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Some of the more than 1,000 participants in the Terry Fox Run leave the Lebovic Leisure Centre Sunday. They raised a record \$100,000-plus for cancer research. For more, see page 3.

DEBATE TONIGHT

You can learn more about the people who want to lead Whitchurch-Stouffville tonight.

The Sun-Tribune and the Whitchurch-Stouffville Public Library are hosting an all-candidates meeting at Stouffville District Secondary School at 7 p.m.

Instead of questioning candidates from microphones on the floor, residents will write their questions on cards and submit them at the event.

The event will be broadcast live on Whistle Radio (whistradio.com and 102.7 FM).

Altmann's pickup a sign, not office: town

Mayoral candidate's truck outlawed

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Justin Altmann calls it his office. The Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville calls it an election sign.

Either way, Mr. Altmann's purple pickup truck emblazoned with his name and mayoral candidacy slogan will remain in his driveway until Sept. 30.

The issue of whether or not the truck is an

office or an election sign came to a head Sept. 11 when Mr. Altmann was visited by a municipal bylaw officer after a complaint was lodged about the truck being driven around town.

Election signs can be posted on campaign offices once the candidate has filed nomination papers. However, election signs cannot be erected anywhere else prior to 25 days before the municipal election, which is Sept. 30, according

to the municipality's election sign bylaw.

The truck in question is equipped with a filing system, laptop, phone and election materials. Everything you find in an office, according to Mr. Altmann.

"We do everything out of that truck. The way we look at it, why make the people come to our

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