

Farm Women Societies

Lancaster Co. Society 13

The Lancaster County Farm Women Society 13 will be meeting on January 12 at the Tourist Bureau Information Center, Route 30 and Greenfield Road, Lancaster, at 7:30 p.m. Officers of the Society will serve as hostesses. Reports of the state convention will be given by the Society delegates.

A Christmas party was held at the Ronks Fire Hall on December 9.

Lancaster Co. Society 27

A covered dish supper was the featured event at the Lancaster County Farm Women Society 27 meeting, held December 19, at the home of Mabel Hershey. Thelma Wolgemuth served as co-hostess.

Linda Kauffman entertained the Society with a skit as "Edith Ann" telling about her five year old's ideas of the Christmas season and life in general.

Carol singing was led by Doris Nissley who accompanied herself on the accordian.

May Fellenbaum, outgoing president, installed the new president, Martha Garber. Barbara Brubaker was installed as the new president.

Mim Kauffman gave a reading while being accompanied on the piano by Millie Shenk.

Lancaster Co. Society 29

Lancaster County Farm Women Society 29 held their December 18 meeting at the home of Chris Shenk. Ten members were present.

Incoming President Doris Shenk presented outgoing

President Marty Bixler with a gold locket from the Society.

Chris and Betty Shenk shared with the group slides from Bermuda and Winter scenes in Lancaster County. Mr. Shenk is retired from Ridgway Tours.

Carols were sung as hostess Linda Heisey and co-hostess Janie Garber served refreshments.

Monday, January 15, 1979, 7:30 p.m. at the home of Sue Bixler, Marietta R1, will be the next meeting date. The theme is "Happy Birthday." Members are to bring a wrapped \$3 gift. The Society has a vacancy for some additional members. Anyone wishing to find out more about this organization call Linda Heisey (717-653-4598) or Janie Garber (717-426-3689). You do not need to be a farmer's wife to belong.

Lancaster Co. Society 30

Joyce Stoltzfus, Lancaster County Dairy Princess, spoke to the Lancaster County Farm Women Society 30 at their December 18 meeting about her duties as queen and the work she is involved in teaching the nutrition of milk to elementary grades.

Mrs. Deb Buckwalter hosted the meeting in her home while Mrs. Lois Kauffman served as co-hostess. A cookie exchange was held after the meeting.

Mrs. Carol Fiorning will host the January 15 meeting in her home. A taffy pull will be the featured event.

Lebanon Co. Society 14

Ninety-two Lebanon County Farm Women Society 14 members, family, and friends gathered for a family Christmas dinner at the United Methodist

Church, Campbelltown, recently. The meat was provided by the group while each family brought a hot and cold dish.

Entertainment for the evening was a magic show given by Kevin Wilson.

Mrs. Roger Brandt, Palmyra will host the January 16 meeting at 7:30 p.m. in her home.

York Co. Society 2

Rutters Restaurant, Red Lion, was the site of the York County Farm Women Society 2 Christmas party. Twenty-eight members and four guests attended.

Mary Herbst, Charlotte Herbst and Lillian Godfrey sang special Christmas music for the festivities. Miriam Dapp and Donna Cunkelman played a piano duet of Christmas music. The Kenneth Boyers showed, and gave interesting information about their collection of Crosses. Members exchanged gifts and cards. President Grace Ferree thanked Donna Cunkelman and her committee for their work making favors and planning the Christmas party.

The next meeting will be held at Spurg's in Spry, January 10, 1979. Ruth Anne Santiago will be hostess.

Farm Women Calendar

NOTE: Farm Women Societies are reminded to send in their 1979 Yearbooks to Lancaster Farming, Farm Women Society News, Box 366, Lititz, Pa. 17543, as soon as possible.

Tuesday, January 2
Berks Co. Society 4 meeting, Edna Angstadt, Boyertown R3, hostess.

Wednesday, January 3
Berks Co. Society 9 meeting, installation of officers; hostess, Peggy Lewis, Amityville.

Pa. egg production up

HARRISBURG - Pennsylvania egg production in October totaled 283 million, six per cent above the number of eggs produced in October 1977, according to the Pennsylvania Crop Reporting Service.

The October average of 13.4 million layers was two per cent higher than in 1977. Egg production per 100 layers during October was 2,117 compared to 2,046 a year ago.

United States production totaled 5.67 billion eggs in October, one per cent more than a year ago. The number of layers in the nation during October averaged 282 million, virtually the same as a year earlier. Egg production per 100 layers during the month was 2,008 compared to 1,989 a year ago.

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SWISS AND DILL FILLING

2-3 slices Swiss cheese
1 medium dill pickle
1 small onion
1-2 teaspoons hot sauce
Cut the cheese into thin slivers. Chop the onion and pickle. Mix together. Add the hot sauce. Mix. The sauce will hold the mixture together. Fill the hamburgers.

ONION CHEESE FILLING

2 tablespoons crumbled sharp cheese
2 tablespoons chopped onions
1 tablespoon mayonnaise
2-3 dashes Tabasco sauce
Combine all ingredients listed. Blend well. Fill burgers.

FETA CHEESE FILLING

3 tablespoons crumbled Feta cheese
6-8 Greek black olives
1 tablespoon chopped chives
2 tablespoons heavy cream
Cut the olives in half. Combine all ingredients. Mix well, but leave chunky and do not cream. Fill burgers.

PARTY DIP

½ pound Cheddar cheese
1½ cups ripe tomatoes
1 tablespoon hot green chili pepper
Shred the cheese. Skin and chop the tomatoes. Combine in a small pan. Heat gently until cheese is melted. Chop the hot peppers. Add to cheese. Pour in a serving dish, preferably one with a candle warmer underneath. Dip raw vegetables, such as carrot, zucchini, cucumber sticks, cauliflowerets and scallions, into the cheese.

POTTED CHEDDAR

1 tablespoon butter
¼ pound grated Cheddar cheese
1/8 teaspoon cayenne pepper salt to taste
1 egg yolk
¼ cup heavy cream
Melt the butter in a pan. Add grated cheese, cayenne and salt. Melt mixture over low heat. Beat egg yolk and cream together. Slowly stir into the cheese mixture. Cook over low heat, stirring constantly. When mixture is smooth and thick, pour into a small jar. Cool. Cover and refrigerate. Will make one cup of cheese spread.

CHEESEY DOGS AND BEANS

½ cup Cheddar cheese
8 hot dogs
1 can (1 pound) beans in tomato sauce
¼ cup Worcestershire sauce
¼ teaspoon brown sugar
Grate the cheese. Combine the beans, mustard, Worcestershire sauce and brown sugar in a casserole. Arrange hot dogs on top. Press each hot dog slightly into the bean mixture. Sprinkle with grated cheese. Bake for 20 minutes in a 350°F. oven. Yields four servings.



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