

KIWANIS MUSIC FESTIVAL OFF



(Photo by Jack Mitchell)

Two Awards At Kiwanis Festival

Michael Parkinson, 12, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Parkinson of Courtham Crescent, Thornhill, won two awards at the recent Kiwanis Festival in Toronto. A grade 8 student at Woodland Senior School, Michael has been studying accordion for six years. He entered the Kiwanis Music Festival for the first time last year and placed third in his class.

This year Michael scored 86 points for first place in the free bass accordion category and third in the stradella category. He is studying under Glen Sawyck at the Royal Conservatory of Music in Toronto and plays in an accordion band which plays at numerous events in the area and has travelled to festivals in other parts of Canada and the U.S.

Michael is also an enthusiastic hockey player, a member of the Thornhill House League All-Star Team, and is active in Scouting.

Playboy Popular With Hoods

Playboy Magazine is the latest of its kind to be removed from the local scene, but this time York Regional Police can't be blamed. A quantity of the magazines was taken from a truck belonging to Metro News, Scarborough, which was making deliveries on Yonge Street North in the Oak Ridges area of Richmond Hill, March 14.

During the past six months, Regional Police twice advised local news dealers to remove copies of Playboy Magazine from their stands or face prosecution because of its alleged obscene material.

There were also numerous other thefts in Richmond Hill during the week.

Reitman's Ladies Wear, 250 Yonge Street North, had its front window smashed by someone who pushed a shopping cart through it and then fled in a red car with a racing stripe on its hood.

Value of the window was \$350.

Another incident in the same area resulted in the theft of three women's pantsuits valued at \$100, from a car belonging to Joseph Fishbein of Toronto.

The car was parked on the Richmond Heights Plaza lot at the time.

Damage amounting to \$200 was done to several coin boxes and \$75 in cash was taken from Sofspray Car

Wash, 76 Bayview Avenue, between March 13 and 14.

Gordon Walker, 52 Hunt Avenue, reported the theft of two ladders tied to roof racks on his car, at the Richmond Hill Arena, March 18.

The ladders were valued at \$141.

Samuel Miller, 126 Arnold Crescent, told police his house had been broken into between March 17 and 18, and various rooms searched.

However, it was not known if anything was taken.

At Crosby Heights Senior Public School, 11 panes of glass valued at \$75, were broken.

Dudley Avenue continues to be a popular spot for thieves in the Thornhill area of Markham.

Three residents of an apartment block at 170, reported thefts from or damage to their cars while they were parked in an underground garage at the above address.

Robert Cadwell had \$175 worth of tapes taken, while David Hall lost a wallet containing his credit cards and other papers. Value \$50.

John Davis, 111 Wellington Street, Markham, reported the theft of \$340 from his apartment by someone who gained entry through an unlocked window.

In the Concord area of Vaughan, vandals poured sugar in the gas tanks of six trucks on the premises, causing \$1,000 damage.

At the Doublerink Arenas, a dressing room was broken into and two sets of pads belonging to Thornhill Church hockey team, were stolen sometime during the week.

Two lamps valued at \$75 in front of the home of Lewis Rice, RR 2, Maple, were smashed by vandals.

Richard Thomson, 67 Elm-grove Avenue, Oak Ridges, reported the theft of a tape player and 16 tapes from his car while it was parked at King City Arena lot.

Value of the goods is \$188.

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LANGSTAFF NEWS

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84 Garden Avenue, Phone 889-4553

The York Educational Clinic is sponsoring a dinner dance on April 12 at the Bayview Country Club.

The special stars of the evening will be Nimmons 'n' Nine + 6 for a Big Band Sound to dance by and guest artist Oscar Peterson, the internationally known pianist.

Television Comedian Gordie Tapp will be the master of ceremonies for the evening.

It will start at 7 and the price is \$12.50 per person.

The above talent has been donated to this cause.

The clinic is a school for children with learning disabilities that was organized eight years ago by a group of parents of such children. It operates in the top floor of the United Church of Richmond Hill and is staffed by highly qualified personnel and run in co-operation with the Ontario Association For Children With Learning Disabilities.

The event is the one big fund-raising item of the year and will partially defray the costs of the salaries so fees can be lower than they are in Toronto schools and children who need this training can get it even though their parents are in a lower tax bracket. For

tickets call Mrs. Caroline Cook at 889-4553 after 5.

Young people and others who are looking for six weeks of summer employment might be interested in applying to the Richmond Hill Parks and Recreation Department for a job as senior leader, assistant leader or junior leader. The summer program will run from July 2 to August 10.

Applications should be sent to Al White, 56 Yonge Street North, Richmond Hill, Ontario.

The ladies of the ACW of Emmanuel Church are collecting items of clothing, toys and white elephants for their rummage sale to be held on April 7. Mrs. Fran Turberville will accept calls to arrange for pick-up at 889-1891.

Mrs. Sylvia Hamblin and Mrs. Joyce Walters have everything ready for the St. Patrick's card and euchre party on March 23 in the Parish Hall of Emmanuel Anglican Church, 15 MacKay Drive, Richvale.

The tickets are \$1 at the door and there will be prizes and delicious refreshments.

Charles Howitt School is the place for registration of all boys and girls who wish to play minor ball this summer. The dates of registration are March 31 and April 7 from noon to 3 pm.

RICHVALE RECORD

Neighborhood Notes

The trustees of the York Educational Clinic met March 13, and decided to paint their own quarters at Richmond Hill United during the mid-winter school break.

Plans were finalized for the "Celebrity Night" dinner dance. This year, Oscar Peterson and Gordie Tapp are appearing. There will be dancing to Phil Nimmons and his band at Bayview Country Club, Steeles Avenue April 12. Tickets are available from Carol McDonald, 889-2705.

