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## King presents graffiti bowl

The skateboard park in King City draws enthusiasts from far and wide. The bowl is one of the largest in the area. To give it a personal, made-in-King touch, two artists were asked to spruce it up. Reekoh and Vinse were asked to lend their touch to the work. The characters are based on a famous underground cartoonist named Vaughn Bode. He has been credited for influencing the artists of animated films and many graffiti artists. The artists used 150 cans of spray paint, which were specially selected from a Toronto shop called Homebase, which is a mecca for graffiti artists. The project was inspired by the Mayor's Youth Action Team as part of the 2016 International Youth Week celebrations. The iconic bowl is the main element of the park.

*Photo by Mark Pavilons*

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## COUNCIL MEETINGS

### MUNICIPAL OFFICE, COUNCIL CHAMBERS

Municipal Office, Council Chambers, 2075 King Road

**Monday, May 16, 2016**

5:00 pm – Working Session: Planning Dept. Heritage Property Process Review

6:00 pm – Council/Committee of the Whole

- Public Meeting Re: Review of the *Final Draft* of the proposed Zoning By-law for the Nobleton urban area File No. Z2014-08

**Monday, May 30, 2016**

6:00 pm – Council/Committee of the Whole

- Council will consider a Clerks/By-law Enforcement staff report and draft by-law to Regulate Clean Yards.

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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## REMINDERS

### NOTICE OF SERVICE DISRUPTION

The municipal offices and libraries will be closed on Monday, May 23 for Victoria Day, reopening Tuesday, May 24 for regular business hours.

In case of an urgent township matter, call 905-833-5321 and the answering service will relay your call to the appropriate personnel.

### Spring Street Sweeping and Watermain Flushing

Spring street sweeping has begun in Schomberg and will continue until the end of May, weather permitting. Crews will move on to Nobleton the week of May 2nd to 6th, followed by King City. Please refrain from on street parking between 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Spring watermain flushing began the week of May 2nd – 6th, in Schomberg. 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 us at the Engineering and Public Works Department 905-833-5321.

## King Loves Spring

### MAY

**May 12**

VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION CELEBRATION

Country Day School - Ceremony @ 7:00pm

**May 14**

WILDFLOWER PLANTING

Cold Creek Conservation Area, 9:00am - 11:00am

COMPOST & WOODCHIP GIVEAWAY DAY

Bring your own shovel & containers.

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**May 16**

FROG NIGHT OUT

Come out to Cold Creek Conservation Area from

5:30 - 7:00pm to listen and learn how to identify a variety of frog species!

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

### NOTICE OF PASSING OF A ZONING BY-LAW BY THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF KING

**Owner: Hamleys Developments Inc.**

**Part of Lot 9, Concession 8, Part of Part 7, Plan 65R-32022, Nobleton, ON**

**TAKE NOTICE** that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of King passed By-law Number 2016-43 on the 2nd day of May, 2016 under Section 34 of the Planning Act, R.S.O., 1990, Chapter P.13. By-law number 2015-39 concerns a vacant portion of a block of land located on the north side of 22, 24, 26 and 28 Bluff Trail within the Hamblly Plan of Subdivision, in Nobleton. The Lands are legally described as Part of Part 7 Plan 65R-32022, Township of King. The Lands are more particularly described as Parts 1, 2, 3, 4 on Reference Plan 65R-35093.

By-law 2016-43 rezones the property from Environmental Protection (EP-27.12)-Exception Section 27.12" to "Residential Urban (Nobleton) Three (R1N-3)". The intent of the zoning amendment is to facilitate the conveyance of the subject lands to the adjacent residential properties, as lot boundary additions, for residential purposes. The lands previously formed part of the required 30.0 metre buffer from a staked top-of-bank. The staked top-of-bank and related 30.0 metre setback was refined by the Toronto and Region Conservation Authority.

**AND TAKE NOTICE** that any person or agency may appeal to the Ontario Municipal Board in respect of the by-law by filing with the Clerk of the Corporation of the Township of King not later than the **30th day of May, 2016** a notice of appeal setting out the objection to the by-law and the reasons in support of the objection, together with 1 cheque in the amount of \$125.00 (certified cheque or money order only) payable to the Minister of Finance to cover the Ontario Municipal Board fee, and a cheque for \$205.50 representing the Clerk's Department Administrative processing fee, payable to the Township of King. Should this date fall on a holiday or weekend, you will have until 4:30 p.m. of the next business day to file your appeal. If you wish to appeal to the Ontario Municipal Board, a copy of an appeal form is available from the Ontario Municipal Board website at [www.omb.gov.on.ca](http://www.omb.gov.on.ca) or from the Clerk of the Township of King. Please note the Board will only accept filing fee payments by certified cheque or money order.

Only individuals, corporations and public bodies may appeal a by-law to the Ontario Municipal Board. A notice of appeal may not be filed by an unincorporated association or group. However, a notice of appeal may be filed in the name of an individual who is a member of the association or the group on its behalf.

No person or public body shall be added as a party to the hearing of the appeal unless, before the by-law was passed, the person or public body made oral submissions at a public meeting or written submissions to the council or, in the opinion of the Ontario Municipal Board, there are reasonable grounds to add the person or public body as a party.

An explanation of the purpose and effect of the By-law and a key map showing the location of the lands affected by the By-law are available on our website at [www.king.ca](http://www.king.ca).

**DATED** at the Township of King this 10th day of May, 2016.

Kathryn Moyle, Clerk of the Corporation of the Township of King  
Email: [ksmyth@king.ca](mailto:ksmyth@king.ca)

### Call For Participants

#### King City and Schomberg Mature Neighbourhoods Design Workshops

King Township is reviewing the Zoning By-law for King City and Schomberg. To complement the Zoning By-law Review, King Township is hosting a design workshop in each community to review options for conserving the character of older existing residential neighbourhoods.

We are seeking a limited number of residents from King City and Schomberg who are interested in participating and providing input into one of the following workshops.

1. The **King City** Mature Neighbourhoods Design Workshop will be held on Wed., June 29 from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. (location in King City to be determined).
2. The **Schomberg** Mature Neighbourhoods Design Workshop will be held on Tues., July 12 from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. (location in Schomberg to be determined).

If you are interested in participating in one of the workshops, please contact Sarah Allin ([sallin@king.ca](mailto:sallin@king.ca) or 905-833-5321, ext. 4066) prior to **Thurs., May 26**. Please indicate which workshop applies to you.

In the event either workshop is oversubscribed, a draw will be held to select participants. Thank you for your interest.

**\*\*King Township will also be hosting Public Open Houses for the King City and Schomberg Zoning By-law Review, so please stay tuned for details on these upcoming consultation events, to which all will be welcome.\*\***

### TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURES

#### Highway 27 and King Road, Nobleton

There will be a scheduled temporary road closure of Highway 27 and King Road in the Village of Nobleton on **Monday, May 23, 2016 between 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.** to facilitate the Nobleton Victoria Day Parade. Portions of Hill Farm Road, Wellar Avenue, and Old King Road will also be closed for the parade. Please see the route map below for details:



#### Church Street in Schomberg

There will be the scheduled temporary road closure of Church Street from Main Street to Western Avenue in Schomberg over the next few weeks with local traffic access only. This is part of the Church Street and Main Street Reconstruction Project. Work on this project is scheduled to take place between April and October, 2016. Intermittent local road closures can be expected during this period.

Residents and businesses in the directly affected area will receive periodic updates as construction progresses, and access to properties will be maintained for those residents and businesses. When so advised, motorists will be required to take alternative posted detour routes during this period. On behalf of King Township we thank you for your patience in this matter.

For more information, please contact the King Township at 905-833-5321 or visit [www.king.ca](http://www.king.ca) and search "Church Street Reconstruction Project."

### NOTICE OF MEETING

Special Committee of the Whole Working Session  
Planning Department: "Heritage Register Process Review"  
Monday, May 16, 2016 - 5:00 p.m.

In the Council Chambers, 2075 King Road,

King City, ON

Kathryn Moyle,

Director of Clerks/ By-law Enforcement, Township Clerk

### NOTICE OF MEETING

Clerks/By-law Enforcement Department

Re: Clean Yards and Draft By-law

Council of the Corporation of the Township of King will consider a staff report and draft by-law to Regulate Clean Yards and determine effective ways of managing nuisance and property standards type issues on:

Monday, May 30, 2016 In the Council Chambers, 2075 King Road, King City, ON

Brief Description: To determine effective ways of managing nuisance and property standards type issues in a prompt and timely fashion which directly impact residents in our community such as: long grass, overgrown weeds, parking of derelict vehicles, standing water and littering.

Interested parties are welcome to attend the Meeting to comment on the Report and proposed By-law.

A copy of the Clerks Department Report and the Draft Clean Yards By-law and related information will be available on the Township Website at [www.king.ca](http://www.king.ca) as of Thursday May 26, 2016 in the Committee of the Whole Agenda Package for May 30, 2016.

For further information please contact

Kathryn Moyle,

Township Clerk/By-law Enforcement

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### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS

#### DESTROY WEEDS

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**All properties ten (10) acres or less may have noxious weeds destroyed without notice to the owner. The co-operation of all citizens is earnestly solicited**

Kathryn Moyle

Director of Clerks/ By-law Enforcement



# Council debates densities, buffers in King City OPA

By Mark Pavilons

Development is coming to the north-east quadrant of King City. The only question is how many units will be allowed on a large parcel owned by several developers.

King councillors struggled with density, access and environmental issues during a public meeting looking to an Official Plan amendment presented by the King City East Landowners Group. The 204-hectare parcel (504 acres) stretches from Dufferin west to Keele; King Road, north to the 15th Sideroad.

The requested amendment calls for an increase in density on the lands to seven units per hectare and a reduction of environmental buffer zones from 30 to 10 metres.

Councillors struggled with both of these issues, but are aware that this area has already been earmarked for residential development.

The principle has been established, CAO Susan Plamondon told councillors. The only question that remains is "what form and to what extent."

One contentious issue of extending Tawes Trail for vehicle access was debated, and staff asked for a clear direction from councillors so they can proceed with their preliminary review. Councillors decided to take Tawes off the table and preserve it for pedestrian access and leisure activities.

King is facing some pressure from several fronts regarding pushing the boundaries on intensification and upping the density of houses in built communities. Examples from across York, and population targets laid down by the Province are pointing to higher densi-

ties and greater populations.

King has been comfortable with large, spacious lots and large buffer zones, protecting our green spaces. King is the only municipality in York that still enforces a 30-metre buffer zone. Others have lowered it to 10 metres.

