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## Firefighters' car wash raises money for charity

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**UPCOMING MEETINGS**

**COUNCIL AND COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

Municipal Office, Council Chambers, 2585 King Road

**Monday, September 9, 2019**

6 pm – Council/Committee of the Whole

**Monday, September 23, 2019**

6 pm – Council/Committee of the Whole

To view full Council and Committee of the Whole agendas, visit [king.civicweb.net/filepro/documents](http://king.civicweb.net/filepro/documents)

**COMMITTEES AND BOARDS**

**Thursday, September 5, 2019**

6 pm – Heritage Advisory Committee  
Municipal Office, 2585 King Road

**Tuesday, September 10, 2019**

1 pm – Accessibility Advisory Committee  
Municipal Office, 2585 King Road

**Tuesday, September 17, 2019**

6 pm – King Township Public Library Board Meeting  
Schomberg Branch: 77 Main Street

**Wednesday, September 18, 2019**

6 pm – Committee of Adjustment  
Municipal Office, Council Chambers, 2585 King Road

**Wednesday, September 25, 2019**

6 pm – Sustainability Advisory Committee  
Municipal Office, Council Chambers, 2585 King Road

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

- Outdoor Program Facilitator (PT seasonal contract) - closes when filled
- Parks Seasonal Worker (seasonal contract) - closes when filled
- Program Instructor (PT seasonal contract) - closes when filled
- Arena Assistant I (casual contract) - closes when filled
- Arena Assistant II (casual contract) – closes when filled
- Crossing Guard (contract) - closes when filled

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

**BID NOTICES**

For all bid opportunities, please visit the Township of King's website [www.king.ca](http://www.king.ca), click **Popular Topics** and click **BID OPPORTUNITIES**.  
Or visit on the following link  
<https://king.bidsandtenders.ca/Module/Tenders/en>

**REMINDERS**

King's municipal offices will be closed for **Labour Day** on **Monday, September 2**, and will re-open at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday, September 3 for regular office hours.

If you have an urgent matter requiring attention during the closure, please call the Township's answering service at 905-833-5321 and your call will be forwarded to the appropriate personnel.

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**PUBLIC NOTICES**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING CONCERNING A PROPOSED OFFICIAL PLAN AMENDMENT, ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT & DRAFT PLAN OF SUBDIVISION**

The public are invited to attend a public meeting to be held by the Council of the Corporation of the Township of King at the Council Chambers at 2585 King Road, King City to consider a proposed Official Plan Amendment, Zoning By-law Amendment, and Draft Plan of Subdivision, in accordance with Sections 22, 34 and 51 of the *Planning Act*, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter P.13., on the following date to inform the public and receive comments on these applications:

**Monday, September 23rd, 2019 at 6:00 P.M.**

The proposed Official Plan Amendment, Zoning By-law Amendment and Draft Plan of Subdivision submitted by Evans Planning Inc., on behalf of the owner, P. Rotundo Enterprises Inc., under Planning Files OP-2019-01, Z-2019-03 and 19T-19-K03 concern a site located at the north east corner of King Road and King Boulevard in the Village area of King City, municipally known as 2000 and 2008 King Road. The subject site consists of two lots each supporting a dwelling and measuring a combined area of approximately 0.3041 hectares (0.84 acres) with approximately 52.72 metres of frontage on King Road and 67.28 metres of frontage on King Boulevard. The owner intends to remove the existing dwellings from the lands.

**What are the Proposed Changes?**

The subject property is designated 'Core Area' and 'Institutional' by the King City Community Plan (OPA #540) and is zoned Core Area - King City (CAK) and Institutional (I) by Zoning By-law #2017-66, as amended. The purpose of the Official Plan Amendment application is to provide for a residential infill consisting of 12 freehold common element townhomes, served by a condominium road to a maximum density of 40 units per hectare (16 units/acre). The purpose of the Zoning By-law Amendment application is to provide for cluster townhouses in the CAK zone and to amend the CAK building requirements for Maximum Height, Exterior Side Yard, Stepback for upper storeys, FSI, Amenity Spaces, Parallel Parking and other site specific provisions to the by-law to implement the development. The purpose of the Draft Plan of Subdivision is to describe the site as a block on a registered plan for legal purposes to facilitate a future draft plan of condominium to be registered.

**Appeal Procedure**

Any person may attend the public meeting and/or make written or verbal representation either in support of or in opposition to the proposed Official Plan Amendment, Zoning By-law Amendment and Draft Plan of Subdivision. If you wish to be notified of the decision of the Township of King in respect of the proposed plan of subdivision, you must make a written request to the Township of King.

If a person or public body that files an appeal of a decision of the Township of King Council in respect of the proposed Official Plan Amendment, Zoning By-law Amendment and proposed plan of subdivision, does not make oral submissions at the public meeting or make written submissions to the Clerk of the Township of King before the Zoning By-law Amendment is passed, the Official Plan Amendment is adopted, or before the proposed plan of subdivision is approved or refused, the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal (LPAT) may dismiss the appeal.

**How to Stay Informed**

If you wish to be notified of the decision of the Township of King in respect of the proposed applications, you must make a written request to the Clerk of the Township of King, 2585 King Road, King City, ON L7B 1A1. Written comments will become part of the public record.

