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## King's Terry Fox Run laces up Sept. 14

By Mark Pavilons

The tradition continues in King Township.

The annual Terry Fox Run will take to the streets in and around King City on Sunday, Sept. 14.

Participants will meet at Wellesley Park in King City, with registration starting at 9 a.m. Mayor Steve Pellegrini will be on hand to say a few words and wish the participants well.

The route runs north on Keele Street into Kingscross Drive, as in previous years.

According to Lisa Barenthin, King's Terry Fox Run coordinator, this is the 34th Terry Fox Run in the community. King City raised just over \$13,000 at the community run and \$45,000 at the school events for a total of just over \$58,000 last year.

King Township has participated in the Terry Fox Run since 1984 (in which 3 participants raised \$300) and has raised \$324,652 for cancer research.

For more information, call 905-833-2697.



## Tips from chefs at Feast of Fields

Visitors to Sunday's 25th anniversary of Feast of Fields were treated to culinary masterpieces. Here, Food Network chef Daniel Janetos created his own home-made ultimate double-decker burger on a state of the art outdoor kitchen supplied by Appliance Canada. Turn to Pages 6 & 7 for more on this event.

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## COUNCIL MEETINGS

### MUNICIPAL OFFICE, COUNCIL CHAMBERS

MON. SEPTEMBER 22, 2014

6:00pm - Council/Committee of the Whole

## PUBLIC NOTICES

### ENGINEERING AND PUBLIC WORKS WATER METER REPLACEMENT PROGRAM

Over the next few years King Township will be replacing our old water meters. Notices will be going to affected residents for the work this year. The initial focus will be Nobleton and Schomberg. Your co-operation with our contractor will be greatly appreciated. This program will assist the Township in leak detection and water conservation. Improvements to Township infrastructure are a benefit to all King residents.

King Township has awarded the contract for this water meter upgrade program to WAMCO Municipal Products. As each phase is implemented, WAMCO licensed meter installers will canvas areas that have been identified for that phase and deliver a copy of the official King Township Notice to Property Owners. WAMCO employees will wear an identification tag and wear a hat & reflective vest with the WAMCO logo.

### MUNICIPAL WATER FLUSHING

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In the Spring and Fall the Engineering & Public Works Department flushes all water mains and hydrants. As a result, residents over the course of the next few weeks may experience low pressure and/or discoloration. This process contributes to the safe, effective delivery of municipal water and does not affect the quality of your water in any way. Should you require further information please contact:

Engineering & Public Works Department at 905-833-5321

### NOTICE OF ROAD CLOSURE

As part of the Dufferin Street Bridge Replacement and Re-Alignment of King Street project, the general contractor has begun road construction on Dufferin Street on the north side of the bridge. In order to improve safety for all and expedite construction activities, concrete barriers will be erected at the construction limits on Dufferin Street (north of the bridge), as well as at the construction limit on King Street. This will create a blockade for all vehicles.

We acknowledge that the detour for the construction project is too significant to have off-road non licensed vehicles take the detour, therefore the blockade will be moved to the side for these types of vehicles. This does not include transport truck and trailers, or any other type of vehicle. Please note that the blockade will be moved only between the hours of 7:00am to 7:00pm. **The blockade will be impassable between the hours of 7:00pm to 7:00am for all vehicles.**

The blockade will be erected on Monday, September 8th at 7:00am, and be removed by 7:00pm on Friday, September 12th. The blockade will once again be erected on Monday, September 15th, and be removed on Friday, September 19th.

It is advised to all residents that Contractor has assured to a timely completion of this project by the end of October 2014 subject to the weather. Please be advised that there will be on-going road closures like the one mentioned above periodically throughout the next two months.

Residents who live within the blockade will be provided with access to their properties.

#### Thank you very much for your cooperation.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this project, please contact the Township of King or the Consultant below.

Mr. Saleem Khowaja, M.Eng., C.E.T., EIT King Township Senior Project Manager Tel: (905) 833-4057 Fax: (905) 833-2300 Email: skhowaja@king.ca	Allan Garnham, P. Eng. K Smart Associates Ltd. Engineer Tel: (519) 748-1191 Ext. 246 Fax: (519) 748-6100 Email: AGarnham@ksmart.ca
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## REMINDERS

### 2014 FINAL RESIDENTIAL TAX BILLS

2nd Installment – September 25, 2014

**RESIDENTIAL TAX** bills have now been mailed. Ratepayers who have not received their bills should contact the Tax Department immediately. Commercial, Industrial and Multi-Residential tax bills will be mailed shortly.

**PAYMENTS** may be made by mail, in person at the Township Offices, or at most financial institutions. When making payments electronically, your account number is your 15 digit roll number (ie. 000XXXXXXXX0000). After hours tax payments may be left in the drop box located at the Council Chambers entrance.

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Please visit the Township website at [www.king.ca](http://www.king.ca) for employment opportunities.  
• Recreation Program Instructors (Dance, sports, and cooking instructors needed)  
• Seasonal Roads Positions

## COMPETITIVE BIDS

Please visit the Township website at [www.king.ca](http://www.king.ca) for competitive bid opportunities.

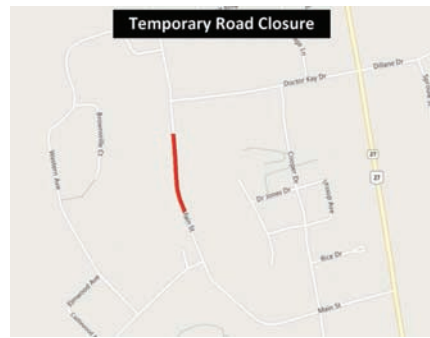


TOWNSHIP OF KING

## NOTICE OF TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE

There will be a scheduled temporary road closure of Main Street in Schomberg, between Church Street and Dr. Kay Drive on Sunday, September 14, 2014, from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. to facilitate the Schomberg Village Street Gallery event.

Please use Highway 27 or Western Avenue as alternative routes during this period.



On behalf of the Township of King we thank you for your patience in this matter.

For more information contact Township of King Clerks Department at 905-833-5321.

## NOTICE – UPCOMING MEETINGS

### 2014 DEVELOPMENT CHARGES BACKGROUND STUDY AND DRAFT BY-LAW

Council Chambers @ 2075 King Road, King City

Information and copies of the Draft 2014 Development Charges Background Study will be available for reviewing at the Township of King Municipal Offices at 2075 King Road or on the Township website at [www.king.ca](http://www.king.ca) as of Monday, September 22, 2014.

RE: Public Meeting – Draft 2014 Development Charges Background Study  
Monday, October 6, 2014 at 6:00 p.m.

On Monday, October 6, 2014, the Council of the Township of King will hold a public meeting, pursuant to Section 12 of the Development Charges Act, 1997, to present and obtain input on the proposed Township of King 2014 Development Charges Background Study and draft By-Law.

All interested parties are invited to attend the Public Meeting of Council and any person who attends the meeting may make representations relating to the proposed By-law. The meeting is to be held:

Monday, October 6, 2014, 6:00 p.m.  
Council Chambers, Township of King Municipal Office  
2075 King Road  
King City ON L7B 1A1

In order that sufficient information is made available to the public, copies of the proposed Township of King 2014 Development Charges Background Study and draft Development Charge By-law will be available from the Township Clerk's Office at the above address, 905-833-5321, or on the Township's website [www.king.ca](http://www.king.ca) commencing on Monday, September 22, 2014.

Interested persons may express their comments at the public meeting or in writing, addressed to the Township Clerk, to be received at the above address on or before 4:30 p.m. Friday, October 3, 2014.

For further information regarding the 2014 Development Charges update process, please visit the Township of King website @ [www.king.ca](http://www.king.ca) or contact:

Allan Evelyn, Director of Finance and Treasurer, [aevelyn@king.ca](mailto:aevelyn@king.ca) or by telephone at (905) 833-4010  
Jeff Parks, Manager of Budgets and Accounting, [jparks@king.ca](mailto:jparks@king.ca)

Dated at Township of King this 11th day of September, 2014

Kathryn Smyth  
Township Clerk

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## Nobleton Sanitary Sewer Project Update

Residents with properties in Contract Areas 5, 6, 7A, 7B and 7C of the Nobleton Sanitary Sewer project will receive their connection notices from the Township the week of September 1, 2014.

The connection notice indicates that sewer service to your property is available, and you may now proceed to make arrangements to hook up to the system.

Next steps:

- Contact a drain contractor
- Obtain the necessary building permits (combined Plumbing/Drain Permit and Septic Tank Decommissioning Permit).
- Decommission the septic tank.

More information about hooking up can be found on our web site [www.king.ca](http://www.king.ca), or you may call our **Project Phone Line, 905-833-4073**, or email us at [nobletonsewers@king.ca](mailto:nobletonsewers@king.ca)

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2. Get on your bike - Try riding your bike to a from school.
3. Recycle your waste - Getting a new laptop this school year? Safely and properly recycle or donate your old electronics.
4. Volunteer to make a difference - Volunteer some of your time to make a difference in your local community.
5. Know your impact - Calculate the size of your environmental footprint and find out how you measure up against the average student: [www.footprintnetwork.org](http://www.footprintnetwork.org)

Wishing all of our students a successful, sustainable school year!



# Streb tosses hat in the ring in Ward 2 race

By Mark Pavilons

Another candidate has entered what appears to be the hottest race in this year's municipal election campaign.

Jim Streb is the fourth candidate to run in Ward 2, taking on incumbent Peter Grandilli. Streb was only roughly 60 votes behind Grandilli in the 2010 election.

Streb said Nobleton and Laskay are beautiful communities, filled with wonderful people.

