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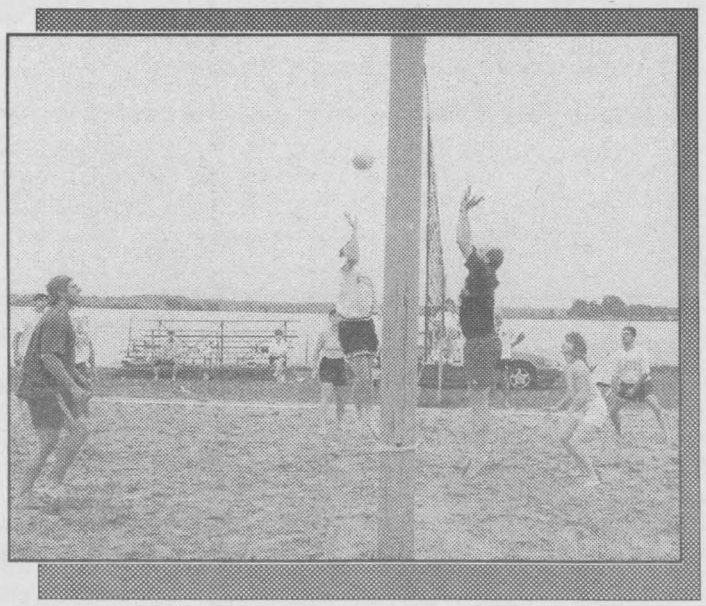
FIRE PREVENTION FESTIVAL

Thursday, September 3rd to Sunday, September 6th, 1998







Join the fun!

Cardinal will gather on the weekend to celebrate Labour Day and the Leeds/Grenville Fire Prevention Festival. As in the past, there will be fun for all ages, from races to games to volleyball there will be something for everyone. As employers host their employees as a way of thanking them for their dedication devotion and zealous work ethics, Cardinal will be the place to be. See you there this weekend.

A Complete Calendar Of Events On Page 2

CARDINAL COMMUNITY AND LEEDS/GRENVILLE FIRE PREVENTION FESTIVAL 1998 — FESTIVAL ACTIVITIES

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1998

7 p.m. - 10 p.m.
Start of Ball Tournament - Athletic Field
(Sponsor: Cardinal Chug-A-Lug Hockey Club), 28 teams competing over 4 days, prizes and trophies to be awarded; canteen available.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1998

6:30 p.m. - 11 p.m.
Ball tournament continues, Spectators welcome, NO CHARGE!

7 p.m. - Midnight
Monte Carlo Night - Wine & Cheese Party (Royal Canadian Legion Branch 105 and Ladies' Auxilliary) at the Legion Hall

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1998

Volleyball Tournament, contact Kristy Robertson 657-1236

8 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Ball tournament continues, Specators welcome, NO CHARGE!

9 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Children's Bike Rodeo, at D.J. McLaughlin Park (Community Police Committee), Bikes will be inspected, A rodeo course will be run, Prizes will be awarded!

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Bicycle Decorating to prepare for parade

1 p.m.
Line up for the parade at the west side of the Village Square Mall.

1 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Canteen at the Arena (Cardinal Figure Skating Club)

2 p.m. - 3 p.m.
PARADE - Cardinal Community Festival & Leeds and Grenville Fire Prevention; MC Don Shaw; Fire Department from Leeds-Grenville; Ottawa Carleton & Dundas Counties; Antique Cars, Shriners' Clown and Vehicles; Floats, Majorettes, Bands (sponsors); Brockville/Lions Club Steel Band (Cardinal Lions Club); Sea Cadet Band (Legion Br. 105) Canadian Forces Band (Joe Jordan, MP); Brockville/Legion Pipes and Drums (Festival Committee).

3 p.m.
Fire Hall, Fire Prevention trophies awarded
Arena, Brockville Steel Band Performing, (Cardinal Lions Club)

4 p.m. - 6 p.m.
Arena - Jim Wicks & Westburg Union (Cardinal Lions Club)

8 p.m. - 1 a.m.
Dance to live music at the arena featuring JIM WICKS & WESTBURG UNION, Crown and Anchor Wheel, Cost: Single: $3.00, Couple: $5.00, Refreshments available, (Cardinal Lions Club)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1998

8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Ball tournament continues, Trophies and prizes awarded, **Fishing Derby** - 16 yrs. & under - Free! Prizes for Bass, Perch, Pike and Oddity; Weigh-in: 3 p.m. - 4 p.m. at D.J. McLaughlin Park (Cardinal Fish and Game Club).

