

This camp's unique



BY LYNN KELLY
In many ways, Glenbrook Day Camp is like any other summer camp that offers children a variety of activities on weekdays during July and August.

But it's location, at the 92-acre Willowgrove Farm on McCowan Road north of 19th Avenue, gives it a unique setting, according to camp director Joanna Reesor-McDowell.

"You don't have the feeling it's crowded, even though there are 300 children here in any camp week," said Mrs. Reesor-McDowell.

Children between the ages of five and twelve are bused to the rural retreat from their homes or designated schools before 9:00 each morning and returned at 4:00 in the afternoon.

The farm offers children a year-round stream and mature wood lot for nature study, as well as a safe hayloft, wagon and pony rides, and numerous farm animals.

In addition to 45 regular counsellors, extra staff is hired to provide for the special needs of handicapped children who comprise seven per cent of the camp's enrolment.

Educational puppet shows focusing on the nature of handicaps are held periodically for the benefit of all Glenbrook campers.

Twice a week, the children participate in a "low-key and informal religious instruction called Discover," said Mrs. Reesor-McDowell. "It promotes the camp's original concept of physical, social and spiritual development of the child."

cultural community, this program is aimed specifically to familiarize youngsters with the appearance, care and products of farm animals.

Willowgrove's grounds and facilities may be rented year-round for evening and weekend group functions, such as church and community events, group retreats or family outings.

"It's nice private setting for outings," said Mrs. Reesor-McDowell. Inquiries about the Day Camp Program, which ends Sept. 2, may be made by phoning 439-3104. Persons interested in the Farm Program or off-hours recreational projects should call 640-2127.



Glenbrook Day Camp on McCowan Road, R.R. 2, Markham, is "heaven on earth" for hundreds of children every summer. In addition to "fun and games", the children also receive spiritual instruction that will stand them in good stead in the years that lie ahead. --Lynn Kelly

Seventeen-year-old Lisa Goldbourne, Charles Street, Stouffville, is a team leader at Glenbrook Day Camp, McCowan Road, R.R. 2, Markham. She's also employed part-time

at Green Gables, Bloomington. Following graduation from Stouffville High, Lisa hopes to train for a career in social work.

--Jim Thomas

"Girl Next Door"

A camp leader

BY JIM THOMAS

STOUFFVILLE—Seventeen-year-old Lisa Goldbourne, Charles Street, Stouffville, has a way with people that knows no age or generation.

She's employed part-time at Green Gables Manor, a home for senior citizens at Bloomington. She's also a team leader at Glenbrook Day Camp, McCowan Road, R.R. 2, Markham. She enjoys both and hopes, following graduation, to choose a career related to social work.

Lisa's our "Girl Next Door". It was five years ago that her parents and sisters Laura, now 16 and Kerry, now 11, moved to Stouffville

from Scarborough. "We often drove through the town on our way to the cottage," Lisa's mother said, "we felt it would be a nice place to live."

Lisa doesn't regret her parents' choice. She likes the town also and her school. However, she admits she'd like the town a lot more if it had a recreation centre, especially one with an indoor pool.

Lisa's full of praise for the program at Glenbrook. Her "team" comprises seven-to-nine-year-olds, the majority from Toronto. "Everything's well organized," she says, "it's a lot of fun."

In September, Lisa will enter Grade 12 at Stouffville High.

Classic car show

VANDORF—The 10th annual Antique and Classic Car Show, described by organizers as the best yet, will be held Sunday, Aug. 14 on the grounds of the Whitchurch-Stouffville Museum, Vandorf.

The event opens at 10 a.m. and concludes at four. Admission is \$2.00 adults; children 12 and under free.

Owners of antique cars or trucks (with their families) will also be admitted free. In case of rain, the show will be held Aug. 21.

Along with a magnificent display of vehi-

cles, other activities will include—a band concert, country and western music, craft demonstrations and a flea market. Corn-on-the-cob and strawberry shortcake will be served along with tea and coffee.

In the classic car competition, trophies will be awarded to The People's Choice and the Judges' Choice.

