

Volunteers needed

STOUFFVILLE—Despite a successful year, there is still a need for volunteers. Betty Courage, administrator of Home Support Services, told a meeting of the latter, last week, at the Silver Jubilee Club.

The meeting paid tribute to the volunteers who had assisted the organization in 1981, presenting them with carnations, and in several cases, awards of appreciation.

The meeting also named its new board of directors for 1982, with Mrs. Marie Adams being selected chairman.

Mrs. Courage said the volunteers had served

"102 clients," during the year, assisting them in the things they couldn't do themselves.

However, there were only five volunteers from the Stouffville area, and, as many of the calls to Home Support, were for drivers, it made it difficult to answer them all.

"We must bolster the volunteer group for driving in town this summer," she said.

Chairman of the meeting, Ged Stonehouse, said there were 16 volunteers in the "regular group," and they had done 1,254 assignments, driving, shopping and others. Another 12 home helpers did 718 jobs, he

said.

Three volunteers from the Hand in Hand program, carried on in conjunction with grade 12 students from Stouffville District Secondary School, were honored. They were: Sheila Ward, Barbara Britton and Cindy Ziegler.

Dorothy Reynolds, who supervises that part of the operation, said the volunteers work during their lunch hours and P.T. periods. "The idea is to let the students know that seniors still talk and walk, etc.," Reynolds said.

"Without them (students), I'd be lost."

Jim Rehill, who instituted the program, said it couldn't succeed "unless you have a teacher who's sincerely interested. Also, you have to depend on super kids."

The school volunteers receive a credit for their work.

Student volunteers are: Ellen Dunn, Elaine Timbers, Paul Simons, Chris Hodgson, Darlene Good, Jane Huxtable, Tracey Broom, Cathie Holder, Scott Lippett, Jan King, Scott Frisby, Tammy Veitch, Carolyn Nauta, Maggie Van Vliet, Dawn Baggs, Debbie Pattenden, Denise Bower, Kathy

Woodhead, Debbie Watt, Leslie Broadfoot, Nancy Peart, Britton, Ward and Ziegler.

Other volunteers named: Fern Den Dekker, Wiebke Henze, Joan McElwain, Shirley Rehill, "the backbone of the club": Pam Richardson, Nancy Tiley, Enid Orchard, Agnes Sinclair, Phyllis Madill, Sandra Collins, Doris Lang, Terry McFarlane, Josephine Bossi and Jean Middleton.

Members of the board 1982: Mrs. Adams, Herb Diller, Rev. Ted Green, Claude Kerr, Honor Nicholson, Otto Schweitzer, Jim Sanders, Sheila Jones, Joe Nighswander, Janet MacMurray, Don Petrie, Dorothy Reynolds, Clara Stout, Winnifred Napier and Ethel Jeffries.

Other volunteers recognized, were: Dr. John Button, Stonehouse, Lovanna Sanders, Honor Nicholson, Alma Johnson, Eva Diller, Marion Acton, Marie Adams, Clara Stout, Joyce Miller, Jan MacMurray, Win Napier, Otto Schweitzer, Evelyn Rae, Charlie Jackson, Gordon Wyatt and Claude Kerr.

Homecoming



It was a "homecoming" for former teachers and students of the Greenwood community on the weekend with a special ceremony and service in the school, Saturday and the church, Sunday. A participant in Sunday's worship was violinist Diane Tait, a member of the Canadian Opera Company orchestra and the National Ballet of Canada orchestra. —Jim Thomas.

Editor's Mail

Margie sees the spring

Dear Jim,
I am often moved by the caring people of Stouffville.

I read Joyce Ferguson's recent letter to Margie and although she couldn't communicate with us, she listened intently and smiled.

When Glenn Lehman went door-to-door asking for sponsors for Sunnybrook Hospital's Run for Research, he met many friends who, although they didn't know Margie, sponsored him and asked him to tell Margie that she has more friends than she perhaps realizes.

On the day of the run, Margie went out

doors in a wheelchair for the first time. She looked up at the sky, felt the grass between her toes, and smelled the lilacs. She saw Glenn run past plus another 1,000 participants.

Glenn said the very sight of Margie, there gave him renewed energy to finish.

Many other runners, as exhausted as they were, waved and called out "Hi" to Margie who, perhaps to them, was a symbol of why they were participating.

Sincerely
Ann Griffiths
P.S. — Glenn Lehman raised \$240 for Sunnybrook and completed the 10 kilometer run in 41 minutes.

Happy to see theatre back

Dear Mr Thomas:
I was pleased to read that the Stouffville Little Theatre is making a comeback after a ten year absence. This is good news for it provides local actors and actresses an opportunity to do their stuff before a live audience.

I hope the people of Whitechurch—Stouffvil-

le will give the May 28-29 performances the support they deserve. The production may fall short of a night at The O'Keefe or The Royal Alex, but at least the participants will be folks you know!