11 a.m. - noon
Ecumenical Church Service & Choir at Cardinal Pavillion (Ministerial Association)

12 noon - 1:30 p.m.
Coffee and baked goods at Pavillion (St. John's United Church Finance Committee)

12 noon - 2 p.m.
Children's Races at the north side of the swimming pool, (U.F.P.U. Local 483)

2 p.m. - 4 p.m.
Fire Department vehicles open for inspection at D.J. McLaughlin Park; Demonstration by Cardinal Fire Department

2 p.m.
50/50 Draw at the arena, winner announced at D.J. McLaughlin Park.

2 p.m. - 4 p.m.
SUNDAY PICNIC at Cardinal Pavillion; MC: Mark Heafy; Music and Entertainment; Studio C Performance; Mike's Karate Club Demonstration; Line Dancers & Music-Music-Music!

12 Noon - 4:30 p.m.
B.B.Q/Canteen at D.J. McLaughlin Park (Pathfinders)

1 p.m. - 5 p.m.
Petting Zoo & Pony Rides, Fish Pond & Moon Bounce

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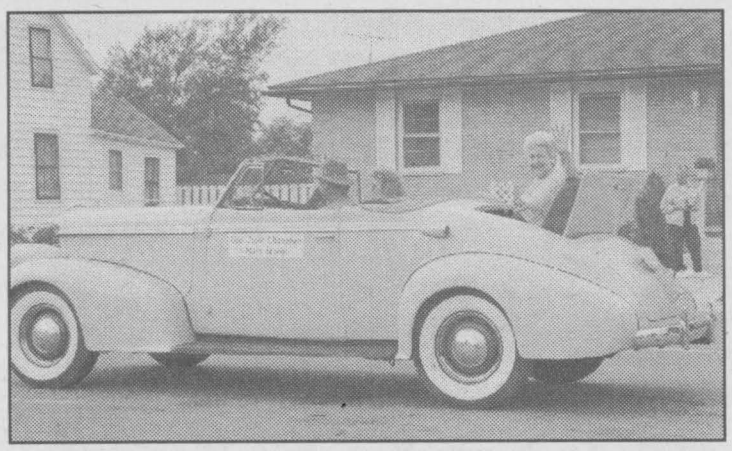

Antique cars

Antique cars always draw more than a glance. Here, the then Lions Club International Zone Chairperson, Cardinal's own Mary Lewis was leading the parade in a rather posh looking elder automobile.



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Piper's march

A crowd favourite "pipe and drum" groups add a certain something special to a parade. This year the Brockville Legion Pipes and Drums will be a part of the Cardinal Parade, sponsored by the Festival Committee, they will add that Scottish flair to the event.

Joining forces to regain past enthusiasm

Through the years,Cardinal had gained a reputation for their celebration of Labour Day each fall.

It seemed that just as the youngsters were getting set to return to school, the community of Cardinal joined together to present a parade and gather folks for games, food and fun. Then something happened; the celebrations became less spectacular and fewer people came out to participate. CASCO Inc. and Local Union 483 RW/U.S.W.A. carried on the tradition and involved their employees and their families, although residents, it seemed still wanted to be a part of the whole thing.

This year since the Fire Department was hosting the Annual Leeds/Grenville Fire Prevention Festival, it seemed appropriate that they would incorporate the entire event into a celebration of Labour Day as well and do both up right in four days of partying.

Beginning on Thursday, September 3 with 28 mixed ball teams vying for the distinction of being tops in the Tourney which will run during the four days of the Festival, the ball diamonds will be the place to see some terrific competition. Organizers have been busy and will provide entertainment and fun for the entire family throughout the weekend. From Monte Carlo night complete with wine and cheese at the Legion, to the Bike Rodeo and decorating on Saturday morning at the pavilion in the park west of the legion, there will be the gigantic parade that promises to be special (Get your viewing locale early) and then at 3pm the Fire Prevention trophies will be awarded at the Cardinal Fire Hall as the Brockville Steel band will entertain. Jim Wicks and Westburg Union are well known and liked throughout the area and they will have toes tappin at the Arena from 4 to 6 and then dancing will be the order of the evening as they take top the stage again from 8pm til 1am.

