



Ontario's Dairy Princess, Kim Mortson of Queensville assures 17-month-old Stephen Burke of Castlerock Avenue, Richmond Hill that it's quite all right to touch the Jersey calf. The calf and Miss Mortson were at Hillcrest Mall Saturday to celebrate Dairy Week.

IT'S HAPPENING IN THE HILL

Richmond Hill Central

Richmond Hill Lawyer 50 years in profession

Norman A. Todd, Richmond Hill Barrister and Solicitor, celebrated his 50th anniversary as a lawyer June 20.

Mr. Todd has been an area resident for more than 35 years and has carried out a practice of law in Richmond Hill for more than 30 years.

UNITED CHURCH

The congregation of Richmond Hill United Church held a special ceremony June 24 to honor Dr. Norman and Mrs. McNairn.

Dr. McNairn served as Interim Minister at the church during the past year, and the congregation wished to express appreciation. He and his wife were the recipients of a cheque and a picture of the church.

Dr. and Mrs. McNairn will continue to live in Richmond Hill, and he will stay on at Richmond Hill United to assist Dr. Bruce McLeod, who arrives shortly to take up his duties as Minister of the church.

NATURE CRAFTS

The Richmond Hill Public Library will hold a Nature Crafts Workshop Friday, July 6 from 7 to 9 p.m. at the library on Wright Street.

The program is designed primarily for adults, who are involved in childhood education or for parents, who are interested in the topic.

Included in the program will be the making of pine-cone animals, nature pictures, macrame and much more.

The fee for the workshop is \$5 and this will include all materials. The registration is limited to 15 people and everyone wishing to participate, is asked to pre-register in the Boys' and Girls' department at the library or call 884-9288.

ST. MATTHEW'S

A picnic was held June 26 for the Intermediate and Junior choirs of St. Matthew's United Church.

Bruce's Mills was the scene and everyone enjoyed hiking through the park and the barbecue dinner.

BLOCK PARENTS

The Richmond Hill-Thornhill area Block Parents Association will hold its regular meeting July 5 at 7:30 p.m. at the York Regional Police Station on Major Mackenzie Drive, Richmond Hill.

This meeting is open to all interested people in either community.

FISHERAMA

The York Central Anglers and Hunters will sponsor a Fisherama for boys and girls under 15 years of age.

The fun will be Saturday, July 7 at the Mill Pond and will begin at 8 a.m.

All young people in the community, who would like to try fishing are welcome.

There will be prizes for the biggest fish.

COMBINED SERVICES

The congregations of St. John's Baptist Church and Richmond Hill Presbyterian Church will combine talents for a summer union service, Sunday, July 8 at 11 a.m. at Richmond Hill Presbyterian Church.

Pastor Mark Parent will officiate.

CONCERTS

Richmond Hill and area residents will once again be able to enjoy evening concerts at the Mill Pond.

The first concert will be held tomorrow, July 5 at 7:30 p.m. Jack Turner will be the featured performer.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

The Richmond Hill Horticultural Society will hold its annual Delphinium, Rose and Lily Show Tuesday, July 10 at the Richmond Hill Presbyterian Church beginning at 8 p.m.

Members are asked to be at the Church at 7 p.m. to visit two beautiful gardens in the community; those of Bob Craigie and Edith Walker.

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY

The Pleasantville Branch of York Central Hospital Auxiliary has created another quilt, this time a Tulip pattern.

Tickets at 50 cents each or three for \$1 are now on sale for the draw, to be made in September.

To reserve your tickets, please call 884-3216.



What looks like a reflection is really Richmond Hill's musical twins, Sharon (left) and Sandra Hammer of Browndale Crescent. The girls competed recently at the National Music Festival. Sharon achieved the most promising accordion student award, placed first in competition and is a junior champion in the 13 years and under category. Sandra received a citation for piano playing. The girls are 12 years old. (Liberal Photo by Bruce Hogg).

Your Liberal contact

While the three areas of Richmond Hill each have their own column on this page — North, Central, and South — it's nice to know they're finally all being compiled by the same person.

So it's easy to get your news into its proper area.

Millie Stewart, a veteran correspondent with The Liberal, started out handling Richmond Hill North; completely initiated the Richmond Hill Central column; and has now taken on the handling of Richmond Hill South.

She's available Fridays and Mondays at The Liberal, 884-8177 or 881-3373.

Richmond Hill South

Hillcrest All-stars wind up jazz series

The Hillcrest All-Stars will be the final performers in a series of Jazz performances at Hillcrest Mall.

Appearing in this group on Wednesday, July 4 in the Market Court from 5:30 to 8 p.m. will be Jim McHarg of the Maple Leaf Jazz Band; Malcolm Hicks and

Jim Abercrombie of the Vintage Jazz Band; Doug McLeod of the Jazz Corporation; Jim Buckman of the Climax Jazz Band; and Don Simmons of the Casa Loma Jazz Band.

Shoppers in the Mall are welcome to watch the performance, tap

their toes to the music and generally enjoy the show.

TIMBREL DANCE GROUP

The Town of Vaughan playground program in conjunction with the Ministry of Culture and Recreation is

introducing something new this year.

The Timbrel Dance Group, a group of four members, will visit the parks for a special performance.

Each of the four members will visit one of the parks for the first two days, and on

the third day, all four parks will hold a combined performance with the dancers as the star attractions.

The parents are invited to view this performance on July 12 at Fundale Park, Woodbridge at 1:45 p.m.

Richmond Hill North

Library has programs for all ages

The Charles Connor Public Library is gearing up for a busy summer, and you are invited to join in the fun.

Beginning today, July 4, the summer reading program begins. They're calling it 'Dragon down to your library' and all participating young people will receive a gift pack of book marks, posters and much more.

For each book read, the children will add a scale to the dragon. Additional information about this program is available at the library or by calling them at 773-5533.

PUPPETS

The Travelling

Puppet Show is coming to The Charles Connor Library July 11 (Wednesday) at 10:30 a.m. Children of all ages will thrill to the antics of Porky The Pig and other puppet characters.

The program is open to children of all ages, but pre-registration is required. This may be done in person or by calling the library at 773-5533.

TURTLE RACES

Wednesday, July 18 will be full of fun and enjoyment as the great turtle race is launched.

Children will make and race their own turtle, which they will also name.

Prizes will be awarded to the best turtle, the fastest turtle and the one with the best name.

The number of children attending this program is limited to 20, so it is advisable to register early at the Library.

SENIORS

Members of the Wheelhouse Club for senior citizens attended a surprise birthday party for Annie Phillips last week.

Mrs. Phillips is not telling her age, but she is over 21.

The party was given by her daughter Jean Rennick, complete with cake and enough candles to light Oak Ridges.

The Wheelhouse Club is remaining open for the summer so that members may use the facilities.

The first and third Wednesday afternoons will be reserved for afternoon euchre games; the remaining Wednesdays will be social afternoons, where members may bring a friend to share the fun.

Friday afternoons all members are welcome to bring a craft to work on or share with fellow members and enjoy a social get-together.

Members of the club are now selling tickets on their latest quilt.

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