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**ARTS & CULTURE CALENDAR**  
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**WHEN:** Until March 3  
**WHERE:** Latcham Gallery, 6240 Main St., Stouffville



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## MURDER SUSPECTS' PHOTOS RELEASED

*Men involved in club stabbing may be youths*

BY KATHLEEN GRIFFIN  
 Staff Writer

Pictures of four murder suspects have been released by York Regional Police, even though they may be young offenders, in the hope someone will recognize them and turn them in.

Investigators obtained a special judge's order allowing them to make the images public, images which were lifted from the Viva Night Club surveillance tape of Feb. 16 when a 17-year-old Toronto boy was stabbed to death and two others injured.

The media were allowed to publish or broadcast the photos for only two days, Friday and Saturday, as police plead for witnesses to the fatal stabbing of Duc Hong Ban of Toronto and the attempted murder of two other teens at the Woodbine Avenue club. (See photos, on page 13).

While a 17-year-old Toronto boy has been arrested and charged with first-degree murder and two counts of attempted murder, investigators believe others were involved.

"One of the reasons we're here today is that it has been very difficult to get witnesses to come forward," explained homicide Det. Bruce West, adding police don't know the ages of the suspects so were forced to secure a judge's order before releasing the

See MURDER, page 13.

PROVINCIAL POLITICIANS SAY TORONTO'S REQUEST FOR SIX-YEAR EXTENSION 'NOT AN OPTION'

## DUMP WILL CLOSE - PERIOD

BY ROGER VARLEY  
 Staff Writer

Vaughan residents were told in no uncertain terms Friday the controversial dump in Maple will close its gates by the end of the year.

Speaking on behalf of the provincial government, Oak Ridges MPP Frank Klees and Thornhill MPP Tina Molinari said there is no loophole or any other way the

Keele Valley landfill site can be kept open.

Their statement came as Vaughan council met in an emergency session to discuss a motion passed Thursday by Toronto's policy and finance committee asking the Ministry of the Environment to keep the contentious dump open another six years.

The motion was passed unani-

mously by the finance committee, chaired by Mayor Mel Lastman, in an attempt to save the city an estimated \$40 million a year as Toronto council desperately seeks ways to reduce the city's property tax hike.

In front of a packed gallery, with many residents wearing Vaughan CARES T-shirts, Mayor Lorna Jackson read a page-long recommendation that condemned the

Toronto motion and called on Environment Minister Elizabeth Witmer "to give no consideration whatsoever to any request from the City of Toronto to extend the life of the Keele Valley landfill site".

One after another, council members took their turns attacking the Toronto motion, to be followed

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STAFF PHOTO/SJOERD WITTEVEEN

### GOING FOR GOLD

Fans watching the Canada-Belarus Olympic men's hockey game at The Lion of Stouffville pub yesterday afternoon break out in cheers as Canada scores another goal in the semi-final win. Canada plays in the gold-medal game on Sunday afternoon in Salt Lake City.

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