

York Region United Way at more than 30 per cent of goal

York Region's companies and residents have gone nearly one-third of the distance for the annual United Way campaign.

Yesterday, the charity umbrella said it has raised \$1,435,500 — 32 per cent of the \$4.5 million it needs to help social service agencies respond to the region's population growth.

Though the United Way of York Region is asking its regular contributors to give 10 per cent more this year, first-time campaigns at local companies are also helping its fundraising effort.

To start off two weeks of fundraising events, employees of CG&B Group, a Unionville insur-

ance broker, staged a walkathon through a nearby residential neighbourhood yesterday.

Launching its first United Way campaign, the company agreed to match money employees raised, commercial broker Marnie Lee said.

Last week Cousins-Curie Ltd., a manufacturer of plastic containers in Woodbridge, launched its own first-time campaign. Since half of its

workforce speaks Punjabi, a translator from York Region Neighbourhood Services, a United Way agency, spoke to them in Punjabi about the United Way, said John Mazzolin, Cousins-Curie's company controller.

The York Region campaign is expected to end in late November or early December. Last year's effort raised \$4.1 million, which has supported 39 local agencies.

Police host forum

Stouffville residents are invited to town hall forum hosted by York Regional Police Chief Julian Fantino on Wednesday night.

The forum takes place at Glad

Park Public School starting at 7:30 p.m.

Chief Fantino will discuss the force's plans for the future, and a number of speciality units from the force including canine, emergency response, Crime Stoppers and community services will be present.

Naisbitt speaks at breakfast

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Region this week, bringing with him views on how technology will influence our culture in the next millennium. In his new book, *High Tech High Touch: Technology and Our Search for Meaning*, John Naisbitt explains why he believes ethical and spiritual considerations must be considered in our relationship with technology.

Sponsored by the York Region District School Board, Breakfast with John Naisbitt, will be held Friday morning at the Sheraton Parkway. The event begins at 7:15 and continues to 8:30 a.m.

Space is limited. For a tickets, \$75, call Irene Sedgewick at 727-0022, ext. 2306.

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Application for a Sale Licence

Bunnies
175 Anderson Avenue
Mount Joy Industrial Park, Markham

Any resident of the municipality may make written submission as to whether the issuance of the licence is in the public interest having regard to the needs and wishes of the residents. Submissions must be received no later than **November 20, 1999**. Please include your name, address and telephone number. If a petition is submitted to the Commission, please identify the designated contact person.

Note:
The AGCO gives the applicant copies of all objections.

Submissions to be sent to:
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Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario
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