

Thornhill and District News

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Socially Speaking In Thornhill

Thornhill Library

The library presents two films "Big Horn" and "Wildlife Sanctuaries of India" for 6-12 year olds Saturday at 10 am at the Royal Orchard Public School.

Register now for the library's Winter Break Program at 10 Colborne Street. Dates are as follows: Monday 10:30 am - Easter egg decorating demonstration, age limit seven years and up; Tuesday 10:30 am - crafts, age limits kindergarten and up; Wednesday 10:30 am - yoga demonstration, age limit nine years and up.

The first meeting of Talk-In was held at the library Wednesday evening of last week. There were 15 present, a good number for a discussion. And they really did discuss. The book was "What Made Sammy Run." The next meeting will be March 22, and the book scheduled is Eric Fromme's.

Horticultural Society

The regular meeting of the horticultural society will take place Tuesday at 8 pm at the North Thornhill Recreation Centre, Royal Orchard Boulevard. The speaker is Mrs. Mary Ferguson FSPA, of Thornhill. She is widely known for her mature pictures. The subject will be Mountain Wildflowers of The West. Other features of the meeting are distribution of year books, plant sales and draw prizes. Refreshments will be served. Visitors are more than welcome.

Members are reminded of the tour to Bedford Park Rose Greenhouses, 114 Crosby Avenue, Richmond Hill Saturday at 2 pm.

Thornhill Secondary News

The drama club presented "The Children's Hour" by Lillian Hellman, on March 1 and 2. It is the story of two teachers in a private girls' school and of a scandal caused by the girls.

There were 15 in the cast, but a second cast was used the second night, so many had an opportunity to be in the production. Auditions were held for all students interested. But since most of those who are theatre-minded are in the theatrical arts courses, the cast, stage crew, etc. came from those classes. The lighting was handled by the electronics club.

South Thornhill And Bayview Glen News

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Ladies Club

Doncaster Community Ladies Club members Thursday of last week had a very enjoyable evening celebrating the 25th anniversary of this active community organization. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Anna Wiemann, 27 Johnson Avenue. Fifteen members and three former members were present.

Two of the guests were at the original gathering back on March 12, 1947—Mrs. Dulcie Law, now of Arthur and a former resident and Mrs. Elva Angel, now living in Willowdale. Mrs. Lillian Peacock, Thornhill, also a former president, returned for the special gathering.

Mrs. Harry Mizen, Sprucewood Drive, a member at the beginning of the club, has always been a member and is still a member and was on hand for the 25th birthday party.

A delicious buffet supper, including punch bowl, was served. Four beautiful plants were donated by Wain's Florists and were raffled off. The proceeds were earmarked for community work. One plant was sent to a member who was unable to attend because of illness. The draw was won by Anna Wiemann, Muriel Malinski and Susan Merk.

The 1972-73 executive was installed as follows: President Susan Merk, Secretary May Barbour, Vice-President Muriel Malinski, Treasurer Jean Carle, Sewing Convener Anna Wiemann, Welfare Convener Queenie Jordan and Social Convener Zella Edgar.

As a memento of the occasion all members received a Doncaster Ladies Club pin in the shape of a spray of maple leaves with the name of the club on the ribbon binding them.

There were many laughs over the games enjoyed by all.

Snowmobile Trek

Steve Jackson of 15 Thornlea Drive, leader of a group of men who plan to travel from Cochrane to Churchill on snowmobiles, has announced several changes in plans.

First date of departure is now set for March 20 instead of March 17. Secondly, four men and four machines will make the strenuous journey as Doug Lazenby of Woodstock had to withdraw.

Thornhill, Janice Burns, Terry Walton, Murray Stranks, Denise Kramreither, Maureen Carey, Len Terry, Barry Bush, Liz Andrade, Miller, Barb Webb, Gerald Martindale, Susan Raymond, Leslie Feller, Allison MacKenzie, Sue Jones, Pirjo Roininen, Nancy Meikle, Lori Cox, Susan Carr and Ruth Barrett. Lights were by David Still and Steve Price; Stage by Owen Burgess and Kirk Rae; Publicity Karen Kiddey, Tony Gaglione and Committee Cover design (program) Tony Gaglione; Makeup Diane Jacobs and committee; assistant director Kim Foster; with director Isaac Pfaff.

