

# Understanding more about Alzheimers focus of meeting

In recognition of Alzheimer Awareness Month, an information evening will be held tonight at 7 p.m. at Parkview Village Auditorium. Guest speakers are Rus Sethna, consulting psychiatrist for patients' physicians in the region and Sue Hart, director of York Region Alzheimer Support Services.

"While most dementias are not curable, great strides have been made in understanding the disease processes," noted Wallace Kribs, administrator of Parkview Services for Seniors.

"As we learn more, we are able to develop appropriate interactions that will reduce the many frustrations exhibited by those diagnosed with a dementia."

All community residents who would like to learn more about Alzheimers and related diseases are welcome to attend the presentation, which is sponsored by Parkview Home for the Aged. For more information call 640-1911.

### LOCAL ARTIST AT THEATRE

A selection of works by Goodwood artist Helen McKenna is fea-



### Grapevine

tured in the gallery at Markham Theatre during February.

Subjects range from landscapes and gardens to more contemporary topics, which include reflections on the tribulations of modern life as we approach the new millennium.

McKenna paints in watercolours,

acrylics and crayons and her most recent work, 'January 1998, the year the lights went out,' is featured in the exhibition, which can be viewed daily during box office hours, from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

### BLACK HISTORY CELEBRATED

Like other schools in York Region, Dickson Hill is celebrating Black History/African Heritage Month in February.

A display has been set up in the school foyer and each day's announcements will highlight an

important event related to black history. Guest speakers will visit the school and a steel band from Armadale P.S. will present a concert at the school.

### GALA RECALLS 1920s

Markham Stouffville Hospital Foundation's 1998 Gala Dinner will take guests back to the elegance and glamour of the 1920s.

This year's event takes place at Le Parc April 3 and will include a gourmet dinner, live entertainment and an auction. To order tickets call 472-7396.

# VALENTINE'S DAY

## Vintner's Nook Inc, Uxbridge



Vintner's Nook is now located at 109 Brock St. W. in Uxbridge.

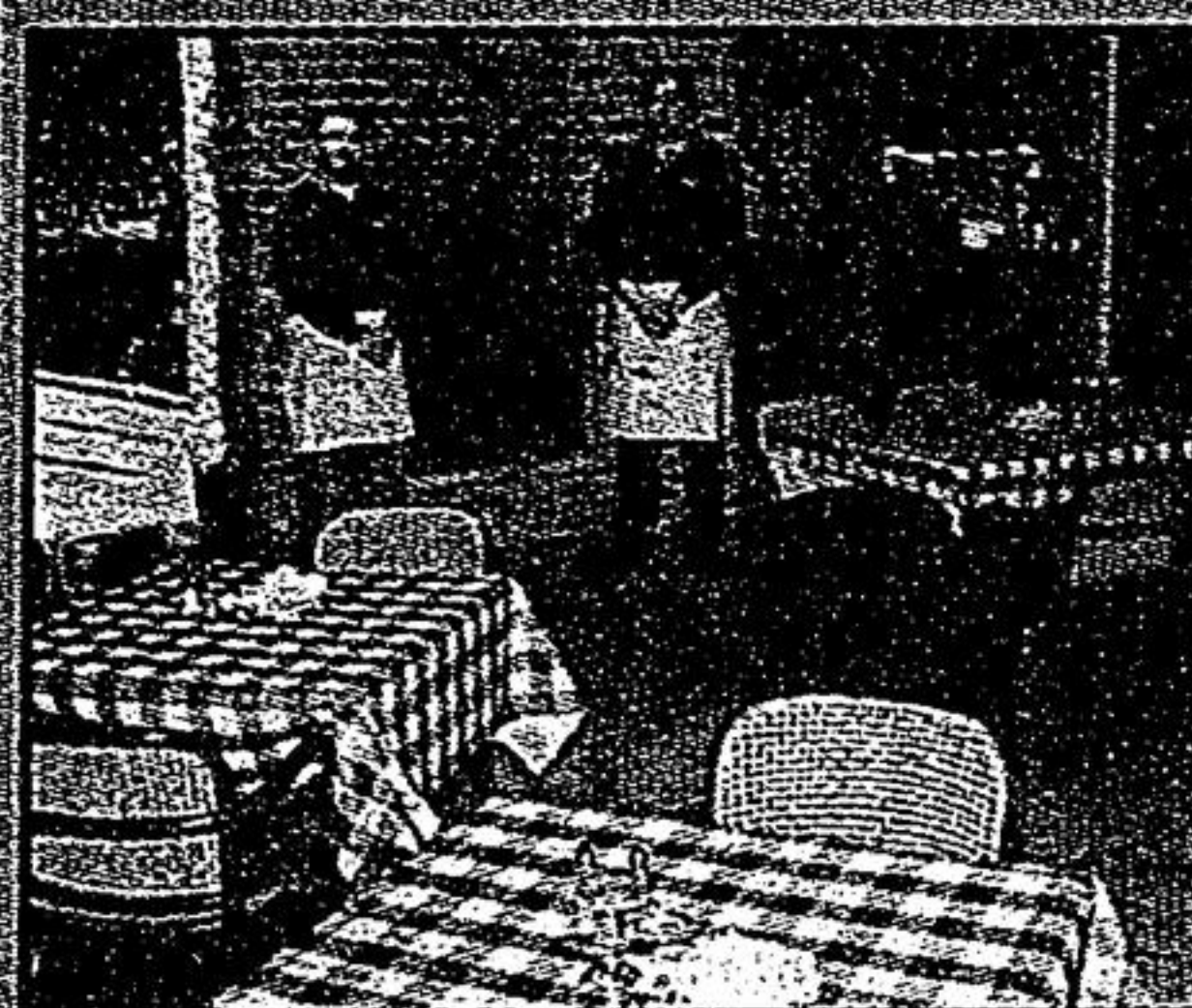
The address has changed and so has the phone number, but the usual great service and wide variety of products still remains at Vintner's Nook in Uxbridge.

