

MARKHAM

the MARK of EXCELLENCE



FREE RIDE

**Yes There Is
Such A Thing
As A
FREE RIDE**

During the month of June there are many Clean Air Campaign events taking place. These events are meant to encourage all of us to help in the fight against pollution.

There is no easier way of participating than by taking Markham Transit. And we'll make it even easier for you. Just clip out the coupon below and ride Markham Transit FREE! (Valid June 19-25, 2000)

And for all our customers, on June 19th Markham Transit is holding Customer Appreciation Day. Throughout the morning rush hour we will thank our customers for their commitment to a healthier environment.



FREE RIDE

Use this coupon for one free ride on any Markham Transit bus route. Just give this coupon to the driver on boarding.

*This coupon is valid from June 19th to June 25th, 2000 and is valid on Markham Transit buses only. It is not valid on TTC buses. The coupon has no monetary value.

Artists For The 21st Century: Selected Works From York Region Secondary Schools

In recognition of the creative spirit of young artistic talent throughout York Region, works of excellence represent public, separate and private secondary schools.

Free with General Admission until July 30th.

Sponsored by:
Danmark Holdings Inc.
and Paul and Rena Mingay



The Frederick Horsman Varley
Art Gallery of Markham
(905) 477-9511

22ND ANNUAL MARKHAM VILLAGE FESTIVAL

Saturday, June 17 to
Sunday, June 18, 2000

FREE ADMISSION
FREE PARKING

Music, Music, Music!
Jazz * Country * Blues
Big Band * Cultural

Carnival Rides
Bike Decorating Contest
Pub Patio

Petting Zoo * Games
Free Outdoor Swimming
Pancake Breakfast
Yo-Yo Contest

Don't miss the
1st Father's Day
"Parade of Wheels"

Sunday, June 18th at 12:00 noon

Begins at Hwy 7 running north on
Main Street Markham (Hwy. 48)

PROZZAK HOT SHOW
they're coming!

Wed June 28, 2000
at Markham Museum & Historic Village
Tickets will sell fast, so don't miss out!

Markham's HOT SHOW
of the summer!
Call 905-905-5100
to order your tickets
Gates Open at 4:00 pm
Opening acts feature winning groups
from Markham Youth Week's
Battle of the Bands competition
Ticket Free \$2500

Presented by
Markham Theatre
in conjunction with
MARKHAM MUSEUM

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9350 Hwy. 48, Markham Ontario L3P 3J3
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DON'T LET ANY GET AWAY - GRASSCYCLE!

Save Time, Effort, Water and Money!

Reminder to Markham residents and businesses that the Town does NOT collect grass clippings. Considered "non-collectable refuse" - they are banned from waste collection and subject to fines.

What is grasscycling?

It's the natural way to maintain your lawn. Simply recycling mowed grass

How?

It's easy. Just mow your grass and leave the clippings to decay naturally where they fall

Reap the benefits

- Recycling - Environmentally friendly process
- Diverts up to 35% waste from landfill
- Saves collection and processing costs = lower taxes for everyone!
- FREE, environmentally safe, high-quality soil treatment
- Returns nutrients to the soil, conditioning and improving your lawn naturally
- Provides more shade cover, reducing water loss
- Healthier, greener lawn
- Cuts mowing time by up to 40% - no more raking and bagging = more leisure time!

Tips

- Keep your mower blade sharp and set 1/2 inches from ground
- Cut grass once or twice a week before gets too long, no more than a third of blade at time
- Mow grass when dry to prevent clumping
- Water deeply once a week to prevent excessive growth
- Speed up the process - fit a mulching blade to your mower

Excess clippings?

- Recycle with organic kitchen scraps (greens) and yard waste (browns) in your backyard composter

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ON HOW TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE
Call Markham Waste Management at (905) 415-7535

Fax us at (905) 479-7766

Email wastemgt@city.markham.on.ca

Check out our website at www.city.markham.on.ca

FREE ELECTION SEMINAR

UNDERSTAND THE RULES

Campaign Contributions/Expenses and Related Financial Statements
Registered and potential candidates for the 2000 Municipal Elections are encouraged to attend a FREE Election Seminar sponsored by the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing.

Thursday, June 22, 2000 ~ 7:00 to 10:00 p.m.
Regional Municipality of York, Administrative Centre
17250 Yonge Street, Newmarket
(west side, between Mulock and Davis Drives)

To register for this seminar or for more information, call Marylois Bernard, Town of Markham Clerks Department at (905) 477-7000 ext 3112; fax to (905) 479-7771 or email mbernard@city.markham.on.ca

UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS

COMMUNITY FAMILY DAY

Sat June 17th, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
FREE Admission
Victoria Square Community Centre
(corner of Elgin Mills and Woodbine Ave)
Petting Zoo * Crafts * Face Painting
Games * Live Music * Exhibits * Bake Sale

ANNUAL FATHER'S DAY BRUNCH

Sponsored by
The Markham African Caribbean Association
Sun June 18th at 2:30 p.m.
Milliken Mills Community Centre
Guest Speaker Paul Kafele
Entertainment, Fabulous Food & Fun!
For more information call Ms Sheila Steaman
(416) 410-9328 or Mr. Lee Miller (905) 479-6304

FATHER'S DAY MAKE A TAKE CRAFT

Sat June 17th, 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Sun June 18th, 1:30 to 4:00 p.m.
Drop by Markham Museum to
make something special for Dad!
All activities & crafts are included in
regular Museum admission
For information call (905) 294-4576

WEBSITE: www.city.markham.on.ca 24 HOUR RECORDED INFORMATION: (905) 415-7500