

# Thornhill and District News

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## Community Happenings In Thornhill

Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Langman, 170 Arnold Avenue have announced the engagement of their daughter Louise Diane to Edward Cecil Dockerty, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dockerty of Oak Ridges. The marriage will take place at Holy Trinity Anglican Church on June 12, 1965.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dillane, John St. and son James celebrated the latter's birthday at the Savarin Supper Club on January 30.

The parents' guild of the St. Joseph Morrow Park School are holding their annual card party on February 9 at the school. There will be prizes and refreshments will be served. Co-conveners of the event are Mrs. A. D. McKee and Mrs. R. L. Pterozynski. The card party is being given to raise funds for the library and audio-visual equipment for the school.

Congratulations to Betsy Sumner of Sumner Lane, who was named Miss Teen Tempo in the February issue of Chateleine magazine. Betsy is an accomplished rider and a member of the Timberport Pony Club. She attended public school in Thornhill and is now a grade ten student at Haver-gal College. Betsy spends much of her time riding in competition on her horse "Ginger". She entered several pony events at the Royal Winter Fair last November.

Langstaff Home and School Auxiliary are holding a card party at the school on February 15. Bridge and other card games will be played and prizes will be given. Tickets are \$1.25 per person and may be obtained from members of the auxiliary.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. R. Rivet on the birth of their daughter in December. Mrs. Rivet was a former teacher at the Thornhill Co-operative Nursery School.

The Scottish country dance classes have resumed on Saturday mornings at Thornhill United. On February 6 the children will attend the Scottish country dance festival at Ryerson Public School, Grange Ave., Toronto. The children will have a chance to see the standards of those competing.

On February 22 an interesting evening is planned by the Harmony Group of Holy Trinity Parish Guild. The event is entitled "Preview In Fashions" and will be given in the parish hall. There will be fashions from Cale Arts of Bayview Shopping Plaza, jewellery from Cole's Jewellery in Thornhill, hair

'65 Budget \$50,598

## New Housing May Cause Holy Trinity Expansion

There are now four hundred and seventy-five families on the parish list of Holy Trinity Anglican Church, Rev. H. R. Howden announced at the vestry meeting held January 25. He suggested that it might be well to begin planning this year for expansion in the church which will be required by the new subdivisions projected for Thornhill. An additional service at 9.30 a.m. may be required, as well as a complete church school then and at 11 p.m.

Plans were announced for a special committee to arrange the celebration of Holy Trinity's 135th anniversary. It will be held in October with special preachers, including former rectors and a congregational dinner at which the Bishop of Toronto will be invited to speak.

Rev. Howden suggested several other ways in which the anniversary could be marked, by stepped-up efforts to encourage family worship; more effective use of the Sunday evening youth program; continued development of parish family fellowship; an enquiry into the establishment of a home for elderly people; an examination of the parish structure with regard to the co-ordination of men's and women's committees, including change in the structure of the advisory board; continued development of Christian education in accordance with the new approach; and devoting 50% of the Anglican World Mission gift to a definite project in Uganda in an attempt to personalize the church mission work.

Rev. Howden also reviewed the first year of the Anglican World Mission Program and emphasized that mutual responsibility meant mutual

coloring by "Clairrol", and hair-styling by Don of the Rialto Beauty Boutique.

On February 3 a surprise 25th anniversary dinner party was given for Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Belliveau of 2 Elspeth Place, Thornhill. The party was given by Mrs. Belliveau's bridge club and was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Mallon, 53 Limcombe Dr. A red and silver theme was carried out at the dinner table. The Belliveaus were presented with a money tree laden down with 1965 silver dollars. One of the club members baked a beautiful anniversary cake for the occasion.

Those attending were, Mr. and Mrs. Austin See, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hendry, Mrs. P. Merleau, Mrs. D. Brunt, Mr. and Mrs. L. Doody, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Browne, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Mallon, Mr. and Mrs. T. Walshe, Mr. and Mrs. T. O'Regan, Mr. and Mrs. W. Fenton, Mr. and Mrs. F. Puggolis, and four of the five Belliveau sons, W. Belliveau with his wife and Rickey, Timmy and Pete.

A lucky luncheon is to be held on February 17 by Unit 3 of the UCW. Mrs. L. Denby is the

leader of Unit 3. The luncheon is scheduled for 12.45 p.m. with a bake sale preceding at 12.30 p.m. This promises to be an interesting and worthwhile luncheon. It will be prepared by an outside staff who will utilize new products from various companies. The many new products will be displayed and given away as prizes at the end of the luncheon. Tickets can be obtained from the ticket convener Mrs. G. Stuart, 285-4115 or from any member of Unit 3.

The York Central Hospital Auxiliary is holding its annual meeting on February 11 at 8 p.m. in the hospital cafeteria. Refreshments will be served after the meeting. It is hoped that all auxiliary members will attend this meeting.

A bake sale will be held at Woodland School on February 13 from 2-5 p.m. There will be no charge for the tea and coffee served at the sale. Grade 8 girls will hold a candy sale, the proceeds of which will be used to help finance some future school trips.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lapp and their children, residents of

Thornhill for several years, are returning to the United States where Mr. Lapp will be entering the manufacturing industry. He was an executive in the insurance business during the years he spent in Canada. Friends and acquaintances of the Lapps wish them luck and offer best wishes.

Vivienne King, Thornridge Drive, was hostess at a birthday party on January 30. Vivienne was celebrating her ninth birthday. Her guests enjoyed movies, games and a delicious birthday supper.

Mark Wigston, Bathurst St. also entertained his friends at a birthday celebration on January 30. The boys met for a dinner party at his home and later attended the Maple Leaf-Boston hockey game at Maple Leaf Gardens.

