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Tim (left) and Jeremy McCammon, Albert Street South, Stouffville, hold photos of their National Hockey League hero, Keith Acton, and two red seat tickets to last Saturday's game between Toronto and Minnesota. Tim won the tickets in a Tribune-sponsored draw for newspaper carriers; then gave his to Jeremy so he could attend with his father.

—Jim Thomas

Happy Stouffville boy Meets hockey hero

STOUFFVILLE — Saturday evening was an occasion 12-year-old Jeremy McCammon of 33 Albert Street South won't soon forget, nor will his father.

Together they attended an N.H.L. game between Toronto and Minnesota; occupied two seats in the reds behind the penalty box; met the North Star's Keith Acton; received his autograph and watched excitedly as the smooth skating centre scored a goal and picked up two assists.

All this on a night that wasn't supposed to be.

For it was Jeremy's younger brother, Tim, age 10, who won the tickets in a newspaper carrier draw, sponsored by The Tribune. But Tim, after much thought,

gave them to Jeremy "because he's the hockey fan in the family."

Jeremy described the experience as "just great." He said he and his dad stood at the alley-way entrance to the ice and waited until Minnesota had completed their warm-up. As the team returned to the dressing room, Keith stopped and autographed a picture "just for me."

Jeremy said he'd watched Keith on television many times but never in person. "He sure looks fast," he said.

Brian Trottier and Wayne Gretzky are his other favorites, but on Saturday, No. 12 was No. 1.

Committee joins fight against porn

STOUFFVILLE — What is pornography? A Task Force Report, sponsored by The United Church of Canada, describes it as follows:

"Pornography is material that represents or describes degrading, abusive and/or violent behavior for sexual gratification so as to endorse and/or recommend the behavior depicted."

Does the availability of pornographic material pose a problem in Whitchurch-Stouffville?

Colleen Bacon, head of the Outreach Committee for Stouffville United Church, isn't sure. But her committee intends to find out. Groups, in teams of two, plan to check all variety drug and video stores in town, to ascertain just what's being sold and then address the issue on the basis of what they discover.

On Nov. 20, Mrs. Bacon appeared before a meeting of the United Church Board and explained the committee's planned approach to the matter. There was little reaction one way or another, Rev. Cecil Tiller, the church's pastor, said.

The result was much the same when the proposal was made public to the congregation. "I heard no comment, whatsoever," Rev. Tiller told The Tribune. "I was surprised."

Mrs. Bacon said she personally became concerned when pornography was made such a prominent issue in Toronto and other cities across Ontario. She admitted controversy related to a recent issue of Penthouse had brought the matter to a head.

If the committee's investigation reveals pornographic material available in local stores, objections will be voiced and the owners will be asked to remove such publications from their shelves.

The committee has expressed interest in holding a public meeting, with an officer of the Pornography Squad in attendance. A public discussion of the Task Force Report is also being considered.

Rev. Tiller told The Tribune he had first wished the matter brought before a meeting of the Ministerial Association, but to date, this opportunity hadn't presented itself.

The eleven-page report claims Canada's pornography industry to be a 500 million dollar-a-year business that grosses over \$10 billion in North America. Of the \$10 billion, close to \$2 billion is realized through use of child models in films and magazines, the report said.

Town school at maximum

STOUFFVILLE — With four portables now in use, Summitview School's still "bursting at the seams."

To alleviate further problems, a recommendation is being placed before the Board, asking that elementary school-aged students, moving into the Dulyerton and Revenue Properties subdivisions, be bused to Orchard Park.

If approved, the decision will include new families moving into the rural area north of Stouffville, between the Ninth Line and the Durham Regional boundary.

All students now residing in these areas, may remain at Summitview until graduation or transfer to Orchard Park.

Summitview principal Lorne Boudway anticipates approval of the request. It's fortunate, he said, that Orchard Park has the space; otherwise it might be necessary to bus students to Whitchurch-Highlands or Dickson's Hill.

Prices paid for antiques stagger auction audience

BETHESDA — Beauty is in the eye of the beholder.

At an auction sale on the property of Roy and Marjorie Smith, Saturday, someone saw beauty (and value) in a wooden burl bowl, carved from the knot of a tree. He paid \$1,650 for it.

Another saw beauty (and value) in a wire candle chandelier. The top bid for it was \$1,150.

"One of the best sales this year," commented auctioneer Norm Faulkner. He and son Phil, along with Earl Gauslin, operated two rings, starting at 11 in the morning and concluding at 4:15 in the afternoon. Hundreds attended, some to buy, others just to look.

Purchaser of the burl bowl, refused to give his name. He described the item as "a rare North American form, perhaps Indian made." The candle chandelier was purchased by Bob Bowen of Brooklin. Although a well-known antique dealer, he plans to retain the fixture for himself. He estimated its age at circa 1840. "It's an extremely rare lighting device," he said.

Roy Smith, once the owner-operator of the Bethesda General Store, has a family connection in the community that goes back almost 60 years. His father, the late Fred Smith, purchased the property in 1928. Roy's brother, Herb Smith lived there for a time also. The house, more than 100 years old, was built by the late Richard Atkinson, a well-known family name in the neighborhood.