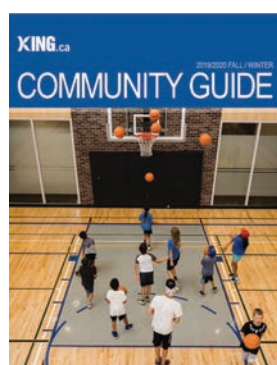


**Additional Information**

A copy of the proposed Official Plan Amendment, Zoning By-law Amendment, and Draft Plan of Subdivision, as well as background information, is available for inspection at the Township of King Planning Department from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on regular business days or inquiries may be directed to the Planning Department at 905-833-5321. Please refer to the File Numbers OP-2019-01, Z-2019-03 and 19T-19-K03.

**DATED AT THE TOWNSHIP OF KING THIS 29th, DAY OF AUGUST, 2019.**

Kathryn Moyle  
Director of Clerks/By-law Enforcement  
Township Clerk



**COMMUNITY GUIDE**

Copies of the new Community Guide are available at all community centres, libraries and the Township office.

You can also view it online at [www.king.ca](http://www.king.ca).

**Municipal water flushing**

**Ansnoeveldt, King City, Schomberg and Nobleton**

In the spring and fall the Engineering and Public Works Department flushes all water mains and hydrants. As a result, residents over the course of the next few weeks may experience low pressure and/or discoloration. This process contributes to the safe, effective delivery of municipal water and **does not** affect the quality of your water in any way. Should you require further information please contact the Engineering and Public Works Department at 905-833-5321.

**We are seeking community feedback on a Draft Private Tree By-law!**

**You are invited to participate in our survey to provide input on the Draft Private Property Tree By-law within the village community boundaries of King City, Nobleton, and Schomberg.**

**The survey will be open from Thursday, July 18th to Friday, September 6th.**  
**Link to the survey: <https://speaking.king.ca/treebylaw>**

**Grass clippings**

**Grass clippings are NOT part of yard waste collection. Why?**

Grass clippings decompose so rapidly that the process is well on its way even before they reach composting facilities, resulting in increased odor issues. King residents are encouraged to grasscycle, and leave grass clippings on their lawn.



**How does this benefit my property?**

The clippings, when left in place after cutting the grass, will provide a ready source of fertilizer while helping the soil retain water which promotes root growth and a healthy lawn. York Region is actively trying to decrease outdoor water usage and grass clippings are a great way to decrease your water consumption for lawn watering.

King Township is also reminding residents to not blow or discard grass clippings onto roadways as they can clog storm sewers and catch basins and make maintenance – like street sweeping – more time consuming for staff.

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## Municipal voices were heard at AMO conference

By Mark Pavilons

The Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) conference in Ottawa chalked up some huge wins for municipalities like King.

King was well represented at the annual forum, attended by Mayor Steve Pellegrini and councillors Bill Cober, Debbie Schaefer, David Boyd and Jordan Cescolini. They hit the ground running at the conference, paying close attention to announcements made by provincial leaders.

Premier Doug Ford addressed dignitaries at the AMO conference, where he committed to building strong, local partnerships with municipalities. Highlighting Ontario's investments in local communities, Premier Ford committed to equipping local governments with what they need to build their communities from the ground up, deliver better value for taxpayers, and build for the future.

"Our government's relationship with Ontario's municipalities is incredibly important to us," said Premier Ford. "As the level of government closest to the people, municipalities know the needs of their communities best. We must work together to put local communities back in the driver's seat of their own affairs."

Ontario's municipalities work together to achieve shared goals and meet common challenges through AMO, a non-partisan, non-profit association that supports and enhances strong, effective municipal government.

All Government of Ontario ministers attended this year's AMO conference, including King representatives Stephen Lecce and Caroline Mulroney.

From the content of announcements, King reps were thrilled by a potential boost to the new recreation centre on Seneca College lands.

The Province is opening up the in-

take for Community, Culture and Recreation Stream Sept. 3 of the federal Investing in Canada Infrastructure Program. "This represents \$1 billion dollars for important local projects, like community centres, sports arenas, and cultural centres," Ford said.

King will definitely apply for the new rec. centre, Pellegrini said.

He noted King councillors were able to have an hour meeting with both Ministers Lecce and Mulroney and discussed issues facing King. They requested further information with regard to the 400 and the GO projects.

"I am proud of the strong leadership and representation of King and Vaughan municipal leaders at the Association of Municipalities of Ontario annual conference. I was pleased to host them for a lunch to discuss our continued efforts to invest in our community - from better schools, affordable childcare, to more reliable transit and broadband expansion. We will continue to work together to serve our constituents and to advance their priorities," said Lecce.

Councillor Cober noted AMO is always a "valuable conference."

Highlights for him included municipal procurement, asset management, dealing with cannabis, property assessment, recycling changes ahead, and human resources updates with new and emerging legislation.

"One of the most valuable sessions was a challenge we are very familiar with in King - the growing gap between residential and commercial/industrial tax base. As the economy becomes more digital the gap is growing across the province and country."

The changing economy is less tied to land and Cober said the discussion focused on how municipalities must diversify revenues as land based municipal financial resources are shrinking.

See 'Municipalities' on Page 7



### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### PROPOSED ROGERS COMMUNICATIONS 30m MONOPOLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS TOWER INSTALLATION

##### SUBJECT

- Type: 30m tall monopole (monopine) telecommunication structure.
- Location: 18340 Bathurst Street, King
- Legal Description: PART OF LOT 6, CONCESSION 2 OLD SURVEY
- Facility: The facility will include a proposed 6m X 8m fenced compound.
- Site: The structure will provide telecommunication services in the surrounding area.

Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada (ISED) is the governing body for installations of this type of telecommunication antenna installation and can be contacted at:

ISED - Toronto District Office  
151 Yonge Street, 4th Floor  
Toronto, ON M5C 2W7  
ic.spectrumtoronto-spectretoronto.ic@canada.ca

ANY PERSON may make a written submission to the individuals listed below by close of day **October 4, 2019**. Please reference site **C3275** in your correspondence.

ANY PERSON may attend a Public Information Session to be held **September 30, 2019** from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm at the Trisan Centre located at 25 Dillane Drive in Schomberg.

Further information may also be obtained through the following contacts:

<b>Applicant Contact:</b>	<b>Municipal Contact:</b>
Leticia Avance LandSquared 10 Four Seasons Pl. Suite 1056 Etobicoke, ON M9B 0A6 647-241-2788 leticia@landsquared.com	Aloma Dreher, Planner II Planning Department Township of King P: 905-833-5321 Ext. 1004 E: adreher@king.ca

##### SITE LOCATION MAP



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### PUBLIC NOTICES



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- As always—SLOW DOWN, especially in Residential Areas
- Don't rush through traffic signals, stop signs, or pedestrian crossings—your car is bigger than they are!
- Stop for busses when their lights are flashing and the STOP sign is out
- Educate children about crossing roads safely and obeying street signs and signals

### PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURE

## Stay cool in King



### Splash pads and Outdoor pool

Looking for a good way to cool off this summer? Visit one of King's three splash pads in the villages of Nobleton (49 Parkheights Trail), Schomberg (21 Summit Ridge) and King City (25 Doctors Lane). The Nobleton Lions Community Outdoor Pool (15 Old King Road, behind the Nobleton Arena) is also open. It will close for the season on Sept. 2. For more information please contact parks@king.ca.

# Editorial, Letters & Opinion

*"A newspaper is the center of a community, it's one of the tent poles of the community, and that's not going to be replaced by websites and blogs."*

~ Michael Connelly

## Deaths from conflict, automobiles outweigh gun violence

Like a broken record, we're singing the same tune regarding guns and gun control. We're confronted with what seems like an epidemic of gun violence, both here and south of the border.

But close examination of the statistics and facts paints a bit of a different picture. I think one thing we can agree on is that humans kill and humans hate, and will continue to do so.

Yes, the numbers can be daunting, even startling. In 2017, almost 40,000 Americans died in firearms related incidents. All together, 1.6 million Americans died from gunfire since 1968, more than U.S. casualties in all previous wars combined!

These are stats and pretty much the only thing U.S. citizens and politicians agree on.

A growing voice of concerned citizens and researchers want to study gun violence as a public health issue. Similar to automobile accidents and impaired driving, the ramifications are huge in our society. Through research, study, awareness and education, we've managed to get the message across regarding drinking and driving. And yet, police forces across Ontario and our country continue to battle this issue.

Over the last decade (2008-2017), 374,340 people in the U.S. were killed by motor vehicles, and 342,439 were killed by firearms. Despite the similar number of lives lost, research spending on motor vehicle deaths is nearly 16 times greater than on firearm-related fatalities.

Yes, the mass shootings that take a handful of lives make the headlines across North America. But these are still rare occurrences.

Lives lost to guns are roughly the same as lives lost daily on our roads.

Roughly 60% of firearm deaths in the U.S. in 2017 were suicides. That's 23,854



Mark Pavilons

people who took their own lives and most were older, white males.

Conversely, one study showed that black men under 20 in the U.S. were the primary victims of firearm homicides.

Another sad fact is that overall, the rate of gun homicide is 25 times higher in the U.S. than in other high-income countries.

Data from the FBI shows that handguns are by far the most likely type of firearm to cause a fatality. In 2017, handguns were used in 7,032 of the 7,886 firearm-related homicide deaths. In the U.S., only about 13 per cent of all suicide attempts succeed. However, up to 90 per cent of attempts using firearms result in death.

What's also statistically important are those incidents involving guns that don't end in death, only injury. Best guesses put those numbers at roughly 130,000 per year.

The numbers here in Canada and

the GTA are much, much lower, yet you wouldn't know it from the vocal reaction every time there's a shooting incident.

According to Statistics Canada, there were 130 homicides committed with a handgun in 2016, the most in more than a decade. Handguns accounted for 21 per cent of the total homicides that year, and 58 per cent of the shooting homicides. Again, suicides by firearm account for almost 78% of deaths.

According to our federal government, while overall crime rates in Canada are much lower today than decades ago, for the several consecutive years the total number of firearm-related homicides in Canada has increased, reaching 223 in 2016, 44 more than the previous year. In 2016 alone, police reported 141 gang-related homicides, 45 more than in 2015. Since 2013, firearms murders in Canada's largest cities have almost doubled from 134 to 223. In Canada, three out of 10 violent gun crimes happen outside of a major city.

From this, we can take away that the issue isn't really guns, handguns, or gun control. It all comes down to people, many with mental health issues. We are by no means an angry mob of gun-toting killers.

We North Americans also tend to ignore the horrible statistics of violent deaths around the world on a daily basis. Innocent civilians who die from violence in the Middle East make our gun data seem almost trivial.

At least 3,812 Afghan civilians were killed or wounded in the first half of 2019 in the war against militant groups, including a big increase in the number

of casualties caused by government and foreign forces, according to the United Nations.

Just recently, we've seen some unimaginable mass bombings.

At least 91 people were killed in suicide bomb attacks by suspected al-Qaida terrorists in the Saudi Arabian capital of Riyadh. Officials said they found the bodies of nine suicide bombers.

