

Thank your emergency dispatchers next week

Dispatchers are valued members of your emergency services — and you should thank them next week.

York Regional Council wants to recognize the "profound importance of telecommunicators," who link local citizens and public safety professionals, between April 12 and 18.

"Clear, concise and timely communications are vital to the success of York Region's emergency services," said a motion presented this week.

Council was asked to resolve "that the citizens of York Region be asked to acknowledge those dispatchers, 911 call takers and other call takers who provide such outstanding service to their communities and the region."

The motion did not say how such acknowledgement would take place, however.

People needed to help troubled children

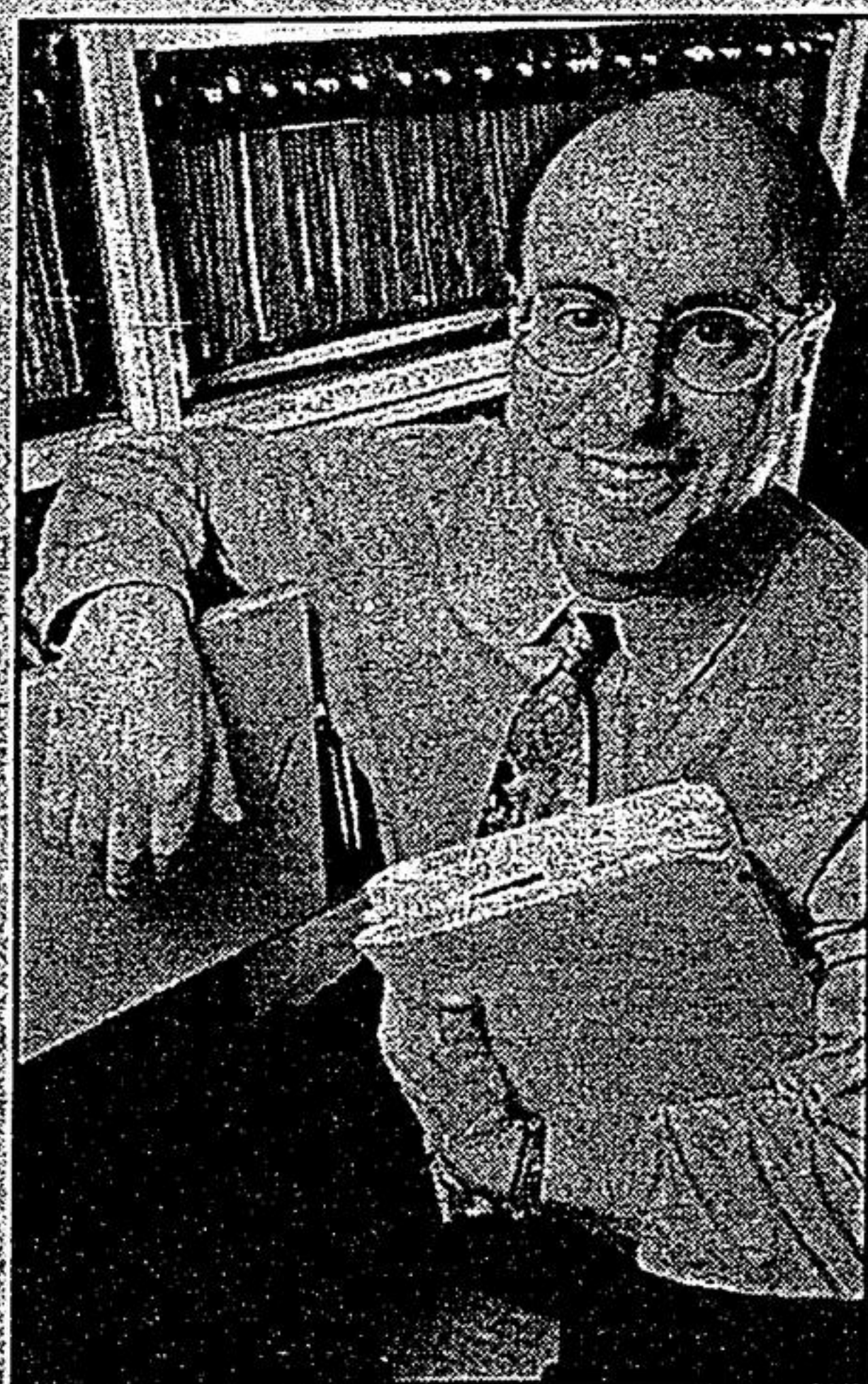
Seasons Centre for Grieving/Traumatized Children - York Region, is looking for volunteers to assist the children in peer support groups. If you have personal experience with grief or trauma,

and want to share with kids, they could really use your help.

For more information and up coming training dates, please call Sue Regan at 1-416-878-KIDS

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