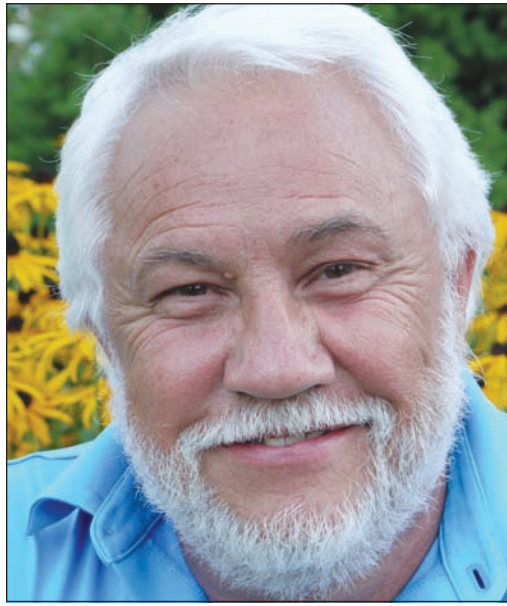
"The residents and business owners deserve the best representation they can get. Having experience in elected positions at both the local and national level, I believe that I can offer residents a knowledgeable and honest candidate," he stressed.

Continuation of the sewer installation in Nobleton, traffic congestion, road safety, controlled growth, revitalization of village cores, and the upcoming review of provincial legislation surrounding the Oak Ridges Moraine, all present important opportunities to protect and develop our community.

"We need strong leadership and reasoned input on these issues," Streb noted.

"The issues facing us are complex and require depth of experience and the ability to negotiate a solution that addresses the needs of the majority of stakeholders without ignoring the needs of the minority. For more than 20 years, that is exactly what I have done."

Streb noted that during the 2010 campaign, he had the opportunity of meet-



Jim Streb

ing most of the residents in the ward. "And I was amazed at the variety of backgrounds, the wealth of knowledge, the kindness, and the enthusiasm that we have in this township. It was truly a pleasure to meet so many wonderful people, and I look forward to meeting some of the newer residents."

Streb's contribution to various groups and causes is lengthy.

He was trustee on the King Township Library Board; member of the policy committee, KTPL; co-chair of the King City Secondary School council; former national president, Confederation of Canadian Unions; former president, York University Staff Association; former trustee, York University Pension Plan; former board member, Pay Equi-

ty Advocacy and Legal Services; former manager, Microcomputer Support, Academic Computing Services, York University.

He's the former co-owner of SK Re-forestation and Iotech Services. He served as director of distributor training, Western Diesel Services.

Streb has coached youth basketball with the Aurora Basketball League. He has volunteered with early childhood reading programs, Earth Day cleanups, tree plantings at conservation areas and arboretums, various school and community activities.

The 17-year Nobleton resident has been married to Tracy Kay for 20 years. They have three children; the oldest is teaching in Toronto and the two youngest are at King City Secondary School.

Streb was born in the U.S. and has dual citizenship.

Streb enjoys fishing, camping, hiking, walks with his family and lab Cas-sie.

For more, contact him at jim@jim-streb.com, 905-859-5467 or visit www.JimStreb.com.

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## 7-Day Weather Outlook

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Chance of Showers High 20C° Low 12C° Rain <1mm Wind SW 25k	Mainly Sunny High 16C° Low 9C° Rain 0mm Wind N 10k	Cloudy/Showers High 16C° Low 9C° Rain 1-3mm Wind E 15k	Mainly Sunny High 15C° Low 8C° Rain 0mm Wind W 5k	Mainly Sunny High 16C° Low 8C° Rain <1mm Wind W 10k	Chance of Showers High 16C° Low 8C° Rain <1mm W 15km	Sunny High 17C° Low 9C°



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## Woman critically injured in collision

An elderly King Township woman was critically injured during a collision Friday evening during the downpour.

York Regional Police report that at roughly 7:40 p.m. Friday (Sept. 5), an east-bound Toyota and west-bound Volvo collided on King Road, between Bathurst and Dufferin.

Investigators discovered the weather was a factor – heavy rains and gusty winds.

Both drivers were transported to hospital and the King woman, the driver of the Toyota, suffered critical life-threatening injuries.

At this point, no charges have been laid.

Police are continuing their investigation and appeal to any witnesses to come forward and contact York Regional Police Collision Investigation Unit at 905-764-1300, ext 7704 or Crime Stoppers at 222-TIPS (416-222-8477). Her condition was not known at press time.

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# Editorial, Letters & Opinion

*"Public opinion shapes our destinies and guides the progress of human affairs"*

~ Frank B. Kellogg

## Full-day 'babysitting' a huge drain of tax dollars

Ontario has fully rolled out its full-day kindergarten (FDK) program, making it available to 12,896 four- and five- year-olds in approximately 132 schools across York Region.

By the end of the 2014-15 school year, almost half a million kids will have benefitted from FDK since it was first introduced in 2010. With more than \$1.5 billion in funding to date, FDK is one of the most significant investments Ontario has made in education in a generation.

While the government calls this an "investment," I prefer to call it a colossal white elephant.

Governments toss around the B word (billion dollars) like it was nothing. In fact, most of us can't even fathom such an amount.

If you spent \$1 per second, it would take more than 31 years to spend a billion dollars.

There are dozens of countries around the globe that aren't worth \$1 billion.

A billion minutes ago, the Roman Empire was going strong and a billion months ago dinosaurs roamed the Earth.

Our province contends that students in FDK are better prepared to enter Grade 1 and be more successful in school, as detailed in a recent study that compared students enrolled in full-day kindergarten with those in half-day programs.

Who's marking success at ages 4 and 5? The Education Act (perhaps it's been amended) says that legally, kids have to attend school starting at age 6 (not any younger).

"Fully implementing full-day kindergarten is part of the government's



Mark Pavilons

plan to build Ontario up by investing in people, building modern infrastructure and supporting a dynamic and innovative business climate."

What? By babysitting toddlers?

Can someone explain that to me please?

"This is an important milestone.

We're very proud of our full-day kindergarten program, which is the biggest transformation our education system has seen in a generation. We want to give Ontario's children the best possible start in life, and this will put them on a path toward future success. It positions Ontario as a leader in North America, and prepares our children for Grade 1 and beyond," according to Education Minister Liz Sandals. Ontario families can save up to \$6,500

per year in child care costs by enrolling their child in full-day kindergarten.

Part of the \$1.5 billion in funding for FDK has supported the creation of approximately 3,500 new kindergarten classrooms.

About 3,800 additional teaching positions and more than 10,000 early childhood educator (ECE) positions have been created as a result of FDK. In reality, the government chose to respond to a glut in teaching grads by creating roles for them. In what reality does this happen?

Make no mistake about it. FDK was an election tactic by Dalton McGuinty, carried on by Premier Kathleen Wynne. It got votes and likely was a factor in the Liberal election victories.

Let's look at the reality.

Sure, it's saving Ontario families a lot of money and that's a good thing. But let's not forget that someone has to pay - all of us in fact, including Ontarians who don't have children at all. The money isn't falling from the sky so it's being diverted from other areas, perhaps more important sectors that touch the lives of all Ontarians.

It's putting small business, the engine of Ontario's economy, out of business.

Ask any day care operator about the impacts of FDK and you'll get a heated, 10-minute conversation. There are no additional subsidized day care spots or funding for kids with special needs.

So, we're spending a billion to save families money, but forcing day cares into bankruptcy, affecting families and

their children. How does this make any sense?

While funding for FDK is secure, isn't it nice to know that funding for health care, other aspects of education, post-secondary subsidies and more are either stagnant or declining?

This what the Liberals have done under the guise of "investing in people."

How about investing in jobs, apprenticeship programs and putting Canadians into fields that actually make a difference in the global economy? How about ending poverty and putting every unemployed Ontarian back to work?

How about improving cancer care and access to life-saving drugs?

Maybe we shouldn't be surprised at all at this province's wreckless spending.

If you read the annual "Sunshine List" of civil servants earning \$100,000 or more, you'll see a slew of principals, teachers, superintendents and board directors that have bloated the budgets of every school board in the province. It's almost ridiculous.

When the government is playing around with such big numbers, what's \$1 billion here and there?

Well, ask foreign doctors who are driving taxi cabs. Ask college graduates who are waiting tables. Ask cancer patients who travel south of the border for treatment.

We have so much to be proud of in this province and this country.

Unfortunately, government waste of taxpayers' money remains the thorn in our side.

## Editorial

### Be engaged, make a contest of it!

As races in several wards across King heat up, the deadline to register as a candidate in this October's election is this Friday, Sept. 12 at 2 p.m.

At press time, three councillors and the mayor were unopposed. Linda Pabst, Cleve Mortelliti (who was acclaimed in the 2010 election) and Debbie Schaefer (first elected in 2010) have no opponents in their re-election bids.

Mayor Steve Pellegrini, who was elected in 2010, defeating long-time mayor Margaret Black, may slide back into his chair.

As much as we believe this particular foursome is dedicated, competent and well intentioned, our political system is competitive by nature. Acclamations are bad, in that they tend to indicate a lack of engagement and a certain amount of apathy. On the other hand, a lack of competitors could mean these people are doing a great job, and deserve their council seats.

But the system makes them accountable and has them "sing for their supper" every four years. So they should.

We hope community minded citizens leap into the political arena and help create some interesting races. If no one takes a chance, things won't change.

Candidates are required to register in person, at the office of the Clerk, 2075 King Road, King City. In order to run for municipal office you must be eligible to vote in a municipality. A person is entitled to be an elector if on voting day he or she resides in the municipality, or is the owner or tenant of land, or the spouse of such owner or tenant. On the day you file your nomination you must be a Canadian citizen aged 18 or older, and qualify as a resident or non-resident elector.

The nomination fee for the position of ward councillor is \$100 and \$200 for the position of mayor.

Ladies and gentlemen, good luck! Let the games begin!

MP, Editor



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Results from last week's poll:

**Do you think the Toronto area can support another NHL team?**

a) Yes  **88%**

b) No  **12%**

The results of this poll are in no way considered to be valid or infallible.

**THIS WEEK'S QUESTION**

Do you have an interest in this fall's municipal election?

a) Yes  
b) No

So go to the website and cast a vote!

