



**First customer**

Television personality Fred Davis presents a large teddy bear to Miracle Mart's first customer, one-year-old Adam Felberg. Holding Adam is his mother Rochelle. Looking on are Russ Chilvers, store manager (left) and Norm Auslander, company executive, (right). They were part of huge crowd which gathered for the opening of Miracle Mart last Wednesday in the brand new Markham Place Mall.

## Markham Place opening draws hundreds

Hundreds of shoppers from all over Thornhill converged on Markham Place located at the corner of Don Mills Road and Steeles, which opened last Wednesday morning, to pick up some of the many advertised bargains.

The previous evening \$3,500 was presented to the Chairman of the Board of the North York Symphony Orchestra by the partners of Markham Marketplace.

The orchestra was performing at a reception in the mall for invited guests. Cocktails and hors d'oeuvres were served by uniformed waitresses.

"It was a lot of hard work planning the mall," said Mayor Tony Roman. "I believe that what has happened here is a contribution of many, many people."

There is 20,000 sq. ft. of office space on the second level of the mall.

Roman added "it will produce good tax revenue which is very desperately needed" and he believes the mall will afford people in the community an opportunity to come in to shop. I think it's fantastic.

Tenants so far include Dr. Lorne Kay, optometrist; Dr. Larry Lerner, dentist; Dr. Louis Fields and Dr. Peter Dux, general practitioners;

Kenner Ames, Vice-President of Trizec, one of the partners, said "our business is building centres. We have a lot of pride in it and we are very pleased with it."

The Bank of Nova Scotia and Canada Permanent Trust have branches in the mall. Stores and services include Astral Photo, Bally Shoes, Big Bite (snack bar), Calladine and Baldrey (travel agency) Card Gallery, Charms N Things, Classic Books, Coleman's Restaurant and Tavern, Darby's, Embassy Cleaners, Fairweather, The Flower Place (florist), Golden Dolphin (bathroom accessories), Hackett's (sporting goods), Irene Hill (ladies wear), Jewellery Tree, Kawai Keyboard Centre (pianos and organs), Kelly's Stereo Mart, Kevel Fashions (ladies wear), Little Lords and Ladies (children's wear) M'Goo's (ice cream parlour), Maher Shoes, Mappin's (jewellery), Mister Sound (records, tapes), Olde Towne Pharmacy, Philips Consumer Service, Ruby Shoes, Samantha's II (gifts), Samson and Delilah (hairstyling), 2nd Look Studios, (cosmetics, perfume, wigs), Steak Shop, Steeles Optical, Tannery Row and

The partners, all of whom were red casualties, told the invited guests that Markham Place plans to give back to the community as much as it takes out and praised the close co-operation among the partners, the local ratepayers and Markham Council.

Following the performance London Suite by the North York Symphony Orchestra several of the larger stores were open for inspection.

A variation on shopping plaza design has been achieved by laying out the aisles diagonally inside the 300,000 sq. ft. rectangular building.

Greenhouse-like glazed entrances, pyramid skylights, trees in the mall floor and planters

Mississippi Gambler Markham Place is owned by Markham Marketplace, a consortium of which Trizec Equities Ltd. is the managing partner.

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## Theme park files available

Those opposed to the Maple theme park will have no problem peeking into the town files on the matter, Vaughan council-in-committee promised Monday night.

Councillor Jim Cameron had requested that the files of the planning and engineering department be given to those opposing the Family Leisure Centres application before the Ontario Municipal Board, as he had previously heard of "some hesitancy" about their findings.

However, he told the committee that he felt the problem had been resolved with the co-operation of town planner

### Hill woman wins cruise in Caribbean

Mrs. Audrey Graydon of Richmond Hill won a Caribbean cruise for two Friday night when the Richmond Hill Lions Club held a special draw.

Second prize, a color television, was won by Donald Stewart of Villa Hospital, Bathurst Street, while a Newmarket man, E. Farr, won the third prize, a microwave oven.

John Dewar and solicitor Tom Fraser.

But he did feel the matter should be clarified by council.

Councillor Terry Goodwin was concerned that the files should be properly supervised but

he was assured that no one would be allowed to walk off with the information.

