

in the hill

Films for kids at Hill libraries

RICHMOND HILL — Three films for children will be shown Feb. 19 at 2 p.m. at the Charles Connor branch of the Richmond Hill public library.

The branch is located at the King Side Road near Yonge St. in Oak Ridges.

Navy League Ball

RICHMOND HILL — The Navy League of Canada, Richmond Hill branch will hold a Sweetheart Ball Feb. 12 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. in Wrixon Hall, St. Mary's Anglican Church.

Dress is semi-formal and refreshments are included in the \$7 admission. For tickets call 884-8510.

Concert at Hillcrest

RICHMOND HILL — Humber Music presents a Saturday music concert at Hillcrest Mall Feb. 12 at 1 p.m.

Allenbrae branch meets

RICHMOND HILL — The Allenbrae branch of York Central Hospital Auxiliary will hold a meeting Feb. 15 at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Margaret Points, 205 Alverna Road.

This will be a work meeting and the members will be making St. Patrick's Day tray favours. Food

Helping the hungry

RICHMOND HILL — The Richmond Hill United Church will hold an ecumenical meeting concerning the "Food and the World's Hungry", Feb. 13 at 8 p.m.

Library sports month

RICHMOND HILL — The Richmond Hill Public Library will be celebrating winter sports month throughout February.

A special collection of books on skiing, skating, curling, and cross country skiing will be complemented by programs of videotapes to be presented in the Main Library during library opening hours.

Kid's story hour

RICHMOND HILL — Story hour for children will be held at the main branch of the Richmond Hill library, 24 Wright St. Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 2 to 2:45 p.m., at the Richvale branch, 54 Pearson Ave. Wednesdays from 10:30 to 11 p.m. and at Charles Connor branch, King Side Road near Yonge St. Wednesdays from 2 to 2:30 p.m.

School invites parents

RICHMOND HILL — Dads and working moms will have a chance to see a typically active nursery school morning Feb. 12 when Top O' The Hill opens specially for them.

The cooperative nursery in St. Mary's Wrixon Hall, Major Mackenzie Drive, will open its doors from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Parents are invited to glory in sand and water play, squeeze dough through their fingers and build towers to their hearts' content.

Or they can simply drop in for coffee and a quick glance at their children's works of art.

For information please call Mrs. Tomlin at 884-7012.

Dr. Langstaff speaks

RICHMOND HILL — The Richmond Hill Historical Society will hold its monthly meeting at the Main Library 24 Wright St. Feb 21 at 8 p.m. to celebrate Heritage Day.

Dr. James Langstaff will speak about the development of medicine in York County and the Langstaff generations - all closely integrated into the history of the community.

Refreshments will be served and visitors are welcome to attend.

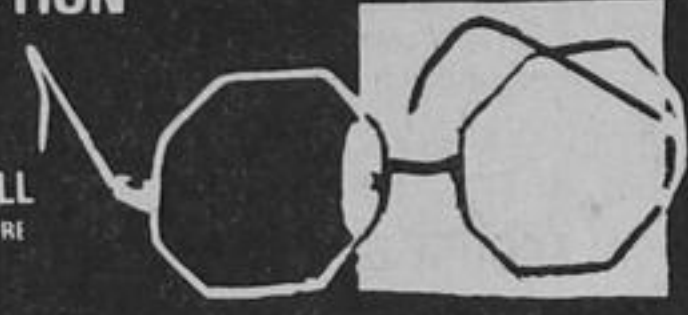
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Beware of smoke detectors, ministry warns

RICHMOND HILL — Consumers are being warned to shop carefully before investing in smoke detectors.

The warning comes from the ministry of consumer and commercial relations claiming that, although smoke detectors now on the market can save

lives, some salesmen are using high pressure tactics to sell the units at excessive prices.

"Conscientious parents are easy prey for unscrupulous door-to-door salesmen painting grim pictures of tragedy to sell detectors at inflated prices," says Sidney

Handleman, minister of consumer and commercial relations.

Fire claimed the lives of nearly 300 Ontarians last year, many of whom could have been saved had detection been made earlier.

Smoke detectors fall into two categories: ionization type and photoelectric. Ionization

type detectors sense "products-of combustion", often before there is any visible indication of fire.

Photoelectric detectors trigger an alarm when smoke interferes with the flow of light in the unit.

Both types indicated fire danger much more quickly than heat-

activated units now installed in commercial and industrial buildings.

The Ontario Building Code, enacted by the Ontario government last year stipulates that all new residential dwellings must have ionization detectors wired into the electrical system, the minister said.

