

The Economist & Sun/Tribune welcomes submissions of upcoming events from community organizations. While every effort is made to include all submissions, there is no guarantee of publication.

SPECIAL EVENTS

TODAY

SPRING LUNCHEON & Card Party at St. Andrews United Church, 32 Main St., Markham from noon - 3 p.m. Lots of good food and great door prizes for only \$6. Tickets available at the door. Everyone is welcome.

APRIL 20-22

UNIONVILLE SKATING Show at Crosby Arena, Main St., Unionville. Tickets: \$15 along with guest skater Ben Ferreira, Canadian bronze medalist. To reserve, call 477-3294.

SATURDAY, APRIL 21

'JEWELS OF THE OPERA' presented by Opera York, Woodbridge with a dinner and concert performance at Famee Furlane. The concert feature guest soloists from Italy, soprano Iveta Teclova Fomero and tenor Rinaldo Fomero. Guests will enjoy favourite romantic arias, introduced by Professor Tim McGee, of McMaster University. Joining the soloists is the well-known male choir, Coro Santa Cecilia. The concert follows a reception and silent auction and a five-course meal. Tickets, at \$50 per person (cash bar), are available at the Famee Furlane, 905-851-1166.

UNTIL MAY 13

ANNUAL JURIED Exhibition at the Latham Gallery, 6276 Main St., Stouffville - here's an opportunity to see exciting new works by artists from various regions of Ontario. This year, the works will be chosen by three jurors from the arts community: Deirdre Chisholm (Art Gallery of Peterborough), Celeste Scopelites (The Living Arts Centre, Mississauga and Artist) and Denis Cliff (Artist and Art Instructor). An emphasis will be put on work in different media which challenges the viewer in terms of subject matter, techniques and ideas. Call 640-8954 for gallery hours.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PICKERING HIGH SCHOOL will be celebrating its 15th Anniversary Reunion on June 8 to June 10. The planning is under the chairmanship of Bill Parish. Call 905-683-4761 or visit www.pickeringhighschool.com for further details.

SUMMER INSTITUTE FOR KIDS 2001 - Summer Day Camps for 5-12 year olds at Parkland Public School and Wilclay Public School in Markham. Campers will enjoy a wide variety of both active and creative indoor and outdoor pursuits. Our Camp staff are chosen for their enthusiasm, creativity and leadership skills. All staff participate in a thorough pre-camp training program to provide all children with a safe and enjoyable camp experience. Campers must bring a lunch, snack and drinks daily. Each camp session runs Monday to Friday, from 9-4 p.m. at a cost of \$95 per camper, per week. Registration is required and accepted at your school. For more information, call 472-8536 for Parkland and 470-1447 Wilclay.

York Region **FOOD NETWORK** continues to sponsor the Aurora, Markham and Newmarket Community Gardens in co-operation with local government and community group. 10x20' plots are available to residents of each community, especially those on limited income. Most food banks and hostels in York Region have benefitted from donations of freshly grown produce by community gardeners. There is no charge to participate. For an application, call the Community Gardens Co-ordinator, 905-751-1085. Donations and volunteers are also welcome from the community. For information on other YRFN projects, call 905-773-9866 and leave a message.

AFFORDABLE APARTMENT needed for a couple with 5 month old baby. Catholic community services of York Region is a non-profit organization assisting newcomers with settlement and providing therapy

services to residents of York Region. If you are able to help this family, please call Felina, 1-800-263-2075, ext. 227.

TUESDAY, APRIL 24

ORGAN DONOR INFORMATION NIGHT at the Markham Stouffville Hospital Auditorium, 381 Church Street, Markham, from 7 - 9 p.m. All the latest information from Organ Donor Ontario. Questions are welcome. Light refreshments will be available. Parking is free. Sponsored by the Lions Clubs of Markham, Milliken Mills, Stouffville and Unionville. Call 474-1203 for details.

CLINICS

ADDICTION SERVICES for York Region will begin their next group for women who are interested in making changes in their alcohol and/or drug use. This group meets on Tuesday evenings from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Call Judy at 905-841-7007, ext. 322 for info.

EVERY TUESDAY

PHOTO HEALTH CARD clinic at Markham Seniors Activity Centre, 22 Water St. to replace missing/damaged/expired/incorrect health cards. By appointment only, call Oshawa 1-905-434-3700 to book.

PRE-SCHOOL PROGRAMS

INTERNET SITES for Children (and parents). Looking for things to do on the internet? Visit www.markham.on.ca/mpl/KLINKS.htm. Want to become an internet supersleuth? Visit www.discoverlearning/forensic/docs/index.html & choose your own method of solving the case. Forgotten how to play a game, or want to try something new? Visit www.gameskidsplay.net and learn rules and information on games of all types.

CLUBS

COME BOWL With Us! Markham Lawn Bowling Club, 28 Franklin St. We welcome new members.

Free instruction, bowls available. Playing time from May to September, days and/or evenings. Call John at 905-201-1925 for details.

TRAIL TREKKERS - Hike Ontario trails, 15k plus or minus, some travel. Join group of 10-15 organizing now, please call 294-5017 for info.

EUCHRE, first and third Mondays every month from 7:30 p.m. at Cedar Grove Community Centre (7667 14th Ave. E. of Reesor Rd). Admission \$2, includes prizes, call 294-0796 for info.

WALKING BUDDIES: Paramount & Fincham area of Markham, Mondays and Wednesdays 8-9:30 p.m. Get fit with fast-paced walking. Call Cathy at 472-7805

BRITISH LADIES CLUB. Ladies, were you born in England, Ireland, Scotland or Wales? If yes, you may like to join us for tea, biscuits and a chat with an occasional outing. We are a small group of 50-plus ladies who meet twice a month. Call 881-4569 for info.

Be a Big Brother



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853-0386

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