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MILITARY PARADE 'ONCE IN LIFETIME'

Freedom of Town event on Main St. Saturday

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With bayonets fixed, drums beating and colours flying, the Governor General's Horse Guards will receive the Freedom of the Town Saturday morning from Mayor Wayne Emmerson.

A number of past and present military vehicles will make their way along Main Street, along with about 100 soldiers and roughly 15 calvary on horse en route to the ceremony in Civic Square.

"It's going to be pretty cool," said Oak Ridges-Markham MP Paul Calandra, who spearheaded this event. "They'll see some good pageantry. A lot of fun. ... Get up close with the soldiers and the horses."

"It's going to be a once-in-a-lifetime thing. I don't think Stouffville has had a military parade of this magnitude before," said Owen Macri, special assistant to Mr. Calandra.

The event is being held in conjunction with The War of 1812's 200th anniversary.

Freedom of the Town ties back

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TESTING



STAFF PHOTO/SJOERD WITTEVEEN

Bob Kim acquaints his daughter Hannah, 21 months, with the spouts in the water park at Stouffville's Byers Pond Way Park Monday.

Trevor to Pittsburgh next week, two years after Leafs picked his brother

Carrick's stock on rise for NHL draft

BY MICHAEL HAYAKAWA
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During his National Hockey League draft year, Trevor Carrick showed the pro scouts what he could do on the ice as a member of the Mississauga St. Michael's Majors this past Ontario Hockey League season and the prior sea-

son with the Stouffville Spirit of the Ontario Junior Hockey League.

With the NHL entry draft to be held in Pittsburgh June 22 and 23, the NHL clubs wanted to learn a bit more about the 17-year-old Stouffville native before they made their selections.

The six-foot, two-inch, 175-

pound defenceman felt he gave those decision makers all they wanted to know about him during the recent four-day NHL pre-draft combine in Toronto.

The youngest of three brothers who have played in the OHL (Sam, captain of the Brampton Battalion last season and Jake, a

former member of the Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds and Windsor Spitfires), Carrick was the first in his family to earn such an invitation to the combine.

He earned the invite — after NHL Central Scouting jump-started him to No. 44 in its final ranking

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