Precedents exist for increasing densities and lowering buffers, but councillors are reluctant to follow suit. Councillor Bill Cober pointed out, though, that if King doesn't review their policies and re-examine these matters, they may be forced upon them by other levels of government or the Ontario Municipal Board.

Further, King is in the midst of reviewing its Official Plan and village zoning bylaws. As well, planning staff will present a report on densities to council at its May 16 meeting.

Planning director Stephen Kitchen noted that it's a bit of a trade-off, but reducing buffer zones do not result in additional homes, but rather smaller lots.

In his report, Kitchen noted this application has changed form over the last couple of years, to reach its current state.

The existing King City Community Plan permits a gross density of 3 units per hectare on the majority of these lands, and 5 per hectare on lands immediately north of the railway corridor.

Looking ahead, if these lands are developed at the proposed intensities, King City will grow to 14,000 people from its projected 12,000 level by 2031.

The applicants held a public meeting March 2 to obtain comments from the public, and these have been received by the Township.

Concerns so far included the road connection of Tawes Trail to Keele; the

population increase; densities; buffers; sewer and water servicing and traffic.

Don Givens, representing the landowners, said upping the density to 7 units per hectare is consistent with the rest of York and it's still less than the regional average. He argued this density is consistent with other established areas of King City.

They agreed the connecting link using Tawes is unnecessary and consultants suggested it be dropped from consideration.

The Oak Ridges Moraine Plan does permit 10-metre buffers in settlement areas, he said, noting this is not "a significant departure from the philosophy of King's plan."

Greg Locke, representing Concerned Citizens of King Township (CCKT), said after much consideration, his group favours the application. They do believe in preserving the environment and are asking that the buffers be maintained. He said the 7 units per hectare is "not a large stretch" and CCKT would like to see more local employment.

Norm Elmhirst, a Jenkinson Grove

resident, said this application is premature, without finding a connecting road and determining the traffic impacts. He too, agreed using Tawes is not possible, so he's worried about the impact on smaller roads in the area.

Susan MacDonald, representing the owners at 1330 Dufferin, said their client is not involved in the application, but supports the proposed density, which would allow for greater housing varieties.

Bill Kennedy, who lives on East Humber Drive, recognizes the area is growing, but is adamant the buffer be maintained. "Don't fragment the environment," he told councillors.

John Leggette, head of The Country Day School, said he recognizes the need for balance, but is worried the surroundings of this renowned independent "country" school will become urbanized. Traffic on Dufferin is already a concern and he's concerned about future impacts to students.

The school and its students enjoy tremendous green areas.

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# Editorial, Letters & Opinion

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~ Frank B. Kellogg

## We're constantly reinventing ourselves

Is this really my life?

Has anyone else out there ever asked themselves this question?

George Bernard Shaw once observed that life is not about yourself, it's about "creating yourself."

We've all likely heard hundreds of those pithy, greeting card-like sentiments about living life to its fullest and finding happiness in the small things.

Sure, there may be truths in those pearls, but enough already. Life is challenging.

For most of us, that's what makes it interesting.

Call it self-absorption or witnessing my teens mature, but I've been a bit introspective recently.

There are many events and situations that cause us to pause and reflect. We'd likely do it more often if we weren't so damn busy!

Some people thrive on the adrenalin rush that a fast-pace life provides. Some are workaholics. Others know their clear-cut boundaries and have learned to separate work from family.

I've sampled all of the above and while my juggling skills have improved immensely over the years, I'm still fine-tuning my abilities. I'm still "creating myself."

By nature, and due to our physical design, we live inside our own heads. Put another way, we live for ourselves, simply because that's how we function as biological creatures. Sure, we can appreciate and empathize with others, but until we can all read minds or develop ESP, we'll never truly be "one."

That said, we all have to travel life's



Mark Pavilons

paths alone, to an extent. Sure, we have friends, family and loved ones to help us along these roads never travelled, but our existence is a solitary one. I chalk that up to too big a brain atop a weird, ever-changing body. It's like our heads are giant gum ball machines that never run empty. You don't need any coins, just turn the knob and the gum comes spewing out, ad nauseum. New ideas and experiences keep filling the container.

But I digress.

Since we have to constantly navigate those ebbs and flows, we have to become very good sailors, or swimmers!

When life hands you lemons ... I squeeze them in my drink!

My eldest daughter Lexie is preparing for university this fall. We attend-

ed several open houses and interviews and it seems like she's going for an advanced humanities course at Western. So many courses, so many options, so many career paths.

While Kim and I are fairly bright individuals, we're confused by all of this. And it's not easy providing sure-fire advice in this day and age. Do we know what's the next big thing? Nope. Do we have all the answers regarding careers of the future? Nah. Do we know the secrets of happiness and success? Hell no!

Just as Lexie is uneasy about her future, so are we. It's easy to pass the buck and simply say "it's your life, you figure it out."

But that archaic way of thinking just doesn't work. They need our guidance and our full support. Most of all they need our money!

I think some of us Boomers may have just "settled." My dad urged me to go into "computers" since that was the way of the future. I never cared for math and computer courses were still in their infancy at the time. Remember, this was before the Internet.

In my case, I concentrated on my academic strengths, which included languages, English, creative writing and history. So, what does one do with such interests? My guidance counselor at the time said basically, I could become a teacher, or try journalism. Hmmm ... journalism. A practical application of my skills ...

So, off I went, into a world of news, sports, features, politics, photography, thrills and spills, long nights, weekends, travel. My journey began and changed every day.

Along this incredible adventure of personal discovery, I met thousands of people - every shape, size, level of intelligence and prosperity. I learned

how to speak in several tongues - double-speak and spin-doctoring. I learned about the truth, or the closest thing to it. I saw trials and tribulations of all kinds. I witnessed horrible tragedies, death and destruction. Oh, the humanity!

It's much too late to question the decisions I've made in my life. There are too many to count. But each one - every zig, zag, left turn, u-turn or no turn - became part of my life's map. Much like footprints on a never-ending beach, my prints follow me everywhere I go. They are part of who I am today. Maybe that's why my feet hurt!

I find it odd when people say how much their friends or loved ones "have changed." We all have to, it's inevitable. We all gain weight, become less romantic, lose our attention span and often become a little more skeptical. Our tastes change. We clearly define our wants and needs. We live for our children.

I don't think anyone I have ever met said they had their futures all figured out, and things went according to plan. Heck, I run into people every day in their 40s, 50s and 60s who are still reinventing themselves.

That's not a bad thing. It has nothing to do with mid-life crises, feeling nostalgic or running away from it all.

It's about constantly re-creating yourself and trying to make sense of it all.

Yes, that takes a lifetime. Evolution is a slow process, indeed.

Will there be enough time left over to really enjoy the fruits of our labour? I hope so.

Is this really my life? Yes, yes it is!

*"The privilege of a lifetime is being who you are."*

~ Joseph Campbell

### Letters to Editor

## Life-changing 'gifts' in the form of dog guides

In 1989 I received a gift that changed not only my life but also that of my family.

This gift came packaged in the form of a yellow Labrador retriever, who had been trained to be my guide, to be my eyes, to be my future. Since that time I have benefited from 4 other guides, all of them trained by the Lions Foundation of Canada Dog Guides.

This Foundation matches dog guides, free of charge, with Canadians who have a broad range of disabilities - what a deal! Who doesn't like a little paw power?

To provide these superior canines (yes, I may be a tad prejudice), it is necessary to initiate funding. The Nobleton Lions are hosting the annual Purina Walk for Dog Guides as their contribution to ensuring funds for the training of future dog guides.

On Sunday, May 29 you can participate at the gazebo by the Nobleton Public Library. Registration begins at 9 a.m. and the walk starts at 10. You can help too.

The route is not strenuous for either 2- or 4-footed critters. Come along whether you have a dog or not!

You can help me to help others by donating online at this link or searching my name on the website:

<https://www.purinawalkfordogguides.com/locations/walker.cfm?ID=801&EventID=640>

Another option is to contact me directly with a sponsorship made to: Purina Walk for Dog Guides Nobleton: Bev Berger, 32 Simon Henry Ave., Nobleton, L0G 1N0.

Bev Berger



THINK

### Brainteaser



In what month do people sleep the least?

Last week's answer: In 72 hours it will be midnight again!

### King Township Trivia

The 18 room Senior Public School opened in Nobleton in 1969.

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**THIS WEEK'S QUESTION**

*Results from last week's poll:*

Have you started your lawn work?

a) Yes	<div style="background-color: black; width: 83%; height: 15px;"></div>	<b>83%</b>
b) No	<div style="background-color: black; width: 17%; height: 15px;"></div>	<b>17%</b>

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

Do you plan to donate to the relief efforts for Fort McMurray, Alberta?

a) Yes  
b) No

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# Local opposition to reduced buffers, higher densities

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Without leaving their property, they can study nature and stewardship.

He urged councillors to retain the setbacks.

Councillor Cleve Mortelliti pointed out this area was approved for development some 16 years ago. The area would see major changes, even if the developers weren't seeking an increase in densities.

Resident Susan Beharriell pointed out the buffer zones are in place to preserve the natural features and wildlife. They should be preserved. The wetlands in the area would be threatened and this estimated 16% increase in King City's population would put a strain on the village.

Ian Hilley, speaking on behalf of the Kingscross Ratepayers' Association, said he lauds King's hesitation on this matter. He said his group is concerned that this application is an effort to "leapfrog the planning process."

This intensification would place a further burden on the infrastructure and it's simply "too much, too fast."

John Shen said some 300 local households oppose this bid in its current form, noting 7 units is "too drastic a change." He suggested a compromise. He also encourages the applicants to

work with the residents.

Mary Elmhirst pointed out that Jenkinson Grove and Carmichael Crescent were simply not designed to handle increased traffic that will result from this development.

Consultant reports, dating back as far as 1982, pointed out transportation issues must be solved before any approvals are given.

Roz Martin, from nearby Manitou Drive in Kingscross, said a plan on paper is not abstract, but consists of rivers, hills, ponds, streams and trees. She reminded councillors that we are the stewards and people live in King City because it's green.

Mortelliti added since development here is inevitable we must see if "we can make the best of it."

People are accepting growth, but he's adamant that any construction should not disrupt existing neighbourhoods and every effort should be made to "keep our existing subdivisions stable."

The Township, he said, should explore other access points to these lands, and also review the possibility of traffic signals in front of Country Day School.

Councillor Bill Cober observed Township staff are still waiting for input from York Region and the conservation authority.

Councillor Debbie Schaefer admitted

that such increased densities makes her "heart pound" and change is often difficult to accept. However, even at 7 units per hectare, King is still greener than any of its counterparts.

