

RECREATION: Delegation to council cancelled

New indoor soccer plan has private/public mix

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Canlan Ice Sports cancelled its delegation concerning an indoor soccer facility to Whitchurch-Stouffville council Tuesday night.

Mayor Wayne Emmerson said it was called off because the proponents thought it was premature to address council at this time.

Canlan Ice Sports, at its request, was scheduled to address council regarding a public/private partnership with the municipality.

Canlan was to propose the development of a two-pad indoor soccer facility on municipal property.

No location was listed.

Canlan is the largest private sector owner and operator of recreational ice sports facilities in North America, according to its website.

The company has 21 facilities in North America, including sites in northern Scar-

borough, Oakville, Etobicoke, Oshawa, Winnipeg and Langley, B.C., according to its website.

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Earlier this year, the town received an application for construction of the Stouffville Sportsplex Sport Recreation Centre, which would include an indoor soccer pitch, in the Beacon Hill Business Park, near Hoover Park Drive and Mostar Street.

For more information on Canlan Ice Sports, go to www.icesports.com

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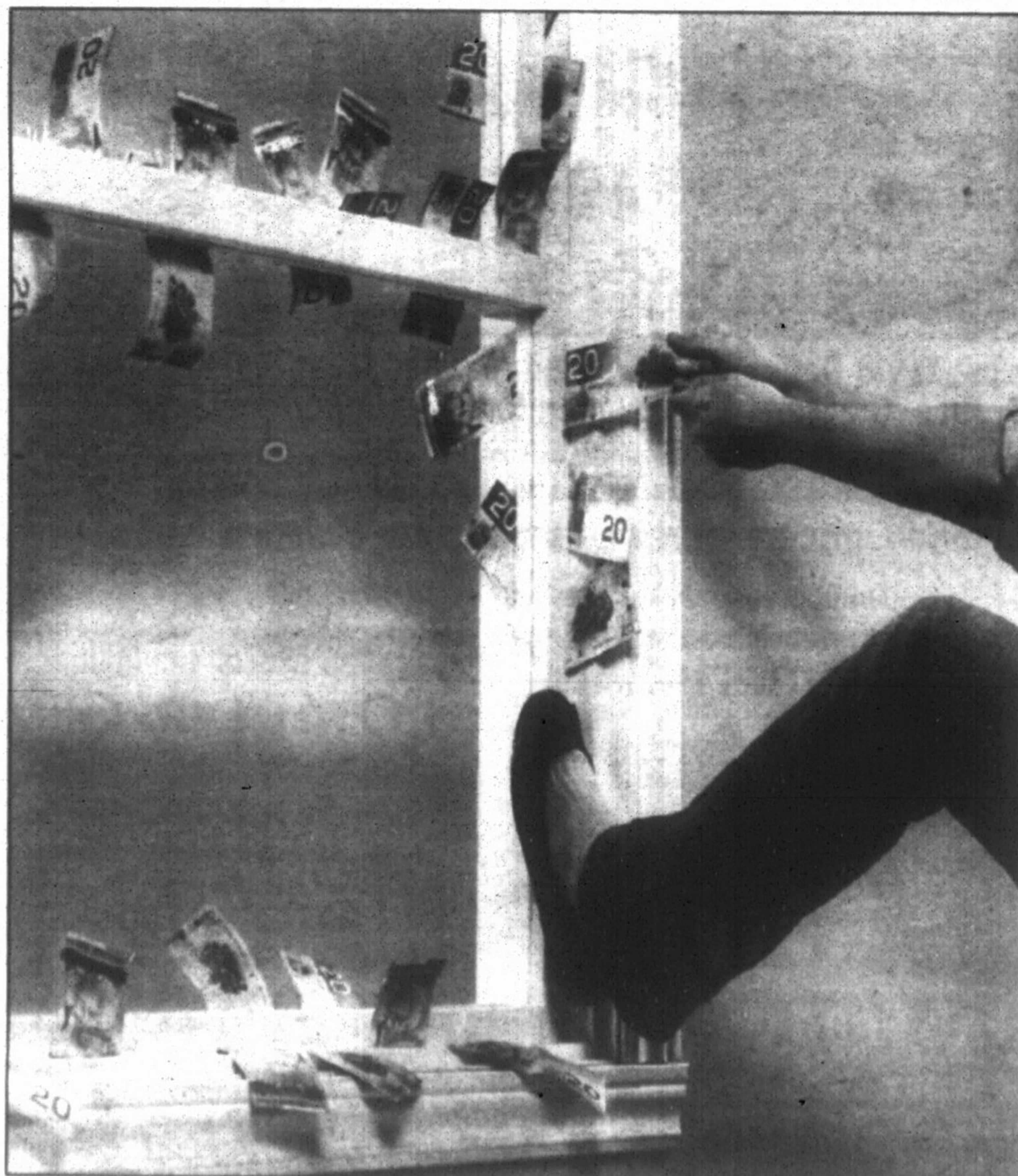
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