

Babysitting co-op booming

Babysitters are hard to find and they cost money. A group of Richmond Hill women banded together to find a solution to this problem and came up with a co-op system of babysitting.

The idea came from Jennifer Klemm, who moved to Richmond Hill from Leaside, where she was a member of a co-op in action. New members in the co-op are given 15 tokens or chips, representing money, as well as a list of guidelines. "Guidelines are just common sense rules," said Mrs. Klemm. Babysitting service costs one token per child

per hour. "A member needs to do their share to remain solvent," said the Richmond Hill mother. If a sitter has to cancel at the last moment they must provide a replacement sitter. This is another possible problem looked after in the guidelines.

Another rule is if the mother is away more than an agreed-upon time span, it will cost one-and-a-half tokens more. Although day-time babysitting is most popular, night sitting is available. During the day the child is taken to the sitter's house and picked up, but

for the convenience of the child and the parent, the babysitter comes to the child's home in the evening. Rules for evenings include: the sitter must come alone, after midnight it will cost one-and-a-half tokens more, and the children must be prepared for bed.

"If you've just put your own child to bed, who wants to put someone else's to bed too," said Mrs. Klemm. The co-op babysitting service already has 10 families involved. For more information call 884-0210.

Lions planning buffet, dance next Saturday

Maple Lions Club has taken a gamble this September and they hope to have a lot of support from our community. Each September the Lions hold a buffet and dance which, for the past two years, has been known as "Septemberfest".

This year they are upgrading the event by hiring the Tommy Dorsey Orchestra, which is costly. Bruce Murchison, a member of the Maple Lions Club said, "We'd like to have a packed house," he said "and 400 couples will do it."

The event will be called Maple Lions Club Fall Festival, and will be held September 15, with the buffet opening at 6:30 p.m. and dancing from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Anyone is invited and tickets, at \$35 per couple, can be obtained by calling 832-1154, 832-2318, 832-2618 or 832-2689.

Low prices

new potatoes Ontario grown no. 1 grade top quality **1/2 price sale** was .88 save .44 **44** 10 lb. bag

cabbage Ontario grown no. 1 grade extra flavour for cole slaw **1/2 price sale** was .33 save .17 **16** ea.

Heinz condensed tomato soup **1/2 price sale** was .32 save .16 **16** 10 fl. oz. tin

Del Monte pudding cups all flavours **1/2 price sale** was 1.37 save .50 **87** 4x5 oz. tins sleeve

more grocery values

- orange grape or lemon, bonus pack **1.89**
- Wyer's crystals 748 g tin **1.69**
- Bick's wine **.81**
- sauerkraut 32 fl. oz. jar **.81**
- V-8 Cocktail **.37 ea**
- vegetable juice 2 10 fl. oz. tins **.67**
- Coast complexion bar **.45**
- toilet soap 95 g **.39**
- Aim **1.49**
- toothpaste 100 mL tube **1.19**
- Welch's frozen concentrate **1.29**
- grape juice 16 fl. oz. tin **1.16**
- 4 varieties, frozen 11 oz. box **1.35**
- Chun King dinner **1.25**
- Monarch vegetable oil, quarters **1.99**
- margarine 3 lb. box **1.85**
- F B I, daytona **1.29**
- orange drink 64 fl. oz. bottle **1.22**
- Melitta, filter **5.99**
- coffeemaker 1 unit boxed **5.31**
- Neilson country crisp butter walnut peanut & honey or toasted almond **1.39**
- granola bars 9 oz. box **1.29**
- Welch's, concentrate **1.12**
- grape juice 24 fl. oz. bottle **.99**
- Welch's pure **1.47**
- grape jam or jelly 24 fl. oz. jar **.89**
- Brunswick Connoisseur in soya oil **.65**
- sardines 3 1/4 oz. tin **.58**
- Connor's in lemon sauce or soya oil **.55**
- sea steaks 3.53 oz. tin **.51**
- saccharin-free, 100's packets **1.49**
- Sugar Twin 80 g box **1.39**
- Maple Leaf, canned **4.39**
- cooked ham 1 1/2 lb. tin **4.09**
- antiseptic **2.92**
- Listerine 750 mL bottle **2.09**
- Irish Spring **1.85**
- anti-perspirant 150 mL aero tin **1.49**

more produce values

- Annes Gourmet **1.49**
- salad dressings ea **1.49**
- Ontario grown for a crisp chef's salad **.89**
- romaine lettuce 3 bunches **2.88**
- produce of Ontario no. 1 grade juicy and flavourful **2.88**
- bartlett pears 4 quart **2.88**
- produce of U.S.A. deliciously refreshing **.98**
- seedless grapes lb **.98**
- produce of U.S.A. no. 1 grade for a pleasure filled dessert **.79**
- fresh cantaloupe ea **.79**
- Ontario grown hanging basket **5.99**
- Pittsburg ivy 8 pot

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save on Robin Hood products

Robin Hood cake & pastry flour 3.5 kg bag 1.99 save .56	Robin Hood quick or instant minute rolled oats 1 kg bag 1.15 save .26	Robin Hood - flaky pie crust mix 19 oz. box 1.02 save .13	Robin-o apple & cinnamon or maple & brown sugar ready-to-serve oatmeal 12 oz. box .86 save .11	Robin Hood all purpose flour 3.5 kg bag 2.53 save .14
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save on Johnson & Johnson brand products

Johnson's baby powder 14 oz plastic bottle 2.25 1.49 save .76	Carefree panty shields 30's box 1.99 1.69 save .30	J and J Stayfree maxi pads 30's box 3.19 2.49 save .70	Johnson's baby shampoo 350 mL plastic bottle 2.59 2.19 save .40	Johnson's baby oil 250 mL plastic bottle 2.19 1.79 save .40
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