The Museum is located on Woodbine Avenue in Vandorf, between the Bloomington Road and the Aurora Road.

For additional information the number to call is 727-8954.

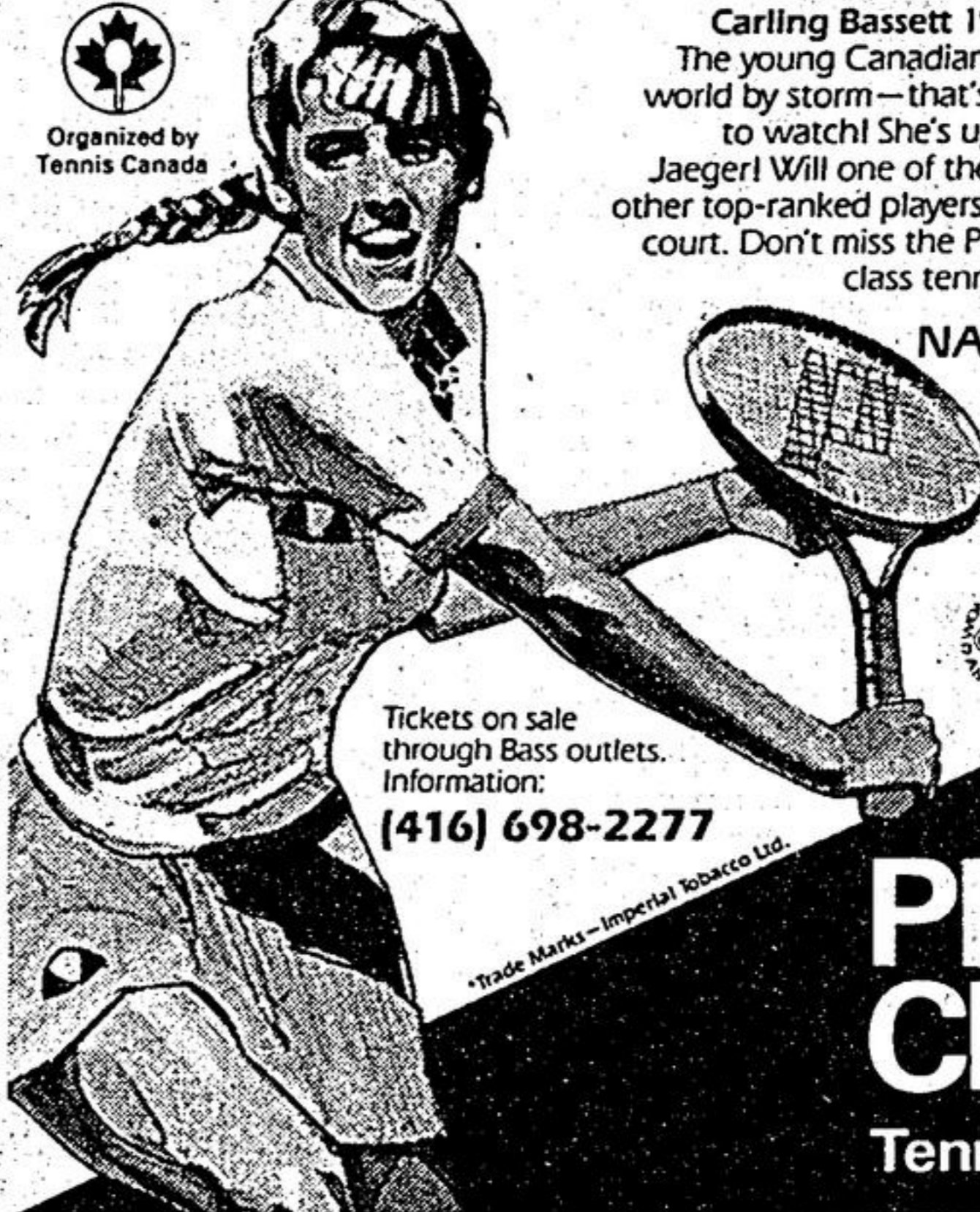
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