

Stouffville W.I. - 75th anniversary



Four ladies, with 25 years service or more, were honored, last week, when the Stouffville Branch of the Women's Institute celebrated its 75th anniversary. They were presented with Life Memberships. Left to right

are - Velma Arnold, Bessie Forgie and Hilda Middleton of Stouffville and Mabel Williamson of Markham. Jim Thomas



Stouffville Branch President, Mary Davidson, (right), described as "an outstanding lady in our community", was

presented with a gift by Branch Vice-President Alice Taun, at the conclusion of the anniversary meeting. Jim Thomas

Four receive Life Memberships

STOUFFVILLE — Wednesday, June 4 marked an important milestone in the life of the Stouffville Women's Institute—their 75th anniversary. The event was also important to four local ladies—Velma Arnold, Bessie Forgie, Hilda Middleton and Mabel Williamson. They

were presented with Life Memberships in the organization, an honor bestowed on very few. Their enthusiasm and dedication was praised by W.I. president, Mary Davidson.

Close to one hundred attended the celebration, held in the Stouffville Legion Hall. Outside

branches represented included - Bethesda, Buttonville, Claremont, Altona, Scarborough Junction, Wexford, Victoria Square, Thornhill, Highland Creek and Lakeview.

The anniversary cake was cut by two long-standing members, Della Badgerow, 94, of Stouffville, R.R. 2 and Lucy Sanderson, 84 of Main Street West, Stouffville.

The president in reviewing the Institute's history since its inception, May 30, 1905, touched on the organization's many accomplishments down through the years. Mrs. George Brodie was the first branch president and

Mrs. L.C. Wideman, the secretary-treasurer.

Strange as it may seem, the concerns of those early days were much the same as those of today. These included - curfews for teenagers, depletion of natural resources and drug trafficking.

At one particular meeting, the business part of the session lasted so long, the lights (automatically) went out at 10 p.m., and the guest speaker never did get a chance to say his piece.

The Institute's war effort was most remarkable, contributing both money and supplies for shipments overseas. District president,

Helen Armstrong of Wexford extended congratulations. Greetings were also brought by the district secretary, Millie Hull of Highland Creek.

Mrs. Davidson introduced various people seated in the audience who had made their contribution to the Institute's success including Mrs. Sanderson, the Immediate Past President and past secretaries, Mary Bartholomew, Winnie Hutchinson and Mabel Williamson. Mrs. Sanderson also served as secretary-treasurer.

She recalled the story of how Mrs. Arthur Storry (then - Frances Morris),

would travel to various meetings by horse and buggy. On one occasion, her two passengers, Mrs. Brodie and Mrs. Wideman became a trifle upset with her driving and elected to walk home. Mrs. Storry, now 90, resides in Parkview.

As a fitting conclusion to the meetings, Mrs. Davidson was presented with a gift by Institute vice-president Alice Taun. Mrs. Taun, in her remarks, cited the W.I. leader as "an outstanding lady in our community".

Music for the occasion was provided by Jean Hammond and Mary Grant, with Marj. Duxbury at the piano.

Thanks to Tony A "thanks to Tony" reception and banquet will be held at the Markham Fairgrounds, Saturday evening, honoring Markham Mayor Tony Roman's ten years in office.

Taxes due The second instalment of 1980 taxes for Whitchurch-Stouffville, is due before June 20 and payable at the Town Office, Monday to Friday between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Editor's Mail

Quick response

Dear Editor: I wish to take this opportunity to express my sincere appreciation to the Stouffville Volunteer Fire Department, York Regional Police and the York Regional Ambulance Service for their efficient response to an emergency situation. The tragedy occurred during the process of digging out a basement at a residence on Churchill Drive, Musselman's Lake. I was in the position of not being able to do anything until help arrived. And help, I might

say, did arrive quickly after being notified.

Being a professional firefighter myself, I'm very much aware of public opinion. I wish to assure the people of Whitchurch - Stouffville that our emergency service here are second to none.

I for one feel very secure in knowing my family is afforded this calibre of protection.

Sincerely,
RONALD ROBB,
President, Church Drive Ratepayers Association.

TOWN OF WHITCHURCH-STOUFFVILLE

NOTICE

TO PROPERTY OWNERS TO DESTROY WEEDS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons in possession of land in accordance with The Weed Control Act, Ontario, that unless the noxious weeds or weed seeds growing on their lands within the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville are destroyed by Sunday, June 15th, 1980, and throughout the season as often as it is necessary to prevent the ripening of their seeds and dispersal of their pollens, the Council of the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville has appointed a Weed Inspector to cause said weeds or weed seeds to be destroyed in such manner as he may deem proper, and that the expenses incurred by the said Weed Inspector in the discharge of his duties shall be placed on the Collector's Roll of the Municipality against the respective lands concerned and that such amounts shall be collected in the same manner as taxes.

Although Dandelions, Burdock and Goldenrod are not considered noxious weeds within the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville under The Weed Control Act, the co-operation of all citizens is solicited in the elimination of these nuisance weeds.

The co-operation of all persons concerned is earnestly solicited.

Weed Inspector,
Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville.

