

Another Successful Debert Winter Carnival

By Linda Harrington

Three days of fun filled activities and lots of community spirit for this years Debert Winter Carnival. The Royal Canadian Legion in Debert was an excellent host for the event held on Feb. 25th, 26th and 27th.

The Winter Carnival opened on Thursday night with the parading in of team Mascots. This year's theme was the four seasons with Gold Team having Summer, Black Team- Winter, Green Team- Spring and Blue Team- Fall.

Events continued with old favorites like Blow Ball, Darts and outdoor activities such as Tug-O-War along with some new mystery events including the Dating Game and a bubble

gum blowing relay.

The winner of the Tug-Of-War was the Blue Team. The Skits presentation saw Gold in first, Blue in second, Green in third and Black in last place.

The Blue and Gold Team tied for the Decorated Corner competition with Green coming third and Black Team in fourth.

Gold Team led the way in the Darts competition and they were also first in Overall Team Participation.

The Gold Team Mascot won first place, with Black and Green tying for second and the Blue Team in last place.

First place for the Team Banner went to Blue, with Black in 2nd, Green in 3rd and Gold in 4th.

The coveted Overall Point Total trophy went to the Blue Team with 590 points, followed by Green Team with

490 points, Black with 455 and Gold not far behind with 450 points.

A good time was had by all!



Blue Team won the Overall Point Total trophy during Debert Winter Carnival. They also placed first in the Tug-of-War, Banner and tied for first for the Decorated Corner. (Harrington Photo)



Black Team placed third overall in the point total for Debert Winter Carnival. (Harrington Photo)



These Dating Game contestants did not do very well answering questions asked by MC Bruce Hillier. Terry Rushton, Ricky Marsters, Phil Forman and Bruce White (left to right) were struggling to match their spouses answers. (Harrington Photo)



Phyllis Kowalczyk and Pam Hillier are trying to blow a bubble as fast as they can so their next team member, in the relay, can take a turn. This was just one of the many team events held during the Debert Winter Carnival on Feb. 25th- 27th. (Harrington Photo)



Bruce Hillier seems to be enjoying all the attention from his new lady friend. She sure could use a shave though! There were plenty of laughs at the Winter Carnival. (Harrington Photo)



Gold Team won first place for Team Participation, Darts, Mascot, Skit and tied for first for the Decorated Corner. (Harrington Photo)



Gold Team members won first place for their skit at Debert Winter Carnival, which depicted a hillbilly style family wedding. (Harrington Photo)



Green Team placed third in overall points during the Debert Winter Carnival held at the Debert Legion on Feb. 25th- 27th. (Harrington Photo)



Randy Barnhill showed off his acting talents, impersonating Wolf Blitzer announcing the news headlines during the Green Team skit held on the last night of the Debert Winter Carnival. (Harrington Photo)



Not a new dance! This team event had teams all tied in knots while they had to cooperate to free each other. (Harrington Photo)



It wasn't Canada vs US but this air hockey game featured Green vs Blue was still a battle to the end. (Harrington Photo)



Ricky Marsters, Derek Lush and Becky Taylor played the role of lonely ladies, waiting at home for their men to return from a hunting trip, during the Blue Team's Winter Carnival Skit. (Harrington Photo)

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