

A man for all seasons

# Students perform successful play

By AVRIL MCKENNA  
A standing-room-only audience streamed into the first night of a two-night production of *A Man For All Seasons*, put on by St. Robert's Catholic High School last week. The audience, expecting to see a typical

high school performance, was surprised to find the cast resembling one from the medieval era. The setting had a lot to do with the colorful costumes on loan from Stage Centre Productions. First-night jitters may have been the reason it was difficult to hear the actors at the beginning of

the play. However, it didn't take long for them to get into gear. King Henry was played by Quinn Wanko. He added a humorous touch with his colorful portrayal of the young, handsome gentleman seeking More's support in his marriage annulment. Richard Rich was

played by Tom Filipchuck, who emphasized his role of the nervous and weak man committing perjury against More. Linda Murphy was Lady Alice More, a woman full of pride and love for her husband. The hateful and power hungry character of Oliver Cromwell was

played by Steve Martin. Cromwell stepped on everyone he could and destroyed people on his road to power. After the play, Steve said: "He's rotten, dirty and mean — and I loved every minute of it." Steve Vernon was narrator and as a master of many disguises, he also played the Common Man. His performance won him a standing ovation. The starring role went to Chris Potter — Sir Thomas More. He was so deeply devoted to God and his moral values, he was willing to die for them.

# Aurora Bridge Club results

Following is a list of results from recent Aurora Bridge Club play:

Wednesday, November 28 — Swiss team event: Doug Laird, Marjorie Nekechuk, Patsy Bean and Jean Honan were first; Marg Melnichuk, Jean Goodwin, Marg Davis and Heather Burling were second.

On Friday, November 30, a Howell Movement was played: Winners were Bev Jones and Peter Lariviere, Shirley Bays and Marcella Lawiers; Wendy and John Hunter.

The club is located at 12125 Yonge Street, Richmond Hill, in the St. John's Anglican Church.

For partners and information, call 884-1689 or 727-2580.

# They're seeking approval of new estate subdivision

A developer in town and a member of Richmond Hill council have presented yet another official plan amendment. Dave Stephenson, Bill Corcoran, and a numbered company, 359019 Ontario Limited, were represented by Lindsay Dale-Harris, a planner, who brought an application to planning committee last Tuesday for development of a 55-acre parcel on the south side of Gormley-Stouffville Sideroad, just east of Bayview Avenue.

agricultural to industrial. The property in question is just east of the present Trailwoods subdivision and the proposed Spring Mills Estates. Councillor John Birchall, a member of the planning committee, said he understood the regional planning committee had asked the town to limit further rural estate development after Spring Mills Estates. Mayor Dave Schiller said he was concerned

with the timing of the application because of our need is covered for about five years." Planning Staff was asked to look at the application and Commissioner of Planning, Bill Power, was requested to take a look at all other applications in the area to let the committee know the number of applications on file in the rural area.

Mills and Trailwoods — our need is covered for about five years."

Mr. C. West and Mrs. A. Absy devoted much of their time and effort to making the play a success, which, according to the audience's response, it was.

The land owners propose to develop 14 estates on two acres of land, and want the property rezoned from

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