



(Photo by Stuart's Studio)

Fast Footwork Brings Hill Father \$199.14

David Scott, 242 Montel Road, Richmond Hill, was in top sprinting form June 26 when he accumulated \$199.14 worth of merchandise in a four-minute shopping spree.

This was the top prize in the Richmond Heights Centre Merchants' Association's "Father's Day" promotion and Mr. Scott was present when his name was drawn on June 16 at 6:10 pm. The prize was a three-minute shopping spree, with the extra minute added because Mr. Scott was present at the draw. The lucky ticket was drawn by Mrs. Victor Colton, 326 North Taylor Mills, under the supervision of the association's Directors Bruce King and Vicki Paige.

In the above picture, taken at the end of the productive four-minute spree, Mr. Scott is seen (in the open-necked striped shirt) grinning happily over his "loot". He is surrounded by members of the sponsoring association (from left to right): Frank McDougall of Braddock Optical, Paul Tourountzas of Agnew-Superpass, Bruce King of Kresge's, John Christoff of Loblaws, Michael Kaufman of Michael's Cards and Gifts, Vicki Paige of Richmond Hill Music Centre and Danie Kesselring of Bata Shoes.

CRASH Transient Youth Hostel Gets OK Will Use Only Hill Arena Banquet Hall

CRASH is now off the ground. The revised proposal of a group of young people interested in providing and supervising a local rest and sleeping hostel for this summer's transient use, received almost unanimous approval of Richmond Hill Council July 5, on its third time round.

The approved hostel will be set up in the banquet room of the new arena, with access only from the east end and to the two washrooms which are an integral part of that room. Both males and females will be accommodated here with a partition dividing the 28 beds being provided for males and the 12 beds being provided for girls, at a charge of 50c per night. Hours will be from 10 am to 10 pm with an hour allowed for preparation for sleeping.

The staff of six — Brad Playford, Bruce Jones, Bob Duern, Vicki Turner, Mike Brown and Marlene Yotoff, all Richmond Hill residents — will set programs, workload, rules and regulations. They will receive help and advice from the staff at YAC and an adult backup committee. Adult volunteers will also assist in supervision at the hostel.

Every night one male staff member and one female staff member will be on duty from 9 pm to 11 am.

The federal government will fund the project and provide beds and clean bedding. The staff members will be responsible for laundry.

A 50c charge will be required for a cold breakfast and the maximum stay is limited to one night.

There will be no drugs or alcohol on the premises and no smoking in the sleeping area.

Minimum age is 16 years and youth living within a radius of 45 miles will not be admitted.

The CRASH budget, totalling \$5,600 includes an item for rent of \$300 to the arena board, and \$4,500 for salaries.

Mayor William Lazenby asked the young staff members who were all present at the meeting, to be very vigilant about the level of noise from the hostel. "The people of Roseville have suffered from noise on several occasions from events taking place in the past and we owe it to them to see that their rest is not disturbed," he stated.

Use of the fire hall as the male hostel was not considered when it was pointed out that in the event of a fire call in the middle of the night the adult supervision of the transients would not be available.

Assessment Act Amendment Needed Before Tax Rates Can Be Set

Delay of some necessary information was given by Municipal Affairs Minister Dalton Bales as the reason for delay in the setting of tax rates for the municipalities in York Region in a letter read at Monday night's Richmond Hill Council meeting. Mr. Bales also indicated that work on the tax rates for municipalities in the five existing regions — Niagara, Ottawa, Thunder Bay, York and Muskoka — has revealed that an amendment is necessary to the Assessment Act. He assured council that this amendment would be introduced into the Legislature in the near future. (Ed. note: The Legislature has been prorogued for the summer and is not scheduled to meet again until September.)

"I got nothing but a run-around from that department,"

stated Councillor Andre Chateauvert, chairman of council's finance committee. "First I was told the figures would be available Friday (June 25). On that day I was told they were available but were not being released. Then I was told that they could not base a tax rate on an uncertified assessment and the blame was placed on Richmond Hill and Vaughan for appealing the entire assessment roll."