She also said this application doesn't contain anything new or innovative, looking instead like a plan from 20 years ago. "In essence, it's sprawl," she said. "We are not building a smart, 21st century subdivision."

She challenged the developers to look at something different.

The proposed OPA is still under review by staff, as is the Township's outdated Official Plan. The new OP will address long-term growth issues, sustainable development, key issues, consistent policies and more. The draft OP will include growth management, intensification, densities, employment lands and existing neighbourhoods.

Last fall, staff and OP review consultants Meridian Planning came to the

conclusion that "densities permitted within the designated Greenfield areas should be increased to meet the Region's population forecast to 2031."

The figure of 7 units per hectare was supported, with provisions that increases and decreases could be considered on a site-specific basis.

It's clear that King won't be able to meet the Region's overall population target of 34,900 based on current intensification. Therefore, densities should be increased to make up the shortfall.

The Province's Growth Plan does concede that municipalities can develop their own policies and phasing strategies to achieve the targets in a way that respects the community's character.

As review of this application progresses, staff will collect all of the input received from residents and commenting agencies and report back to council at a later date.

## Nobleton Public School implements green initiatives

Students at Nobleton Public School have been making the community much greener, thanks to some innovative initiatives.

In April, they carried out "IWalk Wednesdays," where students, staff and parents were encouraged to leave the automobiles behind and walk, bike or take the bus.

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They are currently tallying results and classrooms who have earned most points will receive "Smencil" pencil (scented and made from recycled newspaper and completely recyclable).

York Region provided the school with a banner for an anti-idling campaign through May.

Students are walking up to parents who are idling while waiting to pick-up their kids, which is a growing concern. They're discouraging this and asking more to use the kiss 'n ride program.

King Township Sustainability Committee will be making a presentation to the school on the matter later this month or early June.

## Planting Saturday at St. Patrick's Church

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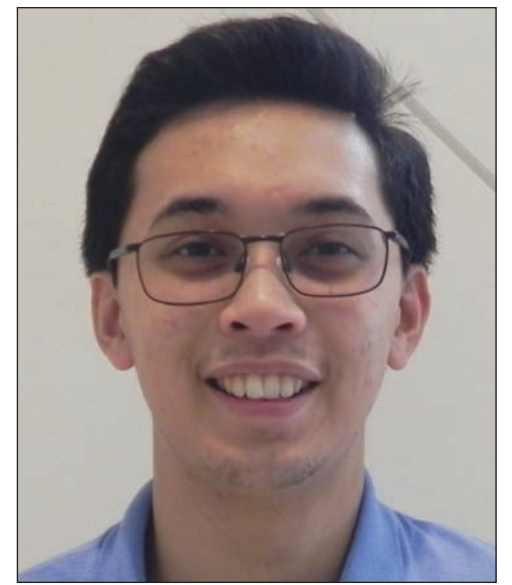
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# Space quickly opening up for private enterprise

By Mark Pavilons

We are living in exciting times. There's a new space race taking place across the globe, one that will engage the public as we move forward together into the final frontier.

Helping to make the space industry more accessible to businesses, the public and even young people, is the mission of a nearby Bolton firm. Canadensys Aerospace Corporation brings minds and resources together to ensure Canada's continued role in space exploration and the many practical applications here on terra firma. Led by several veterans of the Canadian space industry, Canadensys boasts an impressive complement of expertise, including Drs. Christian Sallaberger and Nadeem Ghafoor, and a "father" of the Canadian Space Station Program, King Township's Jim Middleton.

Canadensys is working to keep Canada at the forefront of space exploration while finding more cost-effective solutions. It's a unique business, Sallaberger pointed out, and it has quickly become like any other – a global commercial enterprise. Applying modern commercial models to the space race is an emerging niche and, while it is early days, this Canadian-owned and operated company has clear plans for long-term growth. It has a satellite office in the Isle of Man and its staff are busy working on everything from satellites and telescopes to mobile planetary vehicles. It's all very exciting stuff.

While Mars occupies many people's thoughts and imaginations, the immediate focus is the Moon. Canadensys, through its partnership with the International Lunar Observatory Association (ILOA), is working to place an astronomy and communications hub at the south pole of the Moon in the coming years. Canadensys is developing the main instrument for ILOA's flagship mission, ILO-1. Anticipated for 2019, ILO-1 will consist of radio astronomy, communications and an optical telescope. This project will include a number of world-firsts and it's incredible we have this level of local involvement.

This first step in setting up shop on the Moon has many advantages and presents many opportunities, but it is far from easy. Malapert Mountain at the lunar south pole was chosen by

ILOA for its strategic location, being an area with prime views across an area of the Moon that is being heavily targeted by governments and commercial enterprise for science and resource exploration over the coming decade. On the one hand, the location benefits from long periods of sunlight for power and illumination, while at the same time having continuous sightlines to Earth for good communications. On the other hand, temperature, radiation and highly abrasive lunar dust make for a uniquely challenging environment, and Canadensys is busy working on a number of the critical technologies, from power generation, thermal control, energy storage, and mechanical sustainability, required by a new generation of lunar missions to survive under such harsh conditions.

In addition to the technology, a true "revolution" in the industry, Sallaberger said, is the shift from government control and funding, to private enterprise. More and more corporations are leading the way with Reusable Launch Vehicles (RLVs), communications satellites and even space tourism projects. SpaceX, led by Elon Musk (CEO of Tesla Motors) is one of the industry leaders with its Falcon 9 rocket and Dragon cargo craft.

Sallaberger said his company's focus is in this domain – in particular on small, affordable missions and modern business models that provide opportunities for engagement and participation by a broader portion of society than ever before.

The next decade of global space development is set to be unlike anything seen in history, and Canadensys is working hard to ensure Canada is well represented on the international stage, from climate monitoring and satellite communications to science, exploration and education.

This changing landscape, coupled with an exponential growth in technology, is creating unprecedented opportunities. The miniaturization we are all familiar with in our TVs, laptops and cellphones is slowly translating to space, with satellites getting smaller yet more powerful and more efficient. There's a growing field involving nano satellites that you can hold in your hand.

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Mission Operations Centre to a Bolton elementary school to support the world's first elementary school built satellite mission. STMSat-1 was built by a school in Arlington, Virginia, supported by advisors from NASA. They are joining forces with Bolton's St. John Paul II to experience this real-life space mission. It's currently on board the International Space Station, slated to be set free by mid-May. It's about the size of a cantaloupe and it will orbit 400 kilometres above Earth taking photos every 30 seconds during its journey. The enthusiasm among these young students is impressive.

Middleton noted the caliber of university graduates finding their way into the space industry is equally impressive. Canadensys hires these passionate graduates who all contribute to furthering mankind's progress.

All of these projects involve a tremendous amount of international collaboration and cooperation. Canadensys works together with the Canadian Space Agency, NASA, leading space organizations and multiple universities, both across Canada and around the world.

"Our philosophy is not to have to do everything but rather focus on the critical elements of the solution and partner strongly as required," Sallaberger said, noting they sub-contract work to many experts.

A practical application to all of this comes in the form of Pyxis, Canadensys's solution to extending the reach of Internet connectivity across the globe. Traditional telecommunications sat-

ellites in a geostationary orbit cannot provide continuous and reliable voice and data connectivity to high latitude and polar regions on Earth. Canadensys plans to use small satellites, in a highly elliptical polar orbit, to fill the broadband gap and provide reliable and affordable connectivity to users in aviation, maritime and land markets.

Meanwhile, participation in the global space exploration endeavor brings benefits of a different kind and also pays huge dividends here at home.

"Humanity requires things that spur innovation," Sallaberger said, adding space provides an opportunity to bring the best minds and people together from around the world.

The ISS is a prime example. This massive international effort has created our largest space platform ever. Work done aboard the station has resulted in many medical breakthroughs and scientific experiments are routinely carried out that would be impossible on Earth.

Perhaps most interesting of all is how the public's access to space is set to grow over the coming decade. We will benefit from not only the technological offshoots, but we will be given unprecedented glimpses into the far reaches of space. If travelling into space is on your bucket list, you will likely get that chance in the years to come.

Canadensys and its team are working hard to ensure that indeed one small step can result in a giant leap for mankind.

For more, visit them at <http://www.canadensys.com>

## Level the field: only voters to fund municipal election campaigns

By Debbie Schaefer  
Ward 5 Councillor

The financing of election campaigns is a very hot topic these days. Ironically, even though it is often said that the decisions of municipal councils have the most significance on people on a daily basis, there is little press coverage currently on how the election campaigns for municipal officials are funded.

Anyone who votes in a municipal election should be asking why the candidates seeking to be their mayor or councillor are receiving financial support from entities which do not vote (i.e. corporations).

There are many regulations governing how a municipal election is run in order to create a level playing field. But, an important one is missing: limiting sources of funds/donations. It is not level when candidates can choose to receive donations from corporations and unions and others choose not to because they want no encumbrance, nor perceived encumbrance, to placing priority on the concerns of their constituents.

Campaign Fairness has been promoting a ban of corporate and union donations to municipal elections to level the playing field among all candidates for several years. Their analysis of 2014 municipal election in the 905 area showed that the "winners" received 54.3% of their funding from development industry vs. losers receiving 35% from same.

I am hopeful that with Bill 181, The Municipal Election Modernization Act, there will be positive action. In its current draft municipalities will be given authority to ban corporate and union donations via a municipal by-law. The City of Toronto has this authority already and has implemented a ban. But, to my mind this does not go far enough. The ban should be implemented by the Province. Asking each municipality to address the issue creates re-work and wastes time; and I am skeptical of how many will follow through.

I have made a motion to King Township council for consideration at our May 16 council meeting that we urge the premier to legislate a province wide ban; and as a fall back, assuming that Bill 181 is passed, that we implement a by-law prohibiting corporate and union donations in time for the 2018 election. Councillor Mortelliti seconded my motion.

Implementing this ban would be confirmation of the role of the voters in an election campaign: it is voters, along with the candidates, who should be the funders of an election campaign. Accordingly, I believe that donors to municipal election campaigns should be incented to support their chosen candidate(s) just as are donors to provincial and federal election campaigns.

Currently, municipalities do have the authority to issue rebates to donors of municipal campaigns; and a few do offer rebates of varying magnitudes. I have asked staff to provide council with a review of this opportunity, and in addition, to provide perspective on the compensation process being an income tax credit – consistent with how donations to provincial and federal election campaigns are incented as opposed to a rebate.

For the record, for both my 2010 and 2014 campaigns I had a policy of no donations from corporations and unions.

