

## Here are scheduled events in southern York this week

**Children's books in French**  
Children's books in French, a travelling exhibit direct from France is now on display at Willowdale Library, 5126 Yonge Street, south of Finch Avenue. Last year the Comité Permanent des Expositions du Livre Français gathered up selected books in Paris, including all categories of picture books, stories and non-fiction subjects and presented them to the French Cultural Attache in Toronto. About 200 of these are now travelling around the province and will be at the Willowdale Library until February 15. They will then move to Don Mills Library, 888 Lawrence Avenue, East, for six weeks.

**Teen grooming**  
Teenage girls are invited to a demonstration on grooming techniques beginning at 2 pm Saturday in Humber Summit Library, Islington Avenue north of Finch Avenue. Mrs. Terry Manzoni will have samples of make-up on hand to show how to use it effectively. There is no fee and no registration required.

**Terrarium workshop**  
Beginning at 8:15 pm Monday Harry Johnson will demonstrate how to plant and care for a terrarium at the Agincourt Garden Club's February meeting in Knox United Christian Education Building (east side of Midland Avenue just north of Sheppard Avenue East — north of Knox United Church). Guests and new members are welcome.

**Prometheus in Process**  
Prometheus in Process, a two-part theatrical presentation, will be presented Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday at 7:30 pm in Burton Auditorium, York University, 4700 Keele Street, by students of the university's theatre department. The classical play, Prometheus Bound, a tragedy by 5th Century Greek playwright, Aeschylus, will be followed by the presentation of an original contemporary treatment based on the Promethean legend and set in a Soviet mental hospital. The opening night presentation will be followed by a refreshment break and a round table discussion on the topic "Rulers, Radicals and Revolutionaries". Subsequent performances will be followed by discussion between audience and members of the production team. Admission is free.

**Free mid-day concerts**  
The Humber College music department is presenting free weekly mid-day concerts on Wednesdays at its North Campus, Highway 27 three miles north of Highway 401. The program on February 12 will be presented by Ian McDougall's Trombones, an excellent trombone choir and rhythm section. One of the most remarkable players on the Canadian jazz scene, Ted Moses, brings his quintet to Humber on February 19, and the following week it will be the Howie Silverman Quartet.

**Armchair travel**  
Dale and Louis Jackson will be leading viewers on a trek across the southern Sahara and through Central and East Africa in a slide presentation at York Woods Library, Finch Avenue between Keele and Jane Streets, at 8 pm Tuesday. This armchair travel program, held each Tuesday evening, offers people a chance to bring their vacation slides and films to the library and share their experiences with others. There is no admission charge.

**Man-woman lecture series**  
A four-lecture series, "Man-Woman Today" begins at 8 pm February 5 at Willowdale Library, 5126 Yonge Street south of Finch Avenue. The first topic, "Violence — a way of life?" will be discussed by Dr. Jerry Cooper, chief of psychiatry at York-Finch General Hospital. On February 12 Professor Ian Howard of York University will talk about ESP and occult beliefs under the heading, "Thinking and believing". "The future of the family" will be examined on February 19 with Dr. Ben Schlesinger, professor of social work at the University of Toronto. On February 26 Dr. Glen Hamilton from the health promotions branch of the Ministry of Health will discuss "Separation blues". Fee is \$1 for the series. Pre-registration is essential. Call 638-7100.

**Sexual decision-making**  
Dr. Carlford Broderick, director of marriage and counselling service at the University of Southern California, will be leading a discussion on sexual decision-making in the auditorium at Hillcrest Mall beginning at 7:30 pm on February 17. This evening is being jointly sponsored by the York County Board of Education and the Richmond Hill-Thornhill Family Services. A limited number of tickets are still available. For reservations call the family services office, 884-9148. Admission \$1.25.

**Make-up seminar**  
There will be a one-day seminar on make-up at Humber College's North Campus, Highway 27 three miles north of Highway 401, from 10 am to 4 pm on February 15. The seminar, conducted by the college's fashion modelling department, will include discussions and demonstrations. Registration is \$10 and enrollment is limited. For information call Humber's centre for continuous learning at 676-1200.

**Non-profit organizations planning programs**  
of interest to readers in Southern York may submit items for this column to Social Editor Margaret Lade, "The Liberal", 10101 Yonge Street, Richmond Hill, 884-8177 or 881-3401. Deadline is noon on Friday.



