



**Breathe deeply**

1st Maple Roadrunner Cub Pack toured the Vaughan firehall near Maple last Wednesday, sounded the sirens and saw most of the equipment. Here Firefighter Don Pears shows David Davis and Ken Vincent an oxygen mask. Three leaders and 17 boys took the tour.



**Guides enlarge executive**

**Guides and Brownies Mothers Auxiliary**  
Over the past years Jean Sharples and Bev Clark have done an excellent job with the Guides and Brownies, but due to the increased enrolment, a larger executive has been formed.

The president is Marg Kucherawy, Treasurer, Ann King, Secretary, Anna Granger, Fund Raising, Pat Hoare and Pat Ferguson, Brownie Telephone Convener, Katie Snider, 2nd Maple Guide Telephone Convener, Carolyn Tumber, 1st Maple Guide Telephone Convener, Edythe Birkett, Refreshments Convener, Marion Lavender, Mimeographer, Irene West, and Banquet Convener Ella Mummery.

The first fund raising event will be a ("fantastic") card party to be held at the Maple Community Centre February 25 at 8 pm. For tickets or information call Pat Hoare 832-1575 or Pat Ferguson 832-2608. No tickets will be sold at the door.

**Cars**

The Canadian Arthritis and Rheumatism Society, Region 3, will hold a Senior Citizen Swim-a-Long at Woodbridge Pool March 7 under the direction of Olive Bennett of Kleinburg.

Swimmers age 65 or over are needed for this event. Medical supervision will be in attendance at the swim.

If you are interested contact Olive Bennett RR 2 Woodbridge or call 832-1357.

Tickets for the Yorkdale Spring Fashion Show March 10 are available — both afternoon and evening shows. Interested? Call Sadie Allen, 832-1018. Proceeds to CARS.

If anyone shops at Dominion Stores and can save cash register tapes, the Maple Branch of CARS would be pleased to have them. These are turned in for useful equipment for the rehabilitation of arthritis victims. Contact Marilyn Wuolson 832-1305.

**Church news**

Reverend Stanley Snowdon of Maple United Church thoroughly enjoyed the World Out Reach Seminar which he attended in Toronto February 4 and 5. A highlight was the attendance, along with some 3,000 others, at St. Pauls Anglican on Bloor Street to hear the address of Archbishop Comera of Brazil.

The Maple United Church committee of stewards met February 3. Plans for the annual auction were made. This event will

be held Wednesday April 30. Contributions of articles would be appreciated. Please contact any of the Church Stewards or Reverend Snowdon 832-1403.

The sympathy of the community is extended to the family of the late Martha Amelia Lund, of Collingwood.

**St. Stephen's Anglican**

The girls of St. Stephen's Anglican Confirmation Class of 1974 attended the 8 am Communion Service February 2, after which they met in the Ramsay Armitage Parish Hall and enjoyed breakfast together. They hope to make this a monthly event.

**Notes**

A salute to the Maple Lions, who once again with the interests of Maple in the fore, have proved that hard work, determination and concern can work wonders. The Maple Lions had a very active and successful year in 1974. This community greatly benefits from their efforts and they deserve the highest praise.

There is still time to get your tickets for the Valentine Hockey Dance at Maple Community Centre this Friday night. (Maple BP, European Delicatessen or members of the Maple Minor Hockey Association).

Don't forget family bowling Wednesday evenings from 7-9 pm in the community centre. The price is right and it's lots of fun.

**Ladies bowling**

Taking the evening's honors was Olga Kucherawy with both high single and high triple of 331 and 719 respectively. Audrey Ross still holds high average of 203. The Plums were the winners of this series with 33 points. The rest of the standings in order are Bananas, 32; Apples 27; Oranges, 26; Peaches, 26; Cherries, 21; Pears, 18; and Grapes, 13.

**School news**

A pair of glasses with a broken bridge have been found in a paper bag on the Joseph A. Gibson Public School grounds. Call 832-1291.

Kindergarten registration will be March 13. Any child who will be five years old by January 1, 1976 is eligible to register.