Mr. Pfaff also teaches the theatre arts courses. He was very pleased with the production. He felt that out of the 67 plays he has produced, this was one of the best. These are very talented young people, he said.

Church News

At the morning service at Holy Trinity Anglican the Reverend Canon William Askew, predecessor to Canon Reginald Howden, preached. Mrs. Irene Askew was also present. They leave this diocese to go to Newfoundland where Canon Askew will be the Rector of St. Thomas' Anglican in St. John's.

Thornhill Presbyterian held a family night March 3. It began with dessert and coffee or soft drinks.

Jim Henry contributed the most beautifully decorated cakes, each with an Easter egg crowning it. This was followed by an Easter egg hunt throughout the building. Then children and adults saw a movie: "The Power Of The Resurrection."

The film was exceedingly well done, very moving and interpreted the resurrection. Everybody, no matter what age, was impressed. The evening was planned by Donald Timmey, the Sunday school superintendent. The attendance was most gratifying.

The Fortnights held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Cathy Anderson, Kirk Drive. The subject for study this year is Central Africa and the group have chosen to do their own research and make their own presentations. By this method they are learning much

more than they would otherwise. A panel of three, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Laura McDonald and Mrs. Rosemary Herbert — as three young African women — discussed their situation. There were maps available and afterwards there was a quiz. A very satisfactory meeting.

The Thornhill United Men's Club held its regular meeting on February 28. Unit 1 of the UCW was responsible for the supper, with Mrs. Betty McBride convening it. Captain Dory Hiltz of the House of Commons spoke of the work carried on there. He was most informative and many questions were asked by his audience.

This week marks the closing of the After-4 second session. Today (Thursday) will be the last day for a very successful 10 weeks. On Tuesday Mr. Dress-Up came to visit and both the Tuesday and Thursday groups attended.

Scottish Dancing

A parents' morning was held at the Scottish dancing lessons on Saturday morning. A surprising and very satisfactory number of dancing parents and relatives came to admire their children's efforts.

Reverend Alf McAllister welcomed the guests (the sessions use the United Church hall). Presentations were made by Jennifer Lea (on behalf of the parents and pupils) to the two teachers, Mrs. Frances Gray and Mrs. Elizabeth Rodgers. Also a cheque was given to Mr. McAllister for the After-4 project.

The junior class did the Leap Year Jig, and the advanced juniors did Lady Catherine Bruce's Reel. Both these groups were taught by Mrs. Gray. The intermediate class presented the Thornhill Jig with choreography by Mrs. Rogers. The intermediates presented Luchenboothie Brooch.

The seniors danced two numbers, St. John's River Strath Spey, a Centennial project from New Brunswick and the Peat Fire Flame. Mrs. Gray was their teacher.

It is amazing how much the classes learn in one short winter. The 1st Langstaff Guide

Company would like to congratulate the following badge achievers: collector Anne-Marie Michkowsky; cook Susan Daniel, Anne-Marie Michkowsky, Michelle Clusiau; homemaker Gail Goldstein; laundress Michelle Clusiau, Tanis Manahan; pet keeper Brenda Masson; physical fitness Michelle Clusiau; singer Brenda Masson, Tanis Manahan, Michelle Clusiau; skater Mary Warren, Michelle Clusiau, Susan Daniel, Brenda Masson, Jill Andrews, Susan Clark, Anne-Marie Michkowsky; skier Michelle Clusiau; team sport Anne Dory Hiltz of the House of Commons; writer Tanis Manahan, Michelle Clusiau.

Of Interest

Ted Yard Junior of Shady Lane Crescent flew on Friday of last week to Sault Ste. Marie to a ski meet competing for the Ontario Cup. This is the second meet. The first was in Ottawa three weeks ago and he was there too. The third one takes place in Thunder Bay during the school break and he has to carry out other plans at that time. He attends Thornlea Secondary.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pherrill of John Street returned from California last week. Mr. Pherrill was on sabbatical leave to attend a course at the University of Los Angeles in the graduate department of education. It consisted largely of visiting schools in the area and discussing them. The school of education has certain jurisdiction over a number of schools for this purpose.