**Brainteaser**

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**King Township Trivia**

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# Academic seeks federal Liberal nomination

By Mark Pavilons

A York academic hopes to bring a fresh, new perspective to federal politics.

In fact, Liberal candidate Shaun Tanaka hopes to help restore voters' faith in the federal government.

Tanaka, a geography professor at the University of Toronto and an East Gwillimbury native, is seeking the federal Liberal nomination in York-Simcoe.

"York-Simcoe is my home. It is where my parents chose to raise their family and where I have chosen to raise mine. Our region needs a fresh local leader who will represent our interests in Ottawa and I intend to do this as part of Justin Trudeau's team," said Tanaka, a mother of twin toddlers who lives in Sharon. "Team Trudeau is gearing up to present a plan to lead this country in a better direction."

"I hope to be a part of the change Justin will present to Canadians as our local Liberal candidate."

Tanaka is an assistant professor of geography, teaching at University of Toronto Scarborough. She has a doctorate from Queen's University.

Tanaka has written extensively on social and cultural geographies with a particular emphasis on culinary culture. As a geographer, she is a champion of the environment and currently sits on the Sustainability Board of the University of Toronto.

In addition to her academic qualifications and environmental leadership, she served in leadership positions with the Maytree Foundation and the National Association of Japanese Canadians.

Next year's election provides an important opportunity for positive change in the federal government.

"I have a vested interest in seeing this community thrive. People want and deserve a Member of Parliament who will challenge the present leadership and bring renewed energy, integrity, and accessibility. I see that change coming through Justin Trudeau and the Liberals and I hope to be an active part of it."

York's changing demographics bring their own issues, needs and concerns, she pointed out.



Sharon's Shaun Tanaka hopes to be the Liberal standard-bear in next year's federal election. She's seeking the nomination in York-Simcoe.

Future development must work in coordination with strong local community consultation. "It must also respect the existing social, cultural, economic, and environmental values that have made York-Simcoe such a desirable place to live and do business."

The riding also needs to promote tourism to foster business growth.

"There needs to be greater prioritization placed on our farmlands and natural resources through efforts in sustainability and green space protection, while at the same time balancing the need for positive economic development," she stressed.

Tanaka said she brings a fresh perspective and renewed enthusiasm to politics.

"Some may challenge my relative inexperience in politics, but I do not think that this is a negative aspect of my campaign. It does not take away from my awareness of key issues and concerns in our riding. It does not de-

tract from my engagement with what matters most to Canadians."

Tanaka further explained that "career politicians" are now often met with cynicism and skepticism.

"From speaking to members in our community, it is my view that residents want someone who can represent their needs and interests while at the same time being transparent, accessible, and approachable. Our current government is stacked with career politicians and we need to seriously ask ourselves if we are better of now as a result. Fresh new leadership, and strong dedicated local representation will move our communities and Canada in a positive direction."

Beyond Tanaka's professional capabilities, she's a mother who has a strong connection with families' needs, concerns and goals.

"I bring to the table a positive and optimistic perspective that has been lacking for a long time in our riding."

The coming election provides an important opportunity to restore faith in the federal government.

"I am excited to take on the role of public service and be a mechanism for positive change. I strongly believe that the Liberal party best represents the fundamental principles and values that we hold dear as Canadians. They believe that Parliament belongs to the people and not the prime minister. By electing a Liberal Member of Parliament, communities are empowered and given a voice that has been ignored or silenced by our current government."

"Justin Trudeau is gearing up to present a plan to lead this country in a better direction and I am excited to be given the opportunity to run to be a part of that team."

A nomination meeting for the York-Simcoe Federal Liberal Association has yet been set, although the association's search committee is looking to schedule one this fall.

## York-Simcoe Liberals elect new executive

The York-Simcoe provincial Liberals are gathering Sept. 11 to elect new executive team.

The York-Simcoe Provincial Liberal Association will celebrate being the most improved Liberal result in the entire province, based on the 2011 and 2014 election results.

Newly elected Newmarket-Aurora MPP Chris Ballard will speak, to bring an update from Queen's Park.

The event will be held at Don Cherry's Bar, 100 Dissette St., Bradford, starting at 7 p.m.

For more, contact Jonathan Scott, president York-Simcoe Provincial Liberal Association, 647-998-8461.

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Are you happy or sad to see the end of summer 2014?



**Kay Vanhose**

"What summer?"



**Tania Stamm**

"I like autumn. All the leaves are changing colour; it's beautiful!"



**Peter Fouster**

"I don't really mind. There's always something to do in the winter here ... you don't have to hole away all winter."



**Anthony Nagy**

"It didn't really feel like we got a summer to be honest. I kind of feel cheated."

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# Feast of Fields marks its 25th with an incredible festival

By Mark Pavilons

While the entertainment industry's A-listers gathered for red carpet TIFF events, the area's culinary elite descended on King to mark the 25th anniversary of the venerable Feast of Fields.

It never rains on this impressive organic festival and Sunday was no exception. Organizer Patty Fleetwood wouldn't have it any other way.

From Hockley Valley Brewing Company's Hockley Amber and Bolton's Pommies, visitors enjoyed samples of some of the best craft brewers and wineries in the province.

Plates were never empty, as guests enjoyed spicy boar sausages from Noleton Lakes' chef Roger. Unique mouth-watering creations abounded at every turn, including grilled peaches, wood-fired potato pancakes, grain crackers, venison chilli, a delicious bean medley, crab cakes and shrimp. Representatives of the Orangeville Dinner Series were featured and drew the crowds.

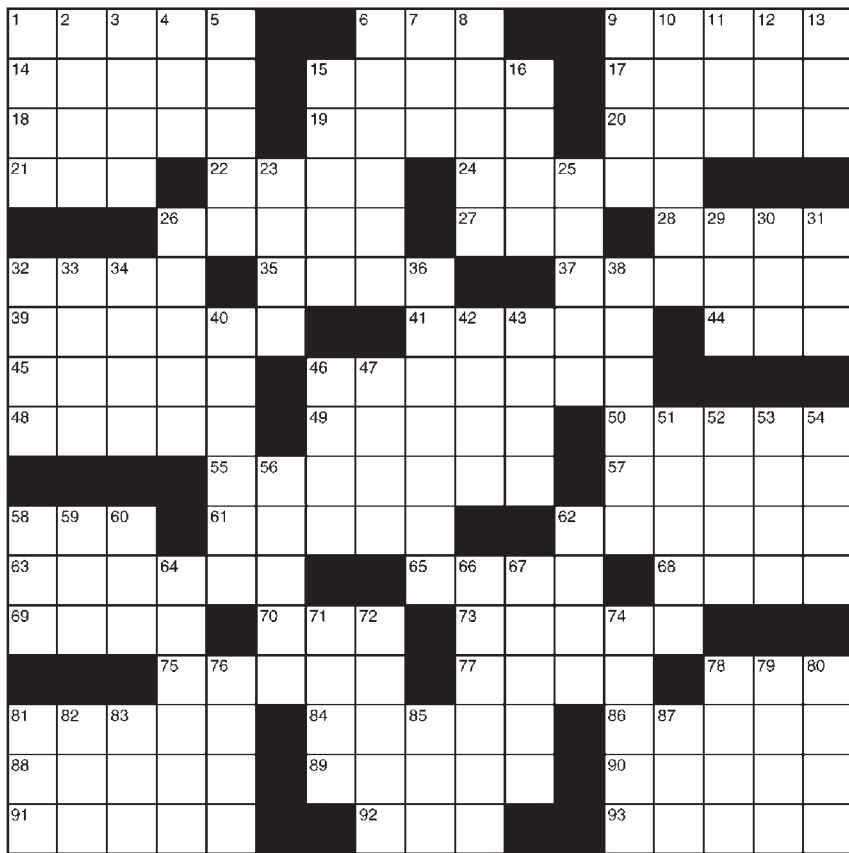
All dishes were prepared in full view, some by Food Network celebrity chefs, like Daniel Janetos, who created his own home-made ultimate "Big Mac" burger. Cooking demonstrations by chefs took place on a state-of-the-art outdoor kitchen supplied by Appliance Canada.

Guests were also treated to some great entertainment on the main stage. It was a great birthday party for a great event.



## X CROSSWORD

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**ACROSS**

- 1. Short-billed rail
- 6. Boulder or Aswan
- 9. "\_\_\_ You Went Away"
- 14. Heart artery
- 15. Vocabulary
- 17. Staggering
- 18. Soggy
- 19. Determine in favor of
- 20. Spur wheel
- 21. Curious
- 22. Roof projection
- 24. Bow freshener
- 26. Vinegar container
- 27. Shade tree
- 28. The lowdown
- 32. Persian ruler
- 35. Deficiency
- 37. Harmony
- 39. Straightforward
- 41. Gaucho's rope
- 44. 25th letter
- 45. Eight singers
- 46. Very small amount
- 48. Giraffe's kin
- 49. Stately
- 50. Social division
- 55. Type of truck
- 57. Spam source
- 58. Fitness facility
- 61. Boutonniere's location
- 62. Female college grad
- 63. Breadwinner
- 65. Countess's spouse
- 68. Glimpsed
- 69. Modeling material
- 70. Cotton machine
- 73. Shoe leather for Elvis
- 75. Distrustful
- 77. Gush out
- 78. Lady lobster
- 81. Dislike intensely
- 84. Permeate
- 86. Elude
- 88. Twist
- 89. Fern seed
- 90. Slang
- 91. Western prop
- 92. Tilling tool
- 93. Loaded
- 4. Naut. units
- 5. "Peter, Peter, pumpkin \_\_\_"
- 6. Erase
- 7. Lumberman's tool
- 8. Tiny
- 9. Hindu dress
- 10. Coincidental
- 11. Unprecedented
- 12. 3-point Scrabble tile
- 13. Addition to a house
- 15. River embankment
- 16. Greek porch
- 23. Cousin's mother
- 25. Slide smoothly along
- 26. Bird's noise
- 29. "It's \_\_\_ or Never"
- 30. Pan-broil
- 31. Work by Keats
- 32. Drive away
- 33. Pawn
- 34. Rectangular pier
- 36. Drool
- 38. Disallow
- 40. Suppress
- 42. Resting
- 43. Venerable
- 46. Breeze, of sorts
- 47. Particle
- 51. Keep in stiches
- 52. Bar reorder
- 53. Prong
- 54. Fervor
- 56. Expansive
- 58. Not sweet, as wine
- 59. Crony
- 60. Notre Dame's Parseghian
- 62. Direction for Sinbad
- 64. Hosiery
- 66. Promise
- 67. Indian money
- 71. Purple flower
- 72. Woodland deity
- 74. Reside
- 76. Consequently
- 78. "Cool \_\_\_ Luke"
- 79. Margin
- 80. Broadway blinker
- 81. Leather punch
- 82. Car-grille cover
- 83. Towel insignia
- 85. Scary word
- 87. Latin way

**DOWN**

- 1. Splotchy fabric, for short
- 2. Crucifix
- 3. Sere

**Solution on page 19**







Photos by Mark Pavilons



Advertorial

## Breakthrough Treatment Now Available in Richmond Hill

Imagine thirty to forty years ago if you were told that lasers would replace scalpels in surgery or that robotic instruments would build cars; you may not have believed it. By the same token, would you believe that chiropractic treatments could be performed using a special hand-held instrument developed by NASA scientists, all while you were sitting in an upright position without any turning or twisting movements?