Sincerely
Albert Sloan
Stouffer Street
Stouffville

Music Mania says thanks

Dear Jim:
We wish to express our appreciation to The Tribune on behalf of the United Church Couples Club for your extensive coverage of Music Mania '82. The photographs and articles portrayed so well the activities of the rehearsals and the highlights of the show.

Thanks also to the people of Whitechurch—Stouffville for coming

out and supporting this event. Without you there would be no Music Mania.

A final thank you to all participants and those who contributed in any way to the show's success.

Sincerely,
Al and Bev Whittaker,
Presidents,
Stouffville United Church Couples Club.

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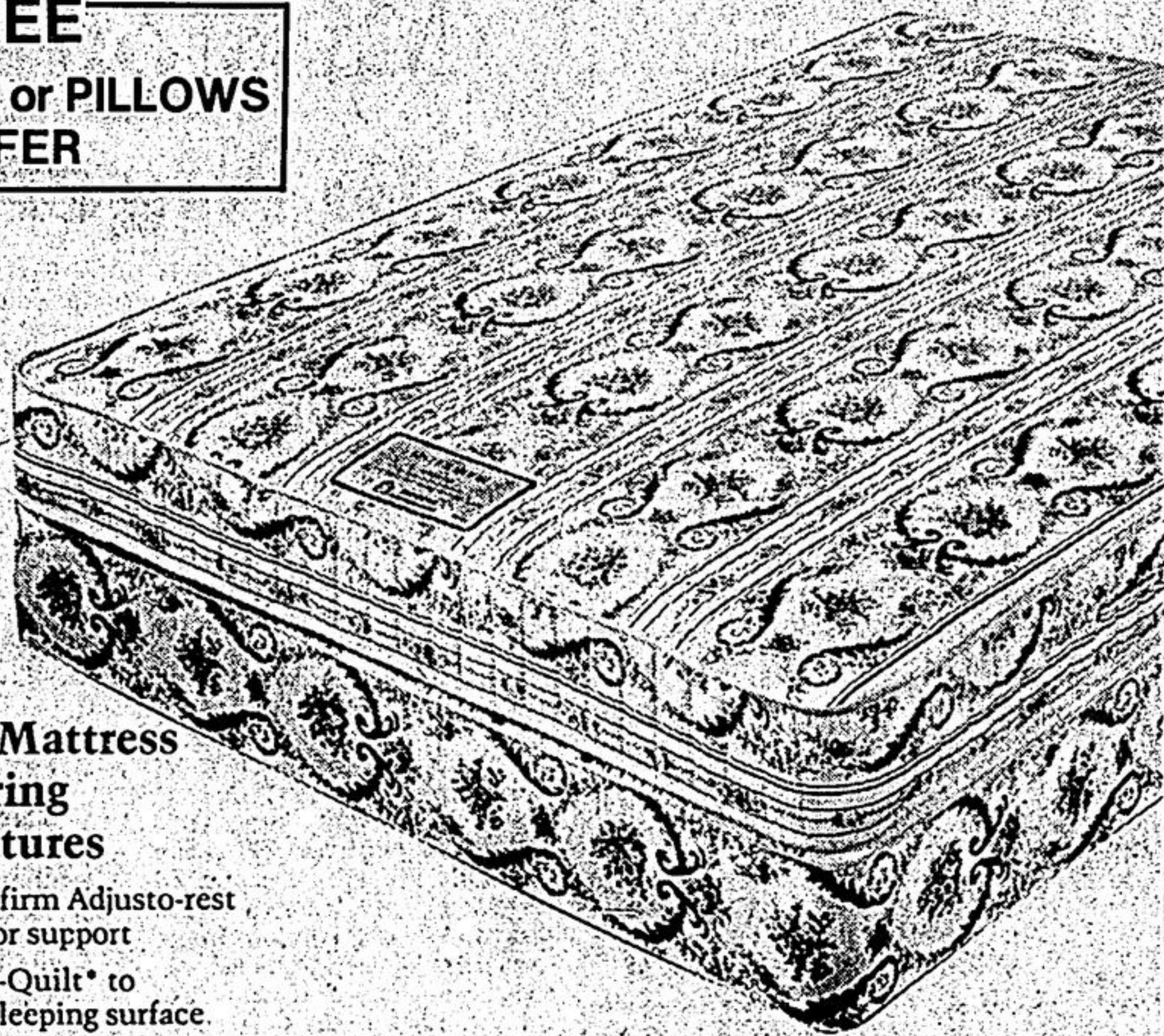
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The event, beginning at 11 a.m., will feature spinning, weaving, a bake sale and craft sale. An auction is scheduled for 1 p.m.

For additional information, call Mary Hopkins, the museum curator at 727-8954.

SAVE BEFORE TAX

The recent Ontario budget will now make tax payable on repairs. So have your watch and jewellery repairs done now at Bar-thau Jewellers in Stouffville or Markham and pick them up before June 14th, 1982, after that date 7% tax will have to be paid on all repairs.