Units available for existing houses include battery operated and plug-in units as well as the electrically-connected types.

Prices range from about \$40 to \$80 for the units.

The Ontario ministry of consumer and com-

mercial relations has produced an information sheet about smoke detectors, their installation, operation and maintenance.

For a copy of this information sheet, write: Ontario Consumer, Queen's Park, Toronto, Ontario, M7A 2H6

50 lap goal for skaters

RICHMOND HILL — The Richvale Lions Majorettes will hold a fund raising skate-a-thon Feb. 13 from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Lions' Rink on Spruce St. There will be no public skating during that time.

Skaters will try to circle the rink 50 times to collect pledges that will be used to purchase new uniforms.

The club now has 62 majorettes and it is hoped that 50 will turn out for the event. Members of the community who wish to skate and help out in the drive are invited to pick up sponsor forms by calling Mrs. Norma Greenfield at 884-5097.



York Symphony Orchestra in rehearsal

Conductor Clifford Poole leads the York Symphony Orchestra in rehearsal Sunday at the Richmond Hill United Church. The orchestra, with guest performer, James Spragg, formerly first trumpeter with the Quebec

Symphony Orchestra, will be performing Hayden's Trumpet Concerto at a concert scheduled for Feb. 11 at St. Mary's Anglican Church.

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Summer jobs in Markham

MARKHAM — Students who are interested in summer jobs with Markham Township's Parks and Recreation Department have two days left to mail in applications.

Those whose forms are postmarked no later than midnight of Feb. 11 will be considered for almost 100 positions which are open.

These range from junior play area and day camp leaders, age 14 or over as of June 30, 1977, to pool supervisors age 21 or over.

Salaries range from \$25 to \$160 per week.

Markham residents will have first consideration for all jobs, provided that they meet other qualifications.

Application forms have already been distributed to all secondary schools.

If you did not receive one, and are interested in applying to the department, check with your school office or call the municipal offices at 297-1900.

Guides card party

MAPLE — The Maple Guides and Brownie Mothers Auxiliary will hold a card party Feb. 16 at St. Stephen's Anglican Church.

Card games include euchre and bridge and door prizes will be presented.

Gospel Sing at church

THORNHILL — A Gospel sing will be held Feb. 18 at Richmond Hill Pentecostal Church, 26 Church St. at 8 p.m.

Admission is free and all are welcome to hear Temp recording stars, The Singing Canadians. For more information call 851-0358.

Jewish women organize in Thornhill

THORNHILL — The National Council of Jewish Women of Canada, Toronto section, is celebrating its 80th birthday this year, and is branching out into Thornhill.

From very humble beginnings, helping new immigrants adjust to life in Canada, the organization has grown to encompass people from

every walk of life. Membership in Toronto totals 1500 women whose motto is study, service and social action. The women divide themselves into branches of about 25 members with each branch deciding its own program.

The Thornhill community has attracted a large number of young

families. It has come to the attention of Council that many women in this area would like to be involved in this organization.

A new branch is being formed. The first meeting will be held at the National Council of Jewish Women, Council House, 4700 Bathurst

Street, on Feb. 24, at 8 p.m. All those interested are invited to attend. For more information please call Anne Lieberman, 447-6427, Sheila Hecker 223-7139 or Elaine Cheskes at 444-2666.

Bridge winners

Jan. 19, North-South, 1. Jack and Roberta Robelotti, 2. Nick and Margo Parmaginali, 3. Clea Dieken and Ann Jansen.

East-West, 1. Jean Goodwin and Marg Melnichuk, 2. Jean Honan and Pat Rawlinson, 3. Betty Hull and Cora Gillham.

Jan. 28, A Howell Movement was played with the winners: 1. Ruth and Gerry Browning, 2. Ross Jenkinson and Victor Cronshaw, 3. Ann and Bob Manning, 4. Bob and Edna Dunn.

Jan. 31, North-South, 1. Rod Sandford and Doug Milner, 2. Joe and Lorie Coen, 3. Ann Payment and Sandy Jenkinson.

East-West, 1. Bob and Edna Dunn, 2. John and Wendy Hunter, 3. Clea Dieken and George Payment.

Come and play bridge Monday and Friday nights and Wednesday afternoons at 12 King Side Road, Oak Ridges. For information Call Clea Dieken 717-5789, or Natalie Platner 884-1689.

Business conference

WILLOWDALE — A one day conference will be held on International Trade at the Prince Hotel Feb. 16.