Advances in computers and engineering technologies have been able to uniquely blend with chiropractic in order to both analyze and treat the human body in such a way that was never before realized.

According to Dr. Sean Eastman, "This new form of computerized treatment is so gentle and effective, that it amazes even the most skeptical patients. It's called the ProAdjuster and is the latest, state-of-the-art technology in existence today, and the only one in the north Richmond Hill area.

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It can also help increase the amount of motion in almost any joint. Even patients with knee, hip, and foot problems such as plantar fasciitis are being helped. It is also covered by insurance companies since this is a chiropractic treatment and does not cost you anything additional.

Dr. Eastman says that "The secret to the Pro-Adjuster lies in its advanced piezoelectric sensor that is able to detect the slightest amount of restriction in a joint and then deliver an extremely precise adjustment." He says that "Even though traditional forms of adjusting also work, people are drawn to this new technique because of how gentle it is and does not involve any twisting, especially in the neck. Many people



Dr. Eastman uses the Proadjuster to analyze a patient's spine and pin-point areas of nerve impingement syndrome causing mal-function and pain.

love getting adjusted with traditional manual techniques, all of which are safe and effective. But there are a large number of people who never get to experience the amazing benefits of chiropractic because they are scared to have their spines adjusted in that way," says Dr. Eastman. Now, there is no longer a reason to be leary. The ProAdjuster is perfect for anyone who has been thinking about going to a chiropractor, but hasn't yet made that decision. Dr. Eastman wants everyone to be able to experience these same benefits and if you have any of the following conditions, the ProAdjuster may be the answer you've been looking for...

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## King's economic strategy is already paying dividends

By Mark Pavilons

Just one year into its implementation, King's Economic Development Strategy (EDS) is already paying off.

Jamie Smyth, King's economic development officer, presented his update to council recently, noting "significant progress has already been made on many items."

The EDS will enter its second year in November. It's a five-year plan and requires regular monitoring and reporting.

"While there is ample opportunity to move forward with many action items, it is clear that the EDS requires collaboration across all Township functions as well as collaboration with higher levels of government and outside agencies. It is necessary that the economic development function of the Township continues to cooperate with other departments ... and with external organizations," he wrote.

"Throughout the coming years the EDS will continue to guide economic

development activities. It will stimulate collaboration across municipal functions and other municipalities, local interest groups and businesses, and regional and provincial organizations. Ultimately, implementation will lead to a friendlier, more attractive business climate, which is an essential pillar in supporting a sustainable King."

The EDS was approved by council in November 2013 and will help shape the overall business climate through 2018.

When implemented, there were 38 recommended action items that reflect far-reaching goals defined by the strategy. Smyth pointed out economic development cannot be conducted in a vacuum and so it's necessary to seek out partnership opportunities.

King has succeeded on several fronts.

King became a member of the Headwaters Horse Country initiative in April 2013 and with this partnership comes Ontario Trillium Foundation grants that will benefit King. Our Township hopes to develop a comprehensive data base of equine assets. With this association, they hope to promote King as a destination and centre of equine excellence; enhance local opportunities and leverage opportunities that arise from the 2015 Pan Am Games.

Part of the EDS notes expanding the post-secondary presence in York and King. Seneca College's King Campus is on the verge of a major expansion and is expected to double its student population by 2021. Part of the expansion includes an athletic centre.

King is looking at working with the college to bring affordable student housing and public transit to the campus and community.

King is also boosting its agricultural sector. King participated in a study with Whitchurch-Stouffville that focuses on innovation in the local food sector. By connecting local food production to consumption, rural communities are seeing new economic development opportunities emerge,

Smyth observed.

Other areas where the EDS has advanced includes the Official Plan re-

view and CIP, both of which address economic impacts.

## Intersection improvements spark debate between councillors

By Angela Gismondi

A report on a sidewalk streetscaping and improvement project at King Road and Keele Street in King City sparked a debate between two councillors at the Aug. 25 committee of the whole meeting.

When Councillor Peter Grandilli heard about the sidewalk replacement part of the project, he asked if the same could be done in Nobleton.

"You did a super job on this report," Grandilli began, thanking the Township's parks, recreation and culture department for the staff report. "I think it will make happy all the people of King City but what about the poor residents of Nobleton? It seems like we always get left behind."

By aligning with the Region of York's capital program, the Township has the opportunity to leverage a higher level regional funds on a cost sharing basis to complete the streetscaping improvements in King City through the Municipal Streetscape Partnership Program, explained Chris Fasciano, director of parks, recreation and culture for the Township.

The Highway 27 and King Road corridor improvements in Nobleton are listed in the York Region capital budget forecast and the current timing for construction is listed in the 2016-2018 timeframe. Through ongoing discussions with the Region, the Township has been able to confirm that an application for the Nobleton project should be submitted next year to be considered for funding when the project is confirmed by the Region.

The King City projects will cost the Township \$141,818 in 2014 and \$94,359 in 2015. The design for the Nobleton project is still ongoing. The estimate for the municipal contribution based on the current design is about \$1.5 million. This number is subject to change based on change of project scope, Fasciano added.

Mayor Steve Pellegrini pointed out that the project in Nobleton is much more significant than the one in King City.

"I want to make sure Councillor Grandilli understands it's three times the amount of (the) King City (project)," he said.

Councillor Cleve Mortelliti couldn't let Grandilli's comment go. "I can't stand by and listen to this," said Mortelliti. "You keep saying 'poor Nobleton' but a lot of money has been spent in Nobleton ... For you to come out and say that is a smack in the face to other members of council."

He pointed out that this term alone, the floor at the Dr. William Lacey Arena in Nobleton was replaced and Nobleton recently got a state-of-the art baseball diamond.

"The point is money is being spent in Nobleton and this council is supporting that," said Mortelliti.

Grandilli responded he didn't ask for the baseball diamond and the repairs at the arena needed to be done and "should have been done 30 years ago."

Mortelliti explained sidewalk repairs are needed in King City, Schomberg and Nobleton but right now work is being done on Keele Street and it makes sense to replace the sidewalk in the village at the same time.

"It would be ridiculous not to take advantage of this particular opportunity," said Mortelliti, adding council basically endorsed doing the same type of streetscape infrastructure upgrades at the intersection of Highway 27 and King Road in Nobleton in a previous report. "Obviously, everything can't happen all at once. The next one on the slate is Nobleton and there is a lot more work going into that."

In the end, council supported moving ahead with the enhancements on Keele Street in King City. Street in King City.

## King, York partner to improve intersection

By Mark Pavilons

King has managed to leverage York regional funding to help with local improvements.

Community improvements, including streetscaping and the beautification of village cores, is a Township priority.

King worked with York Region via the Municipal Streetscape Partnership Program (MSPP) with the King and Keele intersection in King City. This is nearing completion and a similar project is planned for the Highway 27 and King Road intersection in Nobleton.

In King City, York will install fibre optic cables and the two will extend improvements south on Keele through the business corridor. Working with the Region, King is able to upgrade the design of the sidewalks. Curbs and decorative paving stones will surround each bay of sidewalk.

This involves applications to the Region for the work, which will continue into 2015.

The sidewalk replacement includes a \$27,000 contribution from the Region and King will ask if they can up the ante and pitch in for the east sidewalk.

King will be spending \$141,818 this year and another \$94,359 in 2015.

## King welcomes autumn at Fallfest

By Mark Pavilons

Families are invited to come together at the beautiful Cold Creek Conservation Area help usher in the new season.

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# Joe Buscema jumps into the Ward 2 foray

By Mark Pavilons

A community minded resident has entered the race in Ward 2.

Joseph Buscema is running for a council seat because he's been a voice for some time now, helping his neighbours in many ways. They prompted him to run for council, and he accepted the challenge.



Joe Buscema

"I'll ask them on their behalf. I recently did a survey on the new community park at Highway 27 and Parkheights Trail, and passed along the results to Chris at Parks & Recreation," said.

Sometimes, he'll post information online from the Township, to alert the community as to the latest news on the park, traffic lights, etc.

Ward 2 is growing quickly and his major concern is whether we have the infrastructure to meet this growth.

"Residents can expect very straight-forward answers from me, because I am a very straight-forward person," he said. "I'm not just going to talk a lot and say nothing, like most politicians."

At 55, Buscema said he brings wisdom to the table, but "I'm still young enough to have the energy that's needed to do the job."

"I like to walk around the community in the evenings and talk to people, to see what concerns or ideas they may have."

Having the opportunity to make a difference in the community is what excites Buscema about politics.

