

Radio station on move - across Main Street

WhiStle Radio has found a new home, not far from its old one.

Based for the past two years on the north side of Main Street just east of Market Street, the community station is moving across the street into the basement of Stouffville Fine Furniture.

"Our current landlord has been great, but it was time for a new, larger home," said station director Halvor Moorshead.

The station will still maintain the front window at the old studio to promote its programs.

Reports the station may have to shut down, perhaps permanently, were dismissed earlier this year.

The process of moving the operations, which began this week, have been carefully planned to minimize disruption in the broadcast service, but there may be short breaks in transmission as the switch over is made.

The new location includes three studios, compared to two at the old location.

"We have a number of shows that regularly have four, five or more guests and it has been a real squeeze, especially when we host live musicians" Mr. Moorshead said.

For more information on the station, go to www.whistleradio.ca

Provincial, national awards for Sun-Tribune

It's been a solid start to the year for journalists with the Stouffville Sun-Tribune.

Winners of five awards last month in the North American-wide Suburban Newspapers of America competition, the paper will add provincial and national hardware to its walls:

• The Sun-Tribune's front page won third place in its circulation class in the Canadian Community Newspapers Association awards announced this week.

The Stouffville paper also won a blue ribbon for

finishing in the top third of its class in overall judging.

• Sun-Tribune photographer Bill Roberts' photo of a house fire at Preston Lake last year will be honoured in May by the Ontario Community Newspapers Association.

The photo is guaranteed to win first, second or third in the spot news category.

"It's great for our staff to be recognized," said Sun-Tribune editor Jim Mason. "We appreciate what they do in our community and it's nice to hear it from the judges of these competitions, too."

CORRECTION

Hargrave replaced on library board

A story in the March 11 Sun-Tribune on town council attendance during the 2007-10 term contained an error.

Councillor Rob Hargrave resigned from the Whitchurch-Stouffville Public Library Board in 2007 after missing its first four meetings. Councillor Susanne Hilton was appointed to the board in June 2007. Of the 21 meetings Mrs. Hilton was on the board for, she missed four.

The Sun-Tribune regrets the error.







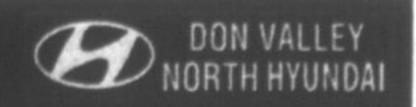
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