 130 people, was called to order at 8:05 p.m. by George Bushell, President, BCA.

Item 1.

Minutes of the previous General Meeting held on the 26th September 1978 and published in the October BANAR. Correction on 1st page subsection entitled Westpark: phrase "86% of the households were in favour of continuing the new 36 bus route on Westpark Dr." should read "86% of the households were in favour of discontinuing the new 36 bus route on Westpark Dr."

MOTION: Moved by John Hollins, seconded by John Pollard, that the minutes be adopted. Carried.

Item 2.

Ratification of BCA Executive. The President explained that the BCA's last Annual General Meeting (held in June 1978) was not able to elect a slate of officers because a quorum of Association members was not present. This coupled with subsequent changes in the executive meant that the slate of officers as shown in the January 1979 (excepting Iris Prentice, Adult Activities) needed to be ratified. Now that the Special Projects Chair had been filled it had been decided to place the co ordination of dances, Monte Carlo events and other such fund-raising activities with the Special Projects Committee (as had been the case in the past). Blackburn members are now invited to contact the Special Projects Chairperson if they would like to organize and run a dance or other social event for the BCA. Iris had been organizing and running all BCA sponsored social events herself but the work-load became too much for one person. This coupled with personal commitments meant that she had to resign.

MOTION: Moved by Colin Sangster that the slate of officers as printed in the January 1979 BANAR (with the above noted exception) be nominated to the positions as shown therein.

The President asked if there were any other nominations but none were forthcoming.

MOTION: Moved by John Pollard, seconded by John Hollins that nominations be closed. Carried. The President then introduced the Executive.

Item 3.

1979 BCA Budget.

MOTION: Moved by Al Haggerty, seconded by Phil Chartrand that the 1979 BCA Budget be approved as tabled and previously printed in the January 1979 BANAR.

The President explained that this year the Sports budget showed only total revenue and cost and that finalization of budgets and grants for individual BCA sponsored sports programs had still to be done. When this was completed, the detailed Sports budget would be presented to the membership at a General Meeting as an amendment to the 1979 budget.

Eldon Kemp, Maintenance Chairman, was asked to explain the source of \$5,500 revenue shown in his budget. He indicated that the BHCRC was going to pay up to this amount toward the maintenance of winter rinks and summer baseball diamonds.

John Pollard was asked to expand upon the Youth Activities budget and he did so.

Motion carried.

Item 4.

Transportation Motion and Amendments.

George Bushell passed control of the meeting to Mike Roche, Chairman of the Transportation Committee.

Mike Roche reviewed the background to the main motion and seven amendments being presented. Concern had arisen following changes in bus service in September 1978. This was due partly to service problems but mainly to the impact of additional buses within the Community. Adjustments had already been made to deal with service problems but routing of buses within the Hamlet was still an issue. The object of the meeting was to provide guidance to the BCA Transportation Committee as to further action that might be necessary. Following a brief review of the motion and amendments, discussion and voting was commenced starting with amendment number 7. The results were as follows:

Seventh Amendment

Proposed by: Mel Dighton
Seconded by: Harold Diceman

"Moved that OC Transpo be asked to schedule route 36 for sixty minute service exclusive of peak hours (i.e. 6:30 - 9:30 a.m. and 3:30 - 6:30 p.m.)."

DEFEATED.

Sixth Amendment

Proposed by: Peter Newman

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4. Seconded by: Mel Dighton

"Moved that, except during peak hours, (6:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.) the vehicles used on route 36 should be mini-buses."

DEFEATED.

Fifth Amendment

Proposed by: Mrs. Charlotte Clark
Seconded by: Mrs. Mary Boyce

"Moved that OC Transpo be requested to re-route 36 service to travel down Centrepark Drive,"

DEFEATED.

Fourth Amendment

Proposed by: Mrs. Marilyn Giekes
Seconded by: Mrs. Lydia Benne

"Moved that 36 bus service by-pass Westpark Drive and continue along Bearbrook Road instead. Also that a bus shelter be erected at the north intersection of Westpark Drive and Bearbrook Road."

Following a discussion of this amendment it was proposed by June Miller, seconded John Hollins and approved by the meeting that the items be voted on in two parts:

a) by-pass Westpark Drive.

DEFEATED.

b) erect bus shelter.

WITHDRAWN.

Third Amendment

Proposed by: Ed Hunt
Seconded by: Peter Bain

"Moved that the Municipality of Gloucester be requested to investigate means of effectively eliminating, or reducing to an acceptable level, shocks and vibration caused by buses; that the results of this investigation be provided to BCA for consideration; and that future use of collector streets as bus routes be dependant on a satisfactory outcome

As a result of discussion, it was proposed by Mrs. Abramovitch and seconded by Gerry Theriault that the portion underlined (in these minutes only) be deleted. The deletion was approved and a vote taken on the remaining part of the amendment.

CARRIED.

Second Amendment

Proposed by: Ed Hunt
Seconded by: Peter Bain

"Moved that OC Transpo drivers should have explicit instructions that vehicle speeds are to be limited and operation of buses controlled to minimize noise and ensure safety and serenity of persons in the vicinity."

CARRIED.

First Amendment

Proposed by: Arnold Brandon
Seconded by: Mel Dighton

"That a study be undertaken of the cost and feasibility of a future collector bus for local pick-up to connect with a route 36 bus departing from a central point in the Hamlet."

During the discussion a subamendment was proposed by Peter Nelson and seconded by Mark Ulrich to the effect that the study include elimination of the express bus services circulating within the Hamlet. This sub-amendment was defeated and the amendment was then voted upon in its original form.

DEFEATED.

Supplementary Amendment

Prior to consideration of the main motion a further amendment was proposed, as follows:

Proposed by: Chris Bradshaw
Seconded by: John Hollins

"That the present 36 bus service be extended from St. Laurent to Alta Vista (RCMP) and return."

CARRIED.

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GENERAL MEETING MINUTES CONTINUED

Main Motion

Proposed by: Mrs. Joan Poulin
Seconded by: Miss Nancy McKay

"Whereas OC Transpo has discontinued the Tele-Transpo bus service due to its high cost, and whereas the existing route 36 bus service is providing a needed and efficient bus service for the residents of Blackburn Hamlet, be it moved that the Blackburn Community Association indicate to OC Transpo that they would like to see the route 36 bus service through Blackburn Hamlet remain as it presently exists."

CARRIED.

Additional Proposal

An additional proposal was put forward by Ian Webb and seconded by Mr. Riley to the effect that the 36 service should commence at Tauvette and Innes and proceed through the Hamlet to Shopper's City and St. Laurent and return via Shopper's City.

Mike Roche expressed concern about considering such a proposal without prior notice in the BANAR and suggested that it be given further study. The proposer and seconder agreed to withholding the proposal until a later date. Control of the meeting was then returned to George Bushell.

Item 5.

Other Business.

A motion by A.K. Finley, seconded by B. H. Warran to have all bus route streets cleared by Gloucester of snow to their summer width was introduced and later withdrawn when it was indicated by others that Township was already in the process of widening these streets.