He and his family moved to King Township three years ago from Vaughan. Buscema has been married for 31 years and has three children - Chantel (28), Joseph Jr. (24) and Julian (15). Chantel helps manage his campaign.

They have a family business called All Personnel Services Inc., which supplies personnel to various industries across southern Ontario.

Buscema has set up a campaign office at 7 Old King Road in Nobleton, the former Postmaster's house.

You can find out more by visiting [www.votejoe4ward2.com](http://www.votejoe4ward2.com). You can contact him at [joe4councillor@yahoo.ca](mailto:joe4councillor@yahoo.ca) or call 416-802-3143.

Buscema said he regularly chats with other residents and shares ideas on a community website. He often discusses issues with Mayor Steve Pellegrini and Chris Fasciano, director of parks and recreation.

"Sometimes they'll give me questions for Steve before meeting with him, and

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# Asnorveldt residents struggle with 'blockade'

By Mark Pavilons

The road closure due to the construction of the Dufferin Street Bridge near Asnorveldt has created some concern among local residents.

A blockade was put up Sept. 8 and is in place during the week from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. It affects Dufferin Street (north of the bridge), as well as at the construction limit on King Street.

The reason for these concrete barriers is to "improve safety for all and expedite construction activities."

Local residents are allowed special access, but broader issues remain.

According to Dufferin Street resident Linda Wilson, commuters are the main culprits who are speeding, and using the road as a shortcut.

She stressed there has been no police presence throughout any of this construction nor has the construction occurred on a daily basis.

"The construction company itself has made no effort to ensure the safety of its workers by having flag persons at both ends of the easement to ensure drivers go through cautiously," she said.

Wilson and other residents have voiced their opinion that this whole construction area has been poorly planned,

badly executed and now a decision that will impact locals, farmers, school buses, Canada Post driver, delivery drivers, utilities including garbage pick up, and emergency vehicles will be severely impacted.

She also said public notice has been lacking.

"What do you think is going to happen when the drivers who think of Dufferin and King as their personal speedway all of sudden cannot go through. What do you think is going to happen once they turn around (if they don't smash into the barrier) and now they are late for whatever destination caused them to speed southward," she stressed.

Wilson suggested making the road and the easement one way only with flag persons directing traffic. "Why not step up the presence of police in the area?"

Councillor Avia Eek has been lobbying on behalf of residents. She spoke with the consultants and said prohibiting access through the construction zone from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. was not acceptable, given the hours of operation of many of our farms and given that crop protection materials are still required, as this time of year creates many challenges for our farmers with the crops.

Eek said the consultant is going to pass on these concerns to the director of engineering, who has the authority to instruct the contractor to take additional measures as requested by the residents.

Eek did note, however, that if all the current resident needs are met, it would not only prolong the project but add to the cost.

She agreed that Dufferin is a thoroughfare for commuter traffic, making this particular construction zone more dangerous given the volume of traffic.

Eek has requested police presence in the area.

Wilson noted the project managers who made these decisions don't live in the Holland Marsh and cannot possibly understand the impact this closure is going to cause. It is getting close to harvest season and the farmers need to get their produce back to their barns.

"It is not reasonable to ask our farmers to stop harvesting their crops or protecting their crops for any reason. Our farmers have crop insurance, but that is only good if crop protection materials are applied within a reasonable period of time, otherwise there is no cover-



age," Eek said.

"We, the locals, need to get to work so we can pay King our taxes! Our kids need to get to school, and the list goes on."

The councillor admitted this construction is "very stressful for everyone involved."

"First of all, Dufferin St. is in the Hamlet of Asnorveldt, therefore, it is more densely populated than other areas where bridge reconstruction has occurred, and the only other road leading out of the Holland Marsh at this location is King, which is being realigned to meet the new bridge design."

Dufferin St. will be raised four feet as part of the approach to the new bridge once it is constructed. However, with Dufferin St. inaccessible due to the bridge being out, King St. is the only other road leading out of the Hamlet at the south end.

The detour for the construction project is too significant to have off-road non-licensed vehicles take the detour, therefore the blockade will be moved to the side for these types of vehicles. This does not include transport truck and trailers, or any other type of vehicle.

The blockade will be moved only between the hours of 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. The blockade will be impassable between the hours of 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. for all vehicles.

The blockade will be removed by 7 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 12. It will once again be erected on Monday, Sept. 15 and be removed on Friday, Sept. 19.

It is advised to all residents that contractor has assured to a timely completion of this project by the end of October 2014 subject to the weather.

## Toronto family looking for King residents

By Mark Pavilons

A moving mixup and misfortune for a Toronto couple has resulted in a unique discovery with a King slant.

Toronto's Taoko Kubokawa and her husband moved to Toronto from Vancouver in October 2012.

The BC-based moving company they used lost their boxes, broke furniture and overcharged them.

Kubokawa said they battled through the Better Business Bureau, where this company has a poor outstanding record.

Their boxes were in storage until they found a house last fall.

They finally went through their items and found several boxes and Rubbermaid totes that belonged for King residents.

The boxes has identifying stickers for Kristen Simmonds (Clarksburg, Ont.) and Debra Simmonds, of 1640 16th Sideroad.

Kubokawa said she tried everything to find the owners, and even took a laptop to the local police station. They tried the Toronto Star and searched Facebook and Google, all to no avail.

They are keeping the stuff safe in the hopes the owners will be found.

If you know anything about the Simmonds, you can contact Kubokawa at taekubo1207@hotmail.com.



These are some of the items a Toronto couple was mistakenly sent by a moving company. They apparently belong to a King resident.

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# CDS breaks ground on new dining hall

By Jake Courtepatte

The Country Day School welcomed students and faculty back to school last Wednesday by celebrating the beginning of construction on a much-anticipated Dining Hall, as well as a restored Senior School on campus.

The CDS community came out in droves in their best summer outfits to the social occasion, held on the front lawn of the school behind the Performing Arts Centre.

CDS executives, board members, major donors, and student council representatives posed for a ceremonial "ground-breaking," using shovels to turn soil taken from the foundation digging at the back end of the school property.

"It's such an exciting day for us," said Head of School John Liggett. "It's humbling and exciting for us to be moving on with this next chapter in our history."

While the project, called the "Making Connections Campaign," has an end goal of \$10 million raised, Liggett said that the initiative has already made some amazing accomplishments.

"If anyone said a couple of years ago that we would be passing the \$7 million mark towards our goal, they would have thought we were crazy. But we have incredible parents and supporters at this school."

While Liggett admits there is "still plenty of work to be done," the start of the digging is certainly cause for celebration.

The major capital campaign is the seventh one in the school's 42-year history, and after just over two years of campaigning digging has begun for the foundation of the new Dining Hall.

"This monumental project is something our parents have wanted for years, maybe even decades," said Liggett.

He joked about parents having to make lunches for children to bring to

school, and that there were "only so many days left of that, before it will be a thing of the past."

Student Council President Joey Stipe was on hand to be the voice of the students, and said the day marked "an important new period for CDS."

"It's a link between the great history of this school and its future. This project has been talked about for years, and it's inspiring to see it come to life today."

"It's also a pretty exciting day when you get to see Mr. Liggett on the business end of a shovel," said Stipe.

The ceremony was followed by a free barbecue, serving hamburgers, hot dogs, pop and chips.

Located on Dufferin Street in King City, The Country Day School is a co-educational independent school offering programs in JK-12 and located on 100 beautiful acres, on the site of the original Eversley Schoolhouse built in 1883.



Faculty, students and supporters gathered last week to break ground at the Country Day School for its new Dining Hall and revamped Senior School.

Photo by Jake Courtepatte

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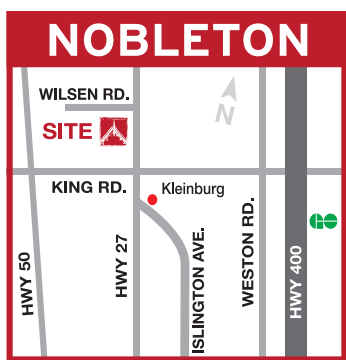


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# SPORTS

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## Local clinic a leader in athlete concussion management

By JAKE COURTEPATTE

With the Ontario minor hockey season hitting the ice, once again the topic of player safety becomes an issue.

Among the discussion is that of body checking, and where it belongs in the minor league system. With the opinions varied between players, coaches, and parents alike, physiotherapist Efan Gonsalves finds there is no right or wrong answer.

“From a therapist viewpoint, whatever we can do to minimize their risk of injury the better it is. But there’s a rationale for both sides, so we do what we can to diagnose the symptoms of a concussion and make sure that the athlete is ready to return to play.”

Gonsalves is a certified athletic therapist at Honsberger Physiotherapy, a company specializing in injury management and sport science.

With facilities in Markham and Aurora, Honsberger Physiotherapy focuses much attention on concussion management in athletes, and is holding a Concussion Symposium in King City next month.

While the facilities are equipped with a full in-house gym, treatment tables, and a SwimEx therapy and fitness pool, the baseline and post-concussion testing is done by a series of digital machinery.

The athlete is first subjected to a focus-based digital test, done through a computer program called “Play Attention”. Through an armband, the program

measures brain activity in the user indicative of attention. Using only their brain power, the user must complete tasks such as driving a forklift or building a skyscraper. If they lose attention, the game stops.

Interestingly, the program was initially developed to help improve cognitive function in children with ADHD. However, Gonsalves says the program can also help improve focus in athletes experiencing concussion-like symptoms.

A similar test is conducted in which the athlete must concentrate on a number of balls bouncing across a screen in a larger group, selecting them once they stop.

While this test does not measure brain activity, it does show how well the user can focus on one goal in a more hectic situation.

“When you’re on the ice, there’s a lot more going on around you than what your eyes are focused on,” said Gonsalves. “We want to know if this person’s brain can process all that is happening on the ice.”

The bulk of the testing, however, is performed by a wall-mounted light board called the “Dynavision D2”, similar to a large black television screen with an array of light-up buttons.