The residence has been sold to a Markham couple. They will take possession this weekend. Mr. Smith is moving to an apartment on Dublin Street, Markham. Wife Marjorie is seriously ill in York County Hospital, Newmarket.

A metal Betty lamp sold for \$1,000.

A two-wheeled penny farthing, made in England around 1880, brought \$380. It was purchased by Dave McVee of Markham, son-in-law of the owner.

Other prices included a pine trunk, \$300; a crank telephone, \$160; wooden pails, \$105 each and a genuine hand-knit nose-warmer, seven dollars.

Roy Smith, once the owner-operator of the Bethesda General Store, has a family

This Saturday Big parade

STOUFFVILLE — Santa Claus comes to town Saturday.

The annual parade, featuring eight bands and forty floats, will form up at North and Stouffer Streets, travel south on Tenth Line to Main, then west on Main to Westlawn Crescent and the A & P Plaza. Starting time is 2 p.m.

The procession, organized by the Klansmen Club and headed by parade marshal Steve Upton, costs close to \$6,000. Prizes will be awarded in the categories of Best Over All, Most Original, Best School, Best Christmas Theme and Most Humorous. Plaques are donated by Barthau Jewellers.

Judges are Roger Glazin, Stouffville Players; Barb Scaife, Beta Sigma Phi and Eileen Nugent, Stouffville Lioness Club. Commentary will be provided by Ged Stonehouse and Eddie Luther.

Guest participants will include M.P.P. Sinclair Stevens; M.P.P. Wm. Hodgson; Regional Chairman Eldred King; Town Mayor Tom Wood and members of Council; 1984 Citizen of the Year Joyce Rowley and Miss Whitchurch-Stouffville Kris Gersovnik.

At the parade's conclusion, Santa Claus will visit each of the nursing homes in the area.

Advance poll aids voters

WHITCHURCH — Ward 2 voters, unable to cast ballots on election day, Dec. 10, can attend advance polls this Saturday, (Dec. 1), at the Whitchurch-Stouffville Municipal Office, from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Four candidates are contesting the single council seat — Ed Henry of Ballantrae, William Kamps, Rupert Avenue, Stouffville; John McCracken and Ron Robb, Musselman's Lake.

Regular polls, (Dec. 10), will be located at the Ballantrae Community Centre. Hours are 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

An all-candidates meeting is set for Monday, Dec. 3 at 8 p.m., in the Ballantrae Community Centre.

Charged in assault

WHITCHURCH — Two Markham women, both residents of Wales Avenue, have been charged with forcible entry and assault, following a complaint filed by a Whitchurch-Stouffville resident.

Patricia Smith of Ratcliff Road told police the pair forced their way into her home, pushed and struck her.

The incident occurred Nov. 22 at 2:15 p.m.

Two hours later, the two accused were picked up and then charged at No. 28 Division, York Regional Police. Court date is set for Dec. 5.



Dave McVee of Markham paid \$380 for this Penny Farthing, sold Saturday, at an auction on the property of Roy and Marjorie Smith, Bethesda. The sale attracted a large crowd with antique items selling high.

Church nears completion

WHITCHURCH — The pastor and congregation of Springvale Baptist Church, R.R. 4, Stouffville, will thrill to the opening of their new sanctuary, Sunday, Dec. 9. Service time is 3 p.m.

The \$440,000 project was started in July. The general contractor is Don Hawkie Construction Limited of Wasaga.

There's seating accommodation for 415.

Dr. Roy Lawson, General Secretary of the Fellowship of Evangelical Baptist Churches in Canada will bring the message at the Dec. 9 worship. Keys to the church will be presented to the congregation's minister, Rev. Bob Flemming.

Invited guests will include M.P.P. Sinclair Stevens; M.P.P. Wm. Hodgson; Regional Chairman Eldred King and Town Mayor Tom Wood. Ministers from the various Whitchurch-Stouffville churches are also being invited. A time of fellowship and refreshments will follow.

Recreation Manager

STOUFFVILLE — The Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville has a new Parks and Recreation Manager.

George Schlukbier, the municipality's chief librarian, was the unanimous choice of council for this added responsibility, when the resolution was put to a vote, Tuesday night.

Some aspects of the new position are still to be worked out. No salary figure was mentioned.

In addition to supervision of the Library and Museum, Schlukbier will also handle the operation of the new Rec. Centre. The contract period is two years.

'Tis the season

If your Tribune seems unusually heavy this week, you're right — it's over 300 pages!

This is because we're nearing the height of the Christmas retailing season and The Tribune is your best shopping guide in the Whitchurch-Stouffville and Uxbridge areas.

Delivered with today's edition are inserts from Dominion, Eaton's, Home Hardware, Pacifica, Shoppers, Drug Mart, Simpsons and Woolco.

Our hard-working carriers also delivered a Sears flyer to your door Tuesday, and will be bringing you another Sears flyer, plus a Mark Canadian Tire and Mark Place, Sunday.

If you fail to receive any of these flyers, call us at 640-2100 or 492-2227.

Good reading and good shopping!