

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Community non-profit groups in Whitchurch-Stouffville are welcome to place their coming events in this column at no charge. Please send your notice to Community Calendar at the Stouffville Sun-Tribune, Box 154, Stouffville, L4A 7Z5 (e-mail jmason@ymg.com), or drop it off at the office, 34 Civic Ave., 3rd Floor. Deadline is Mondays at 6 p.m. Publication cannot be guaranteed but we will make every effort to ensure it is included. Please be brief.

SPECIAL EVENTS

SATURDAY

Operation Cross Smart invites you to a free, 1-km family run/walk at the new Community Safety Village at Bruce's Mill Conservation Area in Stouffville (rain or shine). Enjoy the walk from 10 to 11 a.m. through the streets of the miniature village and stay for guided tours, health awareness displays, scavenger hunt and meet York Regional Police mascot Bobby the Bear until 2 p.m. The village is at 3291 Stouffville Sideroad. For more information, visit www.york.ca or call the Health Connection at 1-800-361-5653.

SUNDAY

Shrek in park: After being postponed due to bad weather last month, the movie Shrek will air in Memorial Park beginning at dusk. It's presented by Mayor Sherban's Foundation in co-operation with the Mayor's Youth Council. Bring a blanket or lawn chair. Call 905-640-1910 ext. 230.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 6

Totspot starts: This interactive, fun play group for parents, caregivers and their children from newborn to six years old begins today. The program runs Monday to Thursday from 9:15 to 11 a.m. at Stouffville United Church, 34 Church St. The first visit is free. Call 905-642-1351 for more information.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 7

Finances for women: A motivational seminar based on the book *Smart Women Finish Rich* is being hosted by John Paulino, the Edward Jones investment representative in Stouffville beginning at 6:30 p.m. The free seminar is at the Steeple Hollow Golf and Country Club on 10th Line. Call 905-640-9559 for reservations.

Parents and kids meet: The Stouffville Family Resource Centre at St. James Presbyterian Church; 6432 Main St. welcomes parents, grandparents and caregivers with children from newborn to six years old for song, stories, crafts, etc. every Wednesday and Thursday from 9 to 11 a.m. The program runs September to June. There is no charge. Call 905-471-1620.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 8

Well and water concerns: Concerned citizens are invited to meet with The Friends of the Rouge to discuss local well and water issues. The speaker is Jim Robb of Friends of the Rouge. The meeting is at the Lemonville Community Centre, 13453 McCowan Rd., south of Bloomington Road at 7 p.m. Call 905-640-3965.

Decoration Service: The annual cemetery decoration service at Melville United Church, 11248 Kennedy Rd., will be held at 11 a.m. The speaker will be Rev. Ralph Garbe with music by The Murphys. Refreshments and fellowship will follow worship. For more information, call Isobel Nigh at 905-640-1680.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 10

Legion golf tournament: The Stouffville Royal Canadian Legion's 20th annual golf tournament (during the Year of the Veteran) is at Mill Run Highland Course. Register in the Legion hall, 12278 Ninth Line, north of Main St. Includes cart, greens fees, dinner, jacket, umbrella and golf balls. Entertainment in the Club Room and silent auction during the evening. Dinner only tickets are also available.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 11

The Altona Mennonite Meeting House on the corner of Uxbridge/Pickering

Townline and Durham Road 30, will host a commemorative service at 3 p.m. Music by the Rouge Valley Men's Quartet led by Doug Hoover. For more information, call Susan Cogar at 905-640-1188.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 18

Terry Fox Run: Registration for Stouffville's Terry Fox Run will be held at noon at the Stouffville Arena. The run starts at 1 p.m. on five and 10-km routes. Participants can run, bike or rollerblade. Pledge sheets are available at the following locations: Curves, Joint Venture, Schell Lumber, Scotia Bank, Bank of Montreal, Whitchurch-Stouffville Public Library, Lebovic Centre, Boyd's Sports, Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville and the Stouffville Arena. For more information, call 905-640-4705 or visit www.terryfoxrun.org.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 21

Bereavement support: Circle of Hope, an eight-week bereavement self-help group meets every Wednesday from 7 to 8:30 p.m. for adults who have lost a loved one or friend. The group will share common experiences and concerns at 6060 Hwy. 7, Markham. Registration required, but there is no charge. Call Evergreen Hospice at 905-472-5014 for information. This group is in addition to the regular drop-in group, Bridges of Hope, meeting the fourth Sunday of each month at 1:30 p.m. at Evergreen Hospice.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 22

Women's coffee hour: EastRidge Church on 10th Line hosts a women's coffee hour at 7:30 p.m. A presentation from Whittamore's Farm with pie tasting, preserving tips and ideas with pumpkins and apples; also featuring singer and speaker Kim Papadopoulos. Call 905-640-3911 for information.



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