At a retail price of almost sixteen-thousand dollars, the D2 is different from the previous methods in that it is capable of putting the athlete through a series of visual and physical response tests.

In its basic form, the goal of the exercise is to press a button on the screen



The Dynavision D2 Training Device measures both an athlete's physical and cognitive abilities.

Photo by Jake Courtepatte

as fast as possible when it turns red. At higher levels, the user is asked to add numbers that appear on the screen, while continuing to press buttons.

The D2 is extremely useful in conducting baseline testing, as a computer gives

the user actual speed and success rate results. Physiotherapists like Gonsalves are then able to compare these results with that of the same athlete post-concussion, measuring the severity of the concussion or the progress made since.

According to Gonsalves, exercises like these “test your ability to multitask in both a physical and cognitive manner.”

Gonsalves and the Honsberger Physiotherapy team hope to be able to raise funds and awareness for all minor athletes to use these tests for baseline concussion testing.

The Concussion Symposium will be held Sept. 27 at Country Day School in King City. For more information, visit [www.honsbergerphysio.com](http://www.honsbergerphysio.com).



Between 350-400 cyclists took to the streets of King Township last Sunday to raise money to send children with cancer to camp.

Photo by Jake Courtepatte

## Hundreds of cyclists roll through King City during Ride for Karen

By Jake Courtepatte

Anyone in downtown King City Sunday morning may have encountered groups and groups of avid cyclists in their top-of-the-line cycling outfits and aerodynamic helmets.

That’s because both the 100-kilometre and 160-kilometre routes of the annual Ride for Karen charity event made their way through King to raise money to send children with cancer to camp.

Started in 2002, Ride for Karen got its roots from brothers Kris and Kurt Tobias, who lost their mother Karen to breast cancer when she was only 53 years old.

Over its 12-year history, the ride has raised over \$2 million. The team at Ride for Karen was able to raise around \$160,000 this year. The funds will be split between Camp Quality, Camp Oochigeas, and Camp Trilium, with 100% of the money raised going to charity.

Beginning at the Markham Fairgrounds, the course headed north and across Hwy. 404 to Aurora before winding its way south to King City.

The cyclists headed on Keele Street, passing King Road and turning west on King Vaughan Road. An estimated 400 cyclists participated in this year’s ride.

## New user fees for services in Township

By Mark Pavilons

User groups will face a slight increase in user fees in 2015.

King council approved the increases, and implementation of new fees, after receiving recommendations from Parks, Recreation and Culture.

In his report, director Chris Fasciano noted that staff reviewed user fees in 2012 and found there was no consistent method used to evaluate costs or create fees. Through a costing model and consultation with user groups, staff implemented a process to bring increases to committee each summer, well in advance of the next budget.

Staff conduct an annual review of rates to determine which should be increased and whether any new fees should be put in place.

The increased fees, on the whole, are related to utility costs, operating expenditures, wages and any capital work required for municipal facilities. Camp fees for next year will be the most impacted.

Ice costs, Fasciano said, are primarily affected by increased utility costs.

Most of the newly implemented rates are related to current services offered by Parks and Rec. that don’t have an approved fee, mostly in the special events section. Some rates have been added to offer more opportunities for using facilities and equipment, largely at Cold Creek Conservation Area.

Some new fees include tent rentals, rope rental, golf cart rentals, summer ice rentals. Community hall rental rates will also be going up.

“Increased rates are fundamental to offering services while mitigating the impact to the tax rate,” Fasciano wrote in his report.

In the Parks, Recreation & Culture Master Plan, it notes that an arena reserve fund be created to offset long-term capital costs. As well, strategies to market, monitor and collect data on facility usage are also necessary. This allows Township staff and council to make informed decisions based on actual statistics.



# KTBA celebrates season with BBQ and trophies



The King Township Baseball Associated wrapped up another successful ball season with a BBQ and awards presentation last Thursday evening at the ball diamonds in King City. It was a great success, with more than 250 people attending. Mayor Steve Pellegrini gave a short speech and stayed for the duration of the awards. The MC for the evening was Greg Sansone, former talking head at The Score which was a thrill for many of the sports buffs in the audience! All in all it was a great night and Mother Nature cooperated.

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# Society presents garden award Sunday

## Nobleton Notes

By Angie Maccarone  
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### St. Paul's Church

Join us on Sunday, Sept. 14 at 10 a.m. Jeff's message this week - Through The Roof Friendship. FirstLink child care (for children 3 years of age and younger) is provided during the gathering and our Regular KidzKonnection and NextStep Program (for children ages 4 to 11) takes place at the same time.

Mark your calendars for the Beth Moore simulcast on Saturday, Sept. 13. This is an all day event and lunch will be provided. The cost is \$20 per person. Please contact the church office at 905-859-0843 to register and/or get more information.

For more information about any of our activities or events, please contact the church office or visit our website at [www.stpaulsnobleton.ca](http://www.stpaulsnobleton.ca).

### Immanuel Reformed Church

Immanuel Reformed Church in Nobleton meets for worship service every Sunday at 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. All are welcome to join us as we meet in the United Church building at 6076 King Road, Nobleton. See [www.immanuelreformed.ca](http://www.immanuelreformed.ca). If you are interested in meeting to learn about the Bible, call Pastor Maurice Luimes, 905-859-8581 for arrangements.

There is a ladies coffee break at the church (same as address above), Tuesday mornings at 9:30 a.m. Any ladies interested in studying the Bible are welcome to join. Call Mary at 905-729-2728 for more information or email [immanuelcoffeebreak@gmail.com](mailto:immanuelcoffeebreak@gmail.com).

### St. Mary's Church

If you wish to be a registered member of the parish, please use the pink envelope located in the church foyer and fill out required info. When your envelope is received through the Sunday collection, the parish office will register you and prepare a box of envelopes, which can be picked up the following Sunday on the back table in the foyer. Pre-Authorized Giving Plan is also available.

Parents of 1st Communion and Confirmation candidates are required to be registered at the parish of their choice when requesting these Sacraments.

For those being asked to act as Godparents for Baptism or Sponsors for Confirmation, letters of recommendation are issued only to the active parishioners who have been registered for at least 2 years at St. Mary's or St. Patrick's Parish.

Upcoming events include St. Patrick's Pasta Night Sept. 26; Gruppo di Padre Pio social Sept. 28; St. Mary's Parish Dance and CWL sale of apple pies.

### Garden award

The Schomberg and Nobleton/King Horticultural Societies invite all the garden tour participants, volunteers and supporters of the societies to this

year's award presentation of the most beautiful garden of King Township. Mayor Steve Pellegrini will be presenting the award on Sept. 14 at the Schomberg Street Festival at 2 p.m. at 250 Main Street. If you would like to have your garden on next year's tour, or for more information, contact Barb Niemeyer at 905-939-2216.

### Society meets

The Schomberg Horticultural Society is meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 23, at 7:30 p.m. in the Schomberg Community Hall on Main Street. Our guest speaker, Chuck Chapman, is an internationally renowned expert in "All things Iris" and will be talking about "Irises through the Seasons," aka the "Gift that Keeps on Giving." His passion has led him to become a full-time breeder and seller of unique Irises, including those that are especially hardy in the Canadian garden. You will have a chance to speak with Chuck afterwards while enjoying complimentary refreshments.

Meetings are held on the fourth Tuesday of the month from March to June and September to October. Individual membership is \$15 per year and families for \$20, guests are \$3. We look forward to seeing returning members and welcoming guests.

### Farmers' Market

Come to Schomberg Farmers' Market, Saturday, Sept. 13 from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. Fresh fruit, vegetables, eggs, baking, honey, organic meat, local artists and much more.

### Nobleton Skating Club

Our CANSkate sessions are offered on Mondays at 5:30 p.m., and Saturday mornings at 9 a.m. Canskate begins Sept. 22. CANSkate spaces are limited, so be sure to register to reserve a spot.

We also offer power skating on Fridays at 5 p.m. Our STARSkate (figure skating programs) begins Sept. 8. The complete schedule and pricing is available on our website, [nobletonskating-club.com](http://nobletonskating-club.com). Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at 905-859-4943. Remember, all it takes, is a pair of skates!

### Girl Guide registration

We are planning another exciting year of Guiding in Nobleton and all girls and women are welcome. Guiding is a dynamic organization for girls and women that teaches and promotes leadership and respect of self, others, community and the environment through games, crafts, songs, excursions and camping. Guiding is a uniformed organization where Sparks (ages 5 & 6) Brownies (ages 7 & 8) Guides (ages 9-11) Pathfinders (ages 12-14) meet weekly or bi-weekly. All meetings take place locally in Nobleton on Tuesday nights from September to June.

We are looking forward to seeing old friends and making new ones. In order to continue to offer the program to all girls in our community, we are still in need of adult women volunteers for the Spark and Brownie units.

We are actively recruiting adult women volunteers so please share this opportunity with other women who might be interested such as co-workers, neighbours, friends and relatives. You do not need to have a daughter to be involved. For more information please contact Manpreet Perhar at [unitadmin.37@guidesontario.org](mailto:unitadmin.37@guidesontario.org) or she can be reached on the toll free line at 1-877-323-4545 ext. 5137. Registration can be done online at [www.guidesontario.org](http://www.guidesontario.org). The energetic leadership teams look forward to an exciting year with your daughter!

### Nobleton Lions

Free advertising is available to non-profit groups in and around Nobleton via the electronic sign at the library. Contact the Township of King for details on how to get your message up there at no charge.

An ongoing program run by the Lions is the collection of used eye glasses. Take your old glasses to the Nobleton Pharmacy where they will be collected, refurbished, and distributed to those in need.

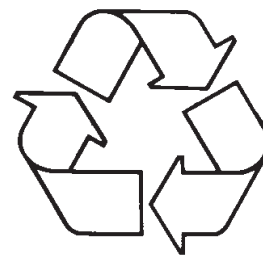
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Father Hancko honoured

The congregations of St. Patrick's and St. Mary's churches honoured Father Paul Hancko on his 25th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood. Mayor Steve Pellegrini presented him with a certificate from the Township. More than 200 people attended the luncheon held at Nobleton Lakes.