At a wedding in Afghanistan, a suicide bomber killed 80 and wounded close to 200.

Natural disasters in other parts of the world routinely kill hundreds, if not thousands on a regular basis.

In 2018, an estimated 10,300 people died in natural disaster events worldwide. The earthquake and resulting tsunami in Indonesia was the most deadly catastrophe in 2018 with 2,256 reported deaths. Hydrological events, such as floods, have affected the largest number of people in the last decade.

Here, we complain about flooded basements during heavy rain storms, while our counterparts in developing nations are being swept away.

I think the underlying sentiment here is to consider our fellow human beings. Unnecessary and avoidable death is always a waste. So much lost potential!

Let's help one another, not by debating laws and changes, but digging deep into the human condition. Let's work harder to prevent suicides; let's put more efforts into mental health, and let's all work toward lessening bigotry, hatred and racism. We need to create a supportive atmosphere where violence is not the answer.

### Letter to the Editor

## Cancer can be prevented

Most of us know why cancer research is important. The more we study different cancers, such as breast cancer, the more we know about how best to diagnose, treat and live with and beyond them. But what about research that can help us prevent cancer?

A recent study funded by the Canadian Cancer Society (CCS) – the COMPARE study – found that about 4 in 10 cancer cases can be prevented through healthy living and policies that protect the health of Canadians. The COMPARE study looked at more than 20 modifiable cancer risk factors and their association with 30 different cancer types.

A standout finding of the COMPARE study is that about 28% of breast cancer cases can be prevented by increasing physical activity and healthy eating as well as decreasing tobacco smoking, alcohol consumption and sedentary behaviour. Findings like this can help us make decisions about our lifestyles and compel governments to implement healthy public policies that could help reduce our cancer risk in the future.

Thanks to dedicated Canadians, CCS is able to fund the best cancer prevention research in the country, and through events like the Canadian Cancer Society CIBC Run for the Cure, CCS is able to fund even more research into how we can prevent, diagnose, treat, and live with and beyond breast cancer.

We need your help to do more. Join us at your local Run in Alliston on October 6. You can sign up today by visiting [cibcrunfortheure.com](http://cibcrunfortheure.com).

Elizabeth Holmes  
Health Policy Analyst  
Canadian Cancer Society



### Brainteaser



You use me from your head to your toes, the more I work the thinner I grow. What am I?

Last week's answer: We sing when "birthday candles" are lit and cheer when they are blown out.

### King Township Trivia

Walter Rolling, the first African Canadian teacher in King Township, was hired at Kinghorn S.S. #23 in 1895.

**KingWeeklySentinel WEBPOLL**  
www.kingsentinel.com

Results from last week's poll:  
**Are you concerned about recent gun violence in the GTA?**

a) Yes  **86%**

b) No  **14%**

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

**THIS WEEK'S QUESTION**

Are you concerned about the wildfires in the Amazon?

a) Yes  
b) No

So go to the website and cast a vote!

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Letter to the Editor

# Residents who plant trees should be rewarded

Decades ago, economist Gery Pequet wrote, "The economic concept of private property rights refers to the rights owners have to the exclusive use and disposal of a physical object. Property is not a table, chair or a home and the property it sits on. It is the bundle of rights which an owner is entitled to employ those objects."

The alternative (collectivist) view is that "private property consists merely as a legal deed to an object with the use and the disposal of the object subject the whims and mercies of the State."

I concur with resident Rentsch that the proposed tree by-law in King Township is a minuscule but striking example of an assault on private property rights we falsely assume we have. Government encroachment already exists. We only possess our property as tenants as long as we pay taxes, get licenses, permits, pay fees, are zoned and regulated.

We've been conned. The government is our partner along with the power, water, telephone, gas and cable companies.

Why is the town asking for a map of our property, "... all trees on the property, as well as required landscaping and replanting plans," (17, iii), even if we are taking down a dead tree? They can just check us out with "tree police" drones.

It was said that we don't really own our trees. Well, who paid for them, planted and maintained them, the Town? I was told the by-law is for the greater good; my rights are superseded by that. People came to this country to escape extreme socialist doctrine that purports, "the greater good."

Residents who plant trees should be rewarded with tree credits, incentives or tax credits, not penalized.

An education program, rather than a punishing by-law is in order. Proponents spout the need for an increased tree canopy. With nearly every new blue spruce and other spruce in King City infected with cytospora canker or Rhizosphahaera needle cast (neither of which is well controlled by

chemicals), there will be a huge void when these trees die. So much for King's tree canopy calculations. Residents should be encouraged to plant species that have a chance to survive and grow the tree canopy, such as common horse-chestnut, black walnut, red pine, white pine, Douglas fir and scarlet oak.

Some 14% of Canada consists of wetlands and (peat lands) known to be an excellent carbon sink naturally sequestering CO2. Council should consider this before they approve another drive-through or housing development abutting or infilling wetlands. Tree planting has consequences. It sometimes mines out ground water and canopies can shade out competing trees and shrubs. My grandmother warned, "Nothing can grow under (the canopy of) a maple."

Our local micro-climate needs to be considered. What trees best survive winter, salted roads or drought conditions? Why are our boulevards completely mowed and not left mostly natural?

There is a plethora of tree by-laws, some more onerous than others, but that does not make them moral or right. Most residents have no idea what the draft law says, and the Tree Survey Questionnaire full of motherhood statements, does not make it clear that the fee is \$1,500 in cash-in-lieu of planting three trees on your property, to replace one cut down that the Town does not consider to be dying.