Sunday will have everyone busy as the bats will start snapping at 8am, with the tourney winding down and presentation of trophies and prizes at 4pm. The youngsters can drown a few worms as the fishing derby gets underway at the same time. Free to anyone 16 years or under, there are prizes for bass, perch, pike and oddity fish. Weigh-in time is between 3 and 4 pm at the D.J. McLaughlin Park.

The Pavilion at D.J. McLaughlin Park is where most of Sunday's action will take place. Bring the family and spend the day...you will be glad you did.

An Ecumenical Church Service

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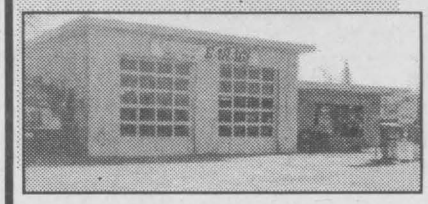
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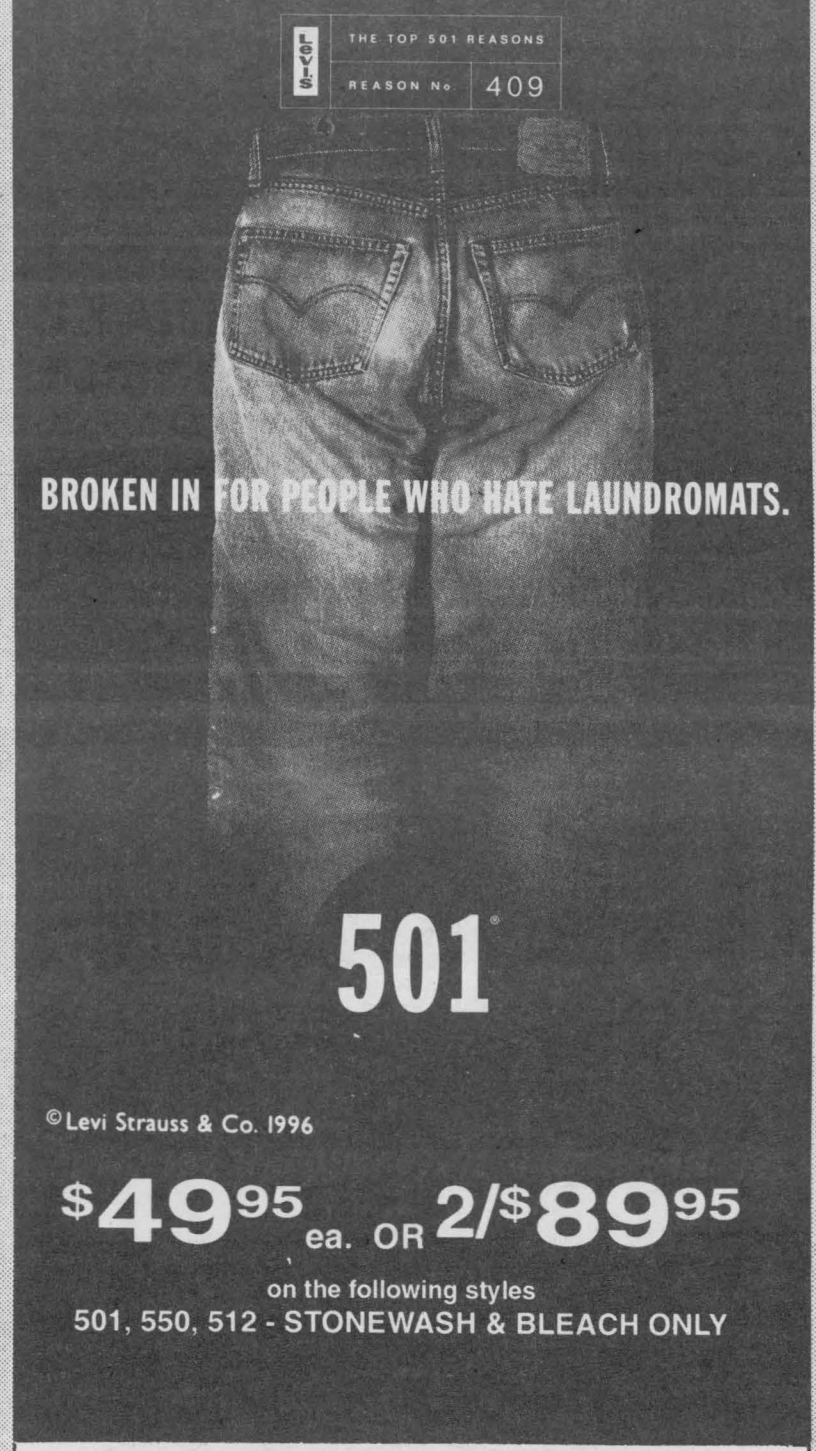

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at the pavilion will welcome all from the surrounding area, after which coffee and baked goods will be available thanks to the St. John's United Church Finance Committee.