Monday February 17 will be a Professional Activity Day and the school will be closed.

**Vaughan senior citizen housing to be studied**

An investigation of the need for senior citizen housing in Vaughan and consideration of direct involvement by the municipality was advocated by council meeting in-committee Monday.

Council was told non-profit organizations interested in providing senior citizen housing can get 90 percent of the funds for land and buildings from the Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation.

**Seek lower arena rates**

Three groups using Woodbridge Arena appeared before Vaughan council committee Monday to request either lower rental fees or a higher subsidy from the town.

Nort Johnson of Woodbridge, who is involved with the Pinewood Girls Hockey league, told council the groups feel registration fees are high enough, yet deficits are increasing and organizers are becoming increasingly involved in fund-raising activities.

In a brief to council, it was pointed out the prime time rate of \$30 per hour (for evenings and weekends) is higher than nearby arenas. Bolton charges \$25 at all times; Nobleton, \$15 week nights and \$25 weekends; Clarkson, \$23 before mid-night and \$18 after; and Oakville \$17 for house league, \$22.50 for rep teams. Daytimes during the week Woodbridge arena costs \$25 per hour.

The Woodbridge and District Minor Hockey Association with 314 members, charges a \$20 registration fee. The Woodbridge Figure Skating Club, with 200 members, charges \$35 for recreational skaters, \$55 for intermediates and \$60 for seniors. Despite a \$15 grant from the town for each member, both predicted an annual deficit of approximately \$5,000.

Before a committee was struck to investigate the request, Councillor Ab Hollingshead said fees should be raised \$5 and the town should agree to cover only half the estimated deficit.

Vaughan Council plans to appoint a town-wide advisory committee to consider the designation of historic conservation areas. Town Administrator Jim McDonald was asked by council committee Monday to recommend how such an advisory group would be constituted.

Some members of council were of the opinion the Vaughan Historical Society does not represent the whole of Vaughan, though it has members from all corners of the municipality.

Councillor Ab Hollingshead said names for the advisory group should be drawn from all historical groups in Vaughan, including the Society for the Preservation of Historic Thornhill.

Council learned the province is preparing legislation that will allow municipalities to declare certain districts "historic". This will limit the erection of new buildings and the demolition, alteration or removal of historic buildings in the prescribed areas. The designation of historic areas would have to be approved by the Ontario Municipal Board and involve public hearings.

Councillor Terry Goodwin said Vaughan should not wait for the act to be passed to designate these areas.