I agree King loves its trees, but council should not attack residents while they toss away money on flags and poles when it is better spent on trees and education. There are always rationalizations often disguised in noble causes like climate change rescue, but when viable alternatives other than the further erosion of property rights exist, municipal governments may have to bypass the favourite flavour of the month.

*Judith Tenenbaum  
King City*

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# King 7-Day Weather Outlook

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### Resident donates vegetables to Food Bank

Catherine Flear is shown with a harvest of veggies being donated to the King City Distribution Centre of King Township Food Bank. Catherine has grown a plot in the Community Garden in King City, especially to offer fresh vegetables to food bank families. Her first harvest in August disappeared like magic; people were thrilled to receive just picked produce.

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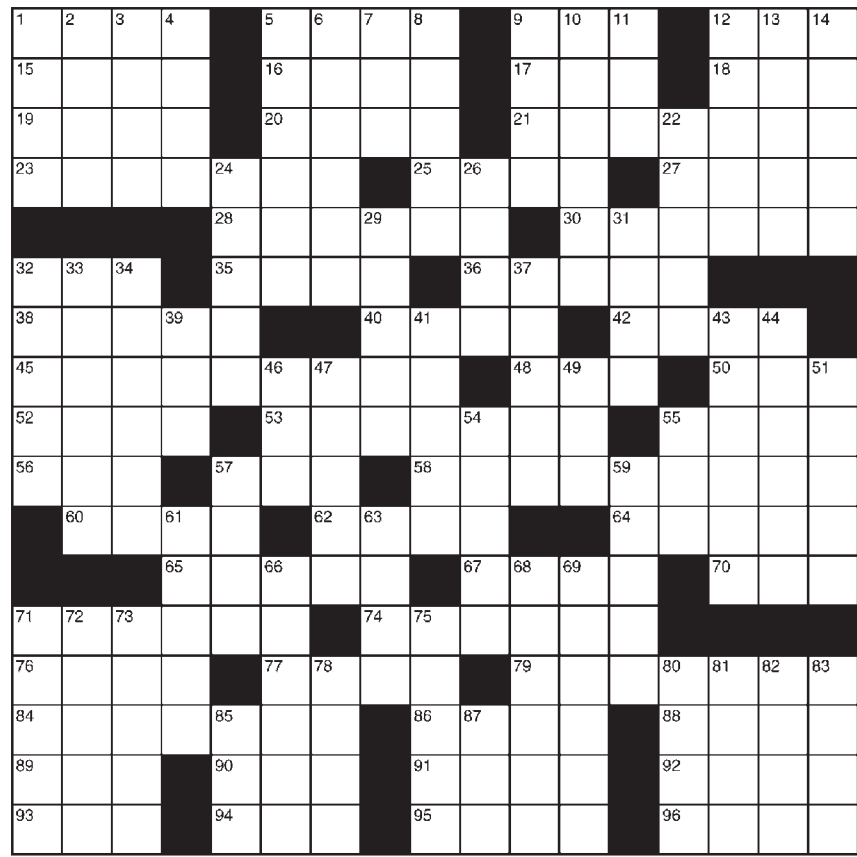


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| <b>ACROSS</b>            | 56. Type of room          | 3. Fisherman's aid         | 47. Dining-room necessity    |
| 1. Sentry's word         | 57. Center of activity    | 4. Romanov title           | 49. Each and every           |
| 5. Large mop             | 58. Earthmover            | 5. Worked mightily         | 51. Make like the Pied Piper |
| 9. Baby food             | 60. Humdrum               | 6. Ferret's kin            | 54. TV knob                  |
| 12. Pasture mom          | 62. Cut of pork           | 7. High, in music          | 55. Officer                  |
| 15. Load                 | 64. Phantom's domain      | 8. Run together, as colors | 57. Parka feature            |
| 16. Apprise              | 65. Drying cloth          | 9. "Tonight Show" host     | 59. Biblical verb            |
| 17. Volcanic discharge   | 67. Old Gaelic            | 10. Promise                | 61. Gale                     |
| 18. Getaway              | 70. "___ as a Stranger"   | 11. "Animal House" letter  | 63. Spanish pot              |
| 19. Gumbo                | 71. Eastern-style temple  | 12. Cream of society       | 66. Cashew relative          |
| 20. Give a G to          | 74. Lasso                 | 13. Withered               | 68. Bridge in Venice         |
| 21. Foolish              | 76. Lab gel               | 14. Abrasive stuff         | 69. Glossy fabric            |
| 23. Lunchbox item        | 77. Petal                 | 22. Halos                  | 71. Harness-racing horse     |
| 25. Light tan            | 79. Non-belief            | 24. Computer link          | 72. Plato's market           |
| 27. Road for Cato        | 84. Order                 | 26. Unwanted               | 73. Street urchin            |
| 28. Indulge to excess    | 86. Piece of land         | 29. Kitchen utensil        | 75. Burning                  |
| 30. Cure                 | 88. Fit                   | 31. Hitherto               | 78. Salvage                  |
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| 35. Where to find a hero | 90. Yank                  | 33. Certain Alpine ridges  | 81. Wild goat                |
| 36. Sour                 | 91. Grind                 | 34. Furniture style        | 82. Openhanded blow          |
| 38. Eat                  | 92. Baseball feature      | 37. Scheme                 | 83. Written reminder         |
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| 48. Aaron's stick        | 96. World's fair, for one | 44. Matador                |                              |
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## The word around King

*Are you sad to see the end of summer?*



**Louise Stephens**  
"It's not over yet!"



**Brad Crowlley**  
"Yes."



**Kurtis Balloch**  
"Not really, hockey comes back."



**Noah Laphorne**  
"No."

# Municipalities are partners

From Page 3

“This is not new for King and remains a challenge to continuously work on. Interesting, informative sessions to help us as we always work to make King better,” he said.