Anyone with an interest in fire fighting equipment will have the opportunity to check out vehicles utilized by the local Fire Department. This will also take place at the D.J. McLaughlin Park near the Legion.

The Sunday Picnic used to be a favourite event in most communities. Reviving the tradition, from 2-4 there will be entertainment provided as folks enjoy the contents of their picnic baskets, or enjoying the BBQ and canteen on site as the Pathfinders cook up a storm of goodies.

Music and entertainment will fill the air with mirth and merriment as Studio C performs, a demonstration by Mike's Karate Club will encourage some to get involved, line dancers are always popular and Much Music will keep the younger generation busy. The wee ones will be able to play as a Moon Bounce will be on the site , as well as pony rides, a petting zoo and a fish pond.

Things conclude with a gala fireworks display...always a crowd pleaser and a marvellous way to end a fun filled weekend. So, bring your lawn chair and stay for the fun!



Love a parade!

Everyone loves a parade and the entry that the 730 Truck Stop entered last time was a crowd pleaser. This year the entries are starting to take shape and there will be some surprises as folks busily create masterpieces to add to the pleasure of the parade.

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Cardinal Labour Day & Fire Prevention Open Air Service

In Cardinal on Sunday, September 6th, an Open Air Service will be held at the D.J. McLaughlin Park at 11am under the Pavilion, near the Cardinal Legion. A part of the weekend's Cardinal Community Festival and the Leeds/Grenville Fire Prevention Festival and Parade, everyone is welcome to attend.

The service is open to anyone who wishes to come out and worship this way, in this picturesque location between the old canal and the St. Lawrence River. There is accommodation for up to 150 people under the Pavilion roof. The theme for the day will be "Putting the UNITY in the Comm-unity."

The Cardinal Community Choir will be singing two of their most popular numbers from their spring concert and there will be something in the service for people of all ages.

If the weather is unfavourable, the service will be held at St. John's United Church on Dundas Street in Cardinal at 11am.

The loose offering will be donated to the Muscular Dystrophy Foundation and any envelopes directed to the appropriate churches.

An invitation is being extended to the wider community to come and join. Bring your lawn chair or sit at one of the many picnic tables and enjoy worship in the outdoors.

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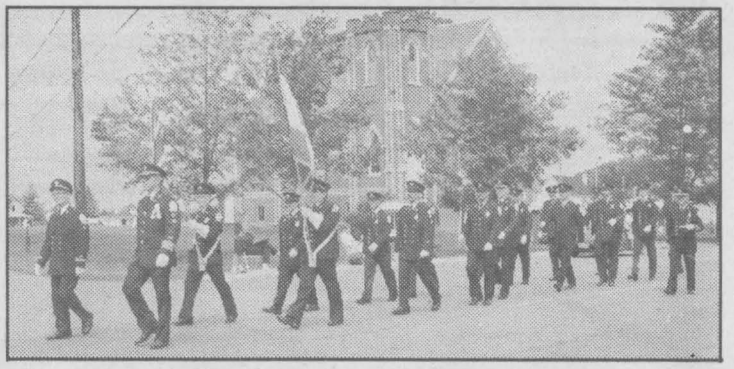
Cardinal seems the perfect location for celebrations!

The Cardinal Community and Leeds/Grenville Fire Prevention Festival will be hosted in the picturesque Village of Cardinal. A celebration of Fire Prevention and Labour Day, everyone will want to take part in as many events as possible. A terrific way to bid farewell to summer and welcome the fall season, the four days, September 3-6th is shaping up to be the best in years.

Adding to the events is the fact that Cardinal is nestled between the old Galop Canal and the mighty St. Lawrence River...a veritable playground and work alley for ocean going vessels and speed boats, personal water craft and fishermen.

Plan to be a part of the celebrations, support the Village as they work to create a party for all ages.



On parade

The Cardinal Fire Department members always turn out sharp in their dress uniforms to represent their brigade and their community with pride. This year there will be many Fire Departments represented in the parade, as Cardinal hosts the Leeds/Grenville Fire Prevention Festival. Numerous local Fire Fighting agencies have been invited to take part including Iroquois.

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