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## King City's Roost becomes a gathering place

By Mark Pavilons

Serving up a perfect cup of coffee is a family affair in King.

Alison Mumford recently opened The Roost Cafe in King City, filling the rural air with that intoxicating scent.

The Roost is located in some renovated space in the historic Crawford Wells home on Keele Street.

This is Mumford's first venture into the business, but her love of coffee goes back a long way.

She worked at a very busy chain coffee store and simply "fell in love with the industry. I love getting to meet new people, hearing new stories and seeing familiar faces each morning ... and obviously getting to drink amazing coffee blends every day!"

Mumford said she enjoys working in the service industry, building friendships along the way. She managed several busy cafes in Whistler, BC, and became interested in the independent business side, which gives her more flexibility and creativity.

The King City native missed her home town and she knew this was where she wanted to set up shop.

After a meeting with Jamie Smyth, King's economic development officer, he introduced her to Cathy Wellesley, the owner of the heritage home in which The Roost Cafe is situated.

When Mumford saw the space, she fell in love with all of its potential. Wellesley had been working with the Township through their Community Improvement Incentive Program.

The timing was perfect. Mumford said both Ottawa and Whistler have "great vibes" - small and intimate communities, very health conscious and active.

"I wanted to bring some of that back to King by opening a café, but more specifically, I wanted to open a hub or meeting place.

"A customer commented that it was like walking into 'Cheers,' but without alcohol. I love that. I want people to come in and meet with friends, recognize neighbours and support their community."

A "roost" by definition is a gathering spot, a congregation or a place to settle and rest. "This is what I want to provide to my neighbours and fellow community members. The space is warm and inviting, with a little homey feel to it."

The Roost offers a variety of specialty coffees and teas, using locally roasted coffee beans from Pilot Coffee and artisan loose leaf tea from Sloane, both located in Toronto. They also have fruit smoothies and other non-coffee beverages, like tea lattes or hot chocolates. Each day, they have a different selection of baked goods, including muffins, cookies, scones, croissants as well as some gluten-free, dairy-free or vegan options. For the more decadent, check out the various sweets to curb your cravings like banana breads, brownies and tarts. Breakfast options include oatmeal, yogurt parfaits, breakfast sandwiches or wraps. For lunch, sample from the varied selections of sandwiches. This summer, they will also offer salads, and soups will follow in the fall.

Dietary needs are changing for a large percent of the population. For some people it is a choice to cut out refined sugars, gluten or dairy, and for others it is a dietary restriction brought on by their immune system. Either way, The Roost is happy to provide a place where people can enjoy their baked goods, without worrying about their dietary restrictions.

Don't be surprised if you find one of Alison's family members clearing and wiping tables or doing dishes.

Current operating hours are Tuesday to Friday, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Saturdays, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. They're open Sundays, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The space has been renovated beautifully to fit seating for 18, with additional space in the back garden for summer and warm weather months.

For more, call them at 905-833-3210 or visit [www.theroostcafe.ca](http://www.theroostcafe.ca).



## King secures \$25,000 grant to enhance park

King will be a whole lot greener after securing a \$25,000 grant to go towards the development of a new park in Nobleton.

King was awarded the grant by CN EcoConnexions "From the Ground Up" program - in partnership with Tree Canada and Communities in Bloom - which helps municipalities and community groups plant trees and enhance green spaces.

The grant will be used to increase the vegetation within Tasca Park in Nobleton by restoring the area around the lagoons. This will include planting around 100 trees, 300 shrubs and additional ground cover.

"Thanks to the grant, we'll be able to plant a significant amount of trees and shrubs around the lagoons," said Chris Fasciano, Director of Parks, Recreation and Culture. "The vegetation will create a natural buffer between the park and residential housing."

"I'd like to congratulate our staff on securing the grant," said Mayor Steve Pellegrini. "This entire project is a great example of what can be accomplished when different organizations work together for a common cause. I'm positive the residents of Nobleton, along with the rest of King Township, will enjoy the park for generations to come."


Tasca Park, located on Parkheights Trail, will be more than 20 acres in size and will feature a splash pad, soccer field, basketball court, fully assessable playground, trails, a skate park and more. There will be a "soft" opening June 28 from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. which will include a ribbon cutting and a first look at the park.

The park's official grand opening takes place Saturday, Sept. 10. The event features a 3 on 3 basketball tournament, skate park demonstrations, Lions Club BBQ, and much more.


David Boyd, Ward 2 councillor, said he looks forward to the park's opening and noted there are many sponsorship opportunities for the grand opening.

"We're looking for community partners to work with on making the grand opening something to remember," said Boyd.

There are several sponsorship opportunities available for the grand opening, including event sponsor, food truck sponsor, 3-on-3 basketball sponsor, band sponsor and Friends of Tasca Park. To become a sponsor or for more information, contact Tasha Veer at [events@king.ca](mailto:events@king.ca) or 905-833-5321, ext. 5223.




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### York supports OMB review

York regional council has moved a motion to support the positions of the Aurora, Markham and Richmond Hill and reaffirmed its decision of Jan. 23, 2014 that the Province of Ontario be requested to undertake a comprehensive review of the role, operations and procedures of the Ontario Municipal Board within the Land Use Planning and Appeal System. Council believes improvements to streamline and provide greater certainty in the Land Use Planning and Appeal System process will positively impact all nine local municipalities.



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If you were wondering about the meaning of this year's fair theme "New Beginnings" let us explain. This year for the first time in 50 years the Homecraft, Schoolwork and Junior section of Schomberg Fair will not be held in the old Schomberg Arena. It will be located in the Schomberg Community Hall. That is the large yellow building on Main Street located in front of the fairgrounds.

The procedure for entering exhibits in the fair are exactly the same as other years, the fairboard members are the same - just the location is new. So "New Beginnings."

Another fact for this year, there is no Schoolwork Section at the Fair, but the Junior Section has been expanded to accommodate all the creative young people in Schomberg and surrounding area. The entries for the Junior Section will be brought in to the Community Hall on either Thursday night from 7-9 p.m. or Friday morning from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. There is no entry fee for

Juniors entering articles in the Junior Section but entry tags must be attached to each article and they must register to get an exhibitor number.

We hope to see all the familiar faces from the past and welcome all new exhibitors.

If you have any questions, call Grainne at 905-939-2026.

### Planting at St. Patrick's

St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church invites you to get involved in a community event of planting perennials to celebrate the Centennial. It starts at 8 a.m. this Saturday, May 14. Please feel free to bring your own tools. For more information contact Jose Melo at 905-939-7757.

### Learn to Run clinic

Dr. Carla Day, of Schomberg Chiropractic, invites everyone to her Free Learn To Run Clinic. This clinic is specifically designed for beginner level runners who would like to improve their overall health and run 5KM.

Each session includes an in-class lesson, a group walk/run, followed by a group stretch.

This clinic runs every Monday at 6:30 p.m. to June 13 for a nine week duration. Please contact Dr. Carla at 905-939-7569 or info@schombergchiropractic.ca.

### Plant, bake sale

Schomberg United and Anglican churches have joined forces and together are planning a spectacular spring sale for you to welcome this sunshine we have long been waiting for!

Get your plants, have a treat and come see the many crafters ranging from handmade soaps, pottery, fabric and jewellery items.

This all happens on Saturday, May 7 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 116 Church Street (The Anglican Church). For any further information please call Kim at 905-939-2992.

### ORTA guided hikes

The Oak Ridges Trail Association is offering guided hikes in King Township, through Happy Valley Forest.

Hikes are held May 13 at 1:30 p.m.; May 27 at 9:30 a.m.

For more, call hike leader Russ Bur-

ton at 905-830-2862.

### York Pines Church

Great praise and prayer will also happen on May 29 when the 50th anniversary is celebrated.

The speaker will be Mardi Tindal, former Moderator of the United Church. As an educator in the church, Ms. Tindal has served as director of the denomination's Five Oaks retreat centre, at Paris, Ontario. Ms. Tindal also has local origins, both in the congregation at Victoria Square and Trinity United Church, Newmarket.

Our anniversary worship begins at 10:30 a.m. You are most welcome to attend. A reception following the service will have a time for greetings and courtesies.

Preparations for our anniversary have included replacing worn carpet, installing a new sound system, and awaiting the arrival of new front doors. Custom made decorations will surprise both visitors and the membership alike. In recent years improvements include a new ramp and stair life for accessibility; a deep well and upgraded water purification system, and a renovated kitchen with dishwasher.

Spiritual preparations include singing old favourite hymns here in May, and pulpit messages that have sought to learn the art of dealing with our fear. Sometimes people complain that there is "never enough money" or that there is "never enough people" for the ministry to continue. Amazingly, and gratefully, at York Pines our fears are being diminished. The operating budget is more stable and donations are being contributed for the anniversary projects.

And, our faith is that "never enough people" is a sign that, of course, there can be never enough people to express their gratitude for what God has done in Jesus Christ and for how God's blessings are sustaining people's lives in the present. Because God's love lasts and God's hope endures we invite you to discover your gifts and develop your talents and learn to be generous at the York Pines United Church.

The church is located at 3150 the Lloydtown/Aurora Road, Kettleby. Contact the church office by calling 905-727-8118, or visit the web site at www.yruc.ca



## King cleanup day

More than 800 King residents took part in the annual cleanup day recently, collecting 658 bags of trash. One of the groups, "Bluff Trail Neighbours," started a trend - 100 bags in 100 minutes! This year they focused on King Country Estates Phase 1 and 2 and Fandor, as well as Dean Plummer Park and the ponds and ravine at Bluff Trail and Skyline. After they are done cleaning up all the neighbours got together and had a lunch BBQ on Bluff Trail.

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At first tours were simple affairs featuring members' gardens visited by fellow members. Over the years these popular events have included tiny village treasures and farm vegetable plots to imaginative gardens in subdivisions and large country estates with ponds and waterfalls.

Thousands of people from far and wide have come to King Township to learn from others, exchange ideas and simply enjoy being outdoors in gardens of all shapes and sizes.

Last fall our hardworking committee canvassed the King City and Nobleton areas and found 11 kind residents who generously offered their gardens for the July 10, 2016 tour. For a wide variety of reasons this number has been reduced to a total of 2 gardens. That's not nearly enough for a garden tour. The tour is the main fundraising activity for the N&KCGC and canceling it would have a serious impact on club activities.

Please consider if your neighbours and fellow gardeners would enjoy visiting your garden. There is no contest; no one will be counting weeds; club members will supervise the visits and parking and you do not even need to be at home.

Please contact Barb Downey at 905-880-0330 or downeycastleberg@sympatico.ca before May 19 for more information.