The conference is designed for small and medium sized businesses which have a potentially exportable product line or patented process.

Registration is \$95.

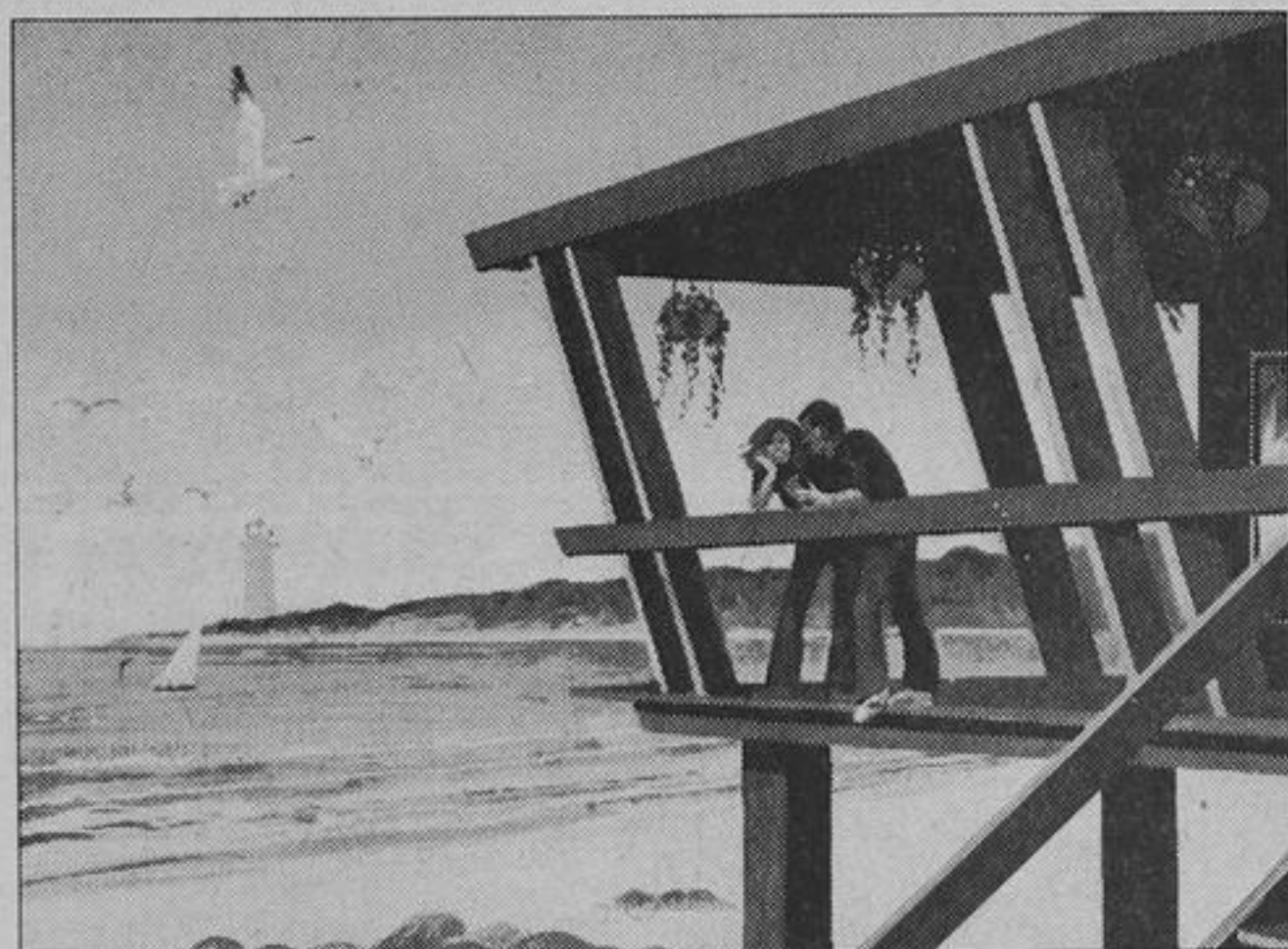
Family violence explored

DOWNSVIEW — Fairview library's "To Date" lecture series on current issues continues Feb. 14 at 8 p.m. with a look at "Violence and the Family".

Sociologist, Dr. Norman Bell, a professor at the University of Toronto, will explore the causes of family violence and its effects on individuals, the family unit and society at large.

Admission is free at Fairview library, 35 Fairview Mall Drive in the Don Mills — Sheppard area.

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