Vintner's Nook recently moved to a bigger location to give its customers more room to brew their own beer, wine and liqueur. It also allows owner Susan Para to carry more wine and beer making kits, as well as wine merchandise.

For details call the store at their new number: 905-852-5499.

The winner for the opening draw is Dennis Trowse from Uxbridge.

## Amaretto Restaurant, Stouffville



Bring your loved one to Amaretto Restaurant in Stouffville this Valentine's Day for a fabulous four-course dinner and live entertainment.

For just \$19.95 a person couples can have: Bruschetta, chef salad, choice of one entree (either an 8-oz New York Steak stuffed fillet of sole or linguine marmara) and dessert. The Smooth as Silk Donny Satin will play at 8 pm. Reservations for Valentine's Day are strongly recommended. For details call 642-6524. Amaretto Restaurant is located at 67 Edward St.

## The George, Uxbridge



This Valentine's Day treat your loved one to a four-course dinner for two at The George in Uxbridge. For \$39.95 a couple you can choose a choice of soup (either cream of mushroom or beef consomme), appetizers (caesar salad, shrimp cocktail or escargot) an entree (10-oz prime rib, lemon dijon chicken or fresh rainbow trout almondine) and dessert (apple pie, blueberry pie or cheesecakes). Dinner starts at 7:30 pm and seating is limited so call for reservations at 905-852-9549. The George is located at 104 Brock St. W.

## Stouffville Florist



Before you send roses this Valentine's Day, make sure you know the message you're sending. Red roses mean respect, courage, beauty and prosperity, while white is humility, innocence and purity. Pink roses mean grace, gratitude and admiration, coral is desire and yellow is joy, freedom and slightly loved. A combination of red and white roses are unity, while red and yellow is happiness. A single rose means love. Stouffville Florist is located at 6343 Main St. (beside the clock tower). For details: 640-2025.

## Keith's Flower Shop, Uxbridge



Keith's Flower Shop is the store in Uxbridge for Valentine's Day. Owner Keith Davidson offers his customers top quality flowers including long-stem roses, carnations, mini carnations and more. Customers can also purchase two flower arrangements: 'Puppy Love' a stuffed dog that hangs on to a vase full of flowers, and 'The Hugs & Bear' that comes with a mixture of flowers. Keith suggests people place their orders as far as possible. For details visit the 24 Toronto St. N. store or call 905-852-5029.

## Mill Run Golf and Country Club, Uxbridge

An enchanting ballroom and exquisite award-winning gardens are just two of the reasons why people should consider getting married at the Mill Run Golf Club in Uxbridge.

We offer an all inclusive package that takes all your worries away said Sandy Caldwell, the wedding coordinator at the country club.

The package is extensive and includes a four and a half hour open bar, dinner, a DJ, a wedding cake and more.

People can choose from a number of different menus that are prepared by the club's award-winning chef. The package also includes a hostess who is available for the entire function.

While the hassle-free package saves both money and time for the bride and groom, no wedding would be complete without the perfect setting for both the ceremony and the reception afterwards.