If you are interested in more info about the club, please visit the website <http://www.altflora.com/nobleton/>

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# CDS debaters crowned 1st & 2nd in the world

The Country Day School's top two debaters, Natalie Ganzhorn and Olivia Railton, made history by winning 1st and 2nd place overall at the 28th annual World Individual Debating and Public Speaking Championship in Pittsburgh, PA recently.

This was Natalie's fourth and final World Championship, having previously traveled to South Africa, Lithuania and Hong Kong, and Olivia's second.

Approximately 100 high school students from 10 countries travelled to Shady Side Academy from March 30 to April 4 to compete in this unique, global event, including students from Australia, Canada, China, Cyprus, England, Hong Kong, Lithuania, Pakistan, South Africa and the United States. The 14-student Canadian team represented

students from other GTA schools, including UTS, Branksome Hall, Havergal, BSS and St. Clement's.

"The girls' performances were absolutely superb," said their debating coach Kerstin Wyndham-West. "Over the years they've put in so much time and effort. This year was their crowning achievement."

Natalie and Olivia were the only two students to qualify for the finals in all of their four events: Impromptu Speaking, Parliamentary Debating, Interpretive Reading and Persuasive Speaking. Both girls tackled controversial issues for their persuasive speeches: Natalie addressed the topic of female genital mutilation, not just in developing countries, but all over the world, while Olivia spoke about cyberterrorism. For her reading, Olivia chose a selection from *The Day the Voices Stopped* about a man who, after 30 years, no longer suffers from schizophrenia. Natalie's reading was taken from Emma Donoghue's novel *Room*.

For Natalie, the final debating competition of her high school career was bittersweet.

"It was amazing to have these results. This experience has helped me become more confident and comfortable taking risks. I've learned that it's okay to try something and have it not work."

Next year she plans to double major in Political Science and International Relations at Western University.

Wyndham-West has facilitated the public speaking and debating program at CDS for more than 20 years and has travelled to Worlds with one or two students for the past nine. She is optimistic about the future as her club has grown steadily over the years as the older students provide inspirational mentoring to the younger ones.

This recent historic win further demonstrates the power of involvement in extra-curricular clubs. Through their involvement over the past six years, Natalie and Olivia have not only honed their skills as dynamic public speakers, but realized how invaluable it has been to further developing their individual passions: a budding acting career for Natalie and a pursuit of international relations, law and philosophy for Olivia.

## Nobleton arena lot gets face lift

By Mark Pavilons

The parking lot at the Nobleton arena will get a much-needed face lift, thanks to a decision by King council.

The contract for the reconstruction of the lot at the Dr. William Lacey Nobleton Arena and Community Centre goes to C. Valley Paving, for \$205,304.62. They were substantially lower than some of the bids received by the Township.

King's 2016 capital budget provided for the work on the parking lot. Staff identified two other small areas adjacent to the lot for work as well.

Staff noted the existing parking lot has "significantly deteriorated" and council had approved \$294,000 for the work.

Additional funding for project management is required to be applied against the capital budget, according to Chris Fasciano, director of parks, recreation and culture. It still requires committee approval.

It's expected work will start by the end of May and be completed within 15-20 days. This, Fasciano noted, should allow for completion of the entire works with minimal service interruptions.



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## King City Seniors' Centre news

### Potluck Lunch

This month's Potluck Lunch will be on Friday, May 20 at 12:30 p.m. in the Centre. Everyone welcome and bring a friend as well as a main course or dessert.

### Travel Club News Upcoming Trips

Tuesday, June 28 - "Hilda's Yard" at King's Wharf Theatre.

Enjoy a hot lunch at the Captain's Table with a beautiful view of the historic Tall Ships and Penetanguishene Bay. Next, we make our way to King's Wharf Theatre to see a production of "Hilda's Yard."

It's 1956 and a couple is enjoying life after the kids have left the nest. But their world turns chaotic when their son loses his job and the daughter leaves her husband, and both return home. The laughter builds in this heart-warming, nostalgic comedy that lovingly harkens back to a simpler time.

The cost is \$114 per person.

For all Travel Club information, call Jane Hepworth at 905-833-5870.

Wednesday, July 27 - "It runs in the Family."

Tour of Mennonite country. We'll be driving through some beautiful countryside and learning about the Mennonite way of life. Enjoy a wonderful family style buffet lunch at the Crossroads Family Restaurant. We then travel to the Drayton Festive Theatre to see a production of "It Runs in the Family," a wild and wacky farce that will leave you in stitches. Frantic, funny and completely outrageous, this rib-tickling farce proves that laughter truly is the best medicine.

The cost is \$110 per person.

For further information, or to book a seat, call Jane Hepworth at 905-833-5870.

## Spring Cleaning for a Whole New YOU!

A medically supervised detox is a great way to re-balance your body for a whole new, and cleaner you this spring season! Dr. Vienna Iafrate, Naturopathic Doctor is currently offering a 6 week spring detox program designed specifically for you! Over the course of the 6 weeks a combination of infra-red sauna, botanical herbs and acupuncture will be used to enhance your detoxification pathways.

The spring season is finally upon us and with it comes a wonderful change in weather, longer day light hours and weekend bbq's spent with family and friends. The season itself screams new beginnings and a fresh start! Whether you are feeling the few extra pounds of the cold, long winter months, low energy and fatigue or looking to improve your skin health and immune system, the spring season is the BEST time for a detox.



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If elimination of any of the primary organs is not adequate the body naturally forces elimination through our secondary routes; increased nasal discharge, coughing, tears, mucus or blood in the stool, gas and flatulence and increased phlegm production are some of the ways your body is telling you it's time for a detox!

If you are ready to spring clean your way to a whole new you, book a complimentary 15 minute consultation with Dr. Vienna Iafrate, ND to learn more. Call King West Wellness Centre at 905-773-2225 to book your appointment.

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## King's Spray Lake welcomes summer season

Time flies when you are having fun – especially on the water!

Adam Noyek, co-owner of Spray Lake Watersports and Activity Centre, sits back in his office chair and reflects, as he looks out over the lake. In the distance, his partners, Jono Boysen and Stephen Collins are hard at work cleaning up the mess the winter has left on their lake front property in King Township.

The office Noyek sits in, a repurposed trailer, is littered with photos and memorabilia, which they have collected from the last three summers. However, it looks as though they have been there for much longer and if you ask them, as they go into their fourth summer as a community staple: “it definitely feels like it,” he said.

This unique business has grown very quickly to become one of the major family attractions for King and York Region. Boysen explains that when they got the property in 2013, it was essentially bare. “Everything

you see here was created by us. We’ve spent countless hours brainstorming, building and fixing, because we love this place.”

What makes Spray Lake so special is the atmosphere and culture these young entrepreneurs have developed.

“There is pretty much something for everyone,” said Collins. The facility’s main focus is watersports, through personalized waterski and wakeboard lessons for all ages.

“Most weekends in the summer we are booked solid. You’ll see lots of families running around. They’ll all be learning to ski or wakeboard and when they aren’t, they’ll be picnicking, playing tetherball or throwing a frisbee around. People stay here for hours on end!”

“On weekdays the action doesn’t really slow down,” Boysen explains. “We run children’s camps right through July and August. Campers are dropped off in the morning and they spend the day with us. They enjoy wakeboard lessons at our cable



wakeboard park, also known as The Ranch, nature walks, land sports and more all under the direct supervision of our coaches and counsellors.”

On June 18 and 19 the facility will be hosting one event for the 6th annual ROOTS Wakeboard and Wakeskate Tour. This event is 100% grassroots focused with the goal of introducing new participants to the sport. Spray Lake is also scheduled to host the Eastern Canadian Waterski Championships on July 30 and 31. Collins explains that this will be one

of the bigger events on the Canadian waterski circuit, with expected appearances from many of the nations best athletes.

Noyek confirms that this summer is shaping up to be another great one.

“I’m just hoping for as many good weather days as possible,” he said. “The summer is just too short and we are determined to serve as many families as we can.”

Spray Lake is located on Keele, just north of Highway 9. For more, visit [www.spraylake.ca](http://www.spraylake.ca)



The CDS Cyclones are back on the diamond in CISAA play, pictured here against the St. Andrew's College Saints.

## Varsity baseball season in full swing

By Jake Courtepatte

With spring in bloom, King’s varsity athletes have moved from the rink to the diamond to kick off the 2016 baseball season.

The highly-competitive senior baseball CISAA league has resumed play with high attendance and an elite level of play. The Country Day School Cyclones, King’s only representatives in the league, have so far fallen to an 0-1 record facing the Independent league’s toughest opponent.

On Monday, they travelled to their shared home diamond on St. Andrew’s College campus, in tough against the Saints, who have dominated the league divisionally for years.

Nine hits brought in 10 runs for the Saints, while the Cyclones struggled to cross the plate in a 10-0 losing effort.

They resumed play Wednesday hosting Crescent School at St. Andrew’s College (results unavailable at press time).

The under-14 softball Cyclones are off to a strong start, besting Appleby College 16-3 last Monday in their first game of the season.

On the girls’ side, Country Day School visited Holy Trinity School this Wednesday for their first match-up of the season.

In boy’s slow-pitch action, Villanova College has put up run after run while posting a 1-1 record to open the spring season. They opened at home with a 15-10 win over Appleby College last Wednesday, and came up just short in a 13-12 loss to Hillfield Strathallan College at Villanova on Monday.

One more regular season game is in the schedule this week for the Knights, who faced off against Toronto French School on Wednesday, who hold an 0-2 record including a blowout loss to HSC earlier this month. A CISAA championship weekend will follow the season.

For stats and schedules, visit [www.cisaa.ca](http://www.cisaa.ca).



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# Local family urges Province to reinstate autism funding

By Angela Gismondi

Schomberg parents are fighting to get their autistic son the treatment he needs to improve his quality of life.

David and Lisa Lehtinen recently learned their six-and-a-half-year-old son will not be getting the intensive therapy he has been waiting years to receive. The Lehtinens, along with hundreds of families across Ontario with autistic children over the age of five, recently learned their children will be deemed too old to benefit from government funded Intensive Behavioral Intervention (IBI) therapy and denied the crucial service.

As part of the 2016 budget, the provincial government announced it will be investing \$333 million into the Ontario's Autism Program over the next five years to provide more effective services. Over the past five years, the government has invested \$928.4 million, which indicates a decrease in funding. Under the new program, the government announced that children five years and older are being from eliminated from eligibility for IBI therapy based on "expert suggestions" that optimum learning occurs between the ages of two and four, and older children are less likely to benefit from the program.

