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forum organized by the Stouffville Ministerial Association at Parkview Village Thursday.

Prison system slammed by

NDP, Liberal candidates

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is partially reflective of the great disparity between the rich and the poor and in order to bridge that gap, more ongoing funding is needed.

Ms Hagan and Liberal candidate Lui Temelkovski agreed prisons don't solve problems.

"It makes them bigger criminals," Mr. Temelkovski said.

Ms Hagan said prisoners learn racial hatred, how to make weapons out of toothbrushes and how to "hoop your stash".

She said what they really need to learn is self-respect.

Green candidate Trifon Haitas and John Siciliano of the Progressive Canadian party said education is key to keeping people out of prison. Which is why Mr. Haitas advocated for more after-school programs, while Mr. Siciliano wanted lower tuition rates for postsecondary students.

Mr. Calandra provided a list of crime pre-

vention programs his Conservative government has instituted and also said the crime rate is dropping because they are "rebalancing the system".

'It makes them bigger criminals.'

When asked how candidates planned on motivating their constituents into becoming a part of policies, Ms Hagan said she would present all sides of an issue as well as conduct smaller roundtable meetings versus large town hall gatherings.

Mr. Calandra said he sends out information to all constituents every two weeks, communicates via Twitter and Facebook and holds community events such as last year's Christmas concert and his upcoming charity hockey game.

"They engage in politics in a different way." he said.

Election day is Monday. Polls are open 9:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m.



