

Sitting on top of the world

Students Mathieu, Paul and David Kovac with the dragon chair they bid on and won at the Willowgrove Chair-ity Auction May 11. Nine hand-painted Muskoka chairs were auctioned off at the event, which raised nearly \$11,000 for Glenbrook Day Camp, Willowgrove Primary School, Fraser Lake Camp and Willowgrove Outdoor Education Centre.



Horticultural Society hosts Niagara trip

By Maureen Wood
Please join the Stouffville Horticultural Society when we visit Ontario's major outdoor garden show; the Niagara Flower and Garden Show on Friday June 9.

The show is presented by the Master Gardeners of Ontario and the Niagara Parks Botanical Gardens and School of Horticulture. It is an outdoor event (rain or shine) being held at the Niagara

Parks Botanical Gardens. Marquees provide shelter, a place to meet, sit and eat.

A tented marketplace with over 100 exhibitors and vendors is a treat for all gardeners and a plant lover's paradise, and there will be space on the bus for your exciting new plant purchases. For a detailed list of events, speakers and vendors please visit www.niagaraflowerandgarden-show.com.

The cost is \$40 (\$35 for Horticultural Society members) and includes the bus, entrance fee and

taxes. Bring a picnic lunch or purchase lunch there. The bus will leave the Stouffville Arena parking lot at 8 a.m. and return from Niagara at 4 p.m. Payment must be made in advance. Please call Bill Preston at 905-640-1752 to sign up or for further details.

This promises to be a fantastic day and the Stouffville Horticultural Society hopes that you will join us.

Maureen Wood is president of the Stouffville Horticultural Society



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Strawberry Festival Has Something For Everyone

By Kate Gilderdale
Stouffville Free Press

The 2006 Whitchurch-Stouffville Strawberry Festival gets under way at 8 p.m. June 28 with the Sacred Music Concert at Stouffville United Church.

Events on June 29 include the Stouffville Lions' Beef Barbecue in Memorial Park, opening ceremonies and awards, and evening entertainment for all the family. The fun continues June 30 with a host of events including free swimming at the outdoor pool, a Strawberry Tea Party at the Library and children's entertainment in the park.

Downtown Main St. will be closed Canada Day for the huge craft and collectibles sale. Other events include the Ballantrae Lions' pancake breakfast, a people parade, pie and jam contests, live entertainment, Lionel's petting farm and free pony rides. Canada Day cake and a fabulous firework display will round off July 1 celebrations.

Everyone is invited to attend the ecumenical church service in the Franklin Park marquee July 2, which will be followed by the Strawberry Social sponsored by Cook Canada. For more information visit www.strawberryfestival.ca and check out the July issue of Stouffville Free Press, which comes out June 26.

Family fun day to be held in Elgin Park

Stouffville's Richardson Masonic Lodge and Zeradetha Lodge of Uxbridge, in conjunction with Toronto District #3 Senior Wardens' Group, are hosting a barbecue and family fun day at Elgin Park, Uxbridge on June 17.

Attractions include a display of classic vehicles, a canine 'flyball' demonstration, children's games, a Highland dancing demonstration and a silent auction. "This family fun day, with proceeds to the Heart and Stroke Foundation, is just one example of the many ways the Masonic Lodge works for the betterment of our communities," said Stouffville's Ken Prentice, who is helping to organize the event.

The fun begins at 2 p.m. Tickets, which are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children, are available by calling Mr. Prentice at 905-642-9507 or Mark Young at 905-852-0418.