Municipal Affairs Minister Steve Clark told attendees the government’s position is clear – “our goal is to maintain municipal revenues.”

On Jan. 1, the Province will transition municipalities to a 70-30 cost-sharing funding model – 70% for the Province, and 30% for municipalities.

Clark said they will ensure that in the first year no public health unit experiences an increase above 10 per cent of current public health costs.

“That’s the protection we’ve built in to ease the transition.”

He pointed out that some municipalities already contribute 30% or more and these won’t be impacted.

Clark lauded MPP Lecce for working tirelessly and advocating on your behalf since becoming the Minister of Education.

Child care funding will now be phased in over a three-year period

starting in January 2020.

“We will continue to encourage municipalities to partner with us to support children and families in our communities, but we will also adjust the approach to cost sharing Expansion Plan operating funding ... by committing to provide 80% of this funding regardless of the municipal contribution.

“Because of this approach, the government will be reinvesting \$85.5 million back into child care for 2020, and \$36.5 million for 2021.”

The Province also plans to cut more red tape and free up funding particularly in public works. This is something municipalities have been lobbying for as well. Ford said that to date, the government has identified 94 provincial reporting requirements for elimination and is simplifying or consolidating 27 others. This will allow municipalities to focus on the things that matter most – the frontline services people rely on every day.

The Province is also investing \$315 million to improve and expand Internet and cell service into more rural and remote communities.



King’s representatives at the AMO conference were able to have frank discussions with York-Simcoe MPP and Minister of Transportation Caroline Mulroney.

## Southlake welcomes new board members

Dave Wattling, Southlake Foundation board chair, is delighted to welcome four new members to the board. Brian Bigras, Geoff Dawe, Stephen Elmer, and Diane Mason bring varied perspectives and diverse professional backgrounds that will be a tremendous asset as they provide governance support and direction to the Foundation, and move us forward with our new Strategic Plan.

These new additions join fellow board members Barbara Bellissimo, Susan Bishop, Janice Dawes, Vice Chair Diane Gajewczyk, Tatianna Hermanns, Ajit Khanna, Gord Lewis, Christopher Pfaff, Peter Van Schaik, and Jud Whiteside, as well as members from the Southlake Regional Health Centre board of directors, chair Debra Dobson, president and CEO Arden Krystal, and Physicians’ Council Chair Dr. Julius Toth. Together, the board is responsible for the governance and strategy that engages our communities in support of the most urgent priorities at Southlake Regional Health Centre.

“As we developed our five-year Strategic Plan, in support of Southlake Regional Health Centre’s goals, we looked at how we can help the hospital respond to the challenges we are facing with its outdated infrastructure, rapidly increasing volumes, and an aging population,” said Susan Mullin, president and CEO of Southlake Foundation. “We’ve developed some bold goals and our board of directors, each with their own unique area of expertise, will be instrumental in helping us work with our communities achieve our vision to ensure the right care is available tomorrow and in the years to come.”

As ambassadors for Southlake, the board of directors helps to inspire investment from the communities, support which is crucial for providing leading edge care close to home for the 1.5 million patients who rely on the hospital for care.

Since the inception of Southlake Foundation in 1980, more than \$150 million has been raised in support of Southlake Regional Health Centre. For more information visit [www.southlakefoundation.ca](http://www.southlakefoundation.ca)




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## Caledon welcomes new Amazon Fulfillment centre

The new Amazon Fulfillment centre in Caledon will bring 800 full-time jobs to the community, starting at \$15.75 an hour with benefits.

Amazon recently held a hardhat tour to celebrate the construction process to date and plans for the centre, as well as showcase the economic impact it will have in Caledon.

The fulfillment centre in Caledon, located on Coleraine Drive, is one of six other centres in Ontario. The other locations include Ottawa, Brampton, Mississauga and Milton.

"Amazon, welcome. This new centre is a win win for both of us and we are thrilled you are here," said Mayor Allan Thompson during opening remarks before the start of the tour.

The hardhat tour was not open to the public, however, the tour was open for local government officials, stakeholders, media and Amazon's leadership team. Attendees included Caledon's local officials, Mayor Thompson, MPP Sylvia Jones, and councillors Ian Sinclair and Christina Early.

"This is a great example of what our provincial government is working to achieve," said MPP Donna Skelly, parliamentary assistant for the Ministry of Economic development, who was also present for the tour.

Skelly noted that when she came to the centre before today, she saw community members really interested in seeing what the place is all about and noticed some individuals picking up

job application forms.

"The community is excited," said Skelly.

The tour started at the front of the facility. Andrew Ivansky, assistant general manager, was the tour guide and showed how products will be stored, accessed and then shipped within the centre.

General Manager of the project, Anush Man explained that in other facilities, such as the one in Mississauga, the entire building is automated. Man explained that research showed that the Caledon centre requires human staff and would only be working with small products, books and apparel.

The inventory is stored in what is called a pick-tower. The one at the Caledon centre has four levels and floor space is approximately the size of 80 hockey rinks, with a gross volume of 3.7 million cubic feet. It will be the largest such facility in North America.