The President thanked all those present for attending the meeting and showing such a strong and lively interest in this transportation issue. Furthermore he hoped that they would continue in the future to communicate and bring to the attention of the executive only concerns or ideas that they might have.

MOTION: Moved by John Hollins, seconded by Mike Roche that the meeting adjourn. Carried.

The President declared the meeting adjourned at 10:15 p.m.

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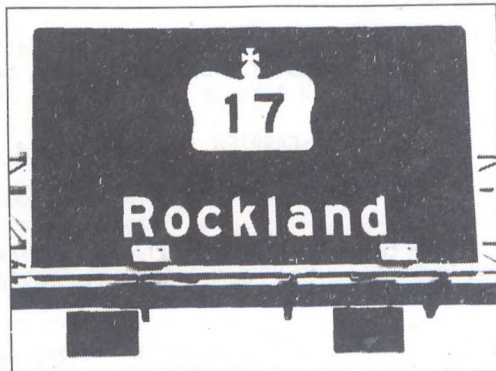




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The BHCRC for 1979 is as follows:
Maureen Darling, Chairman
Alan MacDonald, Secretary
Bill Watson, Treasurer
Harold Beamish, Member at Large
George Bushell, BCA Rep
John Pollard, BCA Rep
Wm. Hunter, Councillor
Harry Allen, Councillor

Meetings of the BHCRC are held once a month, on the third Thursday of the month at the Blair Road Firehall. For specific dates, call the Chairman at 824-6146.

Those attending the Annual Ratepayers meeting in November, will be aware that the proposals for 1979 were approved and on that authority the BHCRC is proceeding.

Major progress has been made on the Glen Ogilvie playground. A 50/50 cost sharing agreement has been reached with the Carleton Board of Education; the BHCRC will contribute a maximum of \$15,000. plus architectural fees to the project. CBE approval for the same amount has passed Committee of the Whole and it is hoped will get final approval in March. In the meantime, designs are being studied and leasing and maintenance agreements worked out. With a little luck, the Glen Ogilvie playground will be ready for summer. Other projects on the table; Red Maple Park, tennis courts, Orient Park, Keystone Park. Watch the BANAR for progress reports.

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EDUCATION WEEK

During the week of April 22-28th, thoughts will be focused on the theme "New Realities, Nouvelles Realites". This is the theme for Education week and it is our plan to hold a public meeting April 25th at Glen Ogilvie Public School. The logo is an adaptation of the United Nations logo for the Year of the Child. It suggests the current improvement in the public attitude towards Education. Also, it is a time to look at the "new realities" of the education system as it is today. One of the realities in Blackburn Hamlet is that we are overcrowded in several of our schools. This applies in the secondary schools as well as elementary. If enrolment increases at the secondary level at the same rate as last year, Cairine Wilson for one may need several portables next year. Your chance to ask questions of your trustees regarding this and other concerns will be on April 25th-so keep that date. As a community we need to attack these problems before they become more serious than at present.

OTTAWA AND CARLETON BOARDS

The Ministry of Education has asked both the Ottawa and Carleton board for suggestions regarding the re-organization of the two boards. To this end, Dr. Betty Stephenson has agreed to submit a "green paper" to the two boards, listing suggestions as to the solution of reorganization. Alternates may be an east/west split; combine into one board or status quo. The ramifications of the decision will be discussed at the public meeting April 25th. One problem remains to be solved; in Carleton - too many students and not enough spaces; and in the Ottawa board, too many spaces and not enough pupils. The ministry could hold up building of any new

schools until there is an agreeable solution between the two Boards. To alleviate our crowding we require new schools in the eastern areas. In this months BANAR, Louise McIntosh one of our Gloucester trustees has comments on this matter.

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION -Blackburn Hamlet Catholic School

Notice to Parents in Blackburn Hamlet and Pineview areas only re school registration:

Blackburn Catholic School, 101 Bearbrook Road, (Carleton Roman Catholic School Board) is now accepting registrations for admission to school in September 1979. Please provide the school with the following information upon registering:

- 1) Birth Certificate
- 2) Baptismal Certificate
- 3) proof of separate school support.

The school will not be making a waiting list for children of public school ratepayers.

Eligibility for 4 yr. old kindergarten -child must be 4 yrs. old by December 31st, 1979

Eligibility for 5 yr. old kindergarten -child must be 5 yrs. old by December 31st, 1979.

Note It is not necessary for children who already are attending Junior Kindergarten at Blackburn Catholic school to register for 5 year old kindergarten.

NATIONAL ESSAY CONTEST WINNER

Congratulations go to Julie Arsenault, 16 year old Blackburn Hamlet resident. Julie was one of three prize winners in a national essay contest. The topic was "Canada, What Kind of Society do I Want to Live In". Julie is a grade 11 student at Garneau Secondary school in Orleans. As her prize Julie spent two weeks in Paris and London in December. More than 1600 entered the contest from across the country.

(Mrs) Gwen Pollard
BCA Education Chairwoman
824-8122

RE-ORGANIZATION OF EDUCATIONAL POLITICAL STRUCTURE IN OTTAWA-CARLETON

Submitted by Louise McIntosh, Gloucester Trustee:

When the Mayo Commission was studying the organization of local government in the Ottawa-Carleton Region, the Carleton Board of Education was invited to make a submission. They made no study of the matter, and the night before the presentation to Dr. Mayo, the board met, with a bare quorum of 11 trustees. By a vote of 6 to 5, a motion was passed supporting the status quo. "Sure beats thinking!" Frustrated by this total lack of even superficial consideration of the problems apparent even then (1976) I approached Reeve MacQuarrie and received permission from Council for a group of trustees and ex-trustees resident in Gloucester to present a brief on education at the time Gloucester township made its presentation. The concepts contained in this brief appear to have formed the basis for Dr. Mayo's recommendations.

The two fundamental principles are: 1) that every child in the region, regardless of his place of residence, his religion, or his mother-tongue, should have equal access to the non-residential "public" tax base, while each taxpayer retained the right of choice (as at present) to assign his residential taxes; and 2) that the tax burden (up to a mutually agreed level of expenditure) be shared equitably regardless of the rate-payers place of residence, religion or language. At the same time retaining power for any board to exceed this level in response to the needs and desires of its electorate and supported by its electorate. The concept of sharing government and corporation taxes has been recommended in one form or another by the Blair Commission on Property Tax Reform, at least two government committees on tax reform, internal Ministry of Education committees, and latterly by Dr. Jackson in his report from the Commission on Declining Enrolment. It requires a regional body to collect and distribute education tax monies.

From these two assumptions, and from study of the strengths and weaknesses of the existing "metro structure" in Toronto, the structure recommended by Mayo follows logically. The four Boards suggested are approximately equal in size (one serious source of problems in the Metro Toronto system is the wide discrepancy in size, a factor of 6+, arising from utilizing municipal boundaries to determine jurisdiction.) All Boards would also have similar demographic composition, that is, inner city, suburban, and rural sectors.

