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BED RIDDEN

Whitchurch-Stouffville Mayor Wayne Emmerson goes for a ride in a hospital bed down Main Street Unionville Sunday. It was all in support of The Markham Stouffville Hospital Foundation's Buy a Bed program, which is part of the Ninth Line facility's \$50 million expansion campaign. Twelve teams of five, including representatives of local businesses and the hospital's community partners, participated in the second annual bed race.



Toyota Earth Day SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Every year Earth Day Canada, with financial support from the Toyota Canada Foundation, recognizes the environmental leadership of graduating high school and Cégep students in Canada.



2013 Regional Recipient

ShengDi (Sharon) Chen (Markham, ON)

Sharon is an executive member on Students of Toronto for Environmental Progress and her school's Environmental Action Team. Along with her team, she organized the North Scarborough Green Festival to educate the community about local foods, energy conservation, e-waste and how to be more environmentally friendly.



2013 Regional Recipient

(Thornbill, ON)

Nicole is a garden coordinator for the organization Seeds For Change and manages an organic community garden that supports local families in need while also reducing the community's carbon footprint. Nicole is also the founder and president of her high school Environment Team and implemented a composting program and an organic garden at her school.



Local businesses join together to participate in this years Relay For Life



Left to right is Norma Cardinal (Cardinal Towing), Tracy Morgan (Tracy's Nails and a Cancer survivor), Evan Winer, Karen Piper (Peppertree Klassics), Shian and Mel Provis, Rose good friends, and Camron Stewart.

Friday June 21st at Markham Museum the RELAY for LIFE held it's annual 12 hour event from 7 p.m. til 7 a.m. with participants walking around the track to raise money for Canadian Cancer Foundation. Local businesses teamed up as the CUZ WECAN2 team and raised \$2500 for the Canadian Cancer Foundation. It was an Emotional night with lots of survivors and their friends and families....there was also lots of amazing entertainment, refreshments and more





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