Helpmate Information would be delighted to hear from anyone wishing to become involved as volunteers in this community. Another training course begins March 26 at Richmond Hill Public Library, 7:30-9:30 pm. Please call 884-2727 for further information. Drivers also are urgently needed.

Come out and enjoy yourselves—meet other members of your community. Everyone is welcome to the Flapjack Fling presented by Ward 6 (Richvale) Centennial Princess Committee at Langstaff Secondary April 7 from 10 am - 12 noon. Adults, \$2, children (under 12) 50c. Food—fun—entertainment! Please support your local Centennial project and obtain tickets in advance from Marnie Twidale, 889-1401; Carol McDonald, 889-2705; Jessie Wainwright, 884-1186; or Shirley Stanley, 884-4127.

The Lions celebrated St. Patrick's Day with a dance in the hall on Spruce Avenue. Many turned out to enjoy themselves, despite the stormy weather.

A reminder about euchre, next week, (the last Thursday of the month) 7:45 pm in the Lions hall.

Registration for minor ball for the Richvale-Langstaff area of Richmond Hill will be held Saturdays, March 31 and April 7 at Charles Howitt Public School between the hours of noon and 3 pm. Registrations from both boys and girls wishing to play ball this summer will be accepted.

Public Library
The movie "Cinderella", a Walt Disney production is being shown as a feature for the Winter Break March 24 at 10 am. Open to all—free of charge.

The following new books have just arrived in our branch:
The Odessa File by Frederick Forsyth, author of the Jackal. The sinister web of an organization that protects former members of the Nazi S.S. is exposed.
Rule Britannia by Daphne Du Maurier. Suspense and humor in a tale of future England, united with the United States and an Englishwoman who wants Eng-

land's independence.

Smokescreen by Dick Francis. Another topnotch racehorses story, set in South Africa, with a film star as hero.

Marion Davies by Fred Guiles. The story of a Ziegfeld Follies girl who became the mistress of William Randolph Hearst, who gave her everything she wanted but marriage.

The Songs of Paul Simon. A collection of words, music and photographs of Simon and Garfunkel.

Up Against City Hall by John Sewell. Written pre-1972 election, this is a fascinating story of big-city politics, from the viewpoint of Toronto's best-known radical.

YWCA
Mothers' Take A Break activities in Richvale are going great. A group of mothers gathered at the library March 14 to learn the art of make-up from Marg Collett, McKay Drive, while their pre-schoolers were concentrating on Mary Decanti's story - telling. Another group recently started on Fridays at Emmanuel Church, McKay Drive, had a good turnout of 18 mothers; eight of them being new to the group, and one came from as far away as Aurora. They enjoyed gymnastics with Helga Welge, of Maryvale Cres. Afterwards, Ann Rogalsky, Birch Avenue, gave a most interesting demonstration on how to make painted glass jar candleholders, in a most decorative way. Gudrin Lotz, of Oak Avenue was babysitter.

Anyone wishing to offer the group a half hour of piano playing for the gymnastics, would be really appreciated, 9:30-10 am. The next program starts after the winter break, March 30. Barb Mann, from Family Services, will come and talk over coffee about her very valuable organization, which has offices over the YWCA.

The following ladies—Ann Rogalsky, Lillian Sova, June Bernie, Althea Taylor and myself, met at Ann's home March 12 to form a steering committee to plan future events and craft sessions for this group. Marg East, program co-ordinator felt there were many talents the local ladies have to offer to their community, so that the program has every chance of expanding.

It is to be hoped that many of our new neighbors in the BAIF development, likewise older residents of North and East Richvale, will join us any Friday, 9:30-11:30 am or the one meeting during pre-schooler's story hour Tuesdays, 10:30-11:30 am.

Church News
Public school religion classes will resume after the winter break, March 27, 4 pm at St. Mary Immaculate School, Trayborn Drive. For those interested in

making the trip to Mary Lake, there will be a German Mass March 25 at 3 pm.

Hockey Events
Despite sleet, and hail, the crowds turned out to support the Richvale Minor Hockey League in attending a most attractive bazaar that the following ladies had put so much effort into making a success. Glenda Thorsell, from the BAIF development was convener. She welcomed everyone in out of the cold with a hot cup of coffee and pop for the kids, both free of charge.

Sue Vorich was kept busy with the refreshments and the sale of these were Eileen Jones of RR 2, Markham, clock radio; and L. Lazzar, 39 Elm Drive, Thornhill a 400 day clock.

The bake table had a most appetizing array of bread, cakes, pies, and cookies served by Phyllis Vorich and Vicki March, Pat Mayhew, Jackie Gregorash and Marnie Twidale displayed a large variety of crafts and knitted items in a most attractive booth. Many of these, creations of Pat's mother, were much appreciated.

A wide selection of clothing, linens, and household items made the white elephant table another inviting one, managed by Lynn Cromb and Joan Celsie. Other popular items for sale were the potted chrysanthemums, which gave a colorful look to the hall.

Although I felt the ladies who organized this bazaar deserved great commendation, for their time and efforts, they assured me it

was the generous donations they had received, that made their venture possible, and wished me to thank everyone who had sent contributions week hence, is the night of the big hockey dance to wind up the first season, at the Lions hall, Centre Street East, Richmond Hill; featuring buffet supper, refreshments, door and dance prizes. \$7 a couple. Tickets are available from the executive, or phone me, 889-5787.

Novice and Tykes
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The amendment will be discussed by Council on
MONDAY, MARCH 26th, 1973 at 2:30 P.M. in the Council Chambers 56 Yonge Street North
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