There are certain highly specialized types of education (e.g. trainable retarded, education for deaf or blind students, vocational programs) which even now are utilized on a regional basis for economic reasons. At present these programs are controlled almost entirely by the public school electors of the City of Ottawa. The Carleton Board of Education has token staff input, and the Separate School Boards no input at all. If new expensive programs are mandated, the situation will be exaggerated. Other "programs" which could be more equitably and efficiently administered under a central authority (i.e. elected body) are transportation and facilities planning. Staffing and salary negotiations would have to remain at the "local" Board level for constitutional reasons. Another area of possible regional concern is the issuance of debentures.

I am presently involved at the provincial level in preliminary discussions with municipal representatives concerning co-ordination of activity in this field if the present Ontario Educational Capital Aid Corporation is discontinued.

If the "ideal" organization of Mayo cannot be achieved, then as a very minimum the amalgamation of the Ottawa and Carleton Boards of Education would relieve many of our problems. The status quo is, in my opinion, intolerable for Gloucester rate-payers. Two things are clear at the provincial level; capital funds are scarce (and becoming more so) and are required for up-grading of facilities in less affluent areas, and the provincial (per cent) level of support for operations will continue to decrease. Both of these spell financial disaster for Carleton. In isolation we require extensive and expensive new schools; combined with Ottawa there are alternatives, not all of which require Carleton students to be bused into the city. Operation costs in both Ottawa and Carleton are above grant ceilings. This places a heavy burden on Carleton ratepayers because of our poor assessment base. Ottawa's costs will continue to increase because of "fixed" costs in a severe declining enrolment situation.

Ten years ago I participated in the planning for amalgamation of seventeen school boards to create the Carleton Board of Education. Since then I have played a major role in building an excellent system, equal in calibre to the Ottawa system, though different in detail. But that does not mean that Carleton must continue in its present form as a perpetual memorial to its founder.

Times and conditions have changed and we must be prepared to adjust our political structures to meet the new challenges. The prime concern must surely be a high level of educational program for our children, supported by the strongest possible tax base. Vested interests of politicians or staff must surely not dominate our behaviour.

The Blackburn Hamlet Association Education committee has invited me to a public meeting to be held during Education Week on April 25. I hope to meet you then to discuss this subject and answer any questions you may have.

RATEPAYERS MEETING

FEBRUARY 27, 1979

GLEN OGILVIE PUBLIC SCHOOL LIBRARY

8:00 p.m.

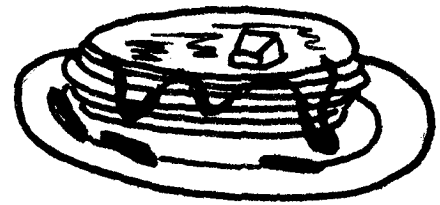
The Sports and Recreation sub-committee of the Blackburn Community Association invites all ratepayers to a public meeting to approve the distribution of the 1979 recreation grant allotted to the Blackburn Community Association by Gloucester Township.

HOT CROSS BUNS

Sea Scouts will be canvassing Blackburn Hamlet for orders in early March. Collection and delivery will be April 7th. Proceeds will be used to help the Sea Scouts attend 1979 Jamboree in Winnipeg.



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Shopping Centres

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Lahey and Associates will complete construction of their plaza on the south-west corner of Innes and Bearbrook by March 1, 1979. The official opening will be on May 1, 1979, thereby allowing 60 days for the tenants to install fixtures and equip the stores. Tenants contracted so far are:

- Parker Cleaners
- Pinto
- Michelle Papin Sporting Goods
- Bakery
- Epicurean Restaurant, family type
- Chinese Restaurant
- Florist
- Travel Agency
- Toronto Dominion Bank
- Marie Estheticians (skin care)

- Upstairs:
- Dentist
 - Lawyer
 - Medical Doctor (uncertain)

Chimneys with Gas Furnaces

Very little activity has occurred since the last flurry of articles in November/December, 1978. A private meeting with the new council, to familiarize new council members with the situation, has been arranged for Monday, February 12. Subjects for discussion will include; introduction of new legislation or bylaws regarding mandatory installation of chimney liners, initiation of a program to inspect all chimneys in the Hamlet, causes for the deterioration of chimneys and possible remuneration of home owner's for costs of liners and repairs to chimneys.

Council then intends to meet with representatives from Ottawa Gas and Costain and possibly representatives of BHC Association to further discuss the situation before they will consider the renewing of the franchise for Ottawa Gas.

Quarry Blasting

Some positive progress has been made in this area. Dr. Klugman, of the Ministry of Natural Resources, has agreed to meet with the community to openly discuss the problem. Also present will be Mr. MacDonald of the same ministry and Mr. Bob Styles of the Ontario Ministry of Environment, who will discuss the vibration measurements taken late last Fall. After this initial meeting a second meeting will be held with representatives from the Ministry of Natural Resources, Ministry of Labour (Mines Branch, BHC Association and Francon Quarry.) The first meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 20th. If you are interested in attending, please contact myself, (B. Parsons, 824-5012) or Mr. H. Diceman (824-3043).

Dr. Klugman advised me that recent meetings in Fallowfield were successful in resolving a similar problem.

Cablevision Line Along the West Side of Bearbrook

Late last Fall, Bell Canada commenced the installation of a cable for Skyline Cablevision on the Hydro posts in the backyards, along the west side of Bearbrook. This was much to the distress of some local residents in the area. Two meetings were held with representatives from Bell Canada, Gloucester Hydro, C.R.T.C., Skyline Cablevision, and the community to discuss the situation. It was decided that a survey would be conducted by the BHC Association, with guidance from the other parties, to determine the wishes of the local residents. This survey will be conducted in mid-February, 1979.



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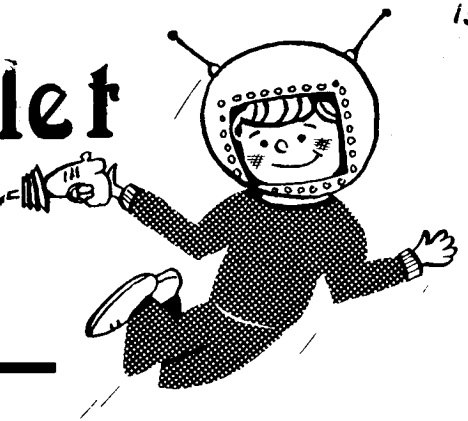
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Blackburn Hamlet FUN FAIR '79



TO BE OR NOT TO BE —

If a decision was made on the response to the February 1 Fun Fair meeting, the answer would be "not to be". Five representatives from groups came to ask for shares and pick what they would like to do.

WARNING: FUN FAIR CANNOT SURVIVE ON PERSONAL CONTACT

Please do not take this as a threat but as a warning. The Blackburn Fun Fair cannot survive on apathy nor do we have the people that have the time or the contacts to get in touch with your group or you personally to ask for your help.

The six 1979 Fair directors (all past chairmen), Beryl Carr and Joan Trusdale have worked very hard co-ordinating the past eight fairs but they also admit they spoiled you by using the personal contact route. This route works well if you have the time and contacts but doesn't build a firm foundation.

The Fun Fair directors have volunteered to organize Fun Fair '79 — a *fun* day for the residents of Blackburn, to raise money for Blackburn groups, Blackburn Community Association and park projects. The Fair will be held the first Saturday in June at Bearbrook Park and Emily Carr School.

