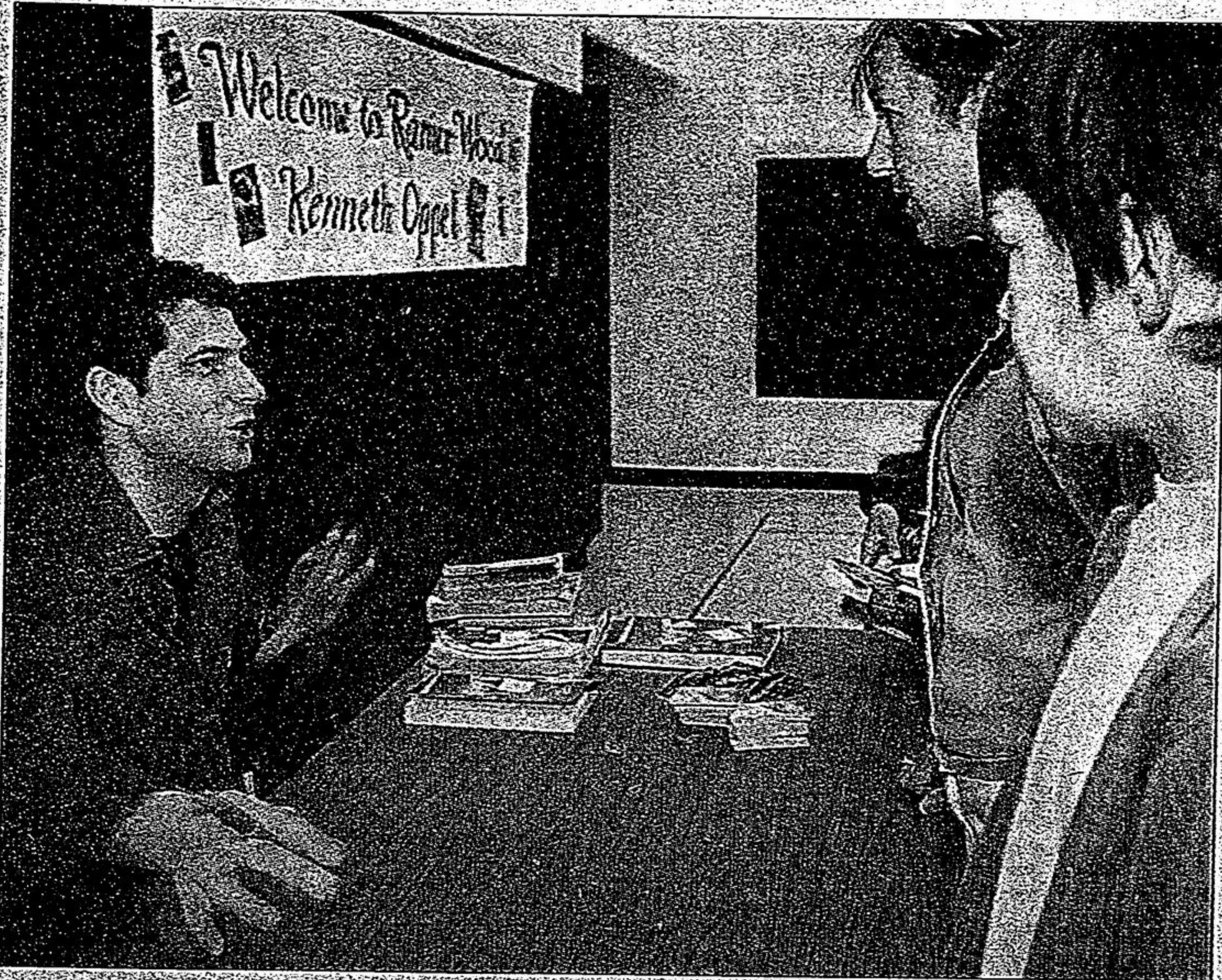


## MEETING YOUNG READERS



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Children's author Kenneth Oppel chats with Ramer Wood Public School librarian Deborah Jestin and William Armstrong Public School student Neil Casbourn after speaking to students Thursday at Ramer Wood. His books include the *Silverwing* trilogy, which has sold more than a million copies, *Airborn*, winner of the 2004 Governor General's Award for children's literature, and the Michael L. Printz Honor Book award from the American Library Association. My latest book is *Skybreaker*, the sequel to *Airborn*. For more information, go to [kennethoppel.ca](http://kennethoppel.ca)

## Acton staying on with Maple Leafs

Stouffville's Keith Acton is still employed by the Toronto Maple Leafs, but his job description is unknown.

Leafs head coach Pat Quinn and assistant coach Rick Ley were fired Thursday. Mr. Acton, the team's other assistant, was retained.

"Keith will remain in the organization in a yet-to-be determined capacity," general manager John Ferguson said.

Paul Maurice, head coach of the Leafs American league affiliate, the Toronto Marlies, is rumoured to be the front-run-

ner to be the next Leafs coach. That could see Mr. Acton coaching the Marlies.

"It's possible. It's a discussion for Keith and I, and at this point, I wouldn't rule out anything on that front," Mr. Ferguson said.

Mr. Acton, 48, was unavailable for comment. He was named assistant coach of the Leafs on Aug. 4, 2000, after two seasons as an assistant with the New York Rangers. Prior to that he was an assistant/associate coach with the Philadelphia Flyers for four seasons.

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### TOWN OF MARKHAM

## NOTICE OF MEETING

### Proposed Zoning By-law Amendment Front and Exterior Yard Parking Regulations

A proposed amendment to the Town's Zoning By-laws will be before Council on Tuesday, April 25, 2006 at 7:00 p.m., in the Council Chamber of the Markham Civic Centre, with respect to the areas in which vehicles may legally park on residential properties. Regulations proposed to be enacted will further define the driveway, allow for a wider driveway, and link driveway width to the garage width. Passing of the by-law will not require the removal of any existing driveway or landscaping area, (except if it is located on Town boulevard), only restrict the area on which vehicles may park.

Council will also be considering an expansion of the overnight paid permit parking to all areas of the Town, subject to technical and neighbourhood approvals.

A copy of the staff report, dated April 18, 2006, the proposed by-law, and other attachments are available on the Town's website at [www.markham.ca](http://www.markham.ca). Please observe special reference to this Notice on the home page.

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