Hundreds affected by the changes gathered to protest at Queen's Park last Thursday.

"I was really encouraged, along with the other parents, about the strong show of union and support by those who attended the protest to denounce Kathleen Wynne's discriminatory plan for special needs children," said David.

Lucas has been on the waiting list for IBI therapy ever since he was diagnosed two and a half years ago. The Lehtinens recently got a call from the Ontario Autism Program, notifying them that their son would be eligible for treatment in the next few months.

"We were so excited when we got the news," said Lisa. "We have been waiting so long for this therapy that he needs. We have been paying for our own ABA (Applied Behavior Analysis) therapy but it's not as intensive and not as many hours. That's what our child needs for it to click in. He needs the intensive treatment that IBI provides ... its life-changing therapy that will help him fulfill his potential."



They were devastated when they heard about the Liberal's provincial budget a few weeks after receiving the call. Currently, Lucas receives six hours of therapy a week. What he needs is 20 hours a week, which is what IBI therapy provides.

"We have lost a lot of sleep over this," David explained. "We were in shock. It was even more devastating than we got the initial (autism) diagnosis. The hope we had for so long had been taken away. He is full of unlocked potential. With IBI therapy he could be far more advanced than where he is right now. These children are being denied a better potential and self-sustainability."

The Lehtinen's argue there is no evidence to justify the claim that older children are unable to benefit from IBI.

"IBI therapy will give him the skills he needs to become more independent, more self-sufficient," added David. "We're not expecting miracles. We know our son has autism and that's going to be a life-long struggle for him."

"We want the therapy we were promised without arbitrary age cut offs," Lisa added

IBI therapy costs roughly \$50,000 per year. For the many children who are now being taken off the wait lists or phased out of programs, the service will be replaced by a one-time funding of \$8,000 per child, which is equivalent to roughly two months of IBI therapy.

"We were promised a year-and-a-half of therapy, now it's questionable whether or not we will get a month-and-a-half of funding," said Lisa, adding in some cases, IBI kick starts a child's skills and abilities and allows them to attend regular school.

"If we knew this was going to happen we would have planned different-

ly," stated Lisa, adding a direct funding model in Ontario would be more effective. "There is money in the system but it's not being used in the most effective way. It should be deployed in a reasonable and effective manner. In a wealthy country, he (our son) has a service that is working against him."

The new program aims to reduce wait times for diagnosis from two to four to six months and provide earlier intervention to those in need. However, setting an arbitrary cut off at age five - despite the evidence that the average diagnosis age is four - will ultimately see the majority of kids age out of the program before they begin.

"Autistic children don't learn the same way as other children, they learn through the repetition that IBI provides," explained Lisa. "All children deserve an education and we believe our child deserves one too."

The family has signs around their home stating "Every child deserves a chance" and "Autism doesn't end at five." They will continue to provide a voice for their son and be life-long advocates for all children with autism.

For more information or to sign the petition, check out the Alliance Against the Ontario Autism Program website at [www.allianceagainstoap.wordpress.com](http://www.allianceagainstoap.wordpress.com) or visit their Facebook Page.



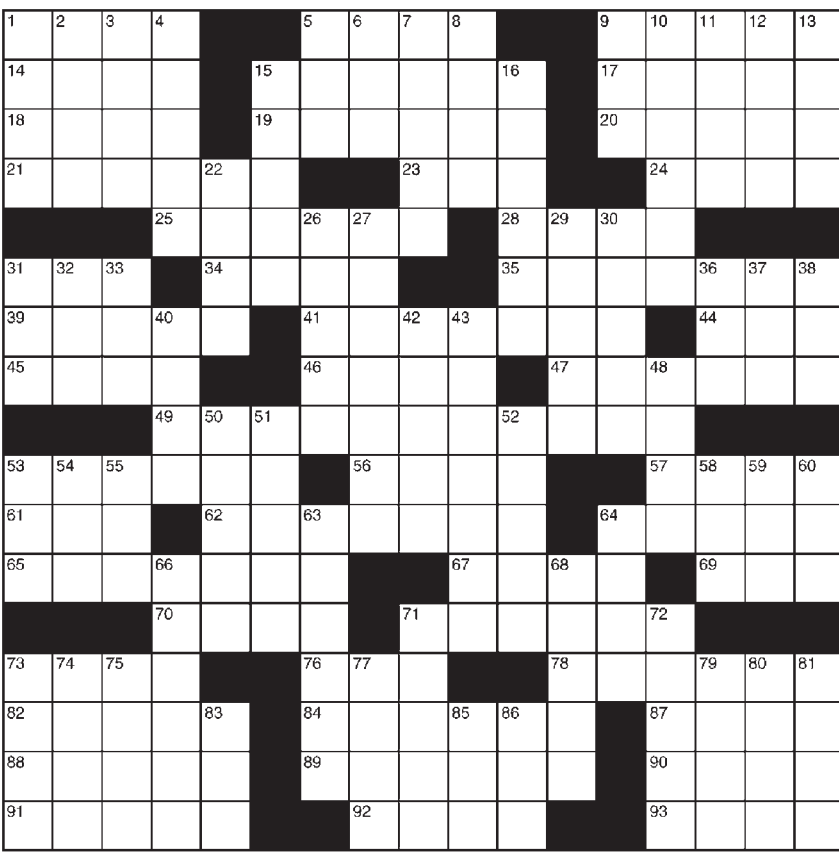
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# Dunk tank fundraiser returning to Nobleton

## Nobleton Notes

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

The Youth Group meets on Wednesday evenings from 7 to 9 p.m. Check here for details or contact our Youth Leader Taylor Scott at scottie\_tay@yahoo.ca or 289-338-2539.

A2J is a program for kids in Grades 3 to 6. The final two meetings for A2J (which runs from September to May) will be held on Friday, May 13 and Friday, June 3. It starts at 7 p.m. and goes to 9 p.m. It promises an evening of Bible stories, songs, games, crafts, self-confidence building and lot of fun. Come check it out.

Join us Sunday, May 14 at 10 a.m. as Jeff continues his series entitled "Songs in the Key of Life." Jeff's message this week - Sage Advice - Psalm 133.

FirstLink child care (for children 3 years of age and younger) is provided

during the gathering and our Regular KidzKonnection and NextStep Programs (for children ages 4 to 11) take place at the same time.

Taylor Scott has begun a program for the youth following the worship gathering. It is called 4:12 Unplugged. It is a chance for teens to hang out, have a drink and ask tough questions about God and to talk about the sermon message. A fun, laid back way to get connected in the church.

On Tuesday, May 17, the Ladies Who Serve group will meet for an afternoon of quilting at the church. Please come join them.

Jeff has a blog and he records his weekly messages there after worship each Sunday. Anyone interested in listening to his messages can go to www.passionatelyhis.com to hear them.

For more information about any of our activities or events, please contact the church office at 905-859-0843 or visit our website at www.stpaulsnobleton.ca

### St. Mary's Church

Anniversary Photo Album Dates

are: Friday, June 3, from 2:30 to 8:30 p.m.; Saturday, June 4, 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Please contact Marisa at 905-859-0281 or Linda at 905-859-4958 to book an appointment. These dates are open to SM & SP parishioners who have not yet had their photos taken.

Used clothing drive. Please leave your bags in the foyer of our Churches after masses. One bag = \$1 towards St. Mary's Mortgage Fund.

### Planting at St. Patrick's

St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church invites you to get involved in a community event of planting perennials to celebrate the Centennial. It starts at 8 a.m. this Saturday, May 14. Please feel free to bring your own tools. For more information contact Jose Melo at 905-939-7757.

### Nobleton United Church By Nancy Hopkinson

Thursday, May 12 (today) is our famous, delicious Roast Beef Dinner and

all the fixings with white table cloths, candles, leisurely eating, and of course home-made pies for dessert. Remember to come, if you have already reserved a ticket.

This Sunday, May 15, at 11:15 a.m. Rev. Lorne O'Neill will lead the service. Lorne grew up in Toronto but served for 4 years in SW Saskatchewan, and 6 years in SC Saskatchewan. He learned to hunt geese and confront cold winters! All are welcome, including children. We invite young children to check out our blue basket with its assortment of items to do during the service.

Victoria Day, Monday May 23 shortly after noon, at the Nobleton Arena, the dunk tank returns! The politicians that have already agreed to participate are Mayor Steve Pellegrini, Councillor Dave Boyd, Councillor Avia Eek, Deb Schulte, M.P. Have you asked your teachers and principals to agree to be dunked? Check out our website nobletonunitedchurch.com to find out how to sign someone up and have them verify their acceptance.

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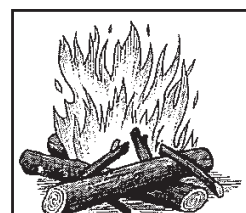
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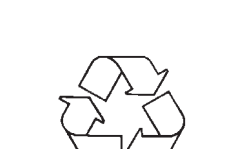
## Alex Campbell



Alex passed away very peacefully on Wednesday, May 4, lovingly surrounded by his family at his residence in Paris, Ontario. Beloved husband for 71 years of Hazel (n. Morrison) and the best father ever to Wayne (Carol), Bob (Fran), Wendy (John), and Donna. The best grandfather ever to Emmy-Lou (Aaron), Aaron, Anne, Wesley (Laura), Taylor (Becky), Darren (Alicia), Jaclyn, and Beverly. Alex was blessed with great granddaughters Hazel and Finley. Alex was born in 1923 in King Township. He joined the RCAF in 1942 and was a celebrated Lancaster pilot completing 42 ops. He was awarded the DFC for his bravery when shot down over France. While training at the Brantford SFTS No. 5, Alex met Hazel Morrison of Fairview, Alberta and they were married in October of 1944. Alex and Hazel built their home in King City where they lived for 68 years. He had a career teaching for many years at Huron Heights High School in Newmarket. Alex was many things to many people. Among those, he was a model airplane enthusiast, a Prairie Oyster fan, a gardener and mechanic, a connoisseur of fine liquor, and a gracious host to many stray animals and people. He spent most of his retirement hours in his backyard workshop or enjoying the sights and sounds on his deck. In 2014, Alex and Hazel moved to the Queensview Residence in Paris where they quickly made many friends with all who lived and worked there. His ashes will be interred at the King City Cemetery in August, followed by a Celebration of Life service.