The construction of the centre utilized 31,500 cubic metres of concrete and over 6,000 tonnes of steel. The centre also utilizes more than 12 kilometres (km.) of in-house conveyer belts. A new element of this facility is the staff designed an in-house prayer room for employees with religious needs.

Amazon will hire seasonal employees for the holidays and each of them will have the opportunity to convert into regular full-time jobs, explained Anush Man.

The new centre will offer employ-



ees innovative programs like Career Choice, where the company offers skills training and pays 95 per cent of tuition for courses for in-demand jobs. Currently, Career Choice has 16,000 participants. At the centre, people in the Career Choice program can take classes at the centre.

In the future, Anush Man said that they want to expand to include actual courses, from local community college or other accredited education institutions.

Amazon provides more than \$40,000 to non-profit organizations and local schools that are delivering STEM-relat-

ed technology and supplies to support the next generation of learning.

Dufferin-Caledon MPP Sylvia Jones was very excited for this new opportunity for Caledon and explained the process in which Caledon was chosen as a location for a new fulfillment centre.

"A lot of different reasons went into the site selection, part of it is the number of major highways, the fact there is the rail and so the company makes an assessment and have short lists and then start approaching municipal level of government to try to understand certain costs like electricity and look at unemployment rates," she explained.

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## Payment plan for Nobleton sewers

By Mark Pavilons

Nobleton residents will get a bill for hooking up to new sanitary sewers. King Township is moving forward on Phase 2 of the sanitary sewers for Nobleton and any outstanding capital works in the area will also be done.

The Township is financing the cost of the sewer installation and related concurrent works (road resurfacing, water main replacement, sidewalks, etc.) from a combination of reserves, developer contributions and legacy water reserve funds.

For Phase 2, residents will be charged \$21,800, an indexed amount based on the Phase 1 rate.

Owners may choose to pay the lump sum amount in 2019; make alternate arrangements for payment, and even amortize the amount over a 15-year period (2020-2034). The amortization option requires fixed annual payments at 3.665% interest.

Property owners who don't pay the full amount in 2019 or make arrangements with the Township, will have the amount charged to their property tax bill starting in 2020.

Decommissioning the septic systems and connecting to the sewers is mandatory.

The Township portion of the work will come from infrastructure reserves (\$2 million), developer (Tribute Maidenstone) reserve (\$1.1 million) and legacy water reserve (\$1 million).

Work initially began 10 years ago when the sewers were given the green light to proceed in multiple phases. Phase one included the core area of the village. In 2010, council approved cost recovery measures and residents were required to connect to the new sanitary sewage system within 12 months of receiving the notices.

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# No fundamental changes to average class sizes, Lecce says

By Mark Pavilons

Average class sizes for the 2019-2020 school year will remain basically unchanged.

Minister of Education and King-Vaughan MPP Stephen Lecce is, however, introducing “modest” changes to current class sizes for the coming school year.

“I am determined to put our students first and listen to those we serve,” said Minister Lecce. “Today I want to reassure students and their families that this September class sizes will remain effectively the same as last year.”

Amendments to Ontario’s class size regulation are being made for the 2019-20 school year to reflect up to:

- One additional student, funded on average, per class for students in Grades 4 to 8.
- An additional half student per class for students in Grades 9 to 12, for a funded average of approximately 22.5 provincially.
- No changes to class size requirements for students in junior kindergar-

ten to Grade 3.

“From day one, I have made it clear that I was intent on listening to, and working with, our education sector partners,” said Lecce. “Our mission remains to land a deal in good faith, that puts our students first, so parents and educators can have the predictability they deserve.”

Ontario is providing \$1.6 billion in Teacher Job Protection for school boards between the 2019-20 and 2022-23 school years. This funding will help maintain teaching positions, so that staffing reductions can be managed through teacher retirements and voluntary leaves.

The Ministry of Education provides the framework, funding, and flexibility needed to support school boards in meeting class size requirements for all grades across the province. Local school boards are responsible for class organization.

Ontario is increasing investments in public education, mental health supports, special education, math, and French-language education.

## Firefighters host mixer Sept. 14

The Schomberg Firefighters Association, in partnership with Art Society King, is hosting a 19+ event called the Main Street Mixer at 214 Main in Schomberg on Saturday, Sept. 14 from 7 to 11 p.m.

Tickets can be purchased at both Lot 15 and the Trisan Centre for \$30 (one) or \$50 (two). With the purchase of a ticket guests enjoy their choice of complimentary cocktails upon entry and a selection of tapas style hors d’oeuvres. There is also a bar with a wide variety of food and drink choices for an additional cost.

The event includes a silent art auction where guests have the option to bid on fire fighter themed artwork donated by local artists. There will also be other items available that have been donated from local residents and businesses as well.

The purpose of this event are threefold. One is to raise money for the Schomberg Firefighters Association in an effort to support the work they do in the community outside of emergency response. There is a cost to many of their initiatives and these programs require resources.

“We often donate money to other local charities and need to be prepared to step up when needed,” said Shayne Maglay, president of the firefighters association.

This event also serves as an open door to the community so that residents can come meet their local firefighters in an approachable and fun setting.

Lastly, Art Society King is hosting the Schomberg Street Gallery on Main Street the following morning. The evening will serve as a mini kick-off party for the 15th! “We would like to see this event very successful,” he concluded.