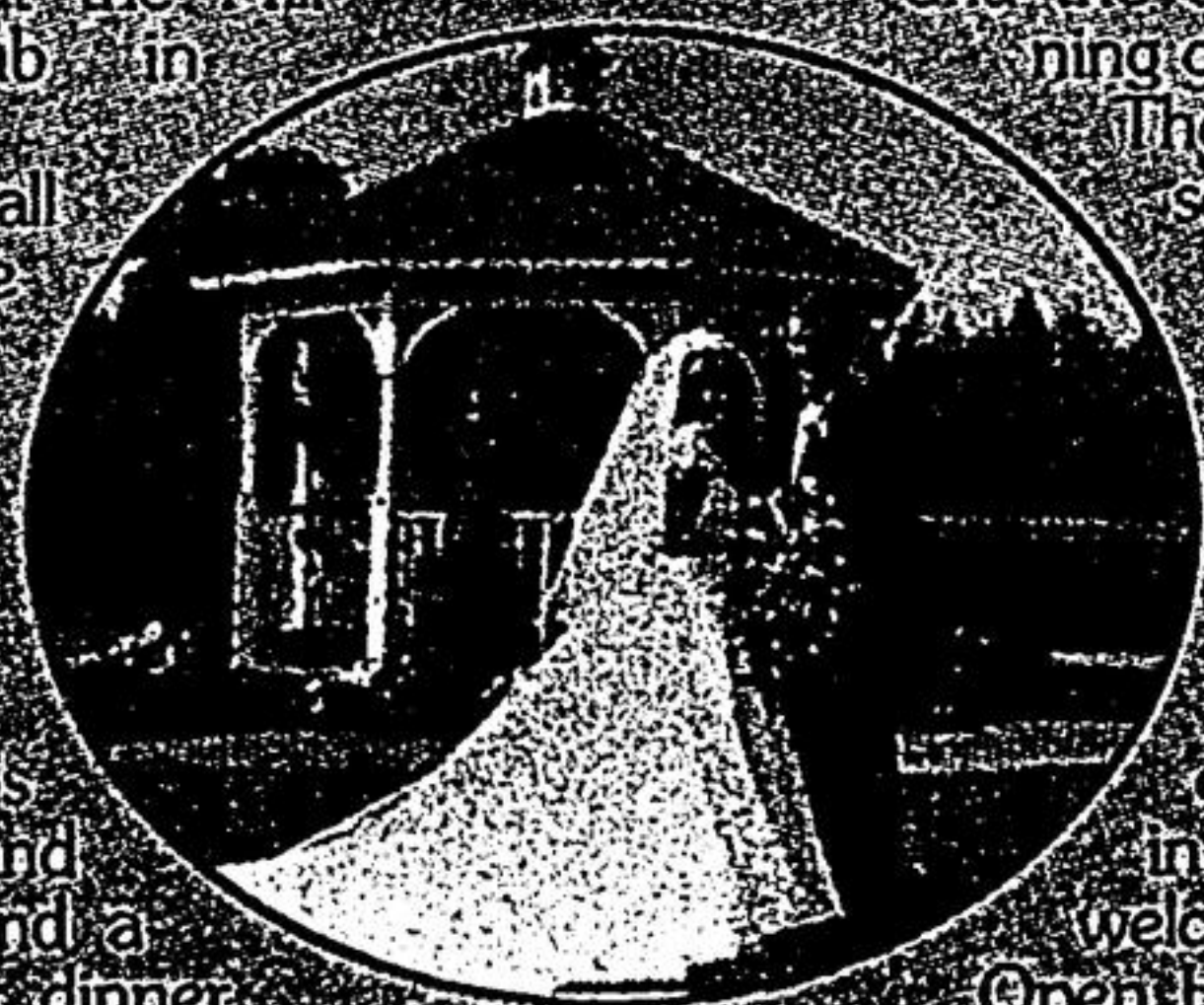
Couples can get married in the country gazebo (that is also perfect for pictures) which overlooks the beautiful pond and the country club's award-winning gardens.

The romantic ballroom can seat up to 350 people (or be divided into two separate rooms with a minimum of 75 people).

Prime dates are still available for the 1998 and 1999 season. Brides and grooms interested in the package and in viewing the facilities are welcome to attend the Bridal Open House February 22 from 11 am to 3 pm.

Anyone wishing to make an appointment prior to the show can call 1-800-465-8633.

For details, couples can also drop by on the day of the show at RR#269, Durham Rd. 8 km Uxbridge.



## Stouffville Therapeutic Centre



Everybody can benefit from going to the Stouffville Therapeutic Centre for Massage, Shiatsu and Reflexology.

The centre is there for everything from premarital jitters, pregnancy, colicky babies, sore backs, headaches, stress, chronic pain like fibromyalgia and arthritis and to comfort for the terminally ill and bereaved, said owner Marita Concil.

They are also there for the joys of life like birthdays and Valentine's Day. For details call 642-4237. The centre is located at 37 Sandford Dr.

Marita Concil works on client Beth Allan of Stouffville. Photo by Lisa Cartwright.