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**Clare Rowell**  
William "Clare" Rowell of Kincardine, passed away peacefully with family by his side, at South Bruce Grey Health Centre, Kincardine on Friday, April 22nd, 2016, in his 87th year. Beloved husband of Beth Rowell (née Bray). Loving father of Betty Burnett (Doug) of Toronto, Barbara Rowland (Barry) of Florida, Patricia Greer (John) of Wasaga Beach and Peggy Henderson (Brad) of Mount Forest. Missed by his grandchildren, Erik Vares (Dianna), Robert Greer (Jennifer), Kyle Greer (Kaylee), Leslie Henderson, Michael Henderson (Julie), step-grandchildren, Deanna Price (Chris), Denise Lentine (Joe) and great-grandchildren, Veronika, Genevieve, Ethan, Cole, Dillon, Kennady and Carley. Fondly remembered by his sisters Mae Hunt of Schomberg and Fay Douglas (Ken) of Innisfree, Alberta, in-laws, Don Bray of Beeton, Marie Bruhn (Hans) of Beeton, Gayle McLeod (Neil) of Manilla and June Bray of Beeton and several nieces and nephews. Predeceased by his daughter Kim Thompson, parents Jack and Margaret (née Jackson) Rowell, brother Gerald Rowell (Joan) and brothers-in-law Willard Hunt, Bill Bray and sister-in-law Inez Bray. Visitation was held at the Davey-Linklater Funeral Home, Kincardine, on Thursday, April 28th, from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. The funeral service to celebrate Clare's life was conducted from Lighthouse Fellowship Baptist Church, 137 Mahood Johnston Drive, Kincardine on Friday, April 29th, 2016 at 2:00 p.m., with visitation from 1:00 p.m. Interment Kincardine Cemetery. Memorial donations to Cystic Fibrosis or the Lighthouse Fellowship Baptist Church would be appreciated as expressions of sympathy. Portrait and memorial online at [www.daveylinklaterfuneralhome.com](http://www.daveylinklaterfuneralhome.com)

### 709 IN MEMORIAM

**MAURICE BLOUIN**  
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### 710 CARDS OF THANKS

**YVONNE BUTCHER**  
and Family would like to acknowledge and thank each and every friend, colleague, & community member for their huge support, prayers, sympathy cards, charitable donations, floral arrangements, & the wonderful generosity of food that kept us going through this most difficult time. We would like to acknowledge Southlake Cancer Care and Hospital, all of the wonderful nurses and doctors, and palliative care team that took such good care of Calvin. Thank you to our wonderful nurses Barb, Rachel, Valerie and Heidi from St. Elizabeth who could not have been more compassionate and caring. We are so grateful to Rev. Kent Ward and the staff at Rod Abrams Funeral Home who conducted our service with such eloquence. We are so grateful for the continual support and prayers from our wonderful community. You have honoured Cal in such a special way and we shall always be appreciative. Forever grateful, Yvonne and Family.

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## King's Corners

**King City United**  
By Rev. Evelyn McLachlan

This past Sunday as we entered the sanctuary Betty Beaton had once again outdone herself with decorating for Mother's Day. She always has a way of creating beautiful displays, including something from her grandmother that has been passed down through the generations.

Rev. Evelyn welcomed us with a thoughtful video about Mother's Day and what we've learned from our Mothers. It ended with "Mother's Day may be a happy day for you. Mother's Day may be a painful day for you. Whatever brought you here, we are honoured to have you with us for worship." And we certainly are honoured when you come!

Rev. Evelyn read a story by Robert Munsch, "Love You Forever" as she encouraged children and grandchildren to sit with their moms or grandmas or aunts or someone who is like a mother to them. It's a very touching story about the depth of love that the mother had for her son and vice versa. She reminded us that God's love is the same and we just might hear God singing to us "I'll love you forever; I'll like you for always. As long as I'm living, my child you'll be!"

We were blessed with a wonderful anthem by the Vocal Choir, accompa-

nied flawlessly by our organist/choir director Rosemary Karunaratne. It was titled "God Gives Us Those Who Love Us" by J. Carter.

Rev. Evelyn's sermon focused on the power of the resurrection. It's a difficult concept to wrap our minds around since there is no formula. We experience resurrection in many ways. She shared some personal moments of resurrection in her own life and then reminded us of moments of resurrection through the acts of kindness that so many have shown to those living through the disastrous wild fire in Fort McMurray. Where will you discover resurrection this week?

We welcomed three people into the life and work of our faith community through baptism & confirmation and transfer of membership. It's good to have you as part of the community Lisa Skurdelis, Lee-Ann Brinovec and Deborah Cross. It was a very touching part of the worship service.

Worship ended with laughter as we watched a video by a Christian comedienne Anita Renfroe, the Mom Song. She took all the advice and sayings of mothers and put them to the tune of The William Tell Overture! Absolutely delightful!

Lots of flowers were received after worship thanks to the Multiple Sclerosis Society and Deborah's diligence in getting orders. The flowers are gorgeous!

Thank you to everyone who donated

to the Fort McMurray Fire Fund. We will collect next week as well and then forward all the donations to The Red Cross.

Rev. Evelyn along with her husband Earle and accompanist MaryLee headed off to Elginwood Manor to lead worship there in the afternoon. Thank you all for this extra part of the ministry.

Tea & Talk is at Sunset Grill on King Road every Friday at 10 a.m. Come and share in some fellowship, laughter and interesting discussions!

Saturday, May 14 is our yard clean up. Bring some gardening tools, wheelbarrow, rakes and shovels and get a good workout as we work at getting the yard and gardens to look brighter! We begin at 9 a.m. and hope to finish by noon!

Sunday, May 15 is Pentecost Sunday so remember to wear red or colours of flame! There's a few surprises in store in this worship I'm told! Better check it out!

The Manitoulin Fish Fry is back! June 3, 4:30 to 7 p.m. Tickets are \$17/adult and \$7/child under 12. There is a sign-up list on the bulletin board in the entryway. If you can help by donating butter, milk, juice or can help set up, serve or clean up we'd love to have you sign up! You'll have a lot of fun in the kitchen!

Rev. Evelyn will be on vacation and then study leave at the Festival of Homiletics in Atlanta May 9-23. If there is an emergency, please contact Rev. Maria Mindszenthy with Temperanceville

UC. Her contact information is available by calling the office 905-859-9077.

Make this day great!

### Sacred Heart Bazaar

Sacred Heart Church Annual Bazaar (14485 Jane St. in King City) will be held Saturday, May 28 from 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Booth sales include baked goods, plants & gardening, jewellery & fashion accessories, house wares, treasures, religious items, sporting goods, toys, books, electronics & games. Funds raised will support the achievement of goals laid out in the Sacred Heart Site Master Plan. Come and enjoy the day!

### Hilda's plant sale

Running for two more weeks, Hilda Baumhard is holding a perennial plant sale. She's located at 15 Old Church Road in Laskay, just look for the signs. Proceeds to various charities. She hopes to see all of her old customers.

### King Bible Church

Join us on Sunday, May 15 as we are excited to have Teen Challenge Aurora with us. We will hear inspiring testimonies from the students and they will also perform a dramatic presentation called "Reality Is."

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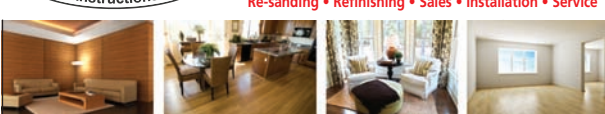
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# Men step up to the plate at women's dinner

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Join us for games, crafts, stories and singing in Kidszone. Join us for Truth Lab investigations this year. It's for Grades JK to 6 and runs 6:45 to 8:15 p.m.

We have Celebration Zone available downstairs for kids aged 4-Grade 6. Each week the children in Grade 1-6 will join their parents for the beginning of the service until they are invited to go downstairs. We ask that you sign in your child at the Celebration Zone table in the foyer when you arrive at church. We have nursery available downstairs for babies 0-3.

We also have a Student Ministries Bible Study for students in Grades 7-12 on the 2nd and 4th Sundays each month.

Get ready to dive into another amazing week of Vacation Bible School during the week of Aug. 8-12 from 9 a.m. to noon. We are starting half an hour earlier this year to allow for more fun. It's for ages JK to Grade 7. This year the kids will be going on the "deep sea discovery" where they'll explore the depths of the Bible. Call or email the church to register; info@kingbiblechurch.com.

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

Come and experience St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church! Visiting St. Andrew's Park for the playground, the King Trails, the New Community Gar-

den or to make a drop off at the clothing bin?

Come in and join us on Sundays at 10:30 a.m. Sunday school and nursery care run concurrently and will continue through to the end of June. Join us for our Father's Day BBQ following the worship service, June 19.

Pastor John Mills was back on Mother's Day and will be with us for the rest of May. His sermon was particularly special as he talked about three very influential women in his life who all experienced hardships and tragedies, but lived such lives of faith, filled with courage and love - his mother, his mother-in-law and his wife. He also spoke about Biblical women of strength and devotion to the Lord - Phoebe, a deaconess, Lois and Eunice, Timothy's mother and grandmother, and Mary, the mother of Jesus. Lynn Vissers had the children give the ladies a daffodil from a beautiful assortment from her cottage.

Join us ladies this Tuesday as we meet at 9 a.m. for our Prayer Time. It is a special time of prayer and quiet reflection with our dear Lord present as He promised, hearing and answering our prayers. Please inform us if you have a prayer request or a thanksgiving!

Art-in-the-Park started last Wednesday. All are welcome on Wednesdays, 3 to 5 p.m. If the weather is inclement, the participants will meet in the church. For more information, please speak with Lynn Vissers at the church

office at 905-833-2325.

The Youth Group meets the first and third Fridays. Find out more by calling Lynn at the office. Coffee and Conversation is at 10 a.m. Friday.

Don't forget to come out and lend a hand! Yard Clean up Day is this Saturday, May 14 from 9 a.m. to noon. Everyone welcome! Students, need volunteer hours? Let us know!

Should you have pastoral care needs please contact Lynn Vissers, our Director of Congregational Ministries at the office: 905-833-2325. Our Interim Moderator is the Rev. Dr. Neal Mathers. He can be reached at 905-895-5512. Our church is located at 13190 Keele St., 2 blocks north of the King Rd. There is a ramp available for accessibility. Check out our web site! www.standrews-kingcity.ca

**All Saints Anglican Church  
By Diana Armitage**

The ladies of All Saints Parish, and their invited guests, wish to thank the men of All Saints for a wonderful Women's Dinner last Thursday. Michael Springford organized the evening and Leah made the beautiful centre pieces and menus. Michael Burns donated the table cloths, napkins and glasses. Alex Boulthbee presided over his fantastic smoked salmon and the "devils on horse back" appetizers. Ian Rodger and his team cooked up a delicious dinner of crusted goat cheese salad and chick-

en with polenta and linguine vegetables.

