

# INFOGUIDE

## SPOTLIGHT

A guide to what's happening in the Markham/Stouffville area

### EVENTS

■ **JUNE 12:** Heritage Village Day in Richmond Hill. 508-0789.

■ **JUNE 12, 13:** Aurora Fair and Horse Show at Machell Park. 713-6733.

■ **JUNE 12, 13:** Markham Country Decorating Show & Sale at Markham Fairgrounds. 649-2480.

### THEATRE

■ **JUNE 8:** *Oklahoma!* opens at Red Barn Theatre in Jackson's Point. (905) 722-3249.

■ **JUNE 16 TO 19:** Comic Spike Tobin at Comedywood in Thornhill. 761-0543.

### CONCERTS

■ **JUNE 9:** York Regional Community Choir at Newmarket Theatre. 953-5122.

■ **JUNE 13:** Tapestry Chamber Choir's *Our Best to You* at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in Newmarket. 727-8704.

■ **JUNE 13:** Marion Singers in concert at Sharon Temple. 478-2389.

■ **JUNE 13:** Lions Festival of Stars at Newmarket Theatre. 953-5122.

### ROAD TRIPPING

■ **JUNE 9:** Glenn Campbell at Casino Rama. (705) 721-1867.

■ **JUNE 10 TO 27:** *Charley's Aunt* at Theatre Orangeville. (519) 942-3423.

■ **JUNE 10 TO 26:** *Annie* at Sunshine Festival in Orillia. (705) 326-8011.

■ **JUNE 10 TO 19:** *The Mousetrap* at Theatre Collingwood. (705) 445-2200.

■ **JUNE 16 TO 20:** Opera Buffa in repertory performances at Fairview Library Theatre in North York. 841-0414.

## FILM CLIPS

WHAT'S NEW AT THE MOVIES



Clarence Williams III and John Travolta star in *The General's Daughter*, a courtroom thriller.

**The General's Daughter**  
*Coming in June*

**STARRING:** John Travolta, Madeline Stowe, James Woods and Clarence Williams III.  
**Directed by** Simon West.

**WANNA' FIGHT?:** Travolta and Stowe got into a heated debate about movie violence at a press conference for the movie recently. Travolta denied that films had anything to do with the tragic shootings at a Colorado high school.

"I couldn't disagree more," said Stowe. "I have a totally different view of it."

**THE STORY:** Travolta plays army investigator Paul Brenner, called in to dig into the murder of the daughter of a famous general on a U.S. army post.

**AGREE TO DISAGREE:** In spite of her concerns about violence, Stowe likes the movie. "I was gripped by the script. And I loved that John was doing it, because I have tremendous admiration for him."

## NEW ON VIDEO

SNAPSHOTS OF THIS WEEK'S RELEASES

This week's video releases, along with some capsule reviews from professional film critics:

**Psycho** with Anne Heche and Vince Vaughn. "Modern viewers, used to up-front gore, may find this re-make of the classic way too talky. Better yet, shall we go rent the original? Perhaps that was the aim all along, to lead today's children back to a revolutionary masterpiece." (Time Magazine)

**Rupert's Land** with Samuel West and Ian Tracey. "Canadian flick about the road adventures of two half-brothers is just a few grades

higher than CBC's dearly departed *Beachcombers*. But the undeniable talents of West and Tracey save it from major mediocrity." (Sun)

Other films scheduled for video release this week included the made-for-TV *Dead Husbands* with John Ritter and Nicolette Sheridan, *Time at the Top* with Timothy Busfield, *Last Rites* with Randy Quaid, *The Color of Justice* with Bruce Davison, *Fakin' Da Funk* with Pam Grier, *The Base* with Mark Dacascos and the HBO special *From the Earth to the Moon*.

## FACT-FINDER

Insight into some of life's ordinary issues and problems

This week:

**I'm concerned about exposure to the sun. What can I do to minimize the chances of getting skin cancer?**

Limit your time in the sun. Try to stay out of the sun between 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Wear a hat, clothes, sunscreen with an SPF of at least 15. An even higher SPF may be necessary for those with fair skin or if you tend to burn easily.

Spot check your skin from your head to between your toes once a month. The following ABCDs may be signs of malignant melanoma:

- A. Asymmetry - one half unlike the other half
- B. Border irregularity - scalloped or poorly circumscribed border
- C. Colour varied from one area to another; shades of tan and brown; black; sometimes white, red or blue.
- D. Diameter larger than 6 mm (diameter of a pencil eraser).

Beware of tanning beds and pills. Many are untested and unsafe.

Wear sunglasses. Make sure they properly block UV radiation. Sunglasses that only partially block UV may actually hurt your eyes more than not wearing sunglasses at all.

Your risk of skin cancer is related to your skin type and the amount of time you spend in the sun.

Ask these questions to determine if you are at risk:

- have red or blond hair.
- have light-colored eyes.
- always burn before I tan.
- freckle easily.
- have many moles.
- had two or more blistering sunburns before I turned 18.
- a family history of skin cancer.

Does government have you confused? I think my child is having problems at school. How do I get Meals on Wheels for my parents? If you're in the dark about an issue, bylaw or service, send us your query and we'll do our best to provide the information.

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## Now in Stouffville at Memorial Park

(formerly in Uxbridge)

### July 17th & 18th

## Plan to attend one of the Best Fine Art Shows and Sale Events in Ontario

Admission:

**\$5.00**..... Adults

**\$3.00**..... Seniors/Students

Children under 5 are Free

show will be directing proceeds to Stouffville Hospital