

# KING CITY NEWS

## Township honors Pearl McMurchy

**At the library**  
A presentation by King Township Mayor Margaret Britnell in honor of Mrs. Pearl McMurchy was made to the King Township Public Library at King City at a tea October 26. A collection of fine classical recordings was given to the library and will be available on loan to the library patrons. A mounted commemorative Canadian stamp of Nellie McClung, the well-known author who was also active in gaining the franchise for Canadian women formed the second part of the gift. Mrs. Britnell, in making the gift to the library in Mrs. McMurchy's name, was honoring a woman who, as a member of the executive of the King District Progressive Conservative Association, was instrumental in having the association support the newly established King Township Public Library with money for the purchase of books three years in a row. Books from that collection were on display. Mrs. Pearl McMurchy is the widow of Norman McMurchy, a former reeve and member of a pioneer King Township family which was active for many years in Conservative affairs and in supporting every aspect of the civic and

cultural growth of the area. They originally settled on Concession 8. Alec McMurchy, also a former reeve, with his son Norman McMurchy, were residents of Concession 6. Mrs. McMurchy now lives in Toronto and the tea was an opportunity for her many King Township friends to visit with her.  
**Church news**  
An order of worship for the baptism of children was performed by the Rev. Grant Brown at King City United Church, October 27. Welcomed into the fellowship of the United Church were Joseph James Georgekish, son of Denise and Fred Georgekish; and Shirley Patricia and David Murray Henderson, children of Wendy and Joseph Henderson.  
Once again the men of King City United don their candy striped vests and fluorescent bow ties to entertain the folk of King City and elsewhere with their songs and witticisms. Their first performance is scheduled for the afternoon of November 10 and will be a benefit show. November 14 and 15 the show begins at 8:15 pm. Tickets are \$2 for adults and \$1.25 for children and are available from members or by calling Earl Lowe at 833-5400. Last

performance will be following the congregational dinner which runs from 5:45 to 7:15 pm. This has been in the past and is sure to be again a TERRIFIC show of old-fashioned fun!  
Altar boys for the week of October 27 at Sacred Heart Church were Shawn Cross, Michael Holloway, Paul Smith and Kevin McCormick.  
Prayers were asked for Larry McCormick, Bill Hermer and Ann Lawlor. Get well soon!  
The next CWL meeting will be November 12 at the Marylake Retreat House following the 7:45 pm Mass. It will be a short meeting to allow the ladies time to work on the Christmas wreaths. Tickets are still available for the CWL Harvest Dance to be held at the community centre November 9. Call Wilma Vandeburg at 833-6675 or Ella Unterlander at 833-5461. Tickets are \$7 a couple.  
**Donna's bits & pieces**  
Happy birthday to Jeff Cotter, son of Marion and Dennis Cotter of Dew Street. Jeff will be 15 years old November 9. Happy birthday also to Mrs. Lloyd Boyle of Hambly Avenue on the ninth.  
Many speak the truth when they say that they despise riches, but they

mean the riches possessed by other men.  
Kingscross Resident's Association sponsor a social evening at the community centre on the evening of November 8.  
Don't forget All Saint's Anglican Fall Fair this Saturday at 11 am. Come along, enjoy yourself, meet your neighbors and begin your Christmas shopping.  
Happy birthday to Jimmy Kluey, son of Barry and Claire Kluey of Bennett Drive. Jimmy will be 7 years old November 11.  
November 11 is Remembrance Day. Wear a poppy!  
Kingcraft General Meeting is scheduled for November 11.  
Women's Institute meeting, November 12 at the home of Mrs. George Armstrong.  
Happy birthday to Haili Campbell, daughter of John and Jean Campbell of Warren Road. Haili will be 4 years old November 12.  
**Nursery school**  
The recent auction held by the King City Nursery School at the United Church was a smashing success. The money will be used to operate the school and to buy new supplies. A special thanks to everyone who donated articles and time.



"The Livery", a new restaurant at The Doctor's House in Kleinburg, combines the old with the new. Above Dr. Helen Robinson Beatty, 85, daughter of the original doctor, and Chef

Ralph Clemens have just used a branding iron to sear the name into a beam from the original barn which now frames the fireplace in the new building.

