

# Surprise visitors tee-off Blue Springs owners, rep

BY FRANCES NIBLOCK  
The Acton Tanner

An alleged unapproved tour of the Blue Springs Golf Club property by three members of the Town's Environmental Advisory Committee has apparently ruffled the feathers of Blue Springs owners.

As a commenting agency, the Environmental Advisory Committee instructed three of its members to visit the site and determine if more information was needed before the committee could comment on a plan to build three clubhouses with 120 overnight accommodation units at the golf club.

At Town Council on Monday night, Acton Councillor Norm Elliott said there is a disagreement over whether approval was given for a site visit.

"I want some confirmation that the committee works on the as-

sumption that permission is received from the owners of a property before a Town committee tours a site as part of its review," Elliott said.

"At the present time there is a very strong controversy arising out of this issue and a dispute over whether or not permission was given. Officially the owners say there was no request to visit the site."

Outside Council Chambers, Environment Advisory Committee member Daphne Shropshall said she did ask for permission to tour the site two weeks ago.

"I went into the clubhouse, identified myself and asked for someone in management.

"I was told there was no one available. I told the staff member who we were and what we were doing. He told us to go ahead."

Shropshall said the three committee members who toured the site have not submitted a report and they will ask for more information before commenting on the Club's plans.

"We would like to see some kind of tree-saving plan. We have concerns about water in the area

and the fact that the proposal is in an environmentally sensitive area," Shropshall said.

Town senior planner Glenn Wellings said other commenting agencies are also asking for more information.

"The Grand River Conservation Authority has informed us

they will require further storm water studies," Wellings said in an interview on Monday.

"The applicant is hiring an engineering firm to undertake further studies because at this point it is clear they will need further information on hydrogeology and storm water management."



**THRIFTY THURSDAY!** We caught these Acton IGA employees dancing up a storm during the store's annual Thrifty Thursday event last week. All staff dressed up in '50s and '60s attire. From left: Verly Hillier, Connie Bath, Lisa Halladay and Kim Young (Elvis). Also, some customers walked away with free gifts after alarms were sounded in the supermarket. (Doug Harrison photo)

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## Ladies visit Royal Cafe

### LAKESIDE IODE NEWS

BY DOT NORTON

Last week, 16 ladies from the I.O.D.E. were served a super dinner at the Royal Cafe. John and Teresa surely do a fine job looking after us. The food was terrific.

We returned to Knox Church for a short meeting. It was nice to have Eileen Currie for a visit and to say hello to a new lady, Kathleen Harding. It is always pleasant when we have a new face at a meeting. We meet the first Tuesday of the month at 7:30 pm at Knox Church. Everyone is more than welcome.

Our social lady had some very lovely lap robes to show us — seven in all — for our bale, as well as the good grooming bags. The bale will be sent to headquarters and then off to the Northwest Territories sometime in May.

Our flag was at the funeral home for the passing of Mrs. J. Stewart, a long-time member of the I.O.D.E.

Our bazaar is coming along great. Bette Foottit had the "quillow" and it certainly is lovely.

June 4 is Decoration Day. Ladies will dig the holes and put in the markers at 1:15 pm on June 1. The flowers will be planted on the 4th at 9:30 am. Thank you all for your help at this time.

Our last meeting before the summer will be June 6. Our Regent Helen Jocque has invited us to her home for a picnic supper.

## BLOOMS AWAY

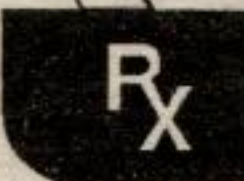
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