Pherrill found it very interesting. The educators are facing the same problems as we, including lack of money. He felt well satisfied that our York Region schools were doing a slightly better job, if anything! He found Berkeley different because there is a great deal of communication between the public, trustees, and teachers. The operation of the Board in this set-up was fascinating. (In fact the constituency is the "meeting-est" he has ever come across).

Mrs. Pherrill who broke her arm in Hawaii, is on the road to recovery. But it is a very slow process.

Pherrill is going to Washington and Philadelphia to see some contacts this coming week. Then he goes to Great Britain for another look at schools.

Girl Guide News

The 1st Langstaff Guide

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Elect Thornhill Lutheran Council Girls In Saris On Missions Night

By MARGARET GOVAN

At the annual congregational meeting of Christ the King Lutheran the following persons were elected to the church council: Mrs. Ruth Boothby, Albert Kehrl, Douglas Macpherson, Fred Neitzert and Andrew Russ.

At the church council meeting this executive was elected: President Pastor Arnold Weigel, Vice-President Fred Neitzert, Secretary Mrs. Ruth Boothby, Treasurer Douglas Macpherson, Financial Secretary Douglas Keffer.

It was Missions Night on February 13 at Christ the King Lutheran, sponsored by the women of the church.

A capacity crowd enjoyed a varied and interesting program highlighted by missionary Reverend Eric Rebles' slide presentation.

The church was beautifully decorated with art pieces on loan from the Government of India Tourist Office, as well as a large selection of items from Mr. Subir Basu's Store called Imported Crafts-n-Rugs.

Several interest centres were displayed depicting Christianity in India, Religions, Hinduism and Problems Facing India Today. One section was devoted to tourism and geographical displays.

Teenagers dressed in saris acted as hostesses and entertainment was provided by CTE Youth and a children's choir.

Pastor Rebles' comment was that on all his travels he had never participated in a missions festival that made him feel as much at home in India as the one presented by the Women of Christ the King Church.



(Photo by Gordon Crandell)

Minor Peewees Of Thornhill Win First Two In Ontario Semi-Finals

MINOR PEEWEE

Thornhill's exciting OMHA Minor Peewees, sponsored by H&S Reliance Limited Photo Engravers, met Whitby last week in the first two games of the Ontario "AA" semi-final. This is a best-of-five series and Thornhill won the first two games by identical scores of 4-2. The third game will be played in Brooklyn arena today (Thursday).

Thornhill 4, Whitby 2

The first game was played in Brooklyn on Thursday of last week and turned out to be a very tough affair. Thornhill led in share of play, number of body checks and the all-important final score.

Whitby opened the scoring, but Thornhill came back quickly when Wayne Grant scored from Scott Burkart and Richy Buchan. Whitby then went ahead 2-1. Once again Thornhill bounced back to tie the game when Eric Coyne scored from David Johns.

The game remained tied until late in the third period when the ever-dependable Scott Howson scored the winning goal, assisted by Greg Warga.

With a minute to go, Whitby pulled their goaltender and Scott Howson scored the insurance goal into the empty net. Jamie Davidson played a solid game in goal for Thornhill and everyone played well in this fine team effort.

Scott Burkart played a great game for Thornhill, handing out several stiff body checks and moving the puck out of the Thornhill zone. Penalties proved costly to Thornhill in this game as both Whitby goals came when Thornhill was shorthanded.

Thornhill 4, Whitby 2

The second game took place at Doublinink Saturday of last week with Thornhill leading all the way and winning by a score the same as in the first game.

Whitby came up with a strong team effort but the big red machine could not be stopped. Whitby seemed determined to physically punish the Thornhill boys and several injuries resulted on both sides.

Buchan opened the scoring in the first period when he flipped in a rebound after a fine rush by Grant. Howson scored unassisted to give Thornhill a 2-0 lead. But in the second period Whitby made the score 2-1.

In the third period Rick Booker's persistence around the Whitby net paid off with a goal, assisted by Coyne.

Late in the third period, Whitby put the pressure on and made up the score 3-2. They pulled their goaltender in an attempt to tie the score, but Howson once again made the strategy backfire when he scored his second empty-net goal in two games.

