



An evening of fun, food, and fellowship has been planned for all women parishioners of St. Mary's Anglican for June 5, when the annual pot luck supper will be held at Wrixon Hall.

ACW President Lillian Dyson is pleased to report the guest speaker will be the well-known local resident, Mrs. Flavia Redemier, whose many interests will ensure an entertaining talk.

Supper will be served at 7 pm, but since fruit punch will be dispensed at 6:30, members are invited for that time, and are reminded to bring along their favorite main course, salad or dessert, cutlery, plate, and cup.

A well known Richmond Hill couple, Marg and Al Blackburn of Ruggles Avenue, were taken by surprise on Saturday when they arrived at the home of their son, Bob and daughter-in-law Gail, Kerrybrook Drive, to find friends, relatives and family from far and wide assembled for a dinner party in honor of their 40th wedding anniversary. It was a double celebration, for it was also Mr. Blackburn Sr.'s birthday. It was quite a reunion, and all present extended a hearty "Congratulations" to the anniversary couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Cook of Hunt Avenue celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary Saturday with a buffet supper attended by friends, neighbors and relatives, including members of the original wedding party who came from Newmarket and Aurora for the occasion. There was an anniversary cake and gifts, cards and flowers galore. The Cooks have lived in the Hill ever since their marriage in 1934.

The men's club of St. Gabriel's Anglican will be having their last communion breakfast of the season at 8 am Sunday. The guest speaker will be Canon Rolly Hill. All men are welcome.

Sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. William Hazell, Kerrybrook Drive, in the passing of her mother, Mrs. Royden MacCallum of Aurora May 19.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. William Wagner of Richmond Street on the arrival of their first great-grandchild, Stephanie Grace Gieckes, on May 23 in Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal.

During the major part of the past two and a half months, Mr. Wagner has been busy designing and building a wooden chest for toys and baby clothes for this event. The chest is made of mahogany interior with white rock elm and gold stripes on the exterior.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the 4th Richmond Hill Cubs, Scouts and Venturers which meet at St. Mary's Anglican Church are happy to report that their annual spring bridge and euchre night held recently was a great success. The ladies are deeply appreciative of the support of these most worthwhile boys' groups by those who purchased tickets, and lent a helping hand. A special thank you is voiced to the merchants who so generously donated prizes.

How many people in Richmond Hill received a piece of Princess Anne's wedding cake? Mrs. Dorothy Price of Fernleigh Circle did. It was delivered in person by recent visitors to the Hill, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hodges of Harrow, England.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodges are very interested in work among handicapped children (especially spastic). While they were here they visited Thornhaven School and ARC Industries. The classrooms, equipment, shops, craft rooms and happy atmosphere really amazed them. They also visited the local library and town hall.

Princess Anne is patron of the work among handicapped children in England and had given a layer of her cake for distribution to interested friends. On a recent visit to England, Mrs. Price had visited a school for spastics with her friends, for she is also interested in aiding the handicapped. The gift of cake was a surprising acknowledgement of her interest.

This month the Women's Association of the Presbyterian Church had as guest speaker Miss Marie Corbett of the law firm of Smith and Corbett, Toronto. President Mrs. Zelma Ross opened the meeting with a devotional period. Mrs. Claudine Wallace told the story from the New Testament of Lydia, seller of purple and the first career woman spoken of in the Bible. Mrs. Margaret Docherty led in prayer.

Secretary Mrs. Isabelle Smith introduced Miss Corbett who was graduated from McGill University with a BA degree, received an LLB degree from the University of Toronto Law School, and her Bar Admission from Osgoode Hall in 1970. For two years Miss Corbett was employed in municipal litigations for the City of Toronto legal department.

She is the first vice-president of the Rosedale-St. David PC Association, executive secretary of the Ontario Legal Aid Task Force, president of the Canadian Environmental Law Association and chairman of the Justice Committee, Ontario Status of Women Council.

To illustrate the vast growth of interest of women in this latter body, Mrs. R. Acomb and she had gone to hear Miss Corbett at OISE as moderator of a panel which included Laura Sabia, Barbara Frum, two law professors and Mrs. Rathwell. Both audiences were crowded to capacity although the press had predicted otherwise.

Miss Corbett spoke on Family Property Law, which is to be changed for the first time in 150 years. The Attorney-General is preparing a film to get public reaction and the Status of Women Council is organizing a workshop for October. After considerable discussion Miss Corbett admonished her audience to be aware of existing laws and any current changes. She invited questions on legal matters and graciously answered these in detail.

