

# A Classic finish for local piscators

For a tournament angler that took a few years off to help his wife raise triplets, it was as if Markham's Nick Ferrara never missed a beat.

Joining forces with his long-time angling partner Gino Postiglione of Stouffville, the pair began its season in May by capturing a Bassmania Walleye tournament on Rice Lake.

This past summer on the bass circuit, Ferrara and Postiglione won a Top Bass tournament on Rice Lake and were seventh and 10th in Bassmania events.

Just recently, they ended their year on a memorable note by winning the Tri-Lakes Bassmania Walleye Classic.

Wetting their lines in the Kawartha Lakes waters of Buckhorn Lake, Pigeon Lake and Chemung Lake over a two-day period, Ferrara and Postiglione captured the event



Mike Hayakawa

with a weight of 36.98 pounds of walleyes.

Through the first day of competition, the pair sat in third place after catching just four of its five-fish limit and weighing in 15.52 lbs.

But on the second day, they reached the limit and had bigger fish.

"It's quite a task to go from third place to winning it," the 33-year-old Ferrara said.

Ferrara said he and

Postiglione concentrated their angling efforts on outside weed-lines in 12 to 14 feet of water. Tossing crankbaits in a regular perch or silver-white-blue combination and grubs in a pumpkinseed or chartreuse pattern paid off, Ferrara revealed.

In winning the classic, Ferrara and Postiglione took home an 18-foot Lund boat and trailer package valued at around \$18,000.

"Besides having triplets four years ago, this is my second biggest win," cited Ferrara. Prior to his fatherhood break, Ferrara and Postiglione had been fishing tournaments for nearly seven years.

Capturing the Classic finished off what Ferrara acknowledges is his most successful season yet on the tournament circuit.

"It's the best year for me and my partner, who I give a lot of credit to," said Ferrara.

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• On page 28, the headline "Free MP3 Player With the Purchase of Any Desktop Computer" should have read "Free MP3 Player With the purchase of Any Intel Pentium 4 Desktop Computer." This offer is only good on Intel Pentium 4 desktop computers.

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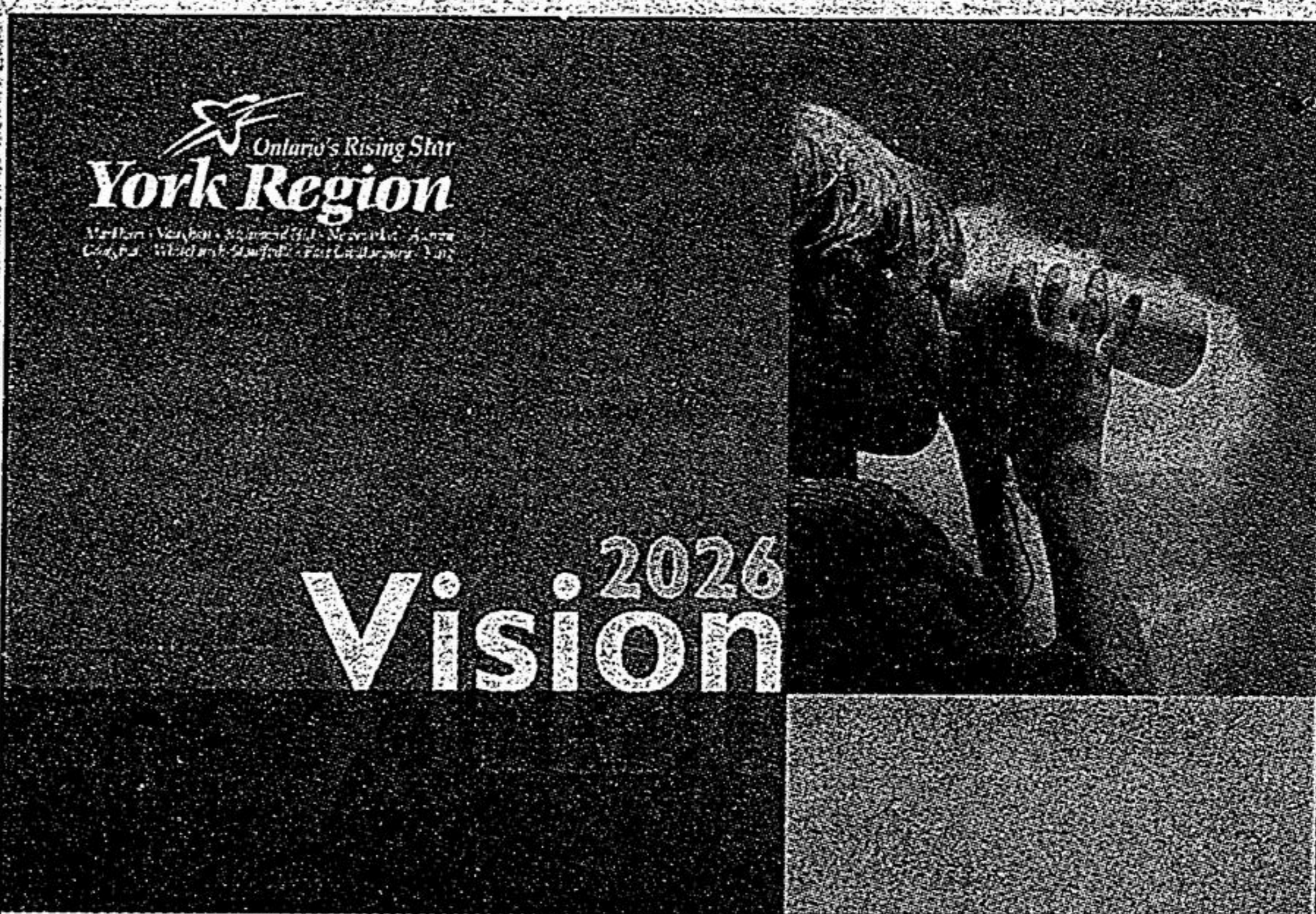
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We heard you, and we went to work drafting a new Vision.

Now, Draft Vision 2026 is ready for your comments.

Come out to one of the public workshops in your area.

- Sutton, Georgina Sutton Arena ..... Tuesday, October 30
  - Aurora, Town of Aurora offices ..... Thursday, November 1
  - Sharon, Town of East Gwillimbury ..... Tuesday, November 6
  - Unionville, Town of Markham offices ..... Wednesday, November 7
  - Newmarket, Town of Newmarket offices ..... Thursday, November 8
  - Stouffville, Whitchurch-Stouffville Town Hall ..... Monday, November 12
  - King City, King Township Public Library ..... Tuesday, November 13
  - Woodbridge, Woodbridge Pool/Memorial Arena ..... Wednesday, November 14
  - Richmond Hill, Bayview Hill Community Centre ..... Thursday, November 15
- All meetings begin at 7:00 p.m.

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