The whole team deserves honorable mention for this game. The forwards passed the puck with precision and played an aggressive back-checking game. Jamie Davidson turned in another fine performance in goal, stopping 14 shots. Carl Clutchey and Tim Coughlin did a great job of penalty killing.

The Thornhill defense of Burkart, Johns, Warga and Haggerty turned in another great game, stopping the Whitby attack consistently and moving the puck out of danger.

In the third game in this best-of-five series, the Thornhill boys are of course hoping for a win so they can move into the Ontario finals.

THORNHILL INTER-FAITH COMMUNITY ECUMENICAL Lent Sunday Night SERVICES

Conducted by Thornhill Ministerial Assoc. THEME: "Let not your heart be troubled" — St. John's Gospel, Chapters 13 to 17. March 19, 7 p.m. at Thornhill United Church. Conducting: Rev. Arnold Weigel. Preaching: Rev. D. Evans. Subject: "The Ministry of Reconciliation". Service greatly enriched by an Ecumenical Choir. Social Hour of Fellowship following service. EVERYONE INVITED

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Thornhill OMHA Bantams Defeat Camp Borden, Fall To Red Wings

The Thornhill Bantams, sponsored by Jack Spanton's Commercial Plumbing and Heating, continued to play good basic "heads-up" hockey. They have won the first round of the North York Playdowns by eliminating Camp Borden. But then they lost to the strong Toronto Red Wing team.

Thornhill 2, Red Wings 4

This game on Monday of last week was much closer than the score indicates, as one of the opponent's goals was scored into an empty net. Bill Sim scored both goals for Thornhill and played an outstanding game both ways.

Dino Pantelone played a strong game in the net and stopped many difficult shots. Although this game was lost, the team spirit and effort was much in evidence. Each player is to be congratulated for his performance.

Thornhill 4, Camp Borden 1

The Bantams travelled to Camp Borden for the first game of the North York Playdowns. Facing the second place team which they had not managed to defeat in four previous outings, the boys soon made it known that they came to play hockey. With an outstanding two-way effort, they downed Camp Borden 4-1.

Rocky Pantelone showed what he can do when he concentrates on hockey by scoring the hat trick and playing a strong game both ways. The remaining goal was scored by Jim McLaughlin on a beautiful tip-in of a shot by Mark Steele. Mike Johns netted two assists, with singles going to Sim and Dave Brown.

A rare assist went to the goalie Dino Pantelone, who was really spectacular in goal. The line of McLaughlin, Sim and John Campbell has played some excellent hockey of late. Keep up the good work, boys.

Thornhill 2, Camp Borden 1

Sparked by a great effort in the nets by Brian Murley (who stopped many labelled shots, including a breakaway), the team eliminated Camp Borden on Saturday.

McLaughlin scored both goals with assists from Steele, Campbell and Cal McCathy. The three-man defensive team of Steele, McCathy and Jim Rennicks stood out in this team effort.

Ross Gordon played a strong checking game and contained the opposition many times in their end of the ice, when they had a man advantage.

A large part of the team's success recently rests with the goalie combination of Pantelone and Murley. They have come up with one spectacular effort after another.

3-Straight Over Trenton

Thornhill's Juveniles Enter Ontario Finals

A magnificent team effort, led by Bob MacIntosh and Paul DeMarco, put the Thornhill Juveniles into the OMHA All-Ontario Finals. With an unspooled record of no losses and no ties, and by winning all the playoffs in straight games, Thornhill eliminated Trenton in the semi-finals.

Three games in four nights against the powerful Trenton Juveniles left the Thornhill team looking forward to a rest this weekend. Short-handed because of injuries, Thornhill won 9-6 in Trenton Thursday of last week, 6-1 at the Doublinink Saturday and 6-4 after the second journey to Trenton.

Bob MacIntosh scored seven goals and earned three assists in spite of an intensive effort by Trenton to stop him. Paul DeMarco got three goals and three assists. Ian McKay notched four goals and two assists.

Dave O'Brian scored four times. Norm Ast scored once and contributed four assists. Bruce Perrins notched one of each. Randy Nagg scored once and Bot Kenney assisted once.

After a well-deserved rest this weekend, the team is looking forward to entering the All-Ontario Finals. As yet, there is no indication of who or where they'll play.

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