

# WALLACETOWN UNITED CHURCH 1875 HERITAGE DAYS 1995



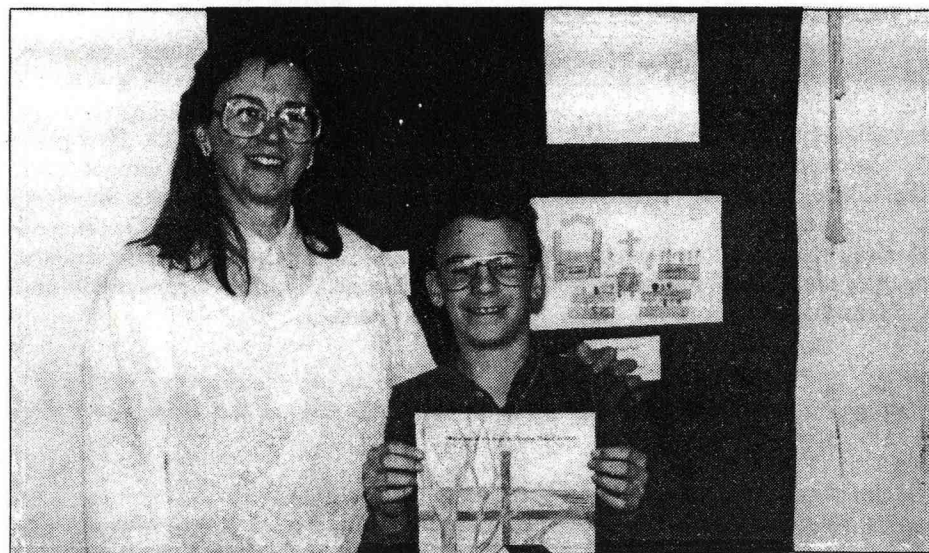
*Marjorie Ripley and Beatrice Hoglund looked over some of the materials in the archives.*



*Florence Lamb was among those working on tie quilting.*



*Isabel Ripley and Ruby McGregor work on a quilt as Helen VanBrenk watches.*



*Jonathan Farrell-Griffin was one of the heritage poster winners. The theme was 'What it was like to go to Sunday School in 1875.' He is pictured here with his mother Margaret. Sarah & Samantha Webster were also winners.*



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*Sonya Miller (right) showed Jennifer Rueger the finer points of pioneer doll making during the activities at Wallacetown United Church last Saturday. The church held Heritage Days to celebrate 120 years since the church's formation, and 70 years since the union of Tyrconnell and Wallacetown Methodist Churches. More photos inside.*

(K. Robinet)

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**DEMONSTRATE THE ART OF QUILTING** – Rhea Couture (left) and Ruby McGugan are pictured above diligently working on a quilt set up during Heritage Days at the Wallacetown United Church last weekend. Quilt tying was also demonstrated and several older quilts were found on display. Visitors also enjoyed a time of reminiscing over a cup of tea.





HERITAGE SUNDAY AT WALLACETOWN UNITED  
CHURCH ON FEBRUARY 16th 1997.





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Steve Martin Photo

Leta West (left), Teresa Bobler and Richard Bolton check out one of the mission project displays at Heritage Day at Wallacetown (Ont.) United.

## PEW TO PEW

**Wallacetown United**, located near **Lake Erie** in southern Ontario's Elgin County, is proud of its Methodist past and celebrated it a couple of years ago. This year, though, the congregation wanted to take a closer look at its missions today, while still offering a nod to the past. The result was a mid-winter Heritage Day.

The Sunday morning began with a slide presentation from a medical student who had just returned from Nepal (funded with help from the Presbytery's UCW) and was followed by tours of displays on hand from local projects (the Daffodil auxiliary, Rehoboth Girls' Home), M&S Fund-backed work (such as the London, Ont., Limberlost chaplaincy), camps and conference centres and global missions.

After lunch and a hymn-sing, worship followed a Wesley-style Methodist order of service and included communion. Says Leta West, one of the organizers, "the greatest thing was for people to see first-hand how we are able to help with the givings from our own church."



SATURDAY FEB. 18TH 1995. 2--4pm.--TEA TABLE BY U.C.W.



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Participation.