MOTTO: REAP WHAT YOU SEW!

The motto this year is "Ye shall reap what ye sew". Each director has taken the responsibility to only co-ordinate the activities in her category. If a person or group does not come forward to organize an activity it is one less activity for that director to co-ordinate and one less thing for you to enjoy. If the streets don't want to form groups and each run a game there will be less games for Joanne to co-ordinate, and less games for the children to play. If individuals don't want to donate auction articles, white elephant articles, crafts or baking, the groups will have less to sell and there will be less to buy, the shares will be smaller and fewer people needed to count the money that day. It's as simple as that.

FOR A SUCCESSFUL FAIR — VOLUNTEER, DON'T WAIT TO BE ASKED.

If you want a successful Fun Fair, give whatever time or talent you have without being asked personally, face-to-face, whether its two hours of your time, articles, co-ordinating a street group or activity, etc.

There are over 2,700 homes, 50 or more possible street groups, and all those groups coming to our doors to raise money by skate-a-thons, read-a-thons, walk-a-thons, dance-a-thons, raffles, chocolate bars, peanuts, popcorn, etc.

GAMES WILL BE RUN BY STREET GROUPS

The following is a list of Fun Fair activities (and the share value) which the Board will co-ordinate if there are groups or individuals to run them. The games will be run by street groups. What better way to get to know your neighbour.

HOW THE FAIR PROFITS WILL BE DIVIDED

The total profits of the Fair will be divided by the total number of shares. Only churches, schools, scouting, guiding, sports groups will receive actual monies, with all other shares to go to the Blackburn Community Association.

e.g. — the shares for Centre Park for the game (Pick-a-Stick), Woodhill Wombats (Bavarian Garden), Blackburn Homesteaders (Dunk Bozo), will go to the BCA.

The shares for the toy department, fish pond, pony & tractor rides, will go to the co-op nursery, scouts, guides, respectively.

WAYS THE COMMITTEE WILL COMMUNICATE WITH YOU.

The *Banar* and possibly a couple of flyers through the school and the *May Gloucester Guide* will be our way of contacting you so please make sure everyone in your household has the opportunity to read the fair news.

P.S. - When you volunteer your time, phone the person responsible for that activity or the director responsible. If you offer by saying to someone at the arena or at a meeting "if you need any help give me a call", it is easy for them to forget and then you are annoyed because no-one asked for your help.

WE ARE HAVING TROUBLES?

Not only will the Fair theme be **SPACE** but the Fair will end up with lots of space and nothing in it!!

HELP! HELP!

FUN FAIR '79

HEY MOM!

It says here we have to speak up if Fun Fair '79 is going to blast off!

Be sure Johnnie reads this as the flyers were only distributed through the Blackburn Schools.



YEAR OF THE CHILD

As this is the Year of the Child, the Fun Fair '79 Committee is making the opportunity available for children of all ages to help with different activities. We hope families will volunteer their services for a couple of hours.

All activities, except the General Store and Bavarian Garden, will be using 15c tickets which will be purchased from ticket booths. This should eliminate the problem of only having children helping who can make change.

All plans for Fun Fair '79 have to be finalized by April 27 for Banar deadline —

Chairman - Lois Kemp - 824-2903

- Sign-making (1/2) - Don Budd, 824-7517
- Secretary (1 share) - *Penny Donnelly 88355*
- Schools (3 shares) - Gwen Pollard, 824-8122
- Bus (1 share) - Keith Bradley, 824-1728
- Pool activities (1 share) -
- Publicity (1) - Lois Kemp, 824-2903
- Clean-up (1) - Sea Scouts, Boyd Butler
- PA system (1/2) -
- Competitive Activities -
- Swim meet (1) -
- Bed races (1) - *Red Maple - Dave Elliott 3849*
- Golf tournament (1) -
- Horseshoe tournament (1) -
- Tennis tournament (1) -
- Lacrosse tournament (1) -
- Softball - *ZEN BOUDEAU 5586*

All teams have to be a make-up team — 50% male, 50% female. Everyone on the team has to have something in common, e.g., live on the same street, all teachers, all work for same company. Remember its for fun, you are not trying for the Olympics!

Finance - Evelyn Grover - 824-2226

- Treasurer (1) - Heather Umelas, 824-6476
- Fund-raising (1) - Bev Parsons, 824-5012
- Ticket booths (1) - Lori Saville, 824-6785

Fair Features - Kay Ditto - 824-3675

- Auction (1) -
- Bavarian Gardens (1) - Woodhill Wombats, Gord Blinn, 824-4904
- Bavarian Gardens (1) - setting up, taking down, overnight guards -
- Dance (1) - Harry King, 824-4542
- Fun Fair King & Queen (1/2) -
- Souvenir & information booth (1/2) - *Rena Kay - 2566*
- First Aid (1/2) -
- Balloons (1/2) - St. Mary's Anglican Church Young People
- Parade (1) - John Dawson, 824-4784

Food - Vivian Dawson - 824-4784

- Barbecue (1) - *Silver Aspen CRES.*
- Tea Room (1) - *Good SHEPHERDS C.C. Paula Owen 5627*
- Drink Stands (1) - *two stands Girls Competitive Softball - Ken Davies*
- Candy Floss (1/2) - Sea Scouts, Boyd Butler
- Fruit Stand (1) - Rangers, Evelyn Budd, 824-7517

General Store - Diane Watson - 824-3732

- Toy Dept. (1) - Co-op nursery - *Linda Young 5779*
- Puppet Show (1/2) - Co-op nursery - *Linda Young 5779*
- Bake Sale (1) - *Blackburn Unit Rothwell UC Carol Van Koughnett 3921*
- Book Dept. (1) - *Gwen Bamberg 3595*
- White Elephant (1) - *Clubs - Jim Sadler -*
- Candy Dept. (1) - *St Mary the Virgin A.C. Isabel Cook 6330*
- Plant Dept. (1) - *Joyce Bain 1440*
- Quilt Raffle (1) -
- Crafts (2) - *Carol Frost 3835*
- Palm reading (1/2) - *Senor Guides - Jane Vienot 7949*

Games & Rides - Joanne Cottingham - 824-5095

- Pony & tractor rides (1) - Scouts, Boyd Butler, 824-5770
- Cake Walk (1) - Guides, Marg Gibbons, 824-1137
- Dunk Bozo (1) - Blackburn Homesteaders, Eldon Kemp, 824-2903
- Pick-a-Stick (1/2) - Centre Park, Donna Phillips, 824-2314
- Golf Game (1/2) -
- Nail Driving (1/2) -
- Darts & Balloons (1/2) -
- Milk Cans (1/2) -
- Bottles (1/2) -
- Colour Game (1/2) -
- Month Game (1/2) -
- Roll-a-coin Game (1/2) -
- Darts, cards (1/2) -
- Hockey (1/2) -
- Horse race (1/2) -
- Hoop Toss (1/2) -
- Ring-a-Bell (1/2) -
- Roll-a-Ball (1/2) -
- Over and under (1/2) -
- Sand Dig (1/2) -
- Float-a-Coin (1/2) -
- Bean Bag (1/2) -
- Surprise (1) - St. Marys Anglican Church Young People
- Trucking (1/2) - rink boards, horses (wood), etc.

