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TINY DANCER

Kheerthi Prabhakaran and her group perform during Stouffville Tamil Heritage Month celebrations in a packed Stouffville District Secondary School auditorium Friday night. See more photos on yorkregion.com under photo galleries.

Emmerson praises council, tax hike

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He's no longer Whitchurch-Stouffville's mayor. He doesn't even live here anymore, but Wayne Emmerson knows how to draw a crowd.

About 80 local business people, politicians and residents were at Meadowbrook Golf Club bright and early Monday morning to listen to Emmerson, now York Region's CEO and chair-

person, speak during a Stouffville Chamber of Commerce networking breakfast.

"This is the best community in York Region and I know it's in good hands," Emmerson said.

Most of his presentation was spent explaining exactly what the region takes care of, because "we do a lot of things you take advantage of every day."

Among the services that come under the

region are police, paramedics, transit, public health, as well as social assistance and housing.

The region and municipalities share waste, water, sewage, roads, planning, economic development, emergency planning, courts and borrowing/tax collection.

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