## Brand barn beam at new Kleinburg restaurant

**By David Jackson**  
A new restaurant in Kleinburg officially opened its doors to the public, October 18. An entirely new facility, the Livery has been built to meet the expanding needs of the Doctor's House restaurant.

party, including many who are well known such as Donald Deacon M.L.A., York Centre; Sinclair Stevens, M.P., York North and Pierre Berton. The guests included customers and friends of the Doctor's House.

**Confederation building**  
The Doctor's House was built in 1867 and was occupied by the local doctor until 1929. During the sixties it was bought by Mr. and Mrs. Gordon MacEachern and rented out until 1970. Then it was converted into a tea house serving lunches and afternoon teas for visitors to the McMichael Art Gallery in Kleinburg. It was operated by Mrs.

MacEachern with the assistance of Mrs. Janet Berton until it became too much for her. Her son, John MacEachern and Chef Ralph Clemens saw the need for a restaurant in the area and took the business over.

to preserve the Doctor's House as a historic building it was decided to build a restaurant just behind the house, in the place where the original barn stood. Although that barn was destroyed by fire in 1910, some of the beams were found to be intact and these were built into the Livery.

**Interior decor**  
The interior of this entirely new structure is decorated with historic artifacts and representations such as the ornate gold and woodgrain Tellers Cage which was taken from an actual design of the 1850's in Quebec. The quilt next to the fireplace dates back to the 1800's and the beams around the fireplace are from the original barn. The entire building is decorated with attractive old farm implements from across Canada.

The Livery is truly international in its construction and decoration. Modeled after a barn style in Douglas Fir beams and B C cedar panelling, it is quite colorful with orange linen

from Sweden, sandcasted metal and stoneware dishes from the United States and pewter mugs and water jugs from Britain.  
**Old Canuck menu**  
The menu is made up of such old Canadian dishes as Hare, Roast Quail and Roast Duck as well as some not so well known dishes such as Escargot Chablis and Lobster. The service is excellent with no pressure to buy drinks. And this just adds to the warm, friendly atmosphere.

The Livery first opened its doors October 5 and since then has served approximately 2,000 in its 120-seat capacity.

## Oak Ridges — Lake Wilcox News

**School news**  
November 11 (Monday) is Remembrance Day and school will be closed.

**Church news**  
The Brethren-in-Christ Church will be having a Bible Conference in three parts November 10. Sunday school will be held as usual at 10:30 am.

Then part one of the conference begins at 11:20. Nursery care will be provided for the young ones and also a noon meal for everyone.

Part two starts at 2 pm and then part three begins at 7:30 pm. The speaker for the whole day will be Rev. Ray Chamberlain from Lakeland, Florida.

At St. John's Anglican Church, November 6 at 8 pm the executive of the ACW will be having its regular bi-monthly meeting in the Upper Room of the Parish Hall. They are making continuing plans for their winter theme on the subject of "Wholeness".

The Mixed Blessings will be singing and conducting a fireside November 10 at St. David's Anglican Church in Orillia.

Men's hockey for the parish continues to convene Monday nights in Bond Lake Arena from 11 pm to midnight.

### YCHA

A boutique and tea will be held this Saturday by the York Central Hospital Auxiliary's local branch. The site is Our Lady of the Annunciation School, Bond Avenue, and the time is 3:30 pm. This will be a bargain hunter's paradise with handmade items, knits, crocheted goods, toys, candles, Christmas decorations, table centrepieces, etc. for sale at reasonable prices. Tea and coffee will be served. There will be a special booth featuring personalized Christmas Stockings. All proceeds go to the new hospital addition. Don't miss it, you'll be sorry if you do.

**Hallowe'en**  
Members of the Viking Social Club held a Hallowe'en Costume Dance at the Viking Hall October 19. The dance was held in aid of the senior citizens and the proceeds of \$50 was donated to the Wheelhouse Club.