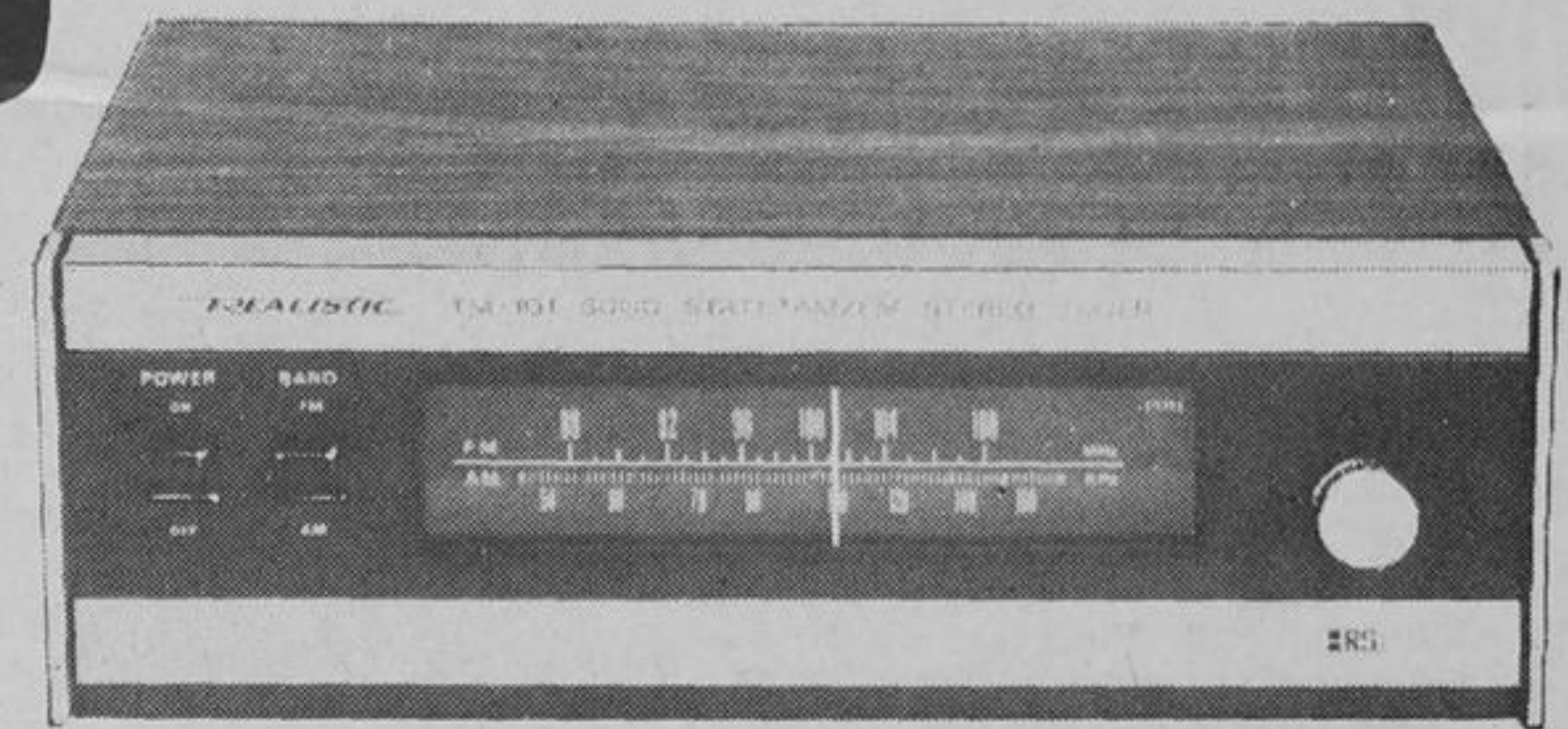
"That would be a waste of valuable time. We have already had two buildings torn down in town," he said.