*BILL WATSON
Wayne Lytle*

If your street wants to do a new game, feel free, just call Joanne.

"BLIND AUCTION"

The Blackburn Community Association has for sale Disco equipment listed below. Offers in writing will be accepted and an opportunity to view the equipment will be arranged. The equipment is approximately 3 years old and consists of:

- 2 ALTEC A-7 Speakers
- 2 ALTEC 802-8D Speaker Horns
- 1 SONY TC161SD Tape Deck
- 2 DUAL 510 Turntables
- 1 CROWN D-150 Power Amplifier
- 1 CITRONIC 5MP 505A Preamp-Mixer
- 1 A.K.G. K-140 Headphones
- 1 SHURE 565SD Microphone
- 2 50 foot Speaker Cables
- 1 Stereo Cable (AMP to PREAMP)
- 2 Stereo Cables (Tape to Preamp)
- 1 SELFIX Power Centre

Turntables are complete with cartridges and dust covers.

Mail bids including name and phone number to:

Mr. John Pollard, Chairman
Youth Activities, BCA
19 Alder Crescent
Ottawa, K1B 4X5

Looking ahead to the Cancer Society's Campaign for funds in April, have you time to call at approximately twenty homes during the month of April? There is always an urgent need for money to carry on research, as well as service to patients, drugs, and lodge and clinic facilities. Last year, \$7,335.15 was realized in a door to door appeal for funds in the Blackburn area. Please give me a call if you are willing to help with this.

Mabel Jensen 824-4864
Co-ordinator
Blackburn Hamlet

The Bread Board

Catering Service

JoAnne
824-5095

Evelyn
824-2226



Lakeside
Theatre
Productions
Presents

Cinderella

Saturday March 10th
2 p.m.

EMILY CARR SCHOOL

ADMISSION \$1

HELP

Persons to be responsible for setting up 9:30 a.m. and clearing area approximately 5 p.m., sell juice at intermission, take tickets.

To volunteer or for further information, call Chuck Conway 824-3631.

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RES: 824-4741



Blackburn Hamlet PRE-SCHOOL

Location: East end of Blackburn Arena

Director: Phyllis Frost

Teachers:

Morning: Peggy Dean
Karen Hunt

Afternoon: Susan Orchard
Shanta Sen

Registrar: Sheilagh Dubois 824-6703

At present the Blackburn Hamlet Pre-school
is fully enrolled.

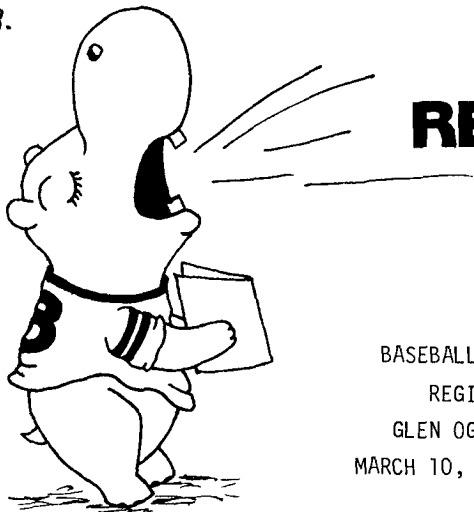
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Small pieces of soft wood for use by the
children at school would be appreciated.





REGISTRATION !

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BASEBALL/FASTBALL/SOFTBALL
REGISTRATION '79
GLEN OGILVIE SCHOOL FOYER
MARCH 10, 1979 9 A.M. TO NOON

BOYS LITTLE LEAGUE

Nelson Williams, Registrar 824-4736

1. T-Ball (boys & girls) Age 6 to 8 (after July 1, 1979)
 - BCA member \$14.00 per season
 - Non-BCA member \$17.00 per season
2. Minor (boys) Age 8 to 10 (after July 1, 1979)
3. Major (boys) Age 10 to 12 (after July 1, 1979)
4. Senior (boys) Age 12 - 15 (after July 1, 1979)
 - BCA member \$20.00 per season
 - non-BCA member \$26.00 per season
5. Connie Mack (boys) Age 15 - 18 (after July 1, 1979)
 - BCA member \$28.00 per season
 - non-BCA member \$38.00 per season

GIRLS SOFTBALL (Girls age 8 to 17 after July 1, 1979)
Cy Kemp, Registrar 824-5669

BCA member \$14.00 per season
non-BCA member \$17.00 per season

GIRLS COMPETITIVE FASTBALL (Girls age 16 to 21)
Ken Davies, Convenor 824-5024

BCA member \$18.00 per season
non-BCA member \$23.00 per season

NOTICE:

CANTEEN DUTIES

A reduction of \$8.00 to each of the above registration fees can be obtained by volunteering to do canteen duties in the Blackburn Arena Canteen, during the September to May '80 season. Canteen registration table will be at the Baseball/Softball registration.

BCA MEMBERSHIPS

BCA memberships will be available at the registration.

HELP

- "Ask not what Blackburn community can do for you but rather what can you do for your community."
- Are you a frustrated jock, a talented but under-employed organizer, or a concerned parent? If you are, the B.C.A. has need of you.
- The B.C.A. recreational sports programme is alive and well but is in need of an infusion of new blood. Our programme to provide the depth of recreational sports worthy of this community will only be as good as the community is prepared to make it. Right now the level is high, however, to keep it high we need talent.
- Most activities are always in need of interested help. If you have interests, please contact the sports representatives listed below and volunteer your time and talents to keep Blackburn growing.

ACTIVITY

CONVENOR

TELEPHONE

Sports Chairman		Gerry Beament	824-7571
Baseball	Little League	Nelson Williams	824-4736
Basketball	Boys	Gerry Beament	824-7571
Badminton	Adult	Alan Popoff	824-7118
	Youth	Flo Hamel	824-5941
Fastball	Girls Comp.	Ken Davies	824-5024
Figure Skating		Terry Heaslip	7:30 824-3542
Football		John Rowe	8:00 824-6665
Hockey	Men's	John Phillips	824-2314
	Boy's	Grant Taylor	824-8928
Lacrosse		Lorne Hughes	824-6719
Ringette	Girl's	Terry Heaslip	7:30 824-3542
	Ladies	Lois Kemp	824-2903
Softball	Girl's	Cy Kemp	824-5669
	Ladies	Jane Corrigan	824-4822
Soccer		Earl Roberts	824-8203
Swimming		Burke Darling	7:45 824-6146
Synchronized Swimming		Chuck Clark	
Volleyball		Lois Cruesse	824-0823
Canteen Manager		Elaine Parent	824-2444
Canteen Staff Convenors		Martin Fournier	824-5904
		Don Morrell	824-5611

SPORTS

. Soccer
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GLOUCESTER SOCCER ASSOCIATION - 1979 REGISTRATION

Saturday, March 3, 1979 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Glen Ogilvie School, 46 Bearbrook Road

Fee: \$12.00 per player

Player must be born no later than December 31, 1972. No registration without proof of birth (birth certificate, baptismal certificate or hospital card accepted).

