



Festival of color, sound hails Santa

Richmond Hill's best ever Santa Claus parade brought sunny, cool weather Saturday and hundreds turned out to watch — from Elgin Mills Road to Hillcrest Mall.

There were a dozen floats and a dozen bands, including the Queen's Own Rifles and the Metropolitan Toronto Police Pipe Band, an orange worm, majorettes, students from

Jennifer Morton's Dance School, Seven Dwarfs, horses, mules, big cats, bands of attentive children and, of course, Santa, plus his look-a-like cousin.

The parade was organized by Hill Fire Chief Bob Kennedy and a newcomer to Thornhill's Royal Orchard Boulevard, Bob Grainger, a life-long resident of Richmond Hill.



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