

OUR MAPLE SUGAR

# HAM NUGGETS

These are the weekday dinner version of our famous Maple Sugar Hams. They're lean, low in salt and long on flavour - our Nugget Hams are the ideal solution for evenings when you're short on time.

Left overs? They make the best sandwiches.

Available size  
2-1/2 to 3 lb.

Regular  
6.95 lb.

## 25% OFF THIS WEEK

LIMITED SUPPLY

# HONEY DEWS

Now these are melons. They're extra large and sweet!

## 1.99 EA.

ROASTED

# CARROT DIP

This is a great dip for veggies (including carrots), chips and especially our bagel chips

Regular 1.79/100 g

## 1/3 OFF THIS WEEK

**BUSINESS:** *Wonderland waits on U.S. safety probe*

## Rides on hold after two deaths

BY PATRICK CASEY  
Staff Writer

Paramount Canada's Wonderland closed two popular rides earlier this week after two people died on similar rides at amusement parks in the United States.

Wonderland suspended SkyRyder Monday night after a man died earlier that day on a similar stand-up roller coaster called Shockwave at Paramount's Kings Dominion Park in Richmond, Virginia.

SkyRyder and Shockwave are manufactured by the same company.

On Sunday, officials at the Maple theme park had halted rides on the Drop Zone after learning a man died earlier that day on a Drop Zone ride at Paramount's Great America park in Santa Clara, California.

In operation since 1997, Wonderland's Drop Zone features riders harnessed into six four-person coaches, sitting upright with their feet dangling. They are hoisted 69 metres into the sky and free-fall about two-thirds of the way down, reaching speeds in excess of 40 km/h.

### PRECAUTIONARY MEASURE

"We made a decision based on the incidents at the other two parks to close the rides. It's a proactive and precautionary step until they figure out what the investigations have revealed," Kris Williams, Wonderland's assistant manager for public relations, explained yesterday morning.

"We still really don't know any more about (the fatalities), so we don't want to engage in speculation. We have an outstanding safety record and we are taking this precaution to provide a safe environment for our guests."

Although there are more than 180 attractions and 11 roller coasters at the park, Williams said the two rides have become popular with visitors to Wonderland. SkyRyder first opened in 1985.

She said the decision to close the two rides was not made because the accidents occurred at other Paramount theme parks.

"We would have made this decision if it had happened at any other park with a ride from the same manufacturer as one of our rides," said Williams, adding she did not know when SkyRyder or Drop Zone would re-open.

## FOUR-YEAR OLD CHEDDAR

What were you doing four years ago when they made this cheese? Have you improved with age as much as this cheese has?

No kidding folks, it's one of the few things that gets better as time goes by - put the bite on some this week, especially with one of our Ginger Gold Apples.

Regular 1.99/100 g

## 1/3 OFF THIS WEEK

## PÂTE MAISON

This Pâte is made with pork, it's chunkier than most and is sliceable. It's great served on an appetizer plate, perhaps with

some of our great cheese and almost anything!

Reg. 1.79 / 100 g

## 1/3 OFF THIS WEEK

## HARDY MUMS

This is the time of the season that hardy outdoor mums are available. I use them to replace some of my less successful plantings or those that have become overgrown and straggly. Hardy mums are instant colour, they're nicely filled out and they provide a perk-up for your garden.

Available now

## 5.95 EA.

## NIAGARA PEACHES

Our peaches have been really great this year - in fact it's the dessert of choice for my little daughter and I every evening!

## 99¢ LB.

3L BASKETS 3.99 EA.

## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN

# ORGANIC PRODUCE THIS WEEK?

As well as our usual assortment of great leaf lettuces and Romaine we'll have

- Brandy wine tomatoes which are extra ordinary
  - beans, including French filet type
  - Basil, including a Thai type which tunes up any salad
  - Red bulb onions which will also help almost any salad
  - Some zucchini
- ~ ALL ORGANIC ~

## GINGER GOLD APPLES

This variety is yellow-green, crisp, sweet and flavourful.

A must-try from Niagara

## 99¢ LB.

## OUR DELI ROAST BEEF

Next to our assortment of hams, this is our best-selling deli meat. The reason is: (a) we cook it pink, (b) we use the centre cut of an inside round rump roast and (c) we trim it lean. Although most use it for sandwiches, try it at room temperature with some good olive oil and balsamic vinegar.

Regular 9.95/lb.

## 5.99 LB.

## FOUR-YEAR OLD CHEDDAR SAUSAGES

To make these we use coarsely ground pork, our four-year old cheddar and a variety of milder spices. Great in a bun!

Regular 3.99 lb.

## 1/3 OFF THIS WEEK

## GEROLSTEINER MINERAL WATER

If you are of German descent, you'll recognize this water as a taste of tradition.

Sparkling. 1-L size

## 99¢ EA.

# MO'S AUTHENTIC JAPANESE DRESSINGS!

This week we've arranged a promo with Mo Aoki to sample his dressings. They are not only salad dressing, but can be used as seasonings for many items from shrimp to beef to salmon and more. We'll have a demo in our store on Friday and Saturday midday - and we've arranged to sell these on a buy 1, get 1 free basis. Give them a try.

## BUY 1, GET 1 FREE

Regular Price 5.99 each

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ANN CAMPBELL

Nicole Mathieu, Director of Advertising for The Era-Banner, is pleased to announce the appointment of Ann Campbell as Classified Manager, York Region. In her capacity as the regional classified manager, Mrs. Campbell will provide direction and leadership in classified sales for The Era-Banner, The Liberal, Markham Economist & Sun and Stouffville Tribune. Metroland's York Region newspapers. Mrs. Campbell has held classified management positions with York Region's newspapers for 19 years. Her most recent position was Classified Manager for The Era-Banner and The Liberal.



PHYLLIS RITCHIE

Nicole Mathieu, Director of Advertising for The Era-Banner, is pleased to announce the appointment of Phyllis Ritchie as the Real Estate/Retail Advertising Manager for The Era-Banner. In her new role, Ms. Ritchie will assume responsibility for the development of real estate advertising for The Era-Banner, in addition to her current responsibilities for retail advertising. Ms. Ritchie has held various management positions with Metroland, including Retail Advertising Manager of The Era-Banner and Advertising Manager of Markham Economist & Sun.