

Editor's Mail

Reader objects to paid moms

Dear Editor:
With respect to the paying of mothers who choose to remain at home, I wish to submit a reply. It surprises me that our Town Council, (who must surely deal with more pressing problems), would bother to discuss such a ridiculous request. In this day and age, motherhood is a desire. If a wife wishes a family, that's her choice. If she doesn't, that's her decision also. In most cases, no one forces a family upon her. So also, (in most cases), is the decision to remain at home or follow a career. To be a professional housewife, one must make certain sacrifices. The same holds for the

professional career woman. You can't have your cake and eat it too. But the idea of paying mothers \$1,200 a year to care for their own children is utter foolishness. Taking the situation to another extreme, why single out the mother for this chore? Why not pay the husband the same amount of money and let the wife go to work? With such hairbrain ideas coming out of the woodwork, is it any wonder we Canadians are taxed to death?

Sincerely,
(Mrs.) Hilda Dyer,
R.R. 3, Stouffville



Moral support for first-time blood donor

The Canadian Red Cross in co-operation with the Legion Ladies Auxiliary held its fall blood donor clinic Friday in the Stouffville Legion Hall. Here Keith Saunders of the Town's Bylaw Enforcement Department gives co-worker Rob

Herd moral support. Mr. Herd was a first-time donor. A donor for the 100th time was Robt. Seythes of Bethesda Road, Whitechurch-Stouffville.

—Jim Thomas

Hallowe'en hoot

STOUFFVILLE — The Whitechurch-Stouffville Library, in co-operation with the Stouffville Branch of Family Trust is holding a 'Hallowe'en Hoot', Sat., Oct. 29 at 2 p.m. The location is The Library. Prizes will be awarded the best

pumpkin creations, (jack-o-lanterns), in several categories. Children are urged to attend in costume. Kids will be welcomed by the Library's Wacky Witch. A short film and an apple-dunk will conclude the afternoon's activities.

Candidates speak

STOUFFVILLE — An all-candidates' meeting, sponsored by the Whitechurch-Stouffville Library, will be held Fri., Oct. 28 at 8 p.m., in the auditorium of Stouffville Dist. Secondary School. An invitation has been extended to all persons contesting positions at the upcoming election, Nov. 14. Questions will be permitted from the audience. The meeting's MC is Jim Mason, editor of the Stouffville Sun. Refreshments will be served in the school cafeteria.

Pleased with Lynda's story

Dear Editor:

We were very happy to read your interesting story by Kate Gilderdale about our member, Lynda Giles.

We were particularly pleased with the comments about the

Association of Registered Interior Designers of Ontario, (ARIDO).

We feel it's important to point out that although our present

Association was formed by an Act of the Ontario Legislature in

November, 1984, the Association grew out of the Interior Designers of Ontario that had previously been known under different titles representing the profession for more than 50 years.

Sincerely,
Reva Karstadt,

Unique auction

The Stouffville Christian School is holding an auction sale unlike anything organized here before.

The date is Sat., Oct. 29 at 11 a.m., in the Wilson Sales Arena, Beaver Road, Uxbridge.

Items include — a 1948 Lincoln Convertible; an eight-piece king-size bedroom suite; a movie camera and projector; a one-week vacation in Florida with car rental; two Blue Jay tickets for the first game in the Sky Dome; four Maple Leaf tickets; a side of beef; two face cords of wood; two bicycles, (man's and lady's); two Picasso prints and more.

All proceeds will go to the school.

Action on Study

STOUFFVILLE — The downtown pedestrian crosswalk has not been relocated to Main, Market and Mill Streets.

No automatic traffic signals have been erected at Main Street West and Winona Drive.

At a Council meeting Sept. 20, Jim Rae wanted to know the reasons why.

Engineer Paul Whitehouse informed members there's insufficient money in the budget to complete either job. Preliminary work is being done, he said, so the projects can be included in expenditures for 1989.

Councillor Rae recommended the wiring be put in this fall so lights can be erected this winter.

"I hope someone isn't injured or killed while we're fooling around talking about it," commented Mayor Fran Sainsbury.

Mr. Whitehouse explained that there's more to the Main Street projects than putting up lights. No-parking lines must be added to the pavement, he said, and centre islands must be designed and installed.

Store marks anniversary

STOUFFVILLE — It was seven years ago that The Care & Share Shoppe opened at 39 Main Street West, Stouffville.

On Thurs., Oct. 20 and Fri., Oct. 21, this volunteer self-help store will celebrate its 7th anniversary.

A bake sale will be featured from 1 to 4 p.m., both days. Free coffee will be served.

Discounts will be allowed on many articles, as much as 50 percent off on some.

Hours Thursday are 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.; Friday, 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Bazaar

St. James Presbyterian Church is holding its annual fall bazaar Sat., Oct. 29 from 1:30 to 4 p.m.

The location is 101 Main Street East, Stouffville.

Handcrafts and home-baking will be featured along with a tea table.

In addition, there will be live demonstrations of quilting, folk art, stained glass-making, rug-hooking and cake decorating.

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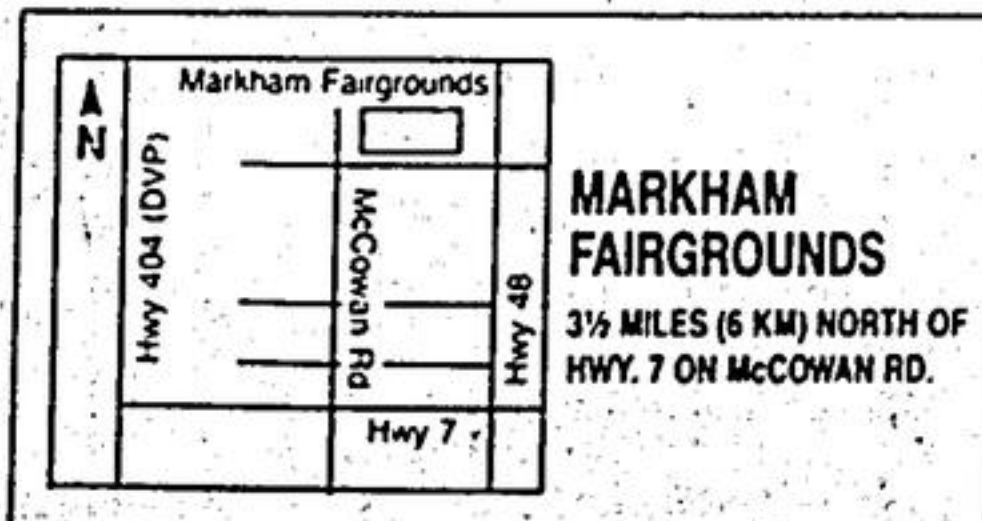
Sat. Oct. 22 — 10 a.m. - 9 p.m.

Sun. Oct. 23 — 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

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