



Guiding the Scouting activities in York Summit District for the coming season will be the executive pictured above at the initial meeting of the Scouting year held at North Thornhill Community Centre. Seated left to right are: Doreen Napier, Thornhill; Kathy O'Flaherty, Oak Ridges; "Red" Carsen, Markham; Barbara Pinkerton, Thornhill; Kay Attwell, Oak Ridges. Standing left to right are: Bob Madill, Thornhill; Bill Wright, Markham; Ron Harding, Richmond Hill; Gerry Schroeter, Markham; Arie Van Velzen, Thornhill; Al Robinson, Thornhill; Fred Cann, Thornhill; and George Seretis, Richmond Hill.

### York Summit Scouts & Cubs In Good Hands

York Summit District is entering a new Scouting year with an enthusiastic and capable executive. The coming year will be an active one, with a sufficient number of events planned to keep all members busy in this great movement, the largest youth organization in the world — and it is worldwide in its scope. A major project in May 1975 will be the "Trees For Canada", when each Scout will be asked to sell and plant a tree in the community. More than a million trees were planted in this

country in May 1974 by Canadian Scouts! Mississauga District planted 43,000 trees!

**NUMBER GROWING**  
York Summit District is growing and now numbers more than 1,500 Scouts and leaders in 27 groups located in Richmond Hill, Markham, Unionville and Thornhill. Highlight of 1974 was the Regional Camporee at the Claireville Conservation Area, when this district was host to 3,200 Scouts and Guides.

The district executive officers are President Dennis "Red" Carsen of Markham; Secretary Mrs. Kathy O'Flaherty of Oak Ridges; Treasurer Mrs. Doreen Napier of Thornhill, and Vice-President Gordon McIntee of Richmond Hill. Rev. David Peasgood of Grace Church, Markham, is the district chaplain and Ron Harding is serving as district commissioner for another term.

**TWO CAMPGROUNDS**  
Scouting is alive and well, and this district is doubly fortunate in being custodians of two campgrounds, the Ox Trail Camp for Cubs and The Grange for Scouts, Venturers and Rover. Both camps are in the Hockley Valley and within a mile of the famous Bruce Trail.

### Maple, Thornhill, Kleinburg \$18,422 Contract To Improve Park Lights

An \$18,422.10 contract to improve the lighting on various ball diamonds in the Town of Vaughan has been awarded to Maple Electric by council.

The improvements will be made to diamonds at Kleinburg, Woodbridge and Thornhill.

It was reported at council's Monday meeting last week that the Vaughan Parks and Recreation Department budgeted in 1974 for \$27,500 in improvement to ball lighting in the municipality.

**THORNHILL DIAMOND**  
This amount comprised installation of two new lighted diamonds at Maple (now scheduled for next year); one new lighted diamond at Thornhill; improvements to existing lights and installation of new light in the outfield at Kleinburg; and re-direction of existing lights and installation of new lights

in the outfield at Woodbridge.

A total of \$6,600 has been spent to date for 22 new poles in the above-mentioned areas.

The latest contract includes the following improvements totaling \$18,422.10.

Kleinburg: Two new poles installed; eight fixtures 1000W on new poles; Sixteen fixtures 1000W on existing poles; underground wiring to new poles, \$9,316.60.

Woodbridge: Two new poles installed; eight fixtures 1000W on new poles; underground wiring to new poles, \$2,658.20.

Thornhill: New 200 amp service contractor and timer; six new poles installed; 24 1000 W Mercury Vapor fixtures; overhead wiring, \$6,447.30.

Cost per pole for installation will amount to \$394.

**SOME IN YORK**  
Although counterfeit bills continue to show up in York Region from time to time, there has been nothing to approach the Metro avalanche.

A few counterfeit Canadian \$50's turn up in bank deposits now and then, but Deputy Chief Robert Hood said that so far there haven't been any complaints of phony U.S. bills of any denomination.

Metro Police Sergeant William Turner said counterfeiters can turn out \$500,000 in phony bills, all with different serial numbers, in an evening, and offered some tips in detecting them.

He said genuine Canadian and U.S. bills have raised serial numbers and portraits. All one had to do was to run one's fingernail across them to know they were real.

Phony bills don't have raised printing and feel flat, he said. Also, genuine currency always had sharp portraits and official seals,

which the phony bills were unable to achieve.

He said people stuck with a phony bill were obliged to turn them into the police when they knew they weren't genuine, or they could be charged with possession.

J. J. Bowden, chief of administration operations for the Bank of Canada, said recently, new \$50s and \$100s were now under design, but no release date had been set.