"The Liberal" is always pleased to publish items of interest regarding people and events in Oak Ridges - Lake Wilcox and King City districts. Our news correspondent for King City is Donna Matthews, 832-1579; and for Oak Ridges - Lake Wilcox please call Janet Russell at 773-4105.

The DJ for the evening was Bob Wilson. The door prize was won by Vera Piorier.

Best costume prizes went to Jean Brooks as Robin Hood, Betty Miles as "The Little Blue Sprout", Jim Bolton as a woman and Harry Vey all toga-ed up as Caesar.

The Viking Social Club would like to formally thank the senior citizens for all their assistance and wish them continued success in the future.

The Lions' Hallowe'en Costume Dance was a roaring success. The door prize was won by Beth and Al Sutton who were sold the winning ticket by Lion Dave Neil, their next door neighbor. Best costume prizes went to Julie Moss and John Waltenbury who were dressed as Little Bo-Peep and Her Sheep!

The senior citizens' rummage sale held last week was a great success. There was a good turnout with everyone hunting for bargains and getting them.

Holding it the week before Hallowe'en was a good idea as many people were on the lookout for things to make up into costumes. I picked up several items myself

which were then transformed into one idea of a gypsy costume. What a great satisfaction it is to make something out of odds and ends and outdated fashions!

### Today's chuckle

Heading up Yonge Street in the fog recently I followed a camper, the bumper of which was adorned with the legend, "Streakers Tan More Evenly". In this weather?

## Vaughan daycare study asked

The Town of Vaughan has requested the Region of York to examine the need for day care facilities in the Woodbridge area of the municipality.

Prompting the request was a staff report Monday of last week which said, "There is an immediate need in the Woodbridge area for a day care centre that could initially accommodate from 10 to 15 children on a daily basis".

Financial encouragement for such operations has been implemented by the province.

It will pay 100 percent of the approved capital cost incurred in either the conversion of available space to day care purposes for children, or the cost of building new facilities. Previous reimbursement totalled 80 percent.

**Regional expense**  
The report said operating costs are paid by the region

of its "regional levy" and "there is no direct charge 'per se' against the area municipalities in which the region has established day care facilities".

The region's operating costs are subsidized by the province.

The province is encouraging the more rapid development of day care services so these can be

### Well known King lady dies

Marion Mactaggart, wife of Ken Mactaggart, former mayor of King Township died October 25 at York Central Hospital following a lengthy illness. The former Marion Smith, she was born 61 years ago and grew up at Victoria Square.

Active in several community organizations, Mrs. Mactaggart was past president of Nobleton WI, UCW and the Nobleton and District Horticultural Society. She served as

matron of the Valley Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star and was a member of Nobleton United Church.

She is survived by her husband and a daughter, Mrs. David (Cheryl) Scott of Nobleton and three grandchildren.  
The funeral service was held at the Egan Brothers Funeral Home, Bolton, Monday followed by interment in Nobleton Cemetery.

Once again the festive season is upon us!



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## NOMINATIONS

TOWN OF RICHMOND HILL

NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN to the Municipal Electors of the Town of Richmond Hill in the Regional Municipality of York that in compliance with The Municipal Elections Act, 1972 as amended, the place and time for nominations in the said

**TOWN OF RICHMOND HILL**  
is at the Office of the Town Clerk, 10,266 Yonge Street, Richmond Hill, commencing November 7th, 1974, daily between the hours of 8:30 A.M. and 4:30 P.M. to November 12, 1974, at 5:00 P.M. except Saturday and Sunday, for the purpose of nominating persons for the office(s) of:

**MAYOR**  
TWO COUNCILLORS for the combined office of Regional and Local Council.  
ONE COUNCILLOR for each of the said Wards of the Municipality.  
THREE TRUSTEES for the York County Board of Education  
THREE TRUSTEES for the York Region Roman Catholic Separate School Board.

If a greater number of candidates than required to fill the said Offices are nominated and make the required declarations, polls will be opened on the dates stated below for the purpose of taking the poll from 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon until 8:00 in the afternoon.

**ADVANCE POLL - TOWN HALL**

Saturday, November 23rd, 1974

**POLLING DAY -**

Monday, December 2nd, 1974

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