Councillor Dave Fraser pointed out that the material "is as much the property of the objectors as the objectees" but

stressed that the cost of duplication of the files was the issue.

It was agreed that anyone wishing copies of the material would pay the standard photocopying cost of 50 cents per sheet.

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## Winners named in Liberal's photo contest

Winners of The Liberal's "Where Am I?" contest have been announced.

Linda Monroe, 22 Yongehurst Road, Richmond Hill, was first place winner and received a \$25 cheque from Liberal Editor Ron Wallace Thursday.

Other winners, who will receive their prizes later this week, include Michael Tambosso, 30 Sussex Avenue; L. Lee, 364 Bent Crescent; D. McGuire, 251 Anzac

Crescent; and Mrs. Yuki Tokawa, 24 Wild Cherry Lane, Thornhill.

Contestants had to identify five photographs of scenes in Richmond Hill.

Majority of the entrants failed in photo 2, which was an unusual shot of the front of the Richmond Hill Curling Club.

All winners correctly identified all five photographs.

The contest was held in conjunction with Richmond Hill's Discovery Days.

## Rotary presents travel series

For the sixth consecutive year, the Rotary Club of Richmond Hill is presenting its Travel and Adventure Series, a program that combines speakers and films that let the audience travel with the photographer.

This year, subscribers will travel through Norway, Germany, Russia, Holland and the far north, as well as examine the many faces of Canada.

The first program will be presented November

17 at 8 p.m. in the Bayview Secondary School.

Subscriptions, covering all six presentations, may be purchased from any member of the Rotary Club or by calling 884-7772.

The \$8 adult and \$3 student tickets cover all six presentations through April 17, 1978.

All proceeds will be used for financing the community and international projects carried out by the Richmond Hill Rotary Club.

## Exiled bishop to be in Thornhill

The exiled bishop of northern Uganda will be in Thornhill Tuesday night.

Rt. Rev. Benoni Ogwal will be the guest preacher at the York Central Deanery special service Nov. 1 at 8 p.m. at Holy Trinity Church.

The bishop fled his homeland after the death of the Anglican archbishop of Uganda.

## ACW bazaar

The annual Christmas Bazaar and Luncheon, sponsored by the Anglican Church Women of St. Mary's, Richmond Hill, will be held Saturday, November 12.

The event begins at noon and continues until 3 p.m., with lunch served at 12.30 p.m.

The bazaar will be held at the church, 10,030 Yonge St., Richmond Hill. For further information, call 884-8722 or 889-6397.

**HYDRO UTILITY RESTRUCTURING REGION OF YORK**

# NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS

**PUBLIC MEETINGS TO DISCUSS THE FUTURE HYDRO SERVICE IN YORK REGION AND IN PARTICULAR THE TOWN OF MARKHAM WILL BE HELD AS FOLLOWS**

**CROSBY ARENA - UNIONVILLE**  
**NOVEMBER 3rd, 8:00 P.M.**  
**MARKHAM COMMUNITY CENTRE, HWY. NO. 7 & NO. 48**  
**NOVEMBER 7th, 8:00 P.M.**  
**THORNHILL COMMUNITY CENTRE, BAYVIEW AVENUE,**  
**NOVEMBER 14th, 8:00 P.M.**

THE ABOVE MEETINGS ARE BEING SPONSORED BY THE TOWN OF MARKHAM PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

D.V. McNabb, Chairman



Bill Deegan, in the middle of things as usual, with his friends—left side, front to back: Peter Dickens, Gordon Sinclair, Henry Shannon, David Tafler, Bob Greenfield; to Bill's right, front to back: Dave Hodge, Torben Wittrup, Bill McVean, Bob Hesketh, Erik Thorsen.

## Bill Deegan & friends

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  - At 5:20 and 6:20, Dave Hodge talks sports on "Sportviews."
  - At 5:25, weather roundup.
  - At 5:45, Gordon Sinclair raises the curtain on "Show Business."

- At 5:50, Bob Hesketh comments on today's news.
- At 6:30, Torben Wittrup for News and Comments.
- At 6:50, Bob Hesketh and Bill McVean spar on "Dialogue."
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