Township Organizations Clubs - Band



MODERNETTES

The Modernettes Homemakers Club was organized in 1965. Their motto is "Preservation and Improvement of

Home and Community Life". Currently there are approximately a half a dozen members who meet regularly. They are involved in making baby blankets for teen parents. They also have made cancer caps for local hospitals. At Christmas time they choose a local family in need to support. The Modernettes attend community and cultural events as a group.

MORRISON AND WAYSIDE HOMEMAKERS CLUBS

Per the information gathered, both of these clubs have disbanded since the printing of the 1980 Town of Morrison booklet.

WAYSIDE-MORRISON CONCERT BAND

Started for the 100-year celebration back in 1955, this band has been together now over 50 years. It was the idea of Gilford and Ernst Siebert to have a band for the celebration, and it has continued from there. Today there are around 17-18 members at any time from the local, and not so local areas. At one time the band boasted over 35 members. Today for an event you might see about 12 to 15 musicians show up. Many members don't live in the Wayside, Morrison area, but have some tie to the area, and a love for playing music. The band prac-

tices 3 to 4 times a year, and performs for local events, parades and have even played at the last two "Breakfast on the Farms".

There is no band leader per say, but Carl Hagenow will help you out with the last together. He has been with the

getting things together. He has been with the band since its inception. Jay Stradel also helps Carl with the calling and arranging of events. This year they will be playing at the 2005 celebration.