

The Burlington Teen Tour Band will fill the air with music at Victoria Park Sunday. The award-winning band will perform from 2 to 4 p.m. at the park in front of town hall.

Award-winning band plays here Sunday

By KAREN SMITH

Local residents can enjoy the summer weather and at the same time be entertained by an award-winning band at Victoria Park Sunday.

The Burlington Teen Tour Band will perform a free concert from 2 to 4 p.m. at the park in front of town hall.

The concert is part of a summer series presented annually by Milton Arts Productions and the Town of Milton.

Over the past 42 years the band, with local members, has earned international recognition for its performances in England, Ireland, Holland and France.

They plan to visit Itabashi, Japan early next year and have also accepted an invitation to perform in the Hula Bowl Festival in Honolulu, Hawaii.

The 100-member concert band is a branch of the 245-member marching band, the largest in Canada.

More than 1.9 million people watched them perform in parades, concerts, festivals, football games, and other special events in 1987. More than half the performances were outside Burlington.

In 1987, the band marched in four separate parades in the Baltimore, Maryland area during American Independence Day festivities on July 4.

Marching under a blazing sun that pushed temperatures close to 100 degrees, they won first place in all four parades, an unprecedented performance record.

Throughout the past 10 years, the

band has been invited to compete in the prestigious Parade of Champions in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, the home of the foremost indoor marching band contest in the United States.

They won top prize all three times they performed in the contest, and are the only non-American group ever invited to compete.

During a tour of communities in England and France, the band scarcely had room to perform because of the large crowds. In Bournemouth, England, spectators followed them the entire length of the parade route and watched while they boarded buses.

In addition to the busy performance schedule, they practice twice-weekly, all year round.

The Burlington Teen Tour Band operates as part of a music education program run by the City's recreation services department.

The program emphasizes the importance of providing educational opportunities for members and the value of self-discipline, teamwork, dedication and loyalty.

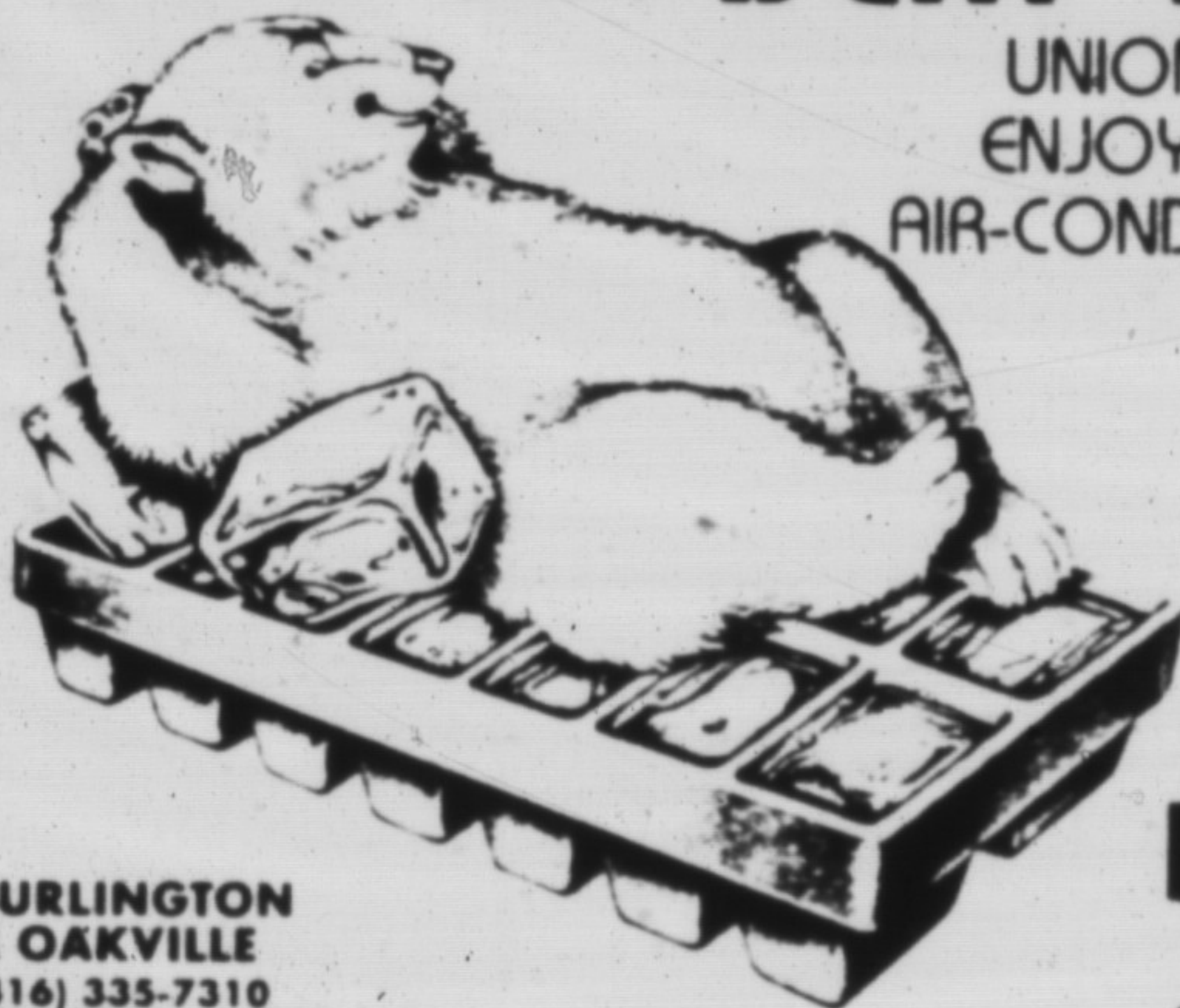
All costs of major tours are paid by band members and Band Boosters Inc., an organization of parents, relatives and friends which provides chaperones and raises funds.