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# Township staff to report on medical marijuana grow ops

By Angela Gismondi

King council will be discussing medical marijuana grow operations.

Under the new business portion of the council meeting on Aug. 25, Councillor Debbie Schaefer called for a staff report into medical marijuana grow operations and whether or not they should

be a legal land use in the Township. A resolution from the Town of Caledon prompted her to request the report.

"As Caledon staff have done the research let's build from it ... maybe they have covered it all and is totally relevant for us," said Schaefer. "It strikes me that we should be getting a comparable assessment here in King,"

Since King is undergoing an official plan amendment process, Schaefer would like to know if the Township should be incorporating information on medical marijuana grow ops into the official plan. Overall, she would just like to have a better understanding of what it entails before considering an application for such a facility.

"I don't understand the factors we need to consider to answer the question whether we want to have such production in King," said Schaefer. "There is a need for production of medical marijuana in our society. We do have a lot of open space but I don't think it is like a typical agricultural product. Before we get an application for such a facility we should know the facts."

Mayor Steve Pellegrini explained if the discussion went any further he would have to declare a conflict of interest as his wife is the chief financial officer for one of the largest medical marijuana companies in Canada which owns operations all over Ontario.

Township CAO Susan Plamondon pointed out it would be a "potential conflict of interest" at this point and that the mayor would have to declare pecuniary interest only if the report comes back to council.

Staff was instructed to look into the implications of having legal medical marijuana grow ops in King and will bring back a report on the matter.

## Nobleton book club raises autism awareness

The Nobleton Library Book Club met to discuss "Memoirs of an Imaginary Friend" by Matthew Dicks.

Claudine Evangelista, teacher, autism advocate and parent of a high functioning autistic child, was invited to speak and spread awareness about autism at the Aug. 14 get-together.

The group was moved, inspired and enlightened by her honesty and sharing of personal experiences.

The Nobleton Library Book Club raised \$220 from its members which will be donated to Autism Speaks Canada.

Since its inception in 2010, The Nobleton Book Club has grown in numbers and direction. The club members thank Wendy-Sue Bishop for her continued support and encouragement.

Members would not be able to have their monthly discussions without the books that Bishop makes available to them.

The Nobleton Book Club continues to welcome new members from the community. The Book Club meets the second Thursday of the month at 7 p.m. If you have any questions, please call the Nobleton Library at 905-859-4188 for more information.



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# Success is more than just academics at Seneca's King Campus

By Jake Courtepatte

Tina Di Simone was in her first orientation as Seneca King Campus's Dean of Arts and Health Sciences 12 years ago, when she was asked by a new student where to find the childcare centre.

"I was just milling around, I didn't really know my surroundings. We must have walked for an hour. I was just trying to be helpful."

This is the kind of warm welcome Seneca staff hoped to give the 1,400 new students converged on the college's King Campus last Tuesday, at the first day of Orientation.

While the day consisted of academic sessions, campus tours, and entertainment and music, it was just day one of a two-week orientation initiative known as "Experience Seneca".

"The idea is to have one full day for students to get their first taste of the campus and college life, but we run different workshops and events for another two weeks," said Kayla Lewis, media relations manager at Seneca. "So students can go to their regular classes, but in between those classes we have fun ac-

tivities for them to do, to welcome them to the school and community."

And with student volunteers and faculty available throughout the campus for any questions new students may have, Student Life Coordinator Paul Cadoo said the college looks to help in any way they can to get rid of those first-year jitters.

"It gives students a chance to find things beyond the classroom. One part of Orientation is to get students to feel comfortable in college. The more you interact with them, the more comfortable they will be."

"Success for students is based not only on academics, but on the social aspect as well. That's what we're trying to do with Experience Seneca."

Although 1,400 students participated in Orientation Day, the school actually welcomed over 1,800 new students to the campus this semester.

"This campus really serves all of York Region," said Lewis. "We get a lot of students coming in from the surrounding area, we cover a lot of space."

As an Applied Arts and Health Sciences campus, the school has high en-

rollment in the Police Foundations, Early Childhood Education, Social Service, and Nursing programs.

However, the 700-acre rural setting allows for more specific programming, like the Veterinary Technician program, one of only a few in Ontario.

"Because we have a barn and fields, we have an ideal location for a program like that," said Cadoo. "As opposed to down in the city, where you're stuck in

an office or classroom setting."

According to Di Simone, these specialized programs are what really sets the college apart.

"These are programs where students have made their career choices. They're not just general programs to get an education - these students know what they want and are going for it."

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**708 DEATHS**

**THEOBALD: Edward "Ted" George Frederick.** Passed away peacefully at Simcoe Manor Long Term Care Beeton, on Wednesday September 4, 2014. Ted Theobald in his 88th year, beloved husband of Elsie. Loving father of Laura and Gordon and daughter-in-law, Silvia. Remembered with love by his grandchildren Angela and Jennifer. Forever in the hearts of his 5 great-grandchildren. Dear brother of Laurie (Gordon) Drain. A celebration of life will be held Thursday September 11, 2014 in Simcoe Manor Long Term Care (5988 8th Line, Beeton) at 1:30 pm. Arrangements entrusted to Rod Abrams Funeral Home, Tottenham 905-936-3477. www.rodabrams-funeralhome.com B37

**Project ERASE in York results in 215 charges**

By Mark Pavilons

Getting racers off the road has been the goal of York Regional Police this summer.

Through Eliminate Racing Activity on Streets Everywhere (ERASE), they put a dent in the problem.

This summer York Regional Police laid 215 charges and made 10 arrests.

The effort was launched the Traffic Enforcement Bureau, the Air Support Unit, Community Oriented Response Units and officers with the Ministry of the Environment. They focused their efforts on locating, stopping and inspecting vehicles that were observed driving at high rates of speed or that may be involved in illegal street racing activity.

Over the course of the summer, 245 vehicles were stopped and inspected as part of this initiative. As a result of the inspections, 215 charges were laid for a variety of infractions including suspensions that had been lowered to the point that the wheels were making contact with wheel wells, aftermarket seats that had been installed incorrectly, modified exhaust systems that were too loud and modified brake systems that were not functioning properly.

Officers also arrested 10 people during Project ERASE enforcement. Three of the arrests were made for drug-related offences and three arrests made for stunt driving.

Of note in King, on Saturday, July 12, shortly before 2 p.m., an officer observed a motorcycle travelling on Highway 27 in King Township at a high rate of speed. While following the motorcycle, the officer watched as the rider lifted the front wheel and did a wheelie for several metres. The rider was charged with Stunt Driving and his motorcycle was impounded for seven days.

On June 21, at 8:10 p.m., an officer was conducting speed enforcement on Davis Drive West in King Township and observed two vehicles travelling together at a high rate of speed. One was detected at a speed of 160 km/h and the other at 156 km/h. The posted speed limit is 80 km/h. The officer stopped both cars and found that the drivers, an 18-year-old man and a 17-year-old youth, were friends and had three passengers travelling with them. Both drivers were charged with Stunt Driving.

The offenders had their driver's licences suspended for 7 days and the vehicles that they were driving were impounded for 7 days.

Excessive speed has consistently been the greatest contributing factor in fatal collisions that have occurred on York Region roads. Street racers and those who engage in stunt driving put themselves and unsuspecting road users at risk of death or serious injury when they choose to disobey traffic laws and drive without due care and control and with a disregard for public safety.

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**710 CARDS OF THANKS**

**SOMERVILLE, William A. (Bill).** The family of the late Bill Somerville extends sincere appreciation to our friends, neighbours and relatives for your kind support, help and expressions of condolence following the passing of Bill, our beloved husband, brother, and uncle. We are very grateful for all you have done - cards, phone calls, beautiful flowers, food, prayers, generous memorial donations and for your continuing encouragement and acts of kindness. Special thanks to Darlene and John for their wonderful eulogies, and to Rev. Alex Constable for his comforting message, all of which helped us begin to move past our grief; and to the Schomberg Agricultural Society for catering the reception. With our deepest gratitude The Somerville Family C37

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By Eleanor Fry

As time for worship approached and the sanctuary came to life, it was the sound coming from the organ that stopped us, just to stand and listen.

Our guest organist was Oleg Samahkin. He brought the organ to life like never before. Some of the high notes sounded like bells ringing in a meadow. How sweet it was. He and his wife have just become Canadian citizens recently. We welcome them, to Canadian life. If you ever have an opportunity to hear his music, you will be enthralled.

Our worship began Rev. Evelyn's first Sunday using the Narrative Lectionary as reference. It was the story of Noah and the Ark. It was time to start over, to cleanse the world of all the evil, corruption, and wars.

On God's instructions, Noah built an ark which would hold a male and a female of every species. As the story goes, after 40 days and 40 nights, the rain subsided. The mountain peaks began to appear. Slowly, the earth returned to greenery. God created a rainbow. This was his covenant with Noah that He would never destroy the earth again. Do you think of this when you admire a rainbow? God bestowed the task of caring for Creation to Noah.

Sunday school will begin soon. We are starting over. Can we do that? There are so many opportunities for us to involve others, to enable them to start over. Maybe their faith is floundering. Maybe they just need a word of encouragement. This is part of our covenant. We have a responsibility to care for each

other, to treat everyone with respect, God made this promise to Noah many centuries ago. That promise still holds. Are you in this faith journey for the long haul? Let's hope we all are.

Happy camping to all our campers at Camp Big Canoe this weekend. May the time be filled with all kinds of fun activities, good food and fellowship. Above all, may you be blessed with the sun shining upon you.

On Oct. 19, a team from Camp Big Canoe will be walking and running with the Scotiabank Marathon Waterfront Charity challenge. The money raised will help to maintain camp property and offer camps to children who cannot afford camp fees. Please support the efforts of the Camp Big Canoe team on Oct. 19. Pledges of \$10 or more receive a tax receipt. Call our office for any further information.