House league season commences in late May and runs through to approximately Labour Day.

SUMMER SOFTBALL - Mixed Sexes

Yes, that's right, a summer (July-mid Sept.) Softball League for both girls and boys.

For many years now, Blackburn's Little League (Baseball) and Girls House League Softball have ended for most participants just after the closing of schools for summer recess.

While some lucky children go away for a part or all of the summer, many stay in the Hamlet.

The formation of a strictly house league, summer softball program, is intended to provide some organized form of recreation and fun during the summer.

If sufficient people show an interest, we hope to have mixed teams between the ages of 7 years, minimum, and 16 years, maximum. All games will be played on Blackburn diamonds, probably twice weekly, commencing at 6:30 p.m.

Cost will be negligible, i.e. \$5.00 for the season and for this, you get to keep a team T-shirt. You must supply your own ball glove. Catcher's and batter's equipment as well as bases will be supplied by the Community.

If you are interested, please register at Glen Ogilvie School on Saturday, March 10th.

Coaches and Umpires will be needed. How about Mom and Dad taking a team jointly?

For further information, or to volunteer your services, please call Ken Davies, 824-5024.

BLACKBURN LADIES' SOFTBALL '79

Here's your chance to try something different from your usual summer activities, i.e. swimming, tennis and babysitting - SOFTBALL! All women, 21 years of age and over, are welcome, regardless of experience. The league consists of 4 teams, who play against each other once a week. Games are played on Wednesday nights from approximately 6:00 - 8:30 p.m., and each team usually has one practice per week as well. The season runs from early May until mid or late August.

If you are interested, please fill in the form below and bring it with you to registration on Saturday, March 3 from 10:00 a.m. - 12 noon at Glen Ogilvie Public School. The fee is \$8.00 for Association members and \$12.00 for non-members. (If you cannot come yourself, please have someone register for you.)

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____ PHONE _____

PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE: NONE _____ SOME _____ COMPETITIVE _____

SWEATER SIZE: SMALL _____ MEDIUM _____ LARGE _____

If you know of anyone who might be interested in helping our coaches or in umpiring (behind the plate or bases), please let us know.

NAME: _____ PHONE: _____

For any further information, please contact: Jane Corrigan 824-4822

THE GLOUCESTER SWIM CLUB

SWIM-A-THON '79

COULD YOU SWIM THREE MILES IN TWO HOURS? Any average 9 and 10 year old with some competitive swim training will meet this standard during the Canadian Amateur Swimming Association Annual Swim A Thon on the 1st of April. In doing so, they will demonstrate the exceptional heart - lung capacity and strong fit bodies developed by their participation in the program of the Canadian competitive swim clubs.

THE GLOUCESTER SWIM CLUB has, over the past years, demonstrated high achievement in competitive swimming by establishing records in all age groups at the local, regional, provincial and national levels.

Now we are looking forward to the future with the goal of placing several Gloucester swimmers on the Canadian teams chosen to compete at the Pan American Games in 1979, and, the ultimate achievement, Gloucester swimmers on the Canadian Team competing at the Olympics in 1980 in Moscow.

WHY DO WE NEED MONEY? It requires a great deal of money to operate a balanced program which includes all levels of swimmer interest and competence. Most of the money comes from the families of participating swimmers, but to subsidize the continued involvement of children within this community and to achieve the long term goals that we have set, additional financial support is needed. Our once a year Swim A Thon campaign affords you the opportunity to help provide this support.

WHAT HAPPENS TO THE MONEY WE COLLECT? Most of the money collected is used to meet the budgetary costs of the club which include such expenses as pool rental, and coaching costs. A small portion will be passed on to the provincial and national swimming associations to support the development of strong Canadian teams for international competition — teams such as that which represented Canada at the 1978 Commonwealth Games in Edmonton.

HOW DOES SWIM A THON WORK? Within a week after receiving this letter, you will be canvassed by the swimmer designated below, **WHO WILL BE THE ONLY SWIMMER TO SEEK YOUR SPONSORSHIP** of a few cents per length (maximum of 200 lengths of 25 metres each in 2 hours).

— Following Swim A Thon on the 1st of April, the swimmer will return to collect your pledged contribution.

The Gloucester Swim Club has the reputation of being the most dynamic Swim Club in Eastern Canada. The club has over 170 members of which 40 are from our own area of Blackburn Hamlet.

The following are all swimmers from Blackburn who are qualifiers for the Eastern Ontario Championship Meet - Brian Johnson, Bobby Johnson, Rita Fawcett, Nicole Forget, Jennifer Grover, Jane Galloway, Deanna Darling, Kaili Salmon, Craig Salmon, Kirsty Salmon, Wynn Hannam, Darren Hannam, Robby Hannam, Michele McMahon, Robin Parker, Andrea Svec.

In the 10 and under we have 4 swimmers who are amongst the top 15 swimmers in Canada - Jane Galloway, Darren Hannam, Deanna Darling, Kaili Salmon.

Recently at the Ontario Winter Games, Nicole Forget and Rita Fawcett were amongst the swimmers representing the club. Nicole returned with 2 gold medals and 1 silver, Rita with 1 silver and 1 bronze.

Brian Johnson is a Senior National Meet swimmer, and will be swimming at the Etobicoke's Swim Meet in February. Then, in March, it is to Vancouver for more competition. Also attending these meets will be Bobby Johnson, Jane Galloway, Nicole Forget and Rita Fawcett.

If you enjoy swimming and enjoy travelling, join the club. Tryouts are held Wednesday night at the Centennial Pool, 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. For more information contact Cecil Russell, Head Coach at 741-9767.

GLOUCESTER RINGETTE ASSOCIATION

By the time you read this all five Gloucester Competitive Teams will have played in a Tournament in Sudbury. Sudbury are hard teams to beat, but I think our girls can do it. Look for the results in your local newspaper or the next Banar.

Eastern Ontario Regional Playdowns start March 2 and 3rd. The winners from the playdowns will then go to Oshawa for the Ontario Provincial Tournament. Last year our Gloucester Devils won in two divisions and came second in a third. Petites and Tweens won, and the Juniors lost in the last game in overtime. It was a very exciting tournament.

The Debs are then going on to Winnipeg for RINGETTE FIRST NATIONAL TOURNAMENT April 13 - 15, 1979. We hope to have one or two other teams go on from Provincials to this Tournament.

We are in the process of putting together a fund raising tournament for Muscular Dystrophy on March 9, at Earl Armstrong Arena.

It is planned that CJOH will play the Gloucester Debs and CFRA BLUNDERERS will play the Ladies Ringette Team (Competitive).

Please watch your local newspapers for more information - also your local Pinto Stores.

GLOUCESTER SKATING CLUB

On January 27, the skating club held a Centralized Test Day at Leitrim Arena. A total of 69 skaters tried tests and 44 passed. A pretty good average would 'nt say. The following are the Gloucester skaters.