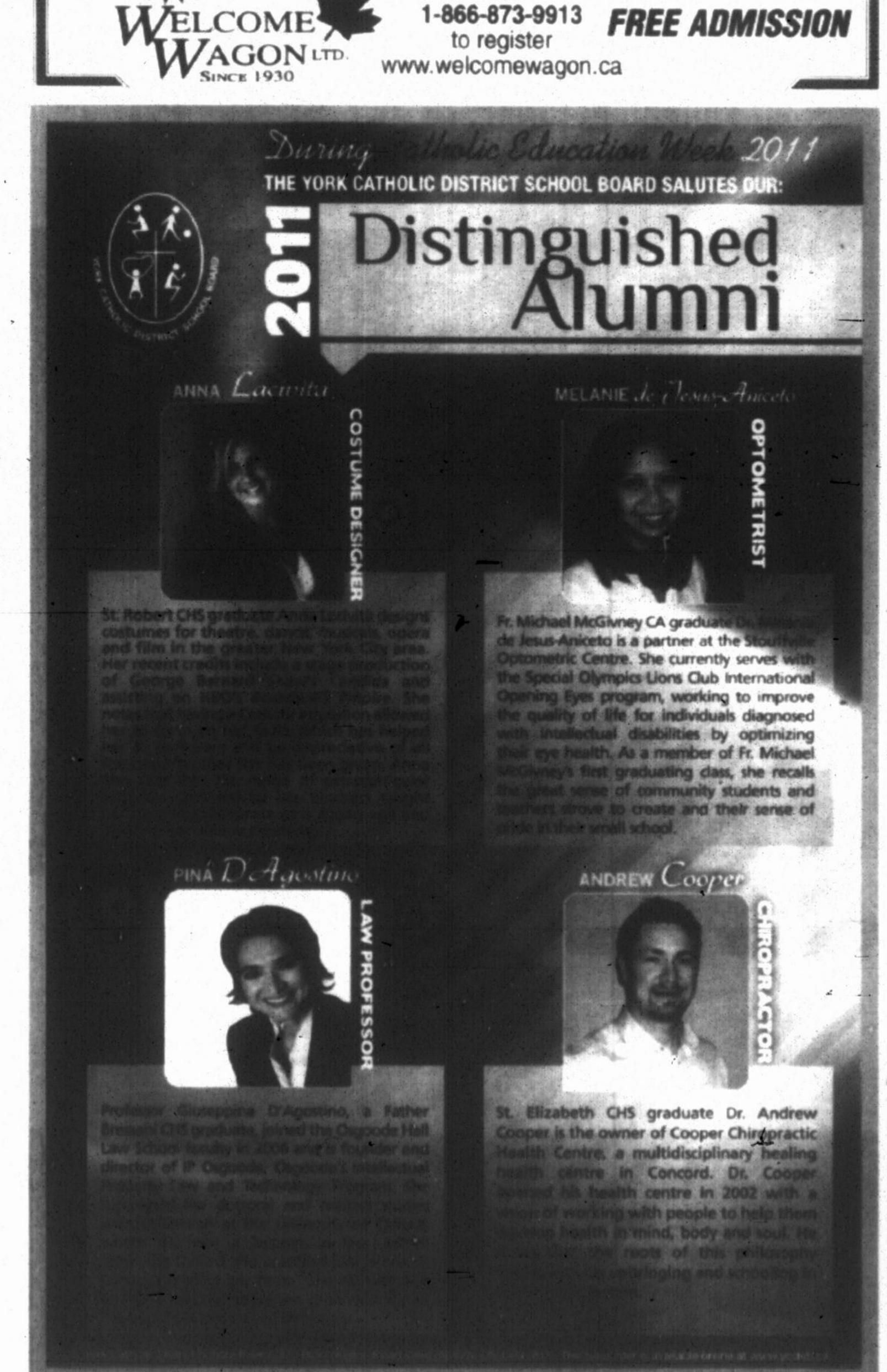
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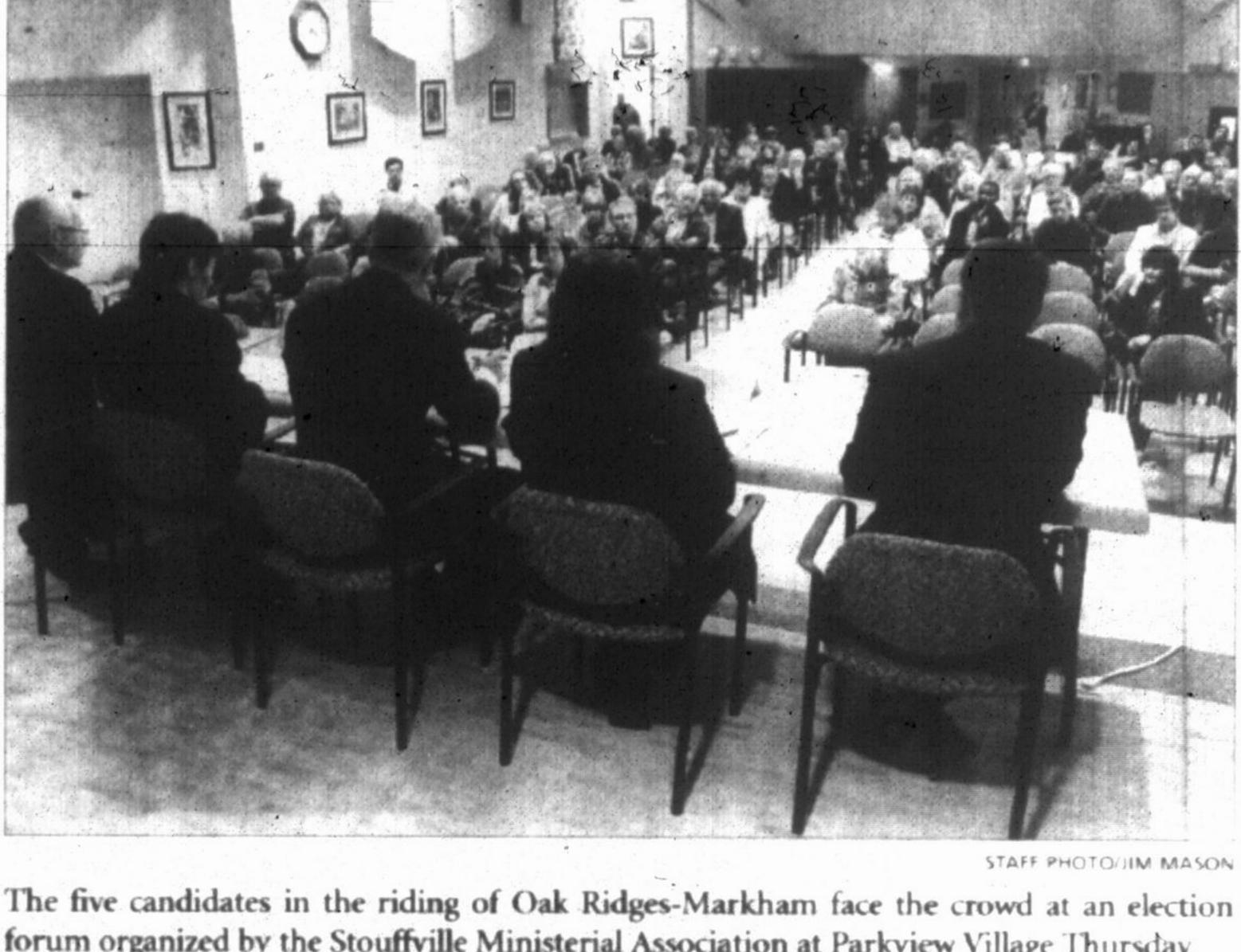
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