"Then I was shuffled off to another department, where I was told that all that was needed was a ministerial order which would be available in a week," continued Mr. Chateauvert. "Nothing came of that."

"I then contacted the deputy minister (Municipal Affairs) who told me that the act required some revisions in order to come up with the figures. I think the government was misled in setting up York Region without considering the magnitude of reassessment," stated the councillor. "It was very unrealistic to set up an act without providing for all eventualities. We are stagnated because someone did not visualize assessment being challenged. Before the province decides to give any further regionalization they must take a good look at the Department of Municipal Affairs and give it a thorough going over."

"It's a blatant and obvious example of what the government did," added Councillor Lois Hancey. "Many of us tried to point out these difficulties. We asked them to let us know

School, Office Damage Malicious In Richvale

Seven reports of malicious damage to property were received last week at the Concord Station of York Region Police.

Included was an estimated \$400 damage to the Charles Howitt Public School on Pearson Avenue in Richvale.

On Monday windows were broken at the school and ink was thrown over the curtains in the gymnasium.

Not far away on Scott Drive there was an estimated \$350 damage June 30 as windows were smashed at Loughlin Lumber and Prefab Limited.

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Mardi Tyndall 80.3, Kathy Benoit 80, and Susan Hibbard 80. Langstaff Secondary has nine Ontario Scholars: Peter Reiss 93.3, Douglas Nettleton 83, Bob Vincent 86.6, Marion Boyd 85.9, Margaret Harper 84, John Mitchell 81, Nevine Elibrachy 80.1, Erika Gattinger 80 and Betty Walsh 80 percent.

There were eight at Woodbridge High School: Karen Barker 88.1, John Chevreau 88.1, Peggy Stevens 85.6, Dean Kaiser 85.6, Maureen Leslie 80.4, Patricia Leslie 80.4, Geoffrey Salmon 80.4, and James Locke 80 percent.

Bayview Secondary had seven winners: Karen Perry 92.7, Aina Liepins 92.4, John Minchella 84.9, John Jakob 80.4, Gordon Derry 80.3, Rosa Iafate 80 and Ronald Mock 80 percent.

There were six Ontario Scholars at Richmond Hill High School: Loris Adamson 89.4, Joan Mashinter 88.8, Mark Griffiths 86, Catherine Beattie 82.6, Cheryl Palmer 82.3 and Douglas Bonnell 80.4.

Stouffville District Secondary had nine winners: Charles Lynde 89, Jill McWhinnie 88.9, Gerard Egberts 86.4, Judith Reesor 83.9, Bridget Ramsey 81.8, Brian Baker 81.8, Allan Fuller 80.7, Wayne Morris 80.6 and Sally Scheil 80 percent.

At Dr. G. W. Williams Secondary in Aurora there were also nine Ontario Scholars: Robert McRoberts 88.2, Scott Raymond 83.3, Lloyd Craig 85.4, Janice Binions 84.2, Catherine Barber 83.4, Marie Fitzpatrick 82.6, Susan Ralph 80.3, Lois Barnard 80.2, and Janet Hawley 80.1.

King City Secondary had three Ontario Scholars: Paul Bolton 92, Anders Nielsen 87.9, and Frederick Honey 83.4.

There were three also at Markham District High School: John Manistre 84.9, Deborah Walker 80.7 and Marcia McLean 80.3.

In the northern schools of the region there were 11 Ontario Scholars.

Newmarket High School: Beverley Hales 87.6, Barbara Weller 86.4, Sally Riggs 80.6, Marilyn Peet 80.3, and Bruce Smith 80.1.

Huron Heights Secondary: Newmarket: Robert Cordery 91, William Doherty 89, Christine Bunn 82.3 and Maria Kluczinsky 80.7.

Sutton District High School: Kay Tomlinson 83 and Regina Czudnochowski 82 percent.

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