

# Home show features more than 450 different displays

The first annual Metro East Home Show continues today and tomorrow at the Metro East Trade Centre, Hwy 401 and Brock Rd. in Pickering.

The show features over 450 displays offering ideas, products and services for the home; everything from landscaping and gardening to designs and furnishings.

Celebrities, workshops and contests are also a part of the event. Ontario Hydro's "Filmore the Talking Furnace" will be there, as will Canadian artists Glen Lutes, James Lumbard, Shirley Deaville and Janet McKernan.

There's a workshop on how to "fireproof" your children, information on home improvements, winterizing and decorating your house and much more.

A long list of prizes are available to be won at the show. Guess the number of popcorn kernels in a container and win a VCR. Enter

a draw and win prizes as varied as a weekend at the Deerhurst Inn, a \$500 scholarship, a personal

robot, or a one hour flying lesson. Several Markham area companies are exhibiting at the show.

## Belated Bach bash

The program is being presented by the church choir under the direction of Gordon Fleming.

Birthday cake, tea and coffee will be served after the concert.

Tickets are \$10 for a family, singles \$5, and \$2 for seniors or youths ages 10 to 18.

For more information call 889-2131.

## Diabetic Association to meet

The regular meeting of the Markham Stouffville Diabetic Association will take place Monday, Oct. 7 at Markham District High School.

## Carrier of the Week

**Greg Parent** is the Economist and Sun Carrier of the Week. He has delivered the paper for the past 3½ years. A big sports fan, he especially likes hockey and soccer. Anyone interested in becoming a carrier for the Economist and Sun or the Stouffville Tribune, please call 294-8244 or 640-2100.



## Markham jeweller to renovate store

The front courtyard at Barthau Jewellers, which is described in a report as "a delightful offshoot" and "a gem," will be no more if Markham Council approves an addition to the front of the building.

Lloyd Barthau appeared at a meeting of the planning committee last Tuesday to propose renovations to his store at 76 and 78 Main St. in Markham.

The store was once a bank with an attached home for the bank manager, which was set back 18 feet from the property line for privacy. But as a store the setback provides a place for garbage to collect and for delinquents to abuse out of sight of people on the street.

But the setback was described in glowing terms in a report from the planning department:

## CANSAVE looks for volunteers

The Markham Unionville Committee of the Save the Children Fund (CANSAVE) is looking for people who care about underprivileged children in the poor countries of the world.

CANSAVE needs volunteers who will put their time and talents to work to help these children. Call 294-0813 for more information.

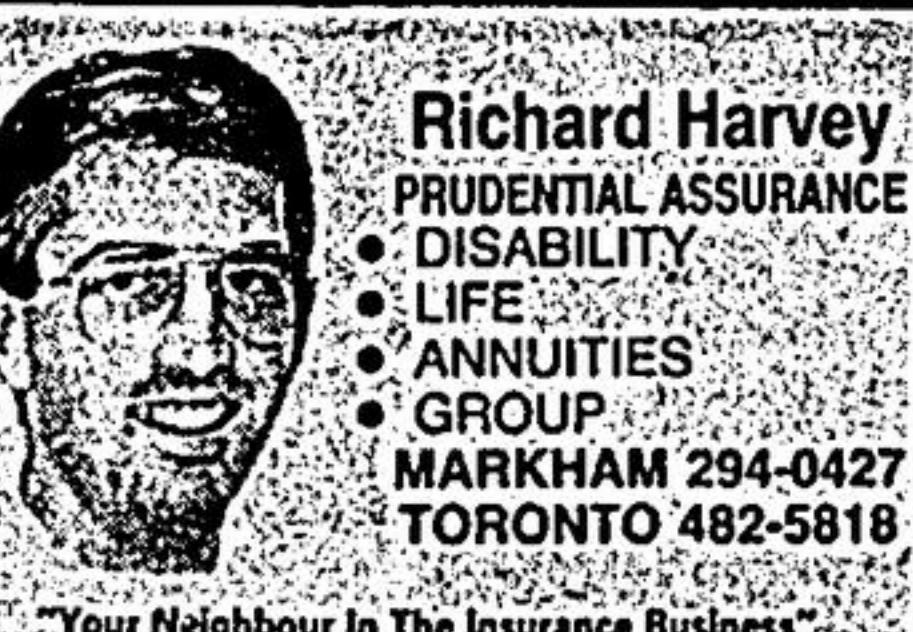
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