

# Couple hitched country-style

Nancy Barker and Michael Branigan were joined together in "country and western-style" holy matrimony on June 3 in Stouffville.

Reverend Jeff Laird officiated at the authentic country and western wedding held at the Stouffville Pentecostal Church. Guests came from as far away as Scotland and Canada's east

coast.

Maid of honor was Joy Barker, while the best man was James Branigan.

On behalf of the bride's mother, Sam Maye gave the bride away.

The flower girl was Charli-Ann Wiseman, while Robbie Henry and Shayne Branigan were the ring bearers.

Attending the bride were Wendy Budd, Barbara Henry, Allyson Branigan and Laurie Mann.

The groomsmen were Ted Barker, Andrew Branigan, Gord Barker and Vinnie Branigan.

The reception was held at the Barkey Horse Auction at Toad Hall.



Bride Nancy Barker and groom Michael Branigan pose with their 12-member bridal party. In keeping with the country and western theme, a horse peeks over the shoulders of the happy couple.

## National Sports company receives 30-day reprieve

By JOAN RANSBERRY  
Tribune Staff

The parent company of a local sporting goods store has been given yet another 30 days to get its financial house in order.

A 30-day extension on court protection for the parent company of National Sports, an Uxbridge-based firm, with stores across Ontario, including one in Stouffville has been approved, said Blair Davidson, an official with KPMG Peat Marwick Thorne of Toronto.

Norm Clement, president and owner of the sporting company, filed for a 60-day court protection order in late March.

Davidson, senior vice president of KPMG Peat Marwick Thorne, told *The Tribune* that his company is the court-appointed monitor in the case involving National Gym Clothing Inc., parent company for National Sports Ltd.

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Credit Arrangement (CCA) Act, Clements is being asked to come up with a plan of compromise, explained Davidson. "A 30-day extension was granted, giving the company more time to present an operating plan," said Davidson.

The 26-year-old National Sports has 12 stores employing a total of 600 people.

Clements also owns the Stouffville Country Flea Market. While the National Sports retail operation in Stouffville is located in the same building as the flea market, this action does not affect the flea market operation, company officials said. Meanwhile, in February, the Stouffville Country Flea Market, including 84 acres, was put up for sale for \$15 million.

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