The United Men rehearsals start Sept. 22 at 7 p.m. in the parlour. You don't need to be a member of the church. If you like to sing just come along and have fun with the guys. The dinner will be held Nov. 28 and 29.

Practise for the Bell and Chimes Choir will begin Sept. 18 at 6:30 in the parlour. You don't have to be able to read music. If you can hold a bell by the handle (they do come in different sizes). Come along and give it a try. Sandra will be our new leader, since Dorothy and Ingrid have both left our community.

The first meeting of our UCW will be Sept. 17 at 1:30 in the parlour. The program will be question and answer - remedies from "the olden days." The UCW is open to anyone. Bring a suggestion for a program for one of our meetings, and for fellowship, and of course food.

A date to note - Sunday, Sept. 21 is an ice cream bucket challenge. See how

much you can eat, along with hot dogs and corn. Money raised will help to heal our roof.

Have you noticed the new shine on all our floors in the church? Thanks to Lew McLeod, our new caretaker.

For more, call the office 905-833-5181; email kcuc@bellnet.ca www.kcuc.ca or contact Reverend Evelyn McLachlan at kcucmin@bellnet.ca.

Please send some items to be posted to our website www.kcuc.ca. He loves to receive digital pictures of church events and summer happenings. Fred Jesty fjesty@hotmail.com. Send items for our local paper to Eleanor Fry donaldedly@sympatico.ca or call 905-833-5954.

### King Township Terry Fox Run

The annual Terry Fox Run in King City takes place Sunday, Sept. 14 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. It starts at Wellesley Park, King City. Run, walk or bike. For more information contact 905-833-2697.

### Horticultural Society

The Schomberg Horticultural Society is meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 23, at 7:30 in the Schomberg Community Hall on Main Street. Our guest speaker, Chuck Chapman, is an internationally renowned expert in "all things iris" and will be talking about "Irises through the seasons." His passion has led him to become a full-time breeder and seller of unique irises, including those that are especially hardy in the Canadian garden. You will have a chance to speak with Chuck afterwards while enjoying complimentary refreshments.

Meetings are held on the fourth Tuesday of the month from March to June and September to October. Individual membership is \$15 per year and families for \$20, guests are \$3. We look forward to seeing returning members and welcoming guests.

### King Bible Church

Join us on Sunday, Sept. 14 as Pastor Mark Nowell will be beginning our new series "Philippians - A Guide To Maturity" with Odd Beginnings.

This is our kick-off Sunday! Come and join us for a BBQ after the morning service!

KidZone will begin Tuesday, Sept. 16 from 6:45-8:15. We hope to see you there!

We also have our junior high group beginning the same night. Kids in Grades 6-9 can enjoy hanging out in our youth room and discussing issues and questions that affect them daily and finding the biblical answers for them!

### King City Seniors

A brand new seniors' activity starts on Tuesday, Sept. 16 at the King City Public School. "Pickle Ball," one of the fastest growing sports for seniors in the U.S., will make its debut in the school gym, and run from 7 to 9 p.m. The cost is \$3.50 per person. Everyone is invited to come out, give it a try and see what this exciting new game has to offer.

Our Travel Club heads off to see "Twist and Shout" at the Famous People Players Theatre on Thursday the 18th. Tickets for this trip are sold out.

All Seniors' Centre members are in-

vited to join the monthly 39ers social club meetings held the third Monday of the month. Mark your calendars for the following up-coming functions:

Monday, Oct. 20, a fashion show by Sora Fashions. It starts at 1 p.m. and tickets are \$10 and refreshments, including dessert, coffee and tea, will be served.

Monday, Nov. 24 is our annual Christmas Lunch. The cost is \$20 per person for a fully catered lunch and a little entertainment.

For tickets and further information, contact Marlene Deacon at 905-833-9841, Jane Hepworth at 905-833-5870 or Carol Field at 905-833-3324.

Our annual Corn & Weiner Roast is our free membership appreciation event at the Centre on Friday, Sept. 19. Everyone is welcome. If you are a senior who has never been to the Centre or been a member, come on out, join in the fun and check out what the Centre has to offer you and bring a friend! It starts at 12:30 p.m.

### Pottery Classes at Kingcrafts Studio

Kingcraft Studio, at 12936 Keele Street, King City holds its fall program over eight weeks, running Sept. 11 to Oct. 30. It takes place on Thursdays 6.30-9 p.m. and is geared for ages 10-15 years. Cost is \$150/person (materials included). For more, call 905-841-7649 to register.

### York Pines

The weekend of Sept. 26-28 will be a busy one at the York Pines Church. This first autumn Friday will mark the beginning of the fall Messy Church program. The theme for this night is the goodness of God found in forest, land, wilderness and river. Adults and children with adults are welcome.

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## Fire Chief praised

King Mayor Steve Pellegrini made a presentation to Fire Chief Jim Wall on behalf of the Town of East Gwillimbury at the council meeting on Aug. 25. The mayor presented the chief with a certificate of appreciation for the assistance provided by King Fire and Emergency Services to the Town of East Gwillimbury in response to the fire at the Mount Albert Fire Station in February. The Town said King's efforts helped minimize the negative impact on the East Gwillimbury community and protected the safety of local residents.

Photo by Angela Gismondi

## Schomberg Street Gallery returns Sunday

The Schomberg Street Gallery outdoor juried fine art and crafts show and sale will be taking place on Sunday, Sept. 14 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m..

Schomberg's historic Main Street will be closed to traffic and tents will line the street, allowing visitors to meet the artists and mingle with other show-goers. The Community Hall and Periwinkle Gallery will also be open.

Visitors are encouraged to come for the Schomberg Street Gallery but be prepared to stay all day. Find a spot at one of the street-side cafés serving homemade goodies or order something from the Lions Club barbecue.

The event is free and is for art-lovers of all ages. There will be a wealth of talent to choose from and a variety of art - something for every home. The range of media includes oil, acrylic, watercolour, photography, wood, glass, metal, pottery, textiles and jewellery.

For complete details on the event and participating artists visit Schomberg-StreetGallery.ca.

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# Corn roast this Sunday at All Saints Church

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Plan to arrive at 5 p.m. for your snack; explore the theme by getting messy; present your learnings with song and story, and then linger over a sit-down meal served with York Pines hospitality. Everyone is free to go at 7 p.m. Remember, you are never late for Messy Church.

Then on Sunday morning, Sept. 28, the "Blessing of the Pets" service will be held. Bring your pet to church for 10:30 a.m. The blessing ritual will occur at the start of the service. If you feel your pet needs to "retire" to another location that will be fine. The intergenerational service will continue with the theme of humans being respectful of the animals entrusted into their care.

Later that day, Sunday evening is the occasion for a "community meal." Plan to come for 5 p.m. Mr. Alex Lacour will entertain for a half hour. Your supper will then be served courtesy of the good cooks at Kettleby Kitchen. After the meal Alex will sing some more. Everyone should be on their way by 7 p.m. The meal is served without cost. However,

you have the freedom to make a donation.

**St. Andrew's**  
By Kathy Patterson

Sunday school has started at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church! We're excited to welcome back everyone look forward to our new curriculum which coincides with the sermons on the Lord's Prayer. (Matthew 6:5-15).

After church this Sunday, we're having the Welcome Back BBQ to which all are invited. New to King City? Join us this Sunday at 10:30 a.m. for worship and stay afterwards. We'd love to get to know you.

The Rev. Dr. John Vissers has returned this fall to our pulpit after a busy and wonderful summer for the Vissers family. We look forward to his continued ministry with us. Last Sunday he spoke to us about "Prayer as a way of Life."

"Lord, teach us to pray ..." and Jesus did just that! This wonderful prayer is repeated around the world, but what is it saying? It covers the basics and so much more. Every Sunday John will provide

practical suggestions for us to take with us and apply throughout the week.

The Ladies' Prayer Time is at 9 a.m. each Tuesday, held in the church narthex. Come for fellowship, a time of sharing or quiet contemplation. God promises to be there! Should you have prayer requests, praise items or any questions or concerns, please contact the church office at 905-833-2325 or call Kathy Patterson, Clerk of Session at 905-833-0391.

**All Saints**  
By Nicola Skinner

It's corn roast and hot dogs this Sunday, Sept. 14, after the 10:30 a.m. service. All are welcome to enjoy the free feast! For the teenagers, the first Youth Group of the school year will take place after the corn roast and we will plan our activities for the year ahead. Children are invited to bring their backpacks to the service for a blessing.

Love Italian food? Come to our all-you-can-eat Spaghetti supper on Saturday, Sept. 20 at 6:30 p.m. with live music from The Aspiring Legends who play a

great mix of classic rock covers. Tickets are \$20 for adults, \$10 for kids 6-12, or a Family ticket for \$50. Children 5 and under are free and there will be a cash bar. Proceeds of the evening go to support young athletes representing Canada at a karate tournament in Japan.

At All Saints we care about the environment and the future of our planet. We believe that God created the earth and has entrusted us with its stewardship and care. So, on Sept. 28 we look forward to hearing Dr. Hans Martin talk to us about climate change and sustainability. Dr. Martin is not only our favourite local honey producer but also an atmospheric physicist and one of Canada's leading scientists on climate change. If you want to hear more, join us at either the 8 a.m. or 10:30 a.m. service.

This past Sunday the sermon considered the idea that we are often less free than we might hope to be. Looking at the Jewish story of the liberation of the Israelites from slavery in Egypt, we looked at it in the light of God calling all of us to be truly free.

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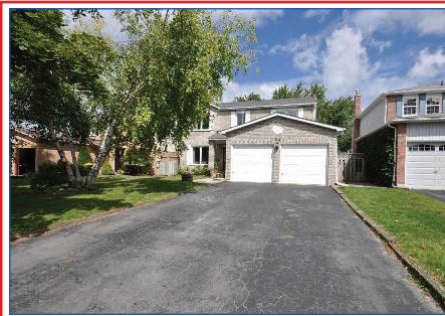
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