Film night, sponsored by the St. Luke's CWL is to be held on February 5 "Lilies of the Field" will be seen at two showings in St. Luke's Separate School auditorium. The first is scheduled for 7 p.m. for students, when the admission will be 25c, and the second at 9.15 p.m. when all seats will be 50c.

## Co-op Nursery School

An executive meeting of the Thornhill Co-operative Nursery School was held January 22 at the home of Mrs. J. Andrews, 26 Ideswilt Drive. The executive decided that there will be a fathers' day on March 6 and hope to see as many fathers as possible at the school that day. The children look forward to this and it has always proved to be a very popular occasion. A Parent-Education meeting was announced for February 16, to be held at the home of Mrs. J. Andrews. The speakers will be Miss N. Heeks and Miss E. Berlin from the Royal Ontario Museum. The subject of their talk will be "Your Child and the Museum".

Mrs. C. Broderick, supervisor of the school, reported to the executive that the school owes much of its success to the excellent parent co-operation that the Thornhill nursery school is fortunate to have.

Mrs. A. Cumming, who has been an assistant teacher at the school, is at present taking a course for teachers in pre-school education. This is a University of Toronto extension course.

## Women's Institute

The next meeting of the Thornhill Women's Institute is the home of Mrs. L. Jamieson, 24 Centre St. The motto will be "Keep your word with your children, the same as you do your banker". The roll call will be "Should November 11 be a school holiday?" Mrs. C. Sinclair, convenor of agriculture and Canadian industries will be in charge. Hostess will be Mrs. C. Sinclair and Mrs. J. Fisher. Any interested women are invited to attend.

## Holy Inspiring

An inspiring memorial for Sir Winston Churchill was part of the morning service on January 31.

The parish guild meeting was held January 26. The meeting was chaired by President Mrs. R. Cox and Rev. H. R. Howden installed the new officers.

The guest speaker was Miss Marion Niven of the Anglican Training College. Miss Niven's talk on the work of the college was interesting and informative. Students go to the college for training in missionary work and are sent to needed areas. They now have married women taking part time courses at the college, she reported and said there are more students registered than ever before. Miss Niven answered many questions in the discussion period.

## HOCKEY PERSONALITY

"I like hockey because it's rough," declared twelve year old Joe De Marco, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vince De Marco of Thornhill. "It's no fun if you don't have to fight for something," he said.

Joe, leading goal getter for the Thornhill North End Cleaners is an aggressive fellow on the ice. He has at least four years of hockey behind him. Three years with St. Luke's in the church league, one year with the All-Star team. This is his first year with OMHA.

Joe is in grade 8 at St. Luke's Separate School. Next fall he hopes to go to Brebeuf High School. Joe likes swimming. Last year he won swimming trophy in the intermediate class at the Thornhill Pool. He also likes to play football and collect coins.

This year he is hoping to see the Cleaners win an OMHA championship and he looks forward to the Annual Pee-wee Tournament at Goderich.

## SYNCHRONIZED SWIMMING

Synchronized swimming coach Pat Vlassof reports that the senior competition for her swimmers took place down at the women's athletic building, University of Toronto. Liz Duncan came fourth in solo and fourth in figures. And Kelley Burkart, who suffered two broken ankles last fall, got back into the swim in December and after training for two and a half weeks came fifth in the figures in the senior competition. This Saturday, Liz and Kelley are making their second try at the senior duet championship



(Photo by Barbour)

## Lions "Jackpot" Winner

Mrs. P. Cowan of Willowdale, winner of the \$215 January jackpot at the Thornhill Lions Club bingo is shown flanked by Lion Harry Lak, chairman of the bingo committee, left, and Lion C. Nels Gage, 3rd vice-president, right.

Absent when the picture was taken was co-winner Mrs. M. Porter of Richmond Hill, who also won \$215.

## Village Meetings

A meeting was held at the home of Mrs. S. Rose, 17 Laureleaf on February 2 when a discussion took place on the formation of a new group of the guild. Anyone interested in the work of the guild is asked to call Mrs. R. Cox, 285-4359.

An opportunity sale will be held February 20 by the parish guild. Clear the closets now of your family's outgrown clothes. Call Mrs. R. Hudema at 285-3194 for information or pick up.

On February 7, Captain R. Taylor of the Church Army will be the guest speaker at the evening service. A church army team will meet with the young people after the service.

The caterers' meeting held on January 18 at the home of Mrs. R. C. Byford, Arnold Avenue had eighteen members present. A coffee hour has been planned for the second Sunday of every month, after the morning service. Mrs. R. C. Byford is president of the caterers with Mrs. A. Crawford as vice-president and Mrs. Rae MacLeod as secretary-treasurer.

## Presbyterian Church

On January 24 the Presbyterians had Gordon Patterson as their guest.

In the afternoon the Presbyterians conducted a service at North Haven Nursing Home.

The annual congregational meeting was held on January 25.

Grades 7, 8 and 9 of the church school went on a tour of Knox College on January 29.

The library committee has announced that people have shown great interest and co-operation in the use of their books. However if anyone has had a book for over two months the committee would appreciate their return to be checked.

On February 7 the sacrament of baptism will be conducted at the morning service. At the evening service the music of the church will be featured and the offering will be used to complete the payment of the organ chimes.

## Thornhill United

The annual congregational meeting was held on February 1. A pot luck supper was served.

National Youth Sunday will be observed on February 7 when Allan Aho one of Thornhill's young men recommended to the ministry by the congregation and who did excellent work in the summer mission

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