37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor Stouffville, Ontario L4A 7X5 905-640-1900 or 905-895-2423

www.townofws.com

Lebovic Leisure Centre 905-642-PLAY(7529) • Public Library 905-642-READ(7323) • Museum 905-727-8954 OR 1-888-290-0337

# NOTICE OF COUNCIL MEETINGS

Council Chamber, 37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor
TUESDAY FEBRUARY 2
COUNCIL MEETING 7:00 P.M.

# **REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL WS-RFP-10-04**

# REAL ESTATE BROKER SERVICES SALE OF SURPLUS LANDS

Sealed Proposals, clearly marked as to the contents, will be received by the Town Clerk until 3:00 p.m. local time on:

Wednesday March 3, 2010
Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville
Clerk's Department
37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor Stouffville, ON L4A 7X5

This Request for Proposal is being issued by the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville for licensed Real Estate Broker Services for the disposition/sale of surplus municipal property. Town Council has declared its property located at 5827 Main Street in Stouffville, Ontario as surplus to its needs.

The Request for Proposal documents may be obtained from the Town Municipal Offices at the address noted above as of January 28, 2010.

For general inquiries, please contact Rebecca Mustard, Economic Development Officer, 905-640-1910 ext. 301 or rebecca.mustard@ townofws.com. For inquiries related to the land development process, contact Andrew McNeely, Director of Planning & Building Services at 905-640-1910 ext. 270 or andrew.mcneely@townofws.com

# RECRUITMENT

The Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville is now accepting applications for March Break Camp, in the following position:

#### Day Camp Special Needs Counselor Providing 1:1 integration support March 15 – 19, 2010 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

March 15 – 19, 2010 9:00 am – 4:00 pm Location: Willowgrove Outdoor Education Centre

Experience working with children with special needs, High Five Training preferred, knowledge of varying needs and abilities an asset, Standard First Aid/CPR, creative and enthusiastic. For information call Jen McEachen 905-640-1910 ext. 288

#### SPRING/SUMMER EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville is now accepting applications for various positions within its 2010 Spring/Summer operation. Hours of work per week may vary. See our website for details.

## 2010 MUNICIPAL ELECTION

#### **CANDIDATE NOMINATION**

(Ce document est également disponible en français au bureau de votre commis municipal local.)

This notice is for anyone proposing to be a candidate in the municipal election on October 25th, 2010.

Candidates may file a nomination form during regular business hours commencing January 4th, 2010 with the last time for filing being 2:00 p.m. on September 10th, 2010.

Candidates must not spend or raise funds for their election campaign until their nomination form is filed.

Further details and the nomination form is available at the Clerk's Department, 37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor, Stouffville or from the Provincial website: http://www.mah.gov.on.ca/Asset1453.aspx

Michele Kennedy, Town Clerk

### NOTICE

#### PROPOSED SALE OF PUBLIC LANDS

On February 16, 2010, Council will consider authorizing the sale of approximately 0.5 acres of open space land located at 12299 Tenth Line, Stouffville, Ontario, on the east side of the Tenth Line, north of Main Street (Part Lot AA, Plan 70, as in B88745B, Except Part 2, 65R23055) as shown below.



The staff report on this matter will be available in the Clerk's Department by noon February 12, 2010. Please address any inquiries to the Clerk, Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville, at 905-640-1910 ext. 224.

DATED January 19, 2010

Michele Kennedy, Town Clerk

# VOLUNTEERS

#### DOWNTOWN STOUFFVILLE WORKING GROUP

The Downtown Stouffville Working Group is seeking volunteers to participate as members of sub-committees working to advance exciting new initiatives in downtown Stouffville.

The sub-committees are: Events and Promotion, Community Improvement Plan and Development and Implementation.

For more information on this exciting opportunity please contact: Bruce Arrowsmith, Chair, Downtown Stouffville Working Group at 905-642-1719. The application form is available at: www.townofws.com/town\_committees.asp

# 2010 INTERIM PROPERTY TAX BILLS

1st Installment Due - February 26, 2010 2nd Installment Due - April 23, 2010

who have not received their bills should contact the Municipal Tax Department as soon as possible. Failure to receive a bill does not eliminate the responsibility for payment of taxes or the penalty charges for late payment. Please note that the commercial bills will be coming at a later date with a different due date.