Preliminary Figure

Gail Moncrieff

First Figure

Jeanine Jullineau

Second Figure

Raymonde Cleroux
Kathryn Lamb
Wendy Palmer
Danielle Grant
David McMahon

Third Figure

Linda Moncrieff

Dutch Waltz

Lisa Collins
Ilona Cassidy

Swing Dance

Maria Linegar
Jodie Bierko

Ten-Fox

Elena Basso
Carol Parsons
Melissa Spruston

Fiesta

Michelle Woods

Foxtrot

Richard Perkins

Willow

Michelle Woods

American

Susan Rainboth

Rocker

Linda Moncrieff

Paso Doble

Debra Calverly

Junior Bronze Free Skating

Lisa Smith
Kelly Richeleau

THIRD ANNUAL CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL PRECISION SKATING COMPETITION

This Competition will be hosted by the Ilderton Winter Club at the Thompson Bldg.

University of Western Ontario, London, Ont.,
March 3, 1979.

Approximately 40 Precision Skating Lines will compete at this Competition. This is a first for the GLOUCESTER SKATING CLUB. Teams will be coming from all over the United States and Canada.

Gloucester has 20 girls on the line:

Debbie Calverly,	Geraldine Rasmussen
Robin Charlesworth	Sandra Rasmussen
Suzanne Cote	Terry Richer
Andree Cousineau	Lydia Stewart
Eleanor Dixon	Tammy Tuttle
Joy Dixon	Francis Bloom
Julie Grandmaitre	Caroline Haag
Danielle Grant	Kathy Lamb
Michelle Houle	Louise Patry.
Sylvie Lemay	Susan Rainboth.

As this is their first time in such a Competition, we all wish them well.

OTTAWA/HULL INTERCLUB '79

The Gloucester Skating Club is hosting the Ottawa/Hull Interclub March 9 - 11, 1979 at Earl Armstrong Arena.

Skaters from fourteen clubs in the Ottawa/Hull area will take part in 31 Events during the weekend. The participants range from 8 years old to 18 years old, and possibly up. There is two Interpretative events which is a lot of fun. Each skater who enters this event has to make up their own solo. This can prove to be very interesting, just to see how much a boy or girl has learned.

We also have an Event for Adults, the winners in the past years have lived right here in the Hamlet.

The top prize for the weekend is the winning of the Journal Trophy, and Gloucester has done this at the last three such competitions. The Trophy is won by a point system. The same with the Grace Nadeau Trophy which is awarded for dance Events. Unfortunately Nepean has won this trophy two years in a row. Maybe we will have more luck with this one this year.

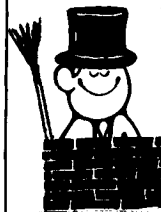
Admission for the weekend is \$2.00 per adult and \$1.00 per student or child. OR \$1.00 per day per Adult and \$.50 per student or child per day.

WHAT IS IT LIKE TO HAVE A CHIMNEY FIRE?

Dirty chimneys catch fire, spread quickly and generate intense heat. Red hot motor balls and flames are shot out like a miniature volcano. A chimney fire can destroy or damage the house, and cause personal injury or death or at the very least scare you half to death.

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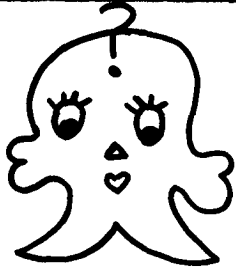


SIR MICHAEL

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Hi! Like many others I have decided to hibernate for the month of February, but before I did, I happened to find this poem. As Thinking Day falls in the month of February maybe it will help you to understand the meaning of this important day during the Guiding Year.

Let's not forget our brother Scouts and Cubs and sister Guides and Brownies the world over upon this Day - February 22nd, and remember how lucky we are to be a part of this terrific organization.

We have a lot to thank Lord and Lady Baden-Powell for, don't we?

THE SIMPLE PLEASURES OF NATURE

by Susan Watkins

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| 1. It was in London Town
That Robert Baden-Powell
On February 22, 1858
Did give his first howl! | 8. He formed a parade
Of many boys and some
But found to his surprise
That many girls had come | 15. Chief Scout in 1920
In /21 a Baronet
B.P. began to see
His dream get better
yet |
| 2. His mother's family of 7
Whose income was poor
Kept him till at 19
He joined the army core | 9. Dressed as boys
They marched along
Their hair pinned up
And singing a song | 16. It was in 1930
That our Lady B.P.
Became Chief Guide
For all the world to
see |
| 3. Thirty-two years later
At the age of fifty-one
He hit upon an idea
While shouldering his gun | 10. Baden-Powell thought
This will never do
So instead of 1 group
He made plans for 2 | 17. But then in 1941
A sad day did dawn
In Kenya, Lord B.P.
did die
But his dreams live
on |
| 4. As he watched the cadets
Marching to and fro
He began to think - that's
What every boy should know | 11. Agnes, his sister,
Did her good turn
Followed his orders
And got them done | 18. His dream has grown
As the years passed
by
In over 88 countries
The world flag does
fly |
| 5. All about themselves
And the world where they live
To be able to take orders
As well as to give | 12. When B.P. married in 1912
It was as if by fate
His wife was born Feb. 22
The same as his birth date | 19. Lady B.P. taught
Of water, land and
air
For simple pleasures
of nature
For everyone to share |
| 6. In an experimental camp
On Brownsea Isle, Dorset
He proved boys were able
Willing and an asset | 13. Olave Baden-Powell
Working hand in hand
With Girl Guides and her husband
Carrying out his plans | 20. So we come together
Feb. 22, Thinking Day
To remember our
leaders
Born upon that day. |
| 7. Robert quit the army
In the year of 1910
To follow his dream
To turn boys into men | 14. To visit Guides and Scouts
They travelled the world
Watching their dream
Like the flag unfurled | |

DISTRICT NEWS

There was a Skating Night held on January 11 at Blackburn Arena. Many Guides and Brownies were lucky enough to earn their Skater's Badge. Our thanks to the judges - Mrs. Ann Alwyn-Smith, Mrs. Rena Kay and Mr. Peter Newman for spending not exactly a warm couple of hours on the ice.

UNIT NEWS - 202nd Guide Company

In December the 202nd Company had an enrolment. The following six girls were enrolled:- Jacqueline Gagné, Jenny Laughton, Ann Carrithers, Cindy Phelan, Angèle D'Aoust and Cindy Cross.

For our Christmas party we decided to have a sleigh ride. When it was over, we went to Mrs. D'Aoust's home for hot chocolate and doughnuts.

In January we went skating and some girls received their Skating Badge. Swimming and snowshoeing followed. Now to end this month we are all working on our aircraft badge.

170th GUIDE COMPANY

Greetings and a Happy 1979 from the 170th Girl Guide Company!

1978 proved to be a busy and rewarding year for the Guides, and 1979 promises to be just as exciting.

We finished the last of 1978 by having our enrolment on December 7th. We wish to welcome and congratulate the following girls who became enrolled:- Laura Hillier, Erika Hempstad, Yvonne Bradrett, Kelly Wilcox, Kelly Sangster, Stephanie Spruceton, Kelli Watson, Lynn Dunthorne, Karen Chestnut, Janine Broadie, Fiona Campbell, Marilyn Webster, and last but not least, Marianne Irving.

We had a great turnout of parents who were also good sports participating in songs and games with the Guides. Thank you to all the parents who attended as it was greatly appreciated by the Guides and the Leaders.

