



Jim's Country Dancers will be among those providing entertainment at **Richmond Hill's 125th Annual Fair** this weekend. The children, age six to 13, are making their second appearance at the fair and will be on stage on Saturday from 2:15 to 3 pm and 5 to 6 pm and on Sunday from 1:30 to 2:30 pm.

Linda Hare, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hare of Kerswell Drive, is one of a small group of honor students to take part in a recital in the Royal Conservatory of Music concert hall in Toronto April 19. A grade 10 piano pupil of **James Lawless** of Forest Hill, Linda auditioned along with conservatory students from all over Metro in February. A grade 11 student at **Bayview Secondary School** in Richmond Hill, she is looking forward to going to **Bavaria** in the fall, one of about 20 from the school taking part in an exchange program with schools in Germany.

Your social and club activities make interesting reading for "It's Happening in the Hill". Your friends and neighbors like to be kept up to date on vacation news, guests from out-of-town, a wide range of achievements and special projects and social events. This is a free service, but news items should be into the office by Monday for inclusion in the current issue. Address your news to Social Editor Margaret Lade, "The Liberal", 10101 Yonge Street, telephone 884-8177 or 881-3401.

Mrs. Margaret Southwell of Church Street South and her daughter, **Barbara of Vancouver** returned last week from a two week vacation in the West Indies where they spent a week on the **Island of Antigua** and on the **French Island of Guadeloupe** at the **Club Carabelle's Club Medeteranean**.

It was a wonderful spot for a holiday. Mrs. Southwell reports, for swimming, sailing, tennis, scuba diving, yoga or just relaxing. They took it all in, including volleyball and a French language lab. The French cuisine was marvellous and so varied that a gluttonous guest could spend the whole holiday just eating, sampling an enormous variety of dishes in the French style.

Barbara has returned to Vancouver where she is an airline stewardess and is working toward her master's degree in business science at the **University of British Columbia**.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE Duplicate bridge club winners April 29 were **Gordon Duncan** and **Al Lehman**, north-south first and **George Newton** and **Omar Khamissa** second. East-west winners were **Ruth and Gerry Browning** first and **John and Paul Harris** second.

On Wednesday winners were **Sandy Jenkinson** and **Edna Dunn** first and **Grace Saunders** and **Phyllis Mountjoy** second. On Friday north-south winners were **Marg McTavish** and **Kathy Millree** first, **Al Lehman** and **Florence Laundry** second, and east-west **Stewart and Marie Cole** first and **Larry Betts** and **Mike Dawson** second.

On Sunday there will be a two-session Swiss team tournament at **Aurora Legion**, Industry Street North, with games at 12 noon and 6 pm. On Monday there will be a novice side game for new and inexperienced duplicate players, and on May 17 and 24 it will be open pairs at the club. For information call **Marie Cole**, 773-4280.

Following the monthly meeting of **Richmond Hill Senior Citizens' Club** in Richmond Hill United Auditorium Monday, one of those present inadvertently went home with the wrong coat — a dark blue all-weather coat with a zipper inside. **Ted Hucks**, 21 Elizabeth Street, Apartment 204, discovered the mistake when he went to look for his coat. He found one of the same color and style that fitted him nicely — but it had no zipper. Mr. Hucks has the lining at home, and he would appreciate it very much if the owner of the coat he now has would contact him. His telephone number is 884-7346.

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PANEL DISCUSSION ON HOUSING at the ANNUAL MEETING of RICHMOND HILL & DISTRICT SOCIAL PLANNING COUNCIL on THURSDAY, MAY 16 - 8 P.M. at Don Head Secondary School, Major Mackenzie Drive, Richmond Hill
GUEST SPEAKER: Steve Laurie, Ont. Welfare Council

If you have any unused eyeglasses around the house, don't throw them out. Take them to **Braddock Optical** at Richmond Heights Centre. The **Richmond Hill Lions** will send them to people who need them but cannot afford to buy them.

Allenbrae Branch YCHA will be meeting at 8 pm on Monday at the home of Mrs. **Carmen Clephan**, 429 Osiris Drive. Speaker for the evening will be **Miss Valerie Gibson** of the **York Central Hospital's Mental Health Clinic**, Yonge Street North. Everyone is welcome.

Miss Pamela Kirby of Ruggles Avenue is honored at a miscellaneous shower given by Mrs. **Jean Cafley** and Mrs. **Helen Buchanan** at Mrs. Cafley's home on Lawrence Avenue.

Pamela received many beautiful gifts and warm wishes from 18 friends and neighbors who attended. Her marriage to **Danny Stiver** will take place June 1 in **Richmond Hill United Church**.

Local dance Teacher **Candy Turner** (Mrs. Robert Backus of Markham Road) was guest of honor at a shower at her studio on Yonge Street Sunday. Hostesses were two of her teachers, **Candy Darling** and **Patti Ranieri**. Nearly 100 pupils and parents turned out, presenting Mrs. Backus with an Italian pram, a mesh playpen, and numerous individual gifts for the anticipated addition to the Backus family.

The **UCW of Richmond Hill** United has set the date for its **Christmas Shopping Bazaar** — November 14. Convenors are **Ruth Coxford** and **Mary Dowsett**. Through the summer the women will be busy putting together stuffed toys, pot holders, pillow cases, guest towels, fancy luncheon cloths, and preparing jars of jam, jellies, pickles and preserves.

