

Springvale Boys up for national awards

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It took a lot of coaxing from friends and fans for the Springvale Boys to release an album.

But the payoff was worth it as the southern gospel group has been nominated for two Covenant Awards from the Gospel Music Association of Canada — country/southern gospel song of the year and southern gospel album of the year.

"I was blown away. I just couldn't believe it. I never expected to be honoured in that way," Springvale Boys' songwriter and bass singer John Halse told The Sun-Tribune.

Focused on You was released by the Stouffville-based group in May 2012.

This is only the second time the Springvale Boys have been nominated for an award of any kind.

In 2012, they won Whitchurch-Stouffville's Music Town Ontario award.

"I got to ride in a convertible in the Strawberry Festival. It doesn't get much bigger than that," Mr. Halse said.

Although Mr. Halse is proud one of his songs was singled out by the Gospel Music Association of Canada, he is most satisfied with the album's nomination because it contained nine original songs.

"We try to touch hearts when we sing. It's a reward in itself," he said.

The Gospel Music Association of Canada is a not-for-profit organization that promotes Christian music and is the presenter of Canada's gospel industry Covenant Awards.

The Springvale Boys can also bring home one other trophy — the Blessings Fan Choice Award. To vote, go to www.gmacanada.ca/fan-choice-award

The Covenant Awards will be handed out Nov. 6 in Burlington.

For more information on the Springvale Boys, go to www.springvaleboys.com

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Sunday, October 6
8:00 am & 10:00 am Eucharist
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Service of Worship
World Communion
10:00 am

Monday, October 7
Fellowship Breakfast
Fickle Pickle Restaurant
8:00 a.m.

Saturday, October 26
Annual Fall Bazaar
9:30 to noon

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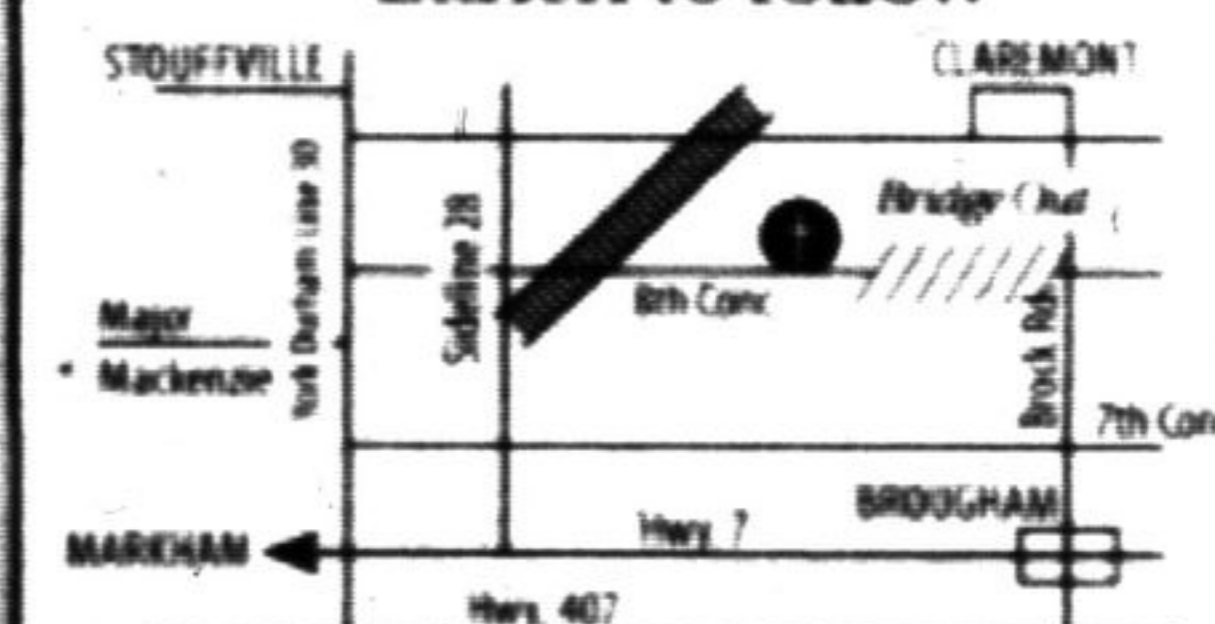
Kid's Club (JK- Gr. 5) - Wed. @ 6:30pm
Jr. High (Gr. 6-8) - Tues. @ 6:45pm
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EVERYONE WELCOME
Sunday, October 6
10:30 a.m.

Worship Service for all ages
'World Communion Sunday'
Wednesday, October 9
9:30 am - Prayer Meeting

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