(Photo by Elbert)

## New officers for Richmond Hill Kinettes

Officers were installed and a new member welcomed at a recent meeting of Richmond Hill Kinettes. The club got off to a good start this year, selling hot dogs, hamburgers, hot and cold drinks during the snowmobile races sponsored by the local Kinsmen to raise funds for cystic fibrosis research. They are now busy promoting sale of tickets for the Kinsmen's monster bingo and car raffle

scheduled to take place in April. Pictured above (left to right) standing are Kinettes Secretary Nelly Van Hoof, Vice-President Gill Smith, Past President Marge Hetherington, and the club's newest member Yvonne Brown. Seated are Treasurer Isabelle Robinson, bulletin editor Jane Smith, President Jean Elliott and Zone 'E' Kinettes co-ordinator Arda Harry.

## Thornhill woman photographer camera club guest Feb. 10

Twenty members and guests of York Regional Camera Club learned how to improve the quality of their color slides at their last meeting.

The guest speaker, Alf Sawyer of Willowdale, conducted a critique of slides brought in by members.

Sawyer has done considerable judging of color slides over the past years. The club found his comments, pointing out weaknesses in their own

efforts, very helpful.

Some comments repeated a number of times by Sawyer during the evening were:

— Make use of selective focussing. Put the background out of focus.

— Make sure there is a centre of interest.

— Make sure exposures are correct.

— Try to crop to improve pictures. Remove large, uninteresting foregrounds or backgrounds.

— Avoid "Busy" slides — too many points of interest with no particular point to focus on.

The members enjoyed Mr. Sawyer's frank comments

and learned a great deal.

The club's next meeting is February 10 at 7:30 pm in Richmond Hill High School. Mrs. Mary Ferguson, a well-known and accomplished photographer from Thornhill, will present a program on nature slide photography.

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## Shriners prepare for 84,000 guests

Lewis la Vine, newly elected president of El Shamaly Shrine Club of Richmond Hill, has a full-time job on his hands.

In addition to his usual works in aid of hospitalized children, the club is preparing to play host to some 2,500 Shriners, part of a contingency of 84,000 who will be descending on the Metro area at the end of June for the ten-day Shrine convention.

The club is constantly involved in raising funds for crippled and burned children and developing fun units such as El Shamaly's rickshaw, which have gladdened the hearts of thousands in huge gala parades, extravaganzas, and at circuses and hockey games from Miami to Seattle, from Sudbury to Montreal.

**Hockey organizer**  
Noble la Vine who lives on Poinsetta Drive in East Thornhill, is currently in the midst of organizing for the seventh annual Shriners-sponsored NHL Oldtimers' hockey night February 24 when the York Regional Police will be faced with the task of trying to upset the Oldtimers.

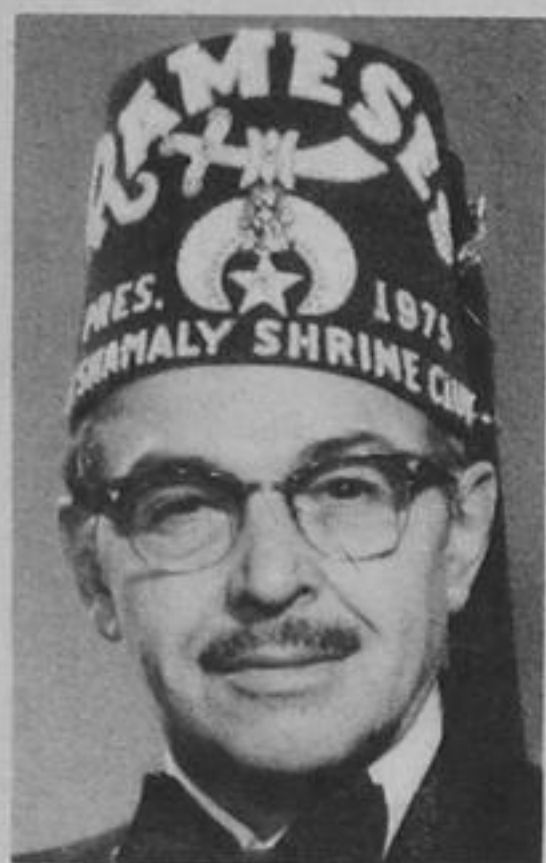
The club also is preparing for an appearance of the Garden Brothers Circus in Richmond Hill Arena on May 21. Chairman of the El Shamaly circus committee is Gord Davidson, and to encourage families to enjoy it together there will be special family rates. The 1,000,000 Shriners of Canada, the U.S.A. and Mexico have an annual commitment of over \$32 million to aid crippled and burned children in and out of hospital.