**STOUFFVILLE:** Mayor Gordon Ratcliff said he doesn't favor permitting the use of holding tanks as a solution to the sewage problem in the Musselman's Lake area. "We'll have to get more information from the Health Unit before establishing a municipal policy," he said.

## Newmarket High To Be Made Fire Safe

The fight by Newmarket parents to save the old Newmarket High School has apparently succeeded.

Monday night, York County Board of Education agreed to stay the wrecker's hammer and instead provide some \$250,000 for renovations. This would bring the old building into line with the safety requirements of the Ontario Fire Marshall's office. At the same time, the board instructed its staff to prepare a report on the upgrading of facilities at the school for eventual presentation to the Ministry of Education.

This would include a report on the availability of property adjacent to the present site.

A final recommendation called for the appointment of a user's committee for the school, not later than October 15, to include three citizens of the area.

**SERIES OF MEETINGS**  
The recommendations were submitted by Trustee Craig Cribar of Newmarket, apropos of a recent public meeting, followed by one with representatives of the Ministry of Education to discuss the future of the high school.

The meetings grew out of a regular board meeting last month when concerned parents jammed the school board building to protest the possible closing of the school.

The latter had been presented as one of two alternatives to the board by the chief architect for the Ministry of Education. The other alternative was that fire safety regulations be met and the building continue to be used without any improvement of the educational facilities.

**NEW SCHOOL PLAN**  
The board earlier suggested the staff investigate and make recommendations for a new site for the school, and that a building proposal be submitted to the Ministry of Education for a new school to serve up to 1,000 students.

However, the feeling of the public, plus members of

the town council, was that the school, whose 100th anniversary was coming up next year, be continued in the town.

One of the spokesmen at that time, John Del Grande, asked the board to attend a public meeting on the subject September 4.

Trustee Cribar then moved a motion to that effect and the board gave its approval.

The school has since opened on schedule, and it is hoped the renovations will be carried out as soon as possible without distributing the students. Staff indicated it would take until about December 1, to prepare plans and let contracts, then work would start.

### Regional Outdoor Education Workshop

York County Board of Education's committee for the development of outdoor education is co-operating with its department and is holding a workshop in outdoor education at Camp Richildaeca, Kettleby, from 5 pm September 20 to 3 pm September 22.

The workshop will be open to 40 teachers who will be accommodated in the heated cabins on the premises.

Sessions being offered include schoolyard studies, orienteering, language arts, elementary equipment making, edible wilds and outdoor cooking, bee keeping, art and pottery in the outdoors, canoeing, photography, square dancing, wide games and board policies and procedures regarding outdoor education.

Workshop participants will also be able to enjoy the use of the camp's heated swimming pool.

The \$15 fee (plus provincial tax) includes meals and accommodation, materials and activities. Interested teachers must register by December 18, sending applications and cheques to John Wheeler, Don Head Secondary School, 300 Vaughan Road, Richmond Hill.

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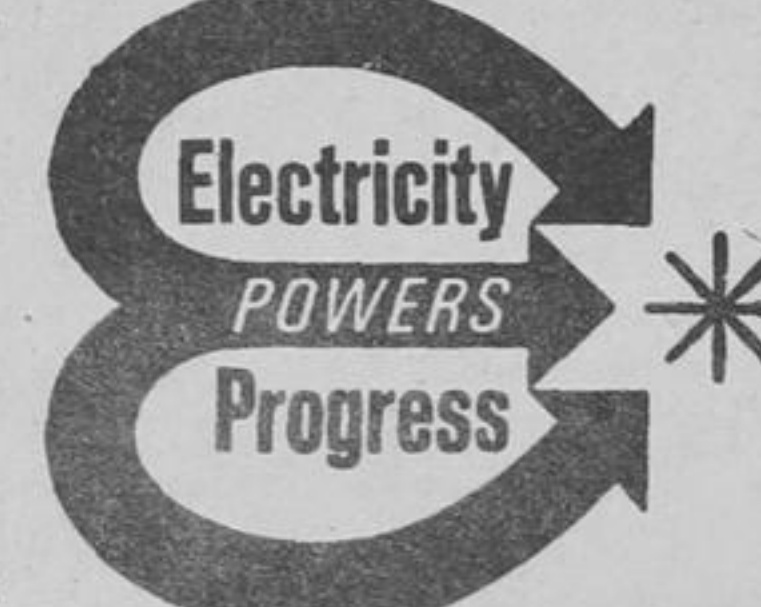


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