

POT ROASTS

This is down home cooking at its best. I've told you before that whenever we go to Doreen's for dinner (and this alone is a great reason to go) this is what she makes more often than not - at our behest!

Doreen and her mom (who's over 90) have perfected this over the years - and the recipe is available this week.

What cut of meat do they use?

A boneless blade-eye roast - which is

also available this week at a special price.

Enjoy it!

2.99
lb.

TRIPLE CHOCOLATE BROWNIES

It's a good brownie that calls for a 1/2 lb. of pure chocolate per 9" x 12" pan. But when you use one-and-a-half pounds of the best chocolate to make a pan - and then drizzle it with white chocolate, you've got a serious brownie. A couple of hints: (a) We sell them in large squares - you may wish to cut them smaller and (b) They have the best flavour at room temp. or slightly warmer.

Reg. 1.99 square.

1/3 OFF THIS WEEK

FREE RANGE TURKEYS

For the past number of years whenever turkey time came, we simply reached into our cupboard and pulled out our turkeys are. Our customers had become so used to it that when they saw it, they didn't read it anymore. They just saw the picture of turkey Al and Mike the knife and phoned for a turkey.

Alas, things change, and so does our clientele. With so many new people who have moved into our area, our turkey story needs to be retold.

We sell only free-range turkeys - they run loose and eat what they want (lots of grain). Add to this a gentler defeathering process which leaves more of the natural flavour (and the odd feather) with the turkey and you'll have a turkey that exceeds your expectations - unless, of course you've dined on one of ours before.

Our turkeys are very moist (without the artificial help that a Butterball receives), very tender and flavourful and they cook a little quicker than most.

So, order one of our old-fashioned turkeys. They range in size from 14 - 20 lbs. and from 22 - 26 lbs. Ready to roast, they're

Call 940-0655.

2.59
lb.

VILLAGE GROCER
QUALITY BALL PLAYERS

"Congratulations to all participants of the 1999 Unionville Slow-Pitch League Championship. Congrats too, to our team members for a great championship win. When our young farm team won, it put a lot of pressure on the big team!"

GARLIC AND RED WINE PATE

This is an easily spreadable pate which I've found to be nice with some of the newer Carr's biscuits - as well as with our bagel chips.

Reg. 1.79 100g.

25% OFF THIS WEEK

NEAT STUFF FOR THANKSGIVING

*Our Homemade sage and onion stuffing! It's available by the bag (2 lb. size) or loose - 3.99 lb.

*Doreen's brandied-orange cranberry sauce!

Available in 1 lb. tubs at - 5.95 ea.

*Sweet Potato Puffs! Cooked and pureed sweet potatoes with brown sugar and maple syrup.

Serves 5-6 - 9.99 ea.

*Homemade no-shortcut turkey gravy. Available in a 2 lb. tub - (limited quantities - order 940-1770) - 9.95 ea.

*Doreen's homemade 9" size pumpkin pies - seasoned to perfection! Serves 1-6 - 10.95 ea.

ELECTRONIC MEAT THERMOMETERS

As I was reading the Toronto Star Food Section I came upon an article about this particular meat thermometer. It has a probe which you insert in the meat (turkey or anything else) and it sounds the alarm when your dinner reaches the correct temperature. You can use it as a timer as well, and since it is battery operated it can also be used at your barbecue.

Now although the article states that the price of these are \$40 in most cook stores - ours are Now \$29.95 because we were lucky enough to get a great deal!

LOCAL SQUASH

- * Butternut
- * Acorn
- * Buttercup

29¢ EACH

Get them while they last!

DID YOU KNOW? WE MAKE GREAT SMOKED TURKEYS

We start with 15-16 lb. size and they are fully cooked. You must order them by Oct. 4 if you want one in time for Thanksgiving.

WHY SHOULD YOU BUY OUR HAM?

To many people, ham is ham - if you've tried one, you've tried them all. That is unless you are old enough to remember what ham was originally like, before machines intervened. Machines? Yes, that's right. Nowadays, almost all hams (including spiral honey baked hams) are put through a process called 'tumbling'. It's like a giant dryer, except the opposite is the result. This machine boosts yield, which means hams grow in weight during this process - just read the 'protein added' part of the label to find out how much it has naturally grown! The good part (for the manufacturer) is that (a) you have more ham to sell because they've all grown, and (b) all the little bits of pork can be put through this process as well because it glues it all together in the shape of a ham (1.99 lb. supermarket ham). The bad part (for the customer) is that gone for good is the texture, tenderness and flavour that made ham famous in the first place.

At our store, we make ham in the time honoured, pre-mechanical way - by hand. Come pay us a visit - we'll restore your faith in ham!

Over-Roasted Maple Sugar Hams - Boneless, whole or half - **5.95 LB.**

Hardwood Smoked Black Forest Hams - Boneless, whole or half - **5.95 LB.**

Traditional Bone-In Hams - Whole or half - **2.49 LB.**

It's best to order early. Call 940-0655.

Next Weeks Ad Will Be On Tuesday. Watch For It!

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VILLAGE GROCER
QUALITY FOODS

COMMUNITY: Residents lobby for parkland

Door open to gateway plan

BY KATHLEEN GRIFFIN
Staff Reporter

Residents are asking council to trash a development proposal in favour of creating a gateway to Markham Village.

And yesterday, council agreed to take a second look.

"It's one of those very valid requests," Markham Mayor Don Cousens said at Tuesday's council meeting. "Residents wish to find a way to make Hwy. 48 and Hwy. 7 a gateway into the community."

He instructed staff to consider alternatives to developing the property at the south-east corner of the intersection.

The town has received an application to build a 45-unit development - 28 detached homes and 16 townhouses - on the six-acre site.

But a newly-formed Gateway to Markham subcommittee, many members of which are involved in the revitalization of Main Street project, say a housing development would be a mistake.

"That property is a jewel, it's unique," said subcommittee chairperson Irevyan Beard. "There's not much property like that left. We have an opportunity to make it a beautiful park with a bandshell. Building more houses will please no one."

He wants the town to hold off issuing building permits and approvals on the site until it raises enough cash to buy it from the developer.

"Would we rather please 10 or 20 individuals who are insignificant in this life? Let's please hundreds of people, our children and grandchildren. The Village is dying - we mustn't miss this opportunity."

Cousens asked staff for ideas, suggestions and recommendations on the issue and said all plans will remain on hold until that report comes back to council.

THANK YOU!

M & H Fish Market SUPER SPECIALS

MANY MORE IN-STORE SPECIALS
A special thank you to our valued customers who continued to support us during the fire renovations.

Sincerely, Mike & Helen

WHOLE RAINBOW TROUT \$3.99 LB.	FRESH MARLIN STEAKS \$6.99 LB.	FRESH ATLANTIC SALMON STEAKS \$6.99 LB.
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