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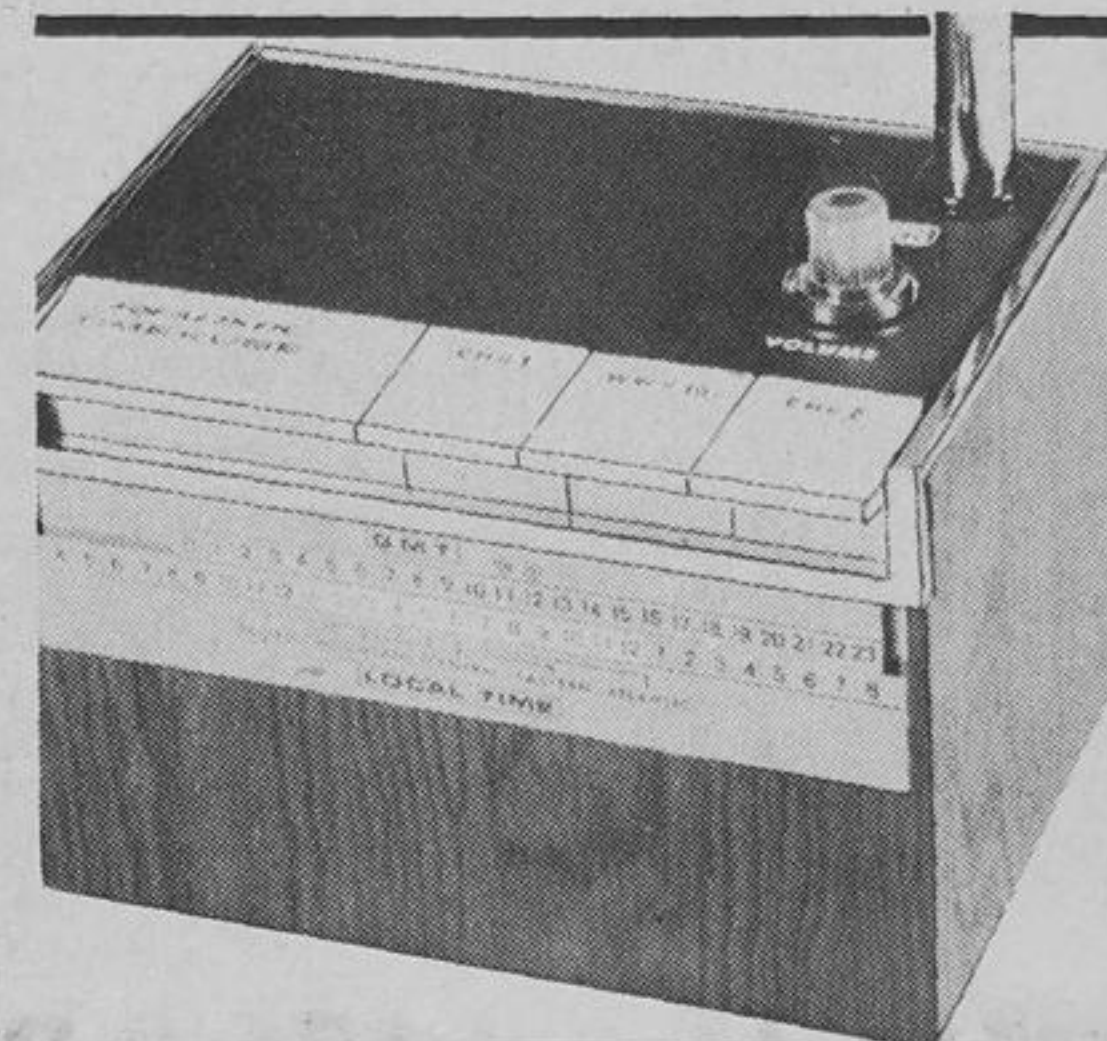
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**Buy floodland near Kleinburg**

The Metropolitan Toronto and Region Conservation Authority has purchased 95 acres of Humber River floodlands northwest of Kleinburg.

The purchase was listed in a news bulletin announcing the purchase during 1974 of 21 new properties.

Don Prince of the authority's public relations department said the parcel is not connected to any other block of authority-owned land. But it is part of a "master plan of acquisition" for the area, he said.

The conservation authority has long range plans for controlling flooding along the river, such as occurred during Hurricane Hazel in 1954. Dams are planned in the Boyd Conservation Area near Woodbridge, south of this new parcel, and one to the northwest near Nashville.

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Public use of the new lands will probably not be possible until further purchases are made, Mr. Prince said.

**TOWN OF VAUGHAN NOTICE**  
Regarding 1975 Dog Licences

Within the next two weeks every property owner and tenant in the Town of Vaughan will receive an application respecting 1975 dog licences. If you own or harbour a dog, please complete the said application and return it with the required fee prior to March 1st. The fees are as follows:  
Male - \$6.00 - Spayed Female - \$6.00 - Female - \$10.00  
Where more than two dogs are owned by an owner or are in one household, the licence fee for the third and each additional dog is \$15.00.  
All dogs, regardless of age, must be licensed annually and no dog shall run at large in the Town of Vaughan at any time.  
Your co-operation in licensing your dog and controlling its running at large will be appreciated.

**TOWN OF VAUGHAN TENDER FOR CLEANING CONTRACT**

SEALED TENDERS plainly marked as to contents will be received by the undersigned until 12:00 o'clock noon

**FEBRUARY 24th, 1975**

for the cleaning of the interior of the:

- 1) Town of Vaughan Municipal Offices;
- 2) Town of Vaughan Works Building; and,
- 3) Township of Vaughan Hydro Electric Offices.

Specifications and tender documents may be obtained from the undersigned at the Municipal Offices, 2141 Major Mackenzie Drive, Maple.

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**F.G. JACKMAN, Clerk.**

Prices in effect until Feb. 18/75

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