Convenors for the various booths are: **Sewing Julie Bowden**; **Knitting Ann Ellis**; **Aprons, pot holders, etc. Carol Waller**; **White Elephants Elizabeth Pyburn** and **Country Kitchen Betty Cook**.

President Tom Hetherington of **Richmond Hill Kinsmen Club** last week announced that the local club, along with other clubs of District 8, will be opening their drive for funds for research work being done on **cystic fibrosis**.

This dreaded children's respiratory disease, which is almost always fatal, is a major research project as scientists seek the cause and cure. Meanwhile the Kinsmen and Kinettes of the district hope to raise \$60,000 to finance the cystic fibrosis clinic at the **Hospital For Sick Children** in Toronto.

For further information about the local Kinsmen and their work call **Tom Hetherington** at 884-2535.

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The **1st Richmond Hill Guide Company** will be taking the bus to camp! At their meeting Monday the girls had a bake sale which was a big success and raised sufficient money to charter a bus to **Piper's Hill Guide Camp** at the end of May. Special thanks go to **Convenor Mrs. Ena Allen**, her helpers **Mrs. Shirley Cornish** and **Mrs. Rosemary Bennett** and the **Vincent Gallant** family.

The **men's club of St. Gabriel's Anglican** is having a corporate communion breakfast at 8 am Sunday. Following the breakfast, **Dr. Frank Fidler**, director of **Richmond Hill-Thornhill Family Services**, will address the group. All men are cordially invited.

The **church school at Richmond Hill United** (grades 3 to 7) will be having open house Sunday to celebrate their closing for the summer. Parents are invited from 9:45 to 10:45 am to see what has been going on during the spring term. Grade 6 has a home movie to show, grade 5 has been making puppets and grade 3 and 4 will sing a new song and serve light refreshments. **Nursery care** will be available during church services through the summer months, but regular classes of the church school will terminate on Sunday.

Richmond Hill Busy Bees are preparing for their fourth annual **D-Day Camp-out** June 7, 8 and 9 at **Albion Hills Conservation Area**. Since attendance is to be pre-registration only, they are asking everyone to register before May 25. Campers will get together on arrival for a hospitality evening.

Weekend events will include nail driving and log sawing contests, games for children of all ages, a horse shoe pitching contest, and the annual "Clean out your attic, garage and cellar — we'll accept anything reasonable" auction sale. For registration and information contact **Jim and Sally Milne**, 221 Browndale Crescent, Richmond Hill, 884-6785.

Senior Citizens Richmond Hill Senior Citizens Club is having a special **euchre, bridge and cribbage** party at the club room, 71 Centre Street East, at 7:30 pm May 16. Tickets are \$1 and proceeds are in aid of **York Central Hospital**. Everyone is welcome.

On May 23, the club is sponsoring a **mystery trip** in the region of **Niagara**. Tickets for the day-long trip are \$6. There will be a dinner stop, but those making the trip should carry along a lunch basket.

On the leaflets handed out at the meeting Monday, the date of the **annual bazaar** was inadvertently left off the calendar of coming events. It will be held **October 26** at the club room. Anyone wishing to help by sewing, crocheting or knitting may obtain materials at the club room any afternoon.

Bird Hike This Sunday Morning
Explore the bird world with a naturalist: "Get to know the birds" is the special weekend program planned for Sunday at the **Claireville Conservation Area**. The hike and talk, sponsored by the **Metro Conservation Authority**, gets underway at 10:00 am.

Led by **Peter Iden**, a prominent Toronto Naturalist and author of the **Toronto Bird Finding Guide**, this outing offers an opportunity to observe and learn about many of the interesting and colorful varieties of birds returning to southern Ontario, as well as those stopping on their annual migration to the north country.

It is just one of many events scheduled for this year by the authority. **Claireville** is located on Highway 7, one mile west of Highway 50. For further information please contact **Metro Conservation** at 630-9780.

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More than 250 friends and relatives turned out Saturday to an open house at **Victoria Square Community Centre** in honor of Mr. and Mrs. **Jesse Dewsbury**, Centre Street West, who were celebrating their **Diamond Wedding Anniversary**. Both were born and raised in **Whitchurch Township**, and their wedding 60 years ago took place in **Stouffville**. They lived for a time in **Gormley**, then in **Victoria Square**. They moved to **Richmond Hill** 52 years ago to live in a house on **Mill Street** constructed by **Mr. Dewsbury**, a carpenter and builder of many homes in the area. They later moved to another house built by **Mr. Dewsbury** on **Wright Street** and lived there until a year ago when they moved into an apartment. The former **Anna Sider**, Mrs. Dewsbury has been ac-

live in the **Women's Institute** for many years and is still an active and talented quilter. Both are members of **Richmond Hill United Church** and members of **Richmond Hill Senior Citizens Club**. They have three daughters, **Lenore** (Mrs. **John Rumble**) of **Gilford**, **Grace** (Mrs. **John Ough**) of **Barrie**,

and **Blanche** (Mrs. **Sheldon Walker**) of **Cameron**. They also have 11 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. **Anna**, 80, and **Jesse**, 83, are pictured above before a table covered with a cloth crocheted by Mrs. Dewsbury many years ago and set with a wedding cake trimmed

with red roses. The floral arrangements were made of red and white roses, and the anniversary couple received innumerable additional bouquets of flowers and cards bearing best wishes.

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