TAX PAYMENTS may be made by mail, or in person at the Town Office, 37 Sandiford Dr., 4th Flr, and at most Financial Institutions through tellers, banking machines and by telephone and Internet banking. Banking fees may apply. After hours, tax payments may be made in the drop box at the west entrance door at 37 Sandiford Drive.

APPEALING THE CURRENT MARKET VALUE ASSESSMENT on your property must be done before the deadline of <u>March 31, 2010</u>. Please direct questions regarding assessments to the Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC) at 1-866-296-6722. Appeal forms are available at the Town offices.

VACANCY REBATE APPLICATIONS are available at the Town offices during business hours, for any commercial or industrial properties that have been vacant for 90 consecutive days. The deadline for submitting the application for the 2009 taxation year is March 1, 2010.

For those ratepayers who have not yet received their supplementary tax bill for their new residence, please note that you may pay 'on account' to ease the tax burden before these bills are issued. These payments <u>MUST</u> be made at the Town office.

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

# PASSPORT CLINIC Wednesday February 3rd 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. Council Chamber, 37 Sandiford Dr, 4th Floor

MP Calandra is holding a passport clinic to help residents fill out their passport applications. A photographer will be available to take your passport photos for \$18.00. One photo must be signed by your guarantor so please ensure they accompany you. A guarantor is any person who has known you for two years or more; holds a valid Canadian passport and is over the age of 18.

For more information, please call 905-833-3030.

#### ACCESS TO CAPITAL FOR ENTREPRENEURS February 9, 2010 8 a.m. - 4:15 p.m.

Newmarket Theatre 505 Pickering Crescent, Newmarket

Hosted by the York Small Business Enterprise Centre. 1-877-464-9675 ext 1572 or ysbec@york.ca

# FREE ELECTION SEMINAR Session d'information gratuite sur les Élections Wednesday, April 14th, 2010 • 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Regional Municipality of York 17250 Yonge Street, Newmarket (west side, between Eagle Street and Davis Drive)

Understanding the Rules on Campaign Contributions/Expenses and Related Financial Statements

This seminar will be conducted by the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing and is available for any candidates in York Region wishing to run for any office in the up-coming Municipal Elections. There have been changes to the Municipal Elections Act, 1996. As a result, all registered and potential candidates for the 2010 Municipal Elections are encouraged to attend. Please note that the presentation will be conducted in English only.

To register for this FREE Election Seminar or for more information, please call Gillian Angus-Traill at 905-640-1910 or 905-895-5299 ext. 222. Seating is limited, so please register early.

Ce document est également disponible en français au bureau du Secrétaire, aux Bureaux municipaux de la Ville de Whitchurch-Stouffville.



2009/2010 PROFESSIONAL SERIES
Experience the BEST in arts & entertainment!

This Sunday January 31 at 2:00 p.m.
FIZZICAL FIZZICKS (Family Concert)
\$20 regular, \$10 student

Thursday Feb. 4 & Friday Feb. 5 at 8:00 p.m.
ANTOINE FEVAL (Theatre)
\$35 regular, \$18 student

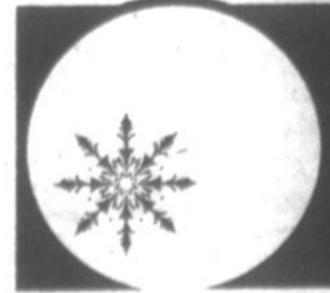
### SEX, PIES & A FEW WHITE LIES

(Theatre – World Premiere/Pre-Toronto Run) February 17, 18 & 19 – 8 p.m. / February 20 – 2 p.m. & 8 p.m. \$35 regular, \$18 student

SPECIAL FILM SCREENING
Saturday, January 30 at 1:00 p.m.
Gone With the Wind (70th Anniversary Edition)

Box Office Hours: Wednesday - Saturday 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. Call 905-640-2322

\$7.50 regular / \$5.00 for Starlight Cinema Members



7th ANNUAL WINTER CARNIVAL • SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13th, 1 – 4PM

Cedar Beach Pavillion, Musselman's Lake Visit www.townofws.com for more information