Our Christmas party was held on December 13th. Each guide exchanged gifts, all of which were of excellent choice. The Guides brought records, danced and played games. The evening was finished by refreshments provided by the Guides. A good time was had by all.

On December 21st, the Guides had a swimming party at the Gloucester Swimming Pool. We had a good turnout and the water was warm and the pool not too crowded. Two of our Leaders had eye problems (claimed there was too much chlorine in the pool) although the Guides had no problems. Everyone had a good time. Thanks to all the parents who volunteered to drive the girls there and back to the school.

January started with our Fly-Up-Ceremony. This was an extra special event as all the Brownies from the 23rd Pack were there to say farewell to their fellow Brownies and wish them well in their new adventures. We will be w up to
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Following Guides passed their Skater's Badge: Stephanie Sangster, Karen Chestnut, Fiona Campbell, Sandy Wilcox, Marilyn Webster, Danette Frost, Debra Rohac and Kelly Sangster. Congratulations girls. A special thanks to those people who volunteered to do the testing in order that these Guides could earn their badge.

We have some exciting events coming up shortly. Some of these are: bowling, snowshoeing, skatallon and, of course, our yearly volleyball match between all Guide Companies. Further information on these will be sent home with the Guides.

Till next time, Happy Guiding!

195th BROWNIE PACK

195th Pack enjoyed having the 186th Guides at our Christmas Party. A great time was had by all. Many thanks to the mothers who baked.

Congratulations to Heather Burke on earning her Golden Hand, and also to Judy Koeller for achieving her Golden Bar.

We welcome to our Pack Lori-Ann LeJune who has transferred from Montreal and also our Tweenies, Natalie Armstrong, Christine Porter, Joanne Kukulka, Caia Miller and June Townsend.

202nd BROWNIE PACK

We started off this year 78 with a camp in September. There were 20 girls. We all enjoyed ourselves. The girls came home with knowledge of the outdoors. Lisa Watson joined the 202nd pack. The girls received Outdoor Adventure Badges, Holiday and Observer.

We have 30 girls in our Pack. The Pack visited the Police Station on October 21st - very enjoyable evening! Thanks to the many parents that came out to help.

On November 14th Mrs. Swanson came down and enrolled eight new Tweenies. They were:- Holly Martin, Jill Robson, Janet Young, Laurel Roberts, Mag Wan Wong, Violette Yu, Sheila and Beth Wilson. We wish to welcome Michelle Pothier to our Pack as well. Welcome girls!

On the 25th of November, the Girl Guide Tea and Craft Sale was held at Emily Carr. We really appreciated all the help and co-operation. Thank you for making it such a success.

We had our Christmas party on December 12th. The girls exchanged gifts and we helped a needy family and enjoyed doing it as well.

The new year has been a busy one with a meeting on the 9th, skating on the 11th. We are all working on the Native Lore badge - skate-athon and are looking forward to some snowshoeing and taffy in the snow.

179th BROWNIE PACK

We had a very busy December. Our girls worked hard making crafts for the Christmas Tree Decorating contest at the Bay. The decorated trees were donated to Senior Citizen Homes and Hospitals. The girls were delighted to learn that, as a result of the work they did making the crafts, we won the contest!

Our Christmas party proved to be a great success. We all went to Mrs. Burchell's for Kentucky Fried Chicken and exchanging of gifts. The girls then serenaded the neighbourhood with carols and, from all reports, did a great job.

Our Brownies turned out in large numbers for the skating night at the Blackburn Arena and all had a fun evening. Several of our girls earned their Skating Badge. Congratulations girls!

On January 29th, we went on a sleigh ride at Woodburn Farms. We all enjoyed the ride immensely and also the hot chocolate and doughnuts. Thanks to Mrs. Naughton and Mr. Oke for driving.



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BLACKBURN JUNIOR BADMINTON CLUB

Saturday, January 27, the under 13 group held a doubles tournament with no set partnerships allowed. Individual scores in 3 games were recorded. The winners were:

FIRST: Simone Nowlan
SECOND: Jenny Birta
MOST HONEST PLAYER: Kristy Adams

A ladder competition in singles has been organized for this group and will take several weeks to complete - weekly standings will be kept.

The over 13 age group fun doubles took place Friday, February 2, with the following results:

HIGHEST SCORE: Imran Siddigi
HIGHEST TOTAL OF GAME 1 & 3 - Yvonne Gray
MOST CONSISTENT PLAYER WITH A PAIR OF 10's-
Cynthis Nuelle
MOST HONEST PLAYER - Andrew Smith

Five of our under 14 juniors were selected to attend the District Junior Training Centre for extra coaching and playing time. This program is set up by the Ottawa Badminton Association, but funded by the Ontario Badminton Association to develop juniors who show potential in this sport. Congratulations to Kristine Kennedy, Wendy Adams and Imran Siddigi in the under 14 category known as "THE ROOKIES" and Derek and Sheryl Hamel in the 12 and under group called "THE FUTURES"!

A reminder that the club Singles Tournament is tentatively planned for March 2 and 3. Please watch for further details at the club. Don't hesitate - participate!

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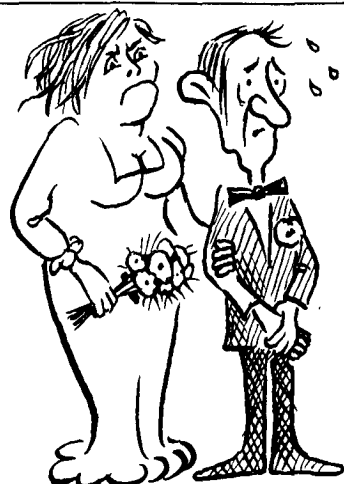
BLACKBURN RAMBLING SQUARES

Representatives from our club joined the Beaconaires, Beacon Hill Club recently for a square dancing demonstration, filmed by the CBC for "Country Report".


Donna and Phil Cove spent their last night square dancing in Ottawa with us. They are moving to Whitehorse shortly and will be dancing with the Sourdough Dance Club.

On February 8th we celebrate our 2nd anniversary with our annual skating party. Yes, that's right, we square dance on skates, on ice; then return indoors for regular dancing. The evening ends with a hot meal. For this endeavour you earn your blades badge.

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Perhaps with the close co-operation with Gloucester Township and/or Regional Government, a potential but very serious traffic problem could be alleviated. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Yours sincerely,

R. Hugh Marshall,
Principal.

If you wish to comment upon something in this issue of the BANAR, or upon something pertaining to children or family and community life in general, we would be glad to hear from you. Please address your letter to: the Editor, BANAR, 2384 Rondel Street, Ottawa K1B 4M2



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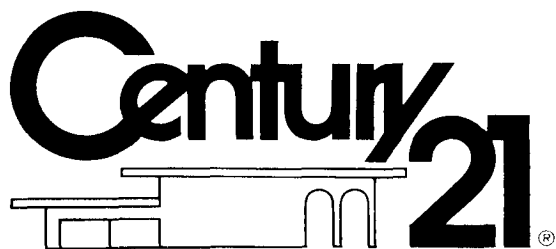
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