Mrs. Florie Smith thanked the speaker and presented her with a suitable gift.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Doris Tilt and Mrs. Myrtle Bennett.

St. George's Anglican camping weekend begins Friday and ends with the parish picnic Sunday. The double bill is scheduled for the Aurora Conference Centre at \$3 per night for camping. Non-campers will head for Aurora and the picnic immediately after the 10:30 am service, attending church in picnic clothes.

Sunday 8 am, Wednesday 10 am and 7 pm services will continue at St. Mary's Anglican all summer long. However Sunday June 30 to July 23 inclusive parishioners will worship at Richmond Hill United at 10:30 am. In August and the first Sunday in September, the 10:30 am services will be at St. Mary's for both congregations.

NEWSPAPER COLLECTION
The students of Richmond Hill High School are extending their area for collection of newspapers in Richmond Hill. They now cover the territory from the railway tracks west to Pleasantville, from Markham-Vaughan Road to Oxford Street.

Monday is collection day. The students will be out immediately after school, so please have your papers securely tied in bundles and placed at the end of the driveway for easy and fast pickup.

In last week's account of the ladies afternoon bridge marathon sponsored by the Inner Wheel of the Rotary Club, two very important names were omitted from the list of prize winners. High total score for the year was chalked up by Shirley Daly and second high total Ruth Miller. Tied for third high total were Pat Cosford and Marie Kay. (These two were erroneously reported to have high total). The luncheon finale at the Summit View Restaurant May 15 topped off a most enjoyable year for the 68 members of the bridge marathon.

Richmond Hill Chapter 302, Order of the Eastern Star, celebrated its 15th birthday at its regular meeting May 21 in Wrixon Hall. Worthy Matron Dorothy Tucker and Worthy Patron Lyn Tucker welcomed 135 members and visitors.

Peggy Mills, Worthy Matron of Northcliff Chapter, made an interesting speech on behalf of the Emerald Matrons.

Among the guests were Robert Cooper, Past Grand Patron of the Grand Chapter of Ontario, Mary Smith, Estare Committee Member of the Grand Chapter of Ontario, and Mary Dawson, District Deputy Grand Matron, District 19.

The draw on a handmade cape was won by Lois Scott a member of Richmond Hill Chapter, and the birthday 50-50 draw was won by Emma Oden, Worthy Matron of Aloha Chapter.

The speaker system was presented by the Past Matrons of Richmond Hill and was accepted by Worthy Matron Dorothy Tucker on behalf of the chapter.

An amusing skit, "The Bridal Shower - or Something" written by Cliff Fox followed. Taking part were Bev Anderson (Mrs. Iva Goetrocs) Connie Snaith (Grandma Goetrocs) Evelyn Miller (Miss Raquel Squeleh), Elsie McGrandel (Miss Notta Hope), Pat Hall (Miss Hava Chance), Jan Robbins (Hortense) and Mavis Cates (Mrs. Hank Widenshort).

Refreshments were served by Zetta Thurston and her committee.

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Wizard Of Oz Hits Pleasantville
Pupils of Pleasantville Public School, Richmond Hill, played to an enthusiastic audience at both matinee and evening performances of "The Wizard of Oz" on May 15. Performers were mainly grade 7 students, and the play was written and directed by grade 7 Student Darryl Wright assisted by Teacher Mrs. Carol Kretsch. The students created their own costumes, sets, sound effects and lighting, with grade 6 students providing background music and music for intermission.

Pictured above are "Glinda", Suzanne McGregor; "Wicked Witch" Greg Mark; "Tin Man" Tim Taylor; "Scarecrow" Janet Wells; "Cowardly Lion" Christine Skinner; "Dorothy," Christine Lazenby; and (kneeling) "Toto" Kathy Thomson.

The "Wizard" was Hugh Kerr; Narrator Lincoln Dinning, Grandfather Lynn Whittingham; Little Girl Diane Baker; Little Boy Janet Hodgson, "Aunt Em" Bridget Howe; and for the matinee Patricia Nolan played the "Wicked Witch". More than a dozen other participated in the play and behind the scenes for a very successful annual dramatic production of Pleasantville.

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Private Pearce has spent 11 weeks at CFB Cornwallis, the basic training centre for all English speaking recruits and at the end of this training was awarded the Commandant's shield for "Best All Round Recruit". He is seen above accepting the award from Captain (N) T. E. Connors, Base Commander.