



(Photo by Hogg)

## Students say farewell

Colleagues, parents, students and many others paid tribute to Lillian Reid at a retirement party in George Bailey school, where Mrs. Reid has taught for nine years. Sharing pleasant memories with

their teacher are John Flynn, Blair Ives, Jamie Vincent, Kathryn Coward and Carol Mathewson. Among gifts presented to Mrs. Reid were a silver tray, a crystal vase and a dozen red roses.

# Lillian Reid retires

Reid  
By Anne Fowler

MAPLE — "Hers is the joy and the pain of teaching children day to day. "Mrs. Reid's long service showed the dedication she had to that task". These words from a letter by Sam

Chapman, director of York county board of education, were among the many tributes paid to Lillian Reid during her retirement party.

Mrs. Reid has been a teacher at George Bailey School for nine years. She has taught in Vaughan schools for 25 years.

Russ MacDonald, former superintendent of schools, Vaughan Township, said Mrs. Reid is "one of the few teachers who had the determination to qualify and who went to the trouble and expense 20 years ago to obtain her BA."

Before the open house, an informal gathering was held in the library where the school staff gave Mrs. Reid a patio chair for her cottage.

At the reception, which many former students and colleagues attended, a silver serving tray was presented by principal Russell Uquhart on behalf of teachers, students and parents.

Students gave Mrs. Reid a crystal vase. This was presented by Jamie Vincent.

Mrs. DeVuono provided a dozen red roses and Fran Lippay and the parent-teacher liaison committee provided refreshments.

A happy and relaxed retirement is wished for Mrs. Reid.

## maple news

### Choir makes presentation to Fortins

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MAPLE — This past week, the Kirk Session and the choir of St. Andrew's Church paid tribute to Jack and May Fortin for their long and faithful choir membership.

A reception was held at the French's home and a chaise-lounge for their new home was presented.

Maple will miss the Fortins, who are moving to Uxbridge in July.

### Memorial service

A parade, led by Rev. B.F. Andrews, playing the bagpipes, proceeded across Keele St. to the cemetery June 20.

Subsequently, a memorial service was conducted for the Campbell Clan at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. This was followed by a gathering at the Clan plot at the back corner of Maple Cemetery.

More than 150 persons attended. A family reunion was held in But- tonville after the ceremony.

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Selection will be made by a board of federal government officials and

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Only secondary or post-secondary students are eligible, and they must be amateur artists.

All entries should be submitted by Oct. 22 to a Canada Manpower Centre or a Canada Manpower Centre for Students.

Additional specifications are available from the department's information service in Toronto; the phone number is 484-5308.

### Spelling bee a battle

By Mike Tennant

THORNHILL — What were big high school types up to on the second last day of school last week?

Well, a bunch of rough, tough students and the staff of Thornlea Secondary got together and battled it out in a spelling bee.

The whole thing was the result of the undaunted efforts of theatre arts

teacher Laird Orr, (L-A-I-R-D O-R-R, and English teacher Sam Serrano. (S-A-M S-E-R-R-A-N-O)

The winning team was a compilation of the teams of the secretarial staff, headed by John (Mr. Dictionary) Medwell, and another team headed by math teacher Don (Killer) Attridge.

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