STOUFFVILLE'S CANADA DAY Celebrations AND Sidewalk Sale

5 Fun Packed Days of Excitement and Sales

JUNE 27 • 28 • 29 • 30 • JULY 1

FRIDAY, JUNE 27, 1980

- 9:30 a.m. KICK OFF SIDEWALK SALES
- 10:00 a.m. CHURCH BREAKFAST
- 11:00 a.m. BASKETBALL
- 12:00 p.m. LUNCH
- 1:00 p.m. SILVER JUBILEE OPEN HOUSE
- 2:00 p.m. LIONS HOT DOG STAND
- 3:00 p.m. START OF THE JUNIOR MEN'S FESTIVAL TOURNAMENT
- 4:00 p.m. SILVER JUBILEE SHOOT AT CLUB
- 5:00 p.m. BEER GARDEN
- 6:00 p.m. MINOR HOBBY

SUNDAY, JUNE 29, 1980

- 11:00 a.m. COMMUNITY WIDE CHURCH SERVICE

MONDAY, JUNE 30, 1980

- 9:00 a.m. CONTINUATION OF SIDEWALK SALE
- 10:00 a.m. CANADIAN TIME HOT AIR BALLOON & HEAVY METEORITING
- 12:00 noon SHW & RAJA
- 2:00 p.m. AL CLUB & SCOUTS CAMPING DISPLAY
- 3:00 p.m. FIREMAN OPEN HOUSE & SAFETY DISPLAY

TUESDAY, JULY 1, 1980

- 7:30 a.m. PANCAKE BREAKFAST - BALLANTRAE LODGE
- 8:45 a.m. CANADA DAY RUN - PROGRESS CLUB & STAFF FROM SALES BURN
- 10:00 a.m. MUST PEP'S FEARS
- 11:00 a.m. BASKETBALL
- 12:00 noon GALT YARD SALE - SOCCER CLUB & EAST SIDE OF PARK DR. - NORTH OF ARENA
- 1:00 p.m. BICYCLE CAR DISPLAY - C.T.C. SHOW OF BICYCLE RIDERS
- 2:00 p.m. INTERNATIONAL SOCCER MATCH TEXAS VS STOUFFVILLE - HIGH SCHOOL
- 3:00 p.m. KITE FLYING CONTEST - BROWNE & COOK'S
- 4:00 p.m. CHAIR & PEEP'S 100% FARE CAR RACE, Tag of the Ladies Race, Lawn Ball & CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
- 5:00 p.m. JUNIOR MEN'S FESTIVAL
- 6:00 p.m. STOUFFVILLE WATER-HOCKEY SHOW & PROGRESS CLUB
- 7:00 p.m. COUNTY BREAKFAST

BOBBY GIMBY GIANT PEOPLE PARADE! TUESDAY 10 AM PETTING ZOO Stouffville Plaza

HOT AIR BALLOON CANADIAN TIRE. PET SHOW TRIBUNE

GOSPEL SING LEGION. OPEN HOUSE DANCE

COMMUNITY SERVICE SUNDAY 11 AM Emmanuel Slogers Ken Campbell

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SATURDAY, JUNE 28, 1980

- 7:30 a.m. PANCAKE BREAKFAST - PROGRESS CLUB
- 8:00 a.m. BASKETBALL
- 9:00 a.m. CONTINUATION OF FAST BALL TOURNAMENT
- 10:00 a.m. JUNIOR MEN'S FESTIVAL
- 11:00 a.m. LUNCH
- 12:00 p.m. BEER GARDEN TO 6:00 p.m. AT STOUFFVILLE ARENA
- 1:00 p.m. AL PETTING ZOO - PLAZA - JUNIOR FARMERS
- 2:00 p.m. NIGHTY NITE MATCH SOCCER - SOUTH PARK
- 3:00 p.m. LUNCH
- 4:00 p.m. AL PETTING ZOO - PLAZA
- 5:00 p.m. BEER GARDEN TO 6:00 p.m. AT STOUFFVILLE ARENA
- 6:00 p.m. MINOR HOBBY
- 7:00 p.m. CHAMPIONSHIP GAME OF SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT

LIST OF NUMBERS & LOCATIONS

- (1) Main St.
- (2) Main St. Diamond
- (3) South of Arena
- (4) Silver Jubilee Hall
- (5) Legion Hall
- (6) Arena
- (7) North of Arena
- (8) West and Plaza
- (9) South Park
- (10) Library
- (11) Swimming Pool
- (12) Fire Hall
- (13) Sales Barn
- (14) Canadian Tire
- (15) Behind Bank of Commerce
- (16) Stouffville High School
- (17) Across from High School

Map: See where it's Happening! Check the numbers listed on the Map.

Father's Day



June 15

Let our experienced staff help you select a special gift of fine apparel for

"THAT SPECIAL MAN"

in your life.

He will be glad you did!

Free Gifts For The Ladies

- SPORTSWEAR** by Jantzen, Croydon, Deacon Bros.
- DRESS SLAX** by Keithmoor, Riviera & Nash.
- BEACHWEAR** by Jantzen, South Reef, Christian Dior.
- SWEATERS & KNITS** by Terry Williams, Hathaway, Arrow, Warren Knit, Tundra.
- DRESS SHIRTS** by Arrow, Mach II, Hathaway.
- NECKWEAR & HOSIERY** from Famous Makers.

We Feature Fine Tailored Clothing by Country Squire, Cambridge, Rubin Bros. Let our own tailors fit your man into a suit, blazer or sport coat from one of these famous makers:

- Suits From \$225 - \$400
- Sports Coats & Blazers From \$125 - \$245

EXPERT ALTERATIONS DONE ON THE PREMISES:

Appleton and Hughes
THE MAN SHOP
MARKHAM SHOPPING CENTRE HWY 77 (NEXT TO DOMINION) MARKHAM 294-3820