



Grads

The Richmond Hill Day Care Centre held its graduation party of Kindergarten at St. Mary's Anglican Church last week. Among the children celebrating are, left to right, Jeffrey Kusmenko, Thornhill St., Dwayne Bacchus, Yonge St., and Jackie Dunphy, Markham Road.

Family Services names director

Taylor Alexander has been named executive director of the Richmond Hill and Thornhill Family Services, it was announced last week. He succeeds Dr. Frank Fidler, who recently retired from the position. Mr. Alexander was born and educated in Kitchener. He received his bachelor of arts degree in

Psychology at Wilfred Laurier University where he subsequently obtained his Masters degree in Social Work. He has worked as a family therapist at the Chedoke-McMaster Child Centre in Hamilton and was Assistant Director of the Oakville Family Service Bureau.

Mr. Alexander comes to Richmond Hill after almost three years as the Executive Director of the Family Service Bureau of Brantford and Brant County. During Richmond Hill's Discovery Days (Sept. 17 to 24) Family Services will be inviting the leaders of many community organizations and agencies to visit the offices and meet Mr. Alexander.

Lightning hits home, \$7,000 damage

An estimated \$7,000 damage was done in a fire at a home in Richmond Hill, Sept. 1 about 5:50 p.m., when lightning hit the TV set.

The fire, which occurred in the basement of Kaj Jacobson's house at 393 Fernleigh Circle, was put out by Richmond Hill Fire Department.

In another fire in Richmond Hill, Sept. 3, \$5,000 damage was done to a vacant house on Concession 1.

The house is owned by George Hatzipetrakos, 260 Ave. Rd. Cause of the blaze is being investigated by the town fire department.

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Bike ride preparation underway

The second annual bike-a-thon sponsored by the Kinsmen Club of Markham will take place Saturday, Sept. 17.

Proceeds will go to the new Markham Pool Complex, the cystic fibrosis fund and other service projects in the Markham area.

Co-chairmen Ton Idnurm and Doug Bearss are expecting this year's event to be an even bigger success than last year.

About 200 cyclists, young and not so young, are expected to collect pledges and try out the 27-mile course.

The bike-a-thon will be supervised by Kinsmen with the help of CB volunteers.

Sponsor sheets are available now at many stores throughout the Markham and Unionville area and in the schools.

Thief should smell nice

Police in the Woodbridge area are looking for a sweet-smelling, bejewelled person, fond of writing letters.

The latter would then presumably be the one who broke into the home of Steven Dikscheil, 8520 Pine Valley Dr., Woodbridge, Sept. 1.

Taken were a quantity of Canadian stamps, 10 bottles of Holland perfume and some jewelry. Two other places in the community were also visited by thieves.

While Timothy Varcoe and Ian Hollinsworth entertained 75 wedding guests at their home on Simmons St., Aug. 28, someone walked off with two 35 mm cameras, valued at \$785, from a bedroom.

Tony's Restaurant, Highway 7 in Woodbridge, was out \$10 after thieves audited the till.

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