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The 17th Annual Whitchurch-Stouffville Strawberry Festival is now history! It will be recorded as the biggest festival yet, one of the hottest and definitely the coldest. The Festival could not take place without the wonderful support of all the sponsors. There is a complete list above. Thank you all sincerely for making the Festival viable!

The other reason that the Festival comes together is the fantastic Committee that starts work in September and sees the outcome of their work on that weekend. I would like to introduce the 2001 committee: Dave Duggan-treasurer; Liz Frasier-coordinator; Special Events: Kevin Scragg and Cindy Mitchell-Advertising; Dolores Kroupis-Fund Raising; Sheila McLeod and Kathy Selby-Merchandising; Barbara Sharp and Anne Collard-Craft and Food Booths; Ruth LeBlanc-Parade; Sue Sherban and Jason Kember-Logistics and of course the other co-chair Anne Pride. Anne not only kept things running smoothly but also was in charge of all the entertainment. Anne brought a strong business background and common sense to all approaches and I feel that I have a new friend! This committee has worked extremely hard to produce the biggest Festival to date, with over 90 vendors, new food vendors, a different amusement area, 10 new event areas, and the Family BBQ. I am very proud of all that we have achieved and want to express my heartfelt thanks to everyone for their hard work and dedication. To all of our spouses who became volunteers, thank you for your support and understanding over the year for the late nights, no dinners and the constant phone calls. The committee could not function as well as they do without the encouragement and support at home.

A very special thank you to the Parks and Rec staff who were ever present and always willing to help. The Festival could not run as smoothly without Bruce Hatt, Andrea and all the staff that worked over that weekend. Thank you for your support! There are so many people to be thanked for their support that the list would go on forever. You know who you are and thank you!

Look for us again next year with even a bigger event. We love to hear from any new volunteers.

Below is a list of all the winners for the various events over the weekend.

Frances Shepherd
 Co-chair
 Whitchurch-Stouffville Strawberry Festival

Congratulations to the following winners:

- Quilt: J. Williams, 133 Amelia St., Toronto
- Baby Contest winners:

3-5 months: Sam Roy
6-8 months: Blake McNeil
9-11 months: Evan Redshaw
12-15 months: Madison Primmer

The Grande champion was Blake McNeil of 97 Flint Cresc. and the proud parents are Tim and Christine.

- Best in Jams: Susan Jones, Stouffville
- Best in Strawberry Pies: Gladys Clarkson
- Spelling Bee:

Gr. 7/8 - 1: Heather Higgins	2: Trish Steadman	3: Paige Goudis
Gr. 5/6 - 1: Leigh Greer	2: Al Court	3: Derek Brillinger
Gr. 3/4 - 1: Shanna Deasley	2: Erik Fraunberger	3: Nicole Lacey

We raised \$152.00 for the Stouffville Food Bank with the auctioning of the pies. Thank you! We also would like to thank Mrs. Wideman for her expertise and I know this was a difficult task with all the goodies that were presented.

Charges laid after field party

BY JOAN RANSBERRY
 Staff Writer

Charges are being laid against the organizer of a local field party that became so volatile neither police nor firefighters could shut it down.

After being pelted with beer bottles at the Hwy. 48 gathering in the early hours of July 8, more than 15 York Regional Police officers and six Whitchurch-Stouffville firefighters decided, in the interest of staff safety, not to approach the party.

Revelers also lit large bonfires, causing concern from rural neighbours.

Before the end of the week, a Newmarket man will be charged with burning fires without a permit, burning in excess of the municipal bylaw and burning after dark.

"At least three large bonfires were going," said fire chief Bill Brown. "They were big ones. We went to put them out but we couldn't get near. The police weren't risking it. Neither was I."

Chief bylaw enforcement officer Keith Saunders is preparing to lay charges against two owners of the land. None of the three is from Whitchurch-Stouffville, Saunders said.

The charges are being laid

under the Fire Marshall's Act. Brown and Saunders expect more charges following the police investigation.

Recently, residents of Musselman's Lake reported that in the past few weeks between 25 and 30 teenagers trespassed and occupied a large parcel of lake-front property owned by a developer at Coultice Drive and the Ninth Line.

York Regional Police are laying charges against some of them, reported Ward 2 councillor Mark Carroll.

Meanwhile, the landowner is building a cement block barrier to keep vehicles out.

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BiWay closing, but slated to re-open in autumn

BY JOAN RANSBERRY
 Staff Writer

Stouffville's BiWay store closes this weekend only to re-open in early fall with a new look, a company spokesman confirmed.

The local outlet joins 280 other BiWays across Ontario and Atlantic Canada facing temporary closure. This is to allow time to renovate and refurbish, said a source from BiWay.

All this is linked to a sell-out by its struggling parent company, Dylex Ltd. Once a giant among retailers, Dylex sold BiWay and Fairweathers Inc. to Hardof Wolf Group Inc. in May for \$68 million.

Hardof Wolf Group is also closing Fairweathers outlets for a brief time to accommodate an upgrading.

Employees of the Main Street BiWay store expect to keep their jobs. Hardof Wolf is co-owned by McCrory Corp. of York Pa., which operates Dollar Zone among other North American retail distributors.

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