**TOWN OF RICHMOND HILL**  
Tender for Gasoline and Diesel Fuel

Sealed Tenders clearly marked as to the contents will be received by the undersigned until 12:00 o'clock Noon Thursday, February 20, 1975 for the supply of Gasoline and Diesel Fuel for the period of 1 year minimum. Tender form may be picked up at the Clerk's Office, Municipal Building. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. Holman (Mrs.), Acting Clerk, 10,266 Yonge Street, Richmond Hill, Ontario.

**Community work**  
Last month the local club gave a cheque for \$1,000 to Richmond Hill's York Central Hospital for purchase of croupettes for



Lewis La Vine  
Thornhill Shriner

treatment of children with respiratory disorders.

Donations of similar amounts to the hospital's pediatrics department will be a continuing annual commitment with the club, says Noble la Vine.

The convention next

summer, says la Vine, will be the largest of its kind — business or service club — ever to hit any city in North America and 84,000 people have registered for accommodation.

Every hotel and motel facility from Hamilton to Oshawa, from Lake Ontario to Barrie, has been booked, and they are now working on the Niagara Peninsula.

In addition, 1,000 rooms will be occupied in residences at York University and Nobles of El Shamaly are now looking for billets in private homes in York Region.

**Local activities**  
The local club is also making arrangements for activities and entertainment in the Richmond Hill area to relieve the congestion in Metro for the duration of the mammoth convention.

Convention plans include an eight-hour daytime parade June 30. On July 2 there will be an extravaganza at the CNE grounds with circuses, entertainers of all kinds followed by an evening parade from the CNE to

Varsity Stadium. The parade will take seven hours to pass any given point en route.

The former owner-manager of Green, Gables Nursing Home in Newmarket and former president of the York County Nursing Homes Association, la Vine is now

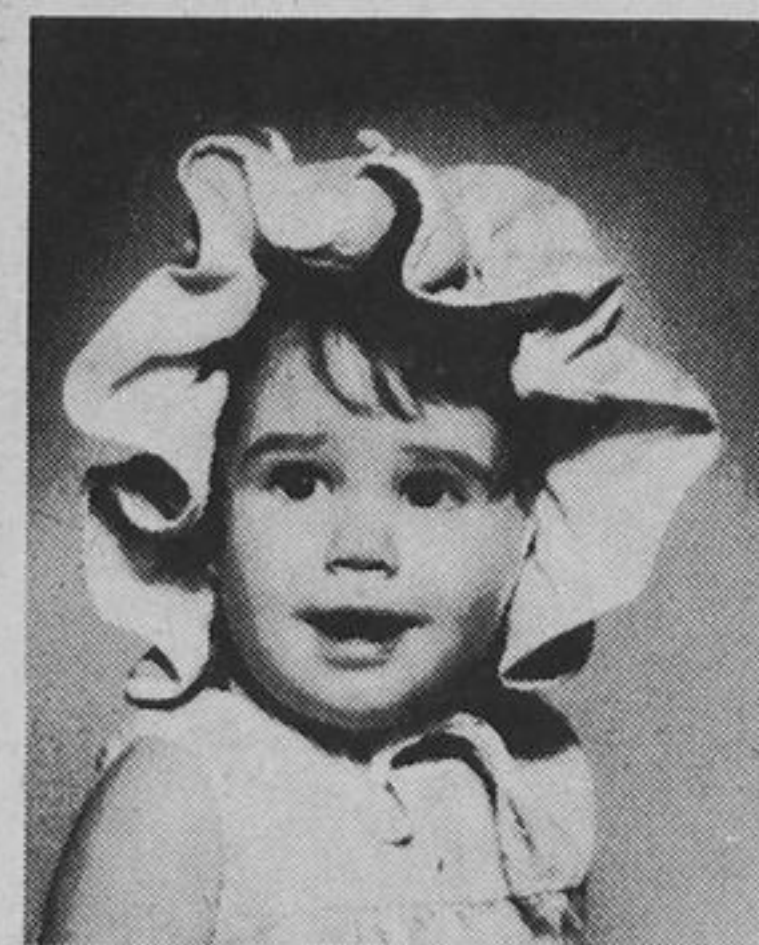
retired. But, he says, he has never been busier in his life.

As president of El Shamaly, he is the club ambassador and is constantly on the go, visiting other clubs to take part in installations and other ceremonies. And then there is the impending convention.



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