

Farm Women Societies

Society 3

Farm Women Society 3 met May 18 at the Triple G Farm, RD1, Stevens, Mrs. Donald Graybill was the hostess.

A contribution of \$50 was given to the County Project, the Jaycee Camp for Retarded children.

The Society will assist at the Ephrata Hospital Lawn Fete June 1.

A report of the Spring Rally held in York was given by Mrs. Luther Moore.

Mrs. Robert Gregory, member of the Board of Directors of the Lancaster

County Farm and Home Center reported on the present and future plans for the Center.

The members will serve at the snack bar of the Ephrata hospital May 21 from 1:00 to 8:00 p.m. and Friday, May 28 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Mrs. Mark Nesteroth from Penryn gave a demonstration and showed a film on "How To Cook the New Pork". She is the wife of a farmer who raises and markets hogs and she is a member of the Porkettes, a national organization of hog producers' wives who help to educate the public in the

various ways to prepare and serve pork.

A loin roast of pork was given as a door prize and was won by Mrs. Donald Graybill.

The next meeting will be June 15 at the Project 70 museum. Mrs. Ivan Eberly will be the hostess.

Society 5

Farm Women Society 5 held their May meeting at St. Stevens United Church of Christ's Parish House in New Holland.

June 8 we will have a Food Sale at the Manheim Historical Flea Market on the Square. Starting at 8:00 a.m. we will have baked goods, sandwiches and cold drinks. Rain date will be June 15 for this affair.

Lancaster County Farm Women's Picnic will be held August 7 p.m. at Lampeter. Bring your own utensils and a covered dish.

A trip to Ocean City, New Jersey is being planned for August.

Mrs. Herbert Frey and her daughters, Cerise, Denise and Bernice put on a skit about their garden. Mrs. Abram Weidman read two poems and a prayer. Mrs. Wilbur Hostetter and her daughter Mrs. Betty Jean Haverstick played a Piano duet. Miss Kathryn Eichelberger gave two readings.

Geraniums were given to the oldest Mother, Mrs. Bessie Graybill. Youngest Mother went to Mrs. Judith Rohrer. The most Daughters or Daughters-in-Law went to Mrs. Herbert Frey. The Mother coming from the longest distance was Mrs. Anna Mae Garner.

Our next meeting will be held June 29 at Mrs. Clyde Weaver's 2342 Leabrook Road, Lancaster.

Society 8

Farm Women Society 8 met at the home of Mrs. Harold Ney, Marietta RD1 May 18th at 2 p.m. Fourteen members and three visitors were present. The meeting was in charge of Miss Anna Mae Eby, president, who led the group in singing "How Great Thou Art". Devotions

were led by Mrs. Isabel Endalow. The minutes were read by Miss Mary Grace Martin, secretary. Roll Call response created interest as each one told what her pleasure was when creating with thread or yarn.

Thursday, May 18 Mrs. Clinton Eby, Mrs. Sylvia Warfel, Mrs. Charles Shank, Misses Mary Grace Martin, Anna Mae and Ruth Eby travelled to the Conestoga View Home, Lancaster, to entertain elderly folks there.

Kathy Hay, Middletown and Ann Brown, Harrisburg favored the ladies by singing "Up With People" and beautiful portions of "The Sound of Music". Ann Brown concluded with a solo.

Sue Heinaman, a 4-H leader demonstrated basic steps in Macrame. This art was known in the Victorian Era and variations of designs were created since then. Each lady had the privilege of working out the design being shown.

Please remember the time for the tour of The Hickory Farms is June 10. Meet at the Union National Bank at 6:45 p.m.

The bus will leave at 8:30 a.m., June 17 for the Gettysburg tour. Please make reservations by June 1.

Hostesses Gladys Ney, Ruth Felty, Sylvia Warfel and Anna Mae Derr served delicious refreshments suggesting spring.

The next meeting will be a birthday party to be held in the United Church of Christ, Marietta June 15 at 2 p.m.

Society 12

Farm Women Society 12 met recently at the Farm and Home Center. Members of Soc. 28 were guests at a covered dish luncheon.

Devotions were presented by Mrs. Marian Glick and the program by Miss Romaine Engle from the Police Department.

Members were reminded of a touring day, June 19. They will meet at the Millersville Mennonite Church at 10:00 a.m.

Society 14

Farm Women Society 14 held their May meeting at Black Rock Retreat as a Mother-Daughter Banquet. Mrs. Charles Lefever gave the history of Black Rock and Mrs. Paul Zerker gave a demonstration of gift wrapping with tissue paper. An organ, piano duet was enjoyed with Mrs. John Groff playing the piano and Mrs. Christian Landis playing the organ.

The regular June meeting will be held on the 12th at the Farm and Home Center. The members of Society No. 30 will be guests and the program will be given by the Martin Meylin Bell Ringers.

Society 15

Final Plans for the Chicken Barbeque supper to be held on Saturday evening, May 25 at Shaub's auction grounds in Kirkwood were announced by the chairman, Mrs. Janet Frantz of Bartville, at the mother-daughter banquet May 16. Tickets for the barbeque to be held from 4 to 8 p.m. can be obtained from Farm Women members of the chairman Mrs. Frantz.

The business session was conducted by the president Mrs. Emily Greenwald and 78 attended the banquet. Twelve geraniums were given to those present holding a lucky number. Candace and Bret Hershey, aged 8 and 10, children of Mr. and Mrs. John Hershey, sang several selections.

The speaker, Mrs. James Herr of Nottingham expressed thoughts on Mothers.

Farm Women Society 15 will hold their June meeting in the form of a covered dish luncheon featuring a fashion show by Dee-E-Gee of Strasburg and will be held at the Black Rock Retreat. Mrs. Douglas Eby will sing. Members of Society 20 and Society 31 and the County Officers will be guests.

Society 25

Farm Women Society 25 met Saturday, May 11th at "Historic Strasburg" for a Mother-Daughter Banquet. Nineteen members and thirty-one guests attended.

Devotions were led by Mrs. Clayton Haverstick. A talk was given by Mrs. Richard Huber, the "Hat Lady."

A Bake Sale will be held June 15th at Southern Market.

The next meeting will be held June 8th at the home of Mrs. Samuel Goss.

Society 31

Society of Farm Women 31 approved donations to two organizations at its Monday night meeting at the home of Mrs. Robert Wenger. The donations were \$25 to the Solanco Meals on Wheels and \$50 to Solanco Family Health Clinic.

Arrangements were made for the food stand at Glenn Fite's sale June 1. It was announced that there is still space available for the Farm Women trip to Michigan June 4-7. The trip to the shore will be July 15. Society 31 will be entertained by Society 15 at a luncheon at Black Rock on June 20.

Farm Women Calendar


Tuesday, May 28
7:45 p.m. - Farm Women Society 27 meeting, home of Barbara Brubaker.

Wednesday, May 29
7:30 p.m. - Farm Women Society 24 meeting, entertain Soc. 9, Conestoga Church of the Brethren.

Saturday, June 1
Farm Women Society 6 entertain Soc. 22 and county officers, Elizabethtown Church of the Brethren.

Farm Women Society 10 entertain Soc. 26, Gimble's Community Room, Park City, Lancaster.


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