The band receives performance fees for most of its Ontario-wide and local appearances to help reduce the cost of operation.

The Victoria Park audience will hear a variety of music, from Broadway hits to classical works.

Members of the audience are asked to bring lawn chairs. In case of rain, the concert will be held at Hugh Foster Hall.

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Activities include archery, swimming, campfires, crafts, hiking and nature lore.

Sessions begin Sunday afternoon and continue to the following Friday night. Cost is \$160 per person. To enrol or to get more information call the Burlington Scout office at 637-2526.

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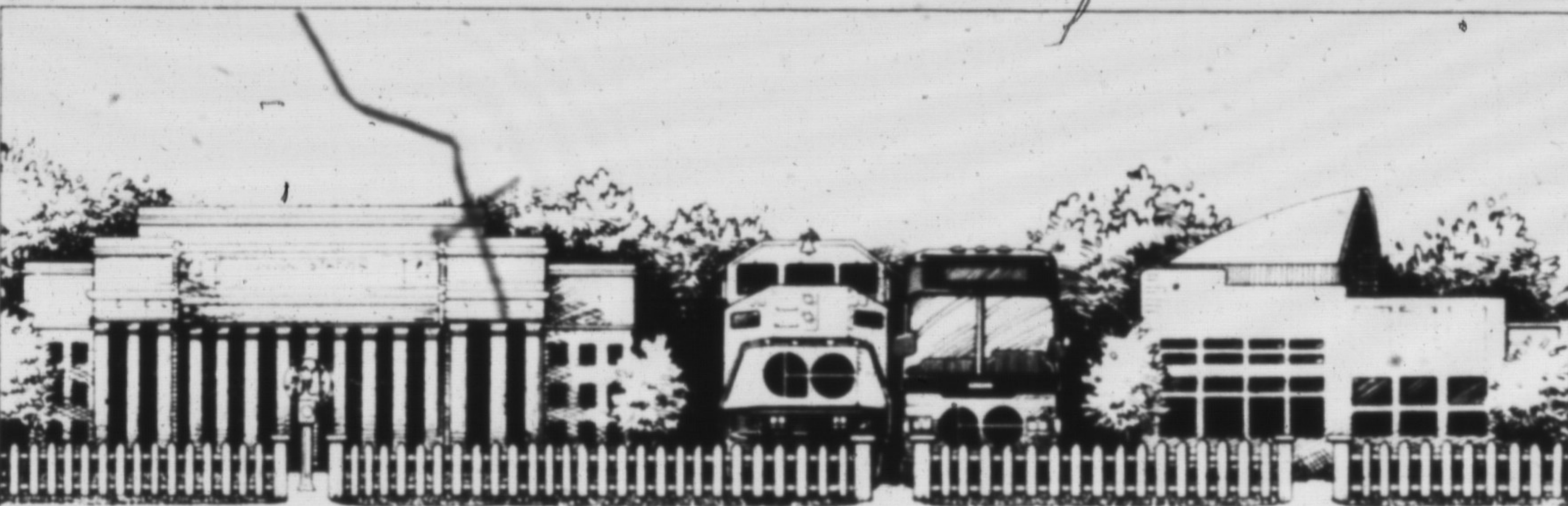
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group battling the dump, said the organization's lawyers have been instructed to launch a judicial challenge.

"We have more chance in this process than we did with the political one."

Mrs. Gillies said her group was "extremely disappointed" with the cabinet ruling but, "we didn't have a great deal of hope. We really feel our hope is with the courts."

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