

Actions completed this period or ongoing:

- June 24th, Hawaiian casseroles to feed 160 people were made by five ladies in the church kitchen for F.O.O.D. for July and August.
- New laminate flooring was purchased for the second room in the Dun-Gen and was laid by Tom Inpken, with assistance by Malcolm Morash and Kay Inpken.
- Eight volunteers made pies for F.O.O.D. for their Thanksgiving Dinner
- Gladys Turnbull tallied the last of the Sobey's tapes that were collected which totaled \$263,318.42 that will give us a return of \$526.64. This is the final batch as this program is no longer available.
- We held the Halifax Presbyterial Executive meeting at Woodlawn on September 22nd.
- Rag cutting was held in June and again on October 6th when seven bags or rags were cut. All are welcome to help out this on-going project. Notices are in bulletin when it is happening.
- 12 women from Woodlawn attended the Halifax Presbyterial UCW Retreat on September 27th at Bedford United.
- Jane Cushing took coats, pants and sweaters from the Dun-Gen and donated them to F.O.O.D. and also she took four bags of clothing to the NS Hospital.
- The 12th annual Fall Extravaganza was held on October 18th with close to 300 people attending. 37 crafters displayed their wares for sale. Canteen sold homemade chili, apple and pumpkin pie, water, soft drinks, tea and coffee. A bake table is made up of fresh baked goods from all the UCW members. Funds raised were just over \$1,900.00. Tabitha unit looks after the organization of this event.
- Our annual Thankoffering Service was held on October 19th with music provided by the UCW choir, led by Vivian Hill with Dorothy Lindsay accompanying. The theme of the service was Stewardship of God's Earth and the Hon. Mark Parent, NS Minister of the Environment gave the mediation entitled, "The Groaning of the Spirit". Myrna Morash did the children's time story and then bulbs were given out to the children. Thanks was given to Dale Walker's Livestock Feed and Supply as he donated the crocus bulbs.
Shirley MacLeod and Florence Walker – Stewardship portfolio worked hard on this project to make it the success it was. Many other UCW members helped by reading, ushering, greeting, and looking after the coffee time following the service. A special offering envelope is provided for this service and the funds collected totaled, \$1,586.70 which will be distributed to Clean NS-\$396.70, Accessibility Fund-\$595.00, & Food Bank-\$595.00.
- Sheer curtains with rods have been made and purchased from Atlantic Fabrics for all the windows at the staff house to replace the old blinds that were there.
- Janice Matheson presented a check in the amount of \$268.38 at the Least Coin service on October 20th. This money was collected from the members during the past year during their unit meetings.
- The recycling/garage disposal project that was started by our Stewardship committee is moving ahead as planned. Three bins have been purchased and a wheeled trolley has been built by Tom Inpken for them. They have been placed right outside the kitchen door closest to the dishwasher. UCW are working with Trustee and Administration and Management Team leaders on the policies and the procedures of this project. It is an ongoing project that we hope will help our church and outside groups learn more about recycling and looking after our earth.
- A Magically Musical Night presented by the UCW features, Dunnery Bond the Junior Canadian Idol winner and the NS Mass Choir. This will be at Woodlawn on December 6th at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are available in advance for \$10.00 by phoning Donna at the church office at 434-8302 or at the door for \$15.00.
- Dun-Gen clothing store will be open Thursday's and Saturdays up to and including, Saturday, December 13th and Thursday, December 18th. Then it will be closed until Thursday, January 8th and Saturday, January 10th, 2009 and will then resume its normal schedule.
- Turkey Dinner is scheduled for November 15th with 2 sittings, and take-outs available.