For the grand finale, Ed Millar surprised us with mini chocolate cheesecakes. Thank you to all the men who cooked, served and cleaned up afterwards. We women of All Saints' are very lucky indeed to have such a talented group of men in our parish. We had a very fun and relaxed evening!

King City Farmers' Market starts again on Sunday, June 26 and will continue on alternate Sundays until Sunday, Oct. 16. There will be some new vendors and some returning favourites.

Cross Talk Ministries Day Camp runs from Monday, July 25 to Friday, July 29 at All Saints. If you are interested please call the church office at 905-833-5432. More details are to come.

The Rev. Jo-Anne Billinger is available for pastoral emergencies during the month of May. Please call the church office for her number.

## Plants, treasures sale

Rich Hill United Church in New Tecumseth is holding a Plants, Treats & Treasures Sale Saturday, May 14 from 9 a.m. until noon. Come and get plants for your garden or some delicious home baking, or rent a table to sell your treasures. Call Eileen McCabe at 905-880-0026 for more information. Rich Hill is located at the corner of the 2nd Line and 10 Sideroad, New Tecumseth.

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# Society selling plants at Victoria Day event

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Sunday, May 29 at 11:15 a.m. will be a special musical service with the lively and inspirational group, "Day by Day" who hail from Orangeville and are led by Lynne Smith. This is a joint service with Schomberg United. Rev. Kerrie Perry will offer communion. There will be a light lunch afterwards. If you like to sing or just enjoy listening to great music, this is a service you won't want to miss.

Looking ahead: If you have children or grandchildren, ages 6-16, Camp Simpresca may interest you. There are 3-night mini-camps for younger children, and teen camps for older ones. Activities include swimming, kayaking, high ropes, crafts, campfires and games on the shores of Georgian Bay on the outskirts of Midland (90 miles north of Toronto). Their website is [www.simpresca.net](http://www.simpresca.net).

In the summer, we join with Schomberg United. Throughout July, our services will be in Schomberg at 9:30 a.m., and throughout August, our services will be in Nobleton at 11:15 a.m. There is one exception and that is a picnic on July 24 at Jack and Kim Campbell's. We will gather at 11 a.m., have some hymns and a short message, and then lunch at 11:30 a.m. Bring salad or dessert. The BBQ and drinks will be supplied. There are walks that you can take and/or have a swim in the pool.

For more info, visit [nobletonunited-church.com](http://nobletonunited-church.com), our Facebook page, or call 905-859-3976. The church office is normally open on Wednesday and Thursday mornings. Messages are picked up regularly. We are located at 6076 King Rd., north side, about 6 buildings west of Hwy 27. We have a big parking lot at the rear of the building, an accessible ramp at the rear of the building, chair lifts and accessible washrooms.

## Immanuel Reformed Church

The March for Life in Ottawa 2016 was May 12. How would you respond in these situations?

1. A preacher and his wife are very, very poor. They already have 14 kids. Now she finds out she's pregnant with the 15th. They're living in tremendous

poverty. Considering their poverty and the ever-growing world population, would you consider recommending she get an abortion?

2. The father is sick with sniffles, the mother has TB. Of their four children, the first is blind, the second has died, the third is deaf, the fourth has TB. She finds she's pregnant again. Given this extreme situation, would you consider recommending abortion?

3. A white man raped a 13 year-old black girl and she's now pregnant. If you were her parents, would you consider recommending abortion?

4. A teenage girl is pregnant. She's not married. Her fiancé is not the father of the baby, and he's upset. Would you recommend an abortion?

In the first case, you would have killed John Wesley, one of the greatest evangelists in the 19th century. In the second case, you would have killed Beethoven. In the third case, you would have killed Ethel Waters, the great black gospel singer. If you said yes to the fourth case, you would have declared the murder of Jesus Christ!

God is the author of life, and He has given every single individual supreme value. Each life – whether inside or outside the womb – should therefore be valued by us.

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set you apart" Jeremiah 1:5. God's Word repeatedly teaches that a child is alive in womb, and abortion is therefore murder (Ps. 139:13-16; Job 10:8-12, 31:15; Is 44:2; Jer. 20:17; Gal.1:15; etc)

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.immanuel-reformed.com](http://www.immanuel-reformed.com). If you are interested in meeting to learn about the Bible, call Pastor Maurice Luimes at 905-859-8581 for arrangements. Also, look for our booth at the Nobleton Fair, and come around and say hello.

## Nobleton Lions Club

Upcoming events include the Lions Foundation of Canada Purina Walk for Dog Guides which is planned for

Sunday, May 29. This walk helps provide funding for six different specialty streams including Canine Vision Dogs, Hearing Ear Dogs, and Service Dogs to help challenged Canadians overcome a variety of impairments. Check out [www.purinawalkfordogguides.com](http://www.purinawalkfordogguides.com) for much more information.

After that comes the Nobleton Lions Annual Fund Raiser on June 5. This year the event is a Charity Golf Tournament to be held close to home at Nobleton Lakes Golf Course. This is the major fund raiser for the Lions Club, with proceeds planned to go to numerous organizations in and around town. Golfers and hole sponsors are invited to call Jim Kassam at KARS on King Rd. west of Hwy. 27 at 905-859-5277.

Watch this space for further details as the events get closer, and why not check out our website at [www.nobletonlions.com](http://www.nobletonlions.com).

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.

The Lions Club is seeking new members at this time. If you are interested in helping your community become a better place to live while having lots of fun, please call Bob Phillips at 416-522-9675.

## Nobleton King City Horticulture Society By Nancy Hopkinson

On Victoria Day (May 23) we will have a booth outside the Arena. This year with a focus on bees, we are hoping for some of these bee friendly perennials: Russian sage, bee balm/monarda, sage, asters, coneflowers and lavender. If you have extras and are willing to donate to our club, it would be appreciated. Bring them before 9:45 a.m. as cars are not allowed in after 10 a.m. or contact Kathy Ball in advance at 905-859-4338 for alternative arrangements.

Other plants will also be on sale, but we do not sell invasive plants. We will also be offering for sale (for \$15) a solitary pollen bee nest by Armstrong and Blackbury, that is easy to use, safe

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We urgently need your help. Do your friends and neighbours enjoy visiting your garden? We are hoping for a variety of gardens for our annual Garden Tour, which is set for Sunday, July 10. We do not like to have the same garden each year, so we are continually looking for new ones. Our gardens have included tiny village treasures, farm vegetable plots, imaginative gardens in subdivisions and large country estates with ponds and waterfalls. There is no contest, no one will be counting weeds, club members will supervise the visits and parking and you do not even need to be at home.

Please contact Barb Downey at 905-880-0330 or [downeycastlederg@sympatico.ca](mailto:downeycastlederg@sympatico.ca) before May 19 for more information.

Our next meeting is Monday, May 30 at the Nobleton Community Hall (opposite the Nobleton Feed Mill). The program starts at 8 p.m. with a few announcements from our co-presidents, Jules Maule-finch and Barb Downey. Our guest speaker is Ernie Monte, meat manager from Alloro Fine Foods in Nobleton. Our guest speaker presents, usually with power point, for 45 minutes with a Q and A session of 15 minutes. Ernie's topic is "Flavourful rubs, herb mixes and sauces to enhance your foods." If you have ever been in Alloro, you will likely have been invited to sample an item made delicious with its herbs and spices.

If you have any flowers, check out our show schedule, found at [www.alt-flora.com/nobleton/](http://www.alt-flora.com/nobleton/). You have to pay attention to the number of stems requested. There are always 3 different arrangements of flowers as well. If you are bringing flowers and/or arrangements, please bring them between 6:30 p.m. and 7:15 p.m. The exhibits need to be in position before 7:30 p.m. when the judging takes place. Novices are judged separately from the more experienced people.



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BEAUTIFUL, partially cleared building lot, approx. 4.13 acres on a paved road. Minutes to Shelburne & 1/2 hr from Alliston. Mixed bush offers complete privacy. Asking **\$139,900**

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WELCOME To Treetops Community! Hickory Model - 2795Sq Ft Of Quality Finishes On Premium Ravine Lot. Spacious Floor Plan Has Abundance Of Natural Sunlight & Shows Like A Model!! Many Well Thought Out Upgrades Have Been Added To This Already Spectacular Home. Modern Kit W/Upgraded Cabinets, Brkfst Bar, Quartz & W/O, Cozy Family Rm W/Gas FP. Close To All Amenities, Golf, Parks & Schools. Excellent Commuter Location. **\$629,800**

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POMMELE ACRES, 25+ Acre Equestrian Facility Offering Outdoor Sand Ring, 2 Barns, 13 Stalls, Feed Room, 8 Paddocks, Run-In Sheds, 60X15 Covered Arena W/Viewing Room, Heated Tack Rm, Kit & 2Pc Bath. Excellent Location Close To Palgrave Equestrian Park & Only Mins To Tottenham. 3+2 Bdrm Brick Bungalow W/Spacious Updated Lower Level Apartment. Eventing Course On Balance Of Open Land. **\$1,095,000**

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100 ACRE FARM In The Rolling Hills Of Adjala Township! Log Homestead With Fabulous Views Over Countryside & Hockley Valley. Outbuildings: Barn, Drive Shed/Workshop, Over 90 Acres Workable. Log Home Features 2 Fireplaces, Wide Wood Floors, Built-In Hutches, Old Time Charm To Make Your Own Private Getaway Retreat, Hobby Or Cash Crop Farmer. **\$1,150,000**

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**NEW LISTING!**  
DOWNSIZING OR JUST GETTING STARTED? This Charming 3 Bedroom Bungalow in Nobleton is perfect for you! Large Bright Sun-filled Rooms With Cozy Fireplaces on Main Floor & Finished Lower Level, on 80'x140' lot in a Great Family Neighbourhood, within walking distance to all town conveniences! **\$719,900**

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86 ACRE FARM in south New Tecumseth with 50' x 100' Workshop, Barn, Large Pond, Bush & Custom All brick bungalow w/attached 2 car garage. Great setup for home based business, contractor or Farmer w/good workable flat land for cash crop or sod. Separate drive to access shop & land. Home shows great w/setup for inlaws. **\$1,295,000**

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**NEW LISTING!**  
RARE OPPORTUNITY to own one of Alliston's finest! Custom built bungalow home on 4.1 acres, tucked among mature trees & fabulous gardens. Hardwood & marble floors, granite counters, 2 stone fireplaces, a large great room with wet bar. Kitchen has walk out to 20 X 40 inground pool and hot tub. Fully finished lower level. **\$998,500**

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