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King Weekly Sentinel

# Arts & Entertainment

## Funding helps beekeepers address stress factors

By Mark Pavilons

The federal and provincial governments are providing cost-shared funding to support and strengthen the health of honey bees and the beekeeping sector.

Through a targeted intake under the Canadian Agricultural Partnership, the federal and provincial governments are investing up to \$500,000 to help beekeepers make improvements to better manage pests such as Varroa mites, diseases and other stressors and to grow their bee-related business.

"The health of bee populations is vital given the importance of pollinators to food and seed production," said Marie-Claude Bibeau, federal Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food. "Our government is committed to providing beekeepers with the tools and support they need to maintain and enhance bee health, while ensuring a sustainable future for both beekeeping and the Canadian agriculture sector."

"We're giving the province's beekeeping sector a boost to help improve and sustain the health of honey bees and to support the important role they play in the agriculture sector," said Ernie Hardeman, Ontario Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs. "This is another example of our commitment to protect our agriculture industry while also working to help our hard-working beekeepers, farmers and food processors to succeed in their business efforts."

"Bees are important pollinators that are essential to maintaining healthy ecosystems and a healthy environment," added Jeff Yurek, Minister of

the Environment, Conservation and Parks. "Our government is committed to ensuring pollinators are well protected while supporting our farmers and beekeepers to thrive. Through our Made-in-Ontario Environment Plan, we're working to protect vulnerable natural areas and other important habitats for future generations."

Under this special application intake, beekeepers will be able to apply for funding to support the following:

- Equipment to prevent the introduction and spread of disease and increase overwinter survival of bees.
- Sampling and analysis for pests and diseases to increase adoption of integrated pest management and other best management practices.
- Business supports to help beekeepers grow their business.

Local beekeeper Andre Flys, of Pioneer Brand Honey, said he's happy they're on the governments' radar.

"Funding, no matter how small, is appreciated," he said. He's meeting with the ministry to learn about the details of this new funding. Both Yurek and Hardeman, Flys said, made many accurate comments about the "myriad of challenges our pollinators face in this province. I'm all for increasing our capacity for innovation, pest and disease management, forage and education and part of our mandate at the OBA."

He did say, however, it's extremely unfortunate the long list of stressors both ministers came up with did not include pesticides. "It makes me wonder how committed they are to enhancing the environment when they cannot even utter the word 'pesticide.' I'm not trying to pretend it's the only problem



my bees and our natural pollinators face but we have study after study showing our pollinators are constantly being exposed to unsafe levels of agricultural pesticides and these guys couldn't even mention the word in a long list of stressors? It makes one think it wasn't by accident."

More detail on eligible activities and cost-sharing amounts for this targeted intake will be available in the near future, with the application intake opening on Sept. 3.

At 23 per cent, Ontario's average overwinter bee colony losses for this past winter were down significantly from the 2017-18 winter, based on beekeepers' responses to OMAFRA's spring 2019 survey.

The health of managed honey bees is

complex and influenced by several factors, including diseases, pests, genetics, environmental stressors and extreme weather.

In addition to producing honey, Ontario-managed honey bees pollinate a wide range of crops, including apples, apricots, asparagus, blueberries, squash and canola, both within Ontario and in other provinces.

The Canadian Agricultural Partnership is a five-year, \$3 billion commitment by Canada's federal, provincial and territorial governments that supports Canada's agri-food and agri-products sectors.

The beekeeper cost-share funding program has a continuous application process, with applications accepted until funding is fully allocated.

## Look for big, bright Jupiter

By Gary Boyle

On any clear night, look to the southern portion of the sky after sunset and you will come across a bright object. This is not a star but the planet Jupiter. Of the eight major planets in our solar system, Jupiter is literally the "king." This fifth planet from the sun is so large that 11 earths can line up across its equator and can hold a thousand more inside.

Jupiter along with Saturn, Mars, Venus and Mercury can be seen with the unaided eye while Uranus and Neptune are telescopic objects. In fact these five planets have been seen for thousands of years and along with the sun and moon, were naked after gods. These seven celestial objects give us our seven days of the week.

Jupiter has more than 70 moons that are small in size compared to the four giant Galilean moons named Io, Europa, Ganymede and Callisto. At 5,268 kilometres wide, with Ganymede is the largest. Any telescope will show these very distinct worlds as they orbit its mammoth planet. Io is an extremely active moon with dozens of volcanoes that blast plumes of sulfurous material as high as 500 km high. These have been images by spacecraft orbiting or passing by the Jovian system.

At various points in the moons' orbits, they transit or cross in front of Jupiter and casts a small inky black dot on Jupiter's cloud tops. At times there could be two or three shadows at the same time. These four objects were first observed by Galileo in 1609 with his newly built telescope. He also went on to observe the rings of Saturn, the crescent phases of Venus and the heavily cratered moon.

For those living in dark skies away from light pollution, the Milky Way is wedged between the two thus making a striking view.

For almost 30 years the Hubble Space Telescope has imaged the far depths of the universe. Gravity waves have been detected over the past few years stemming from Einstein's prediction in 1916. And finally imaging a black hole located 55 million light years away. This is a wonderful age to follow amazing discoveries and enjoy the night sky with today's state of the art telescopes and cameras.

Known as "The Backyard Astronomer," Gary Boyle is an educator, guest speaker and monthly columnist for the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada.

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# Province recognizing outstanding farmers

Ernie Hardeman, Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs, announced that the Excellence in Agriculture program is open to receive applications and now includes a new category to recognize outstanding young farmers.

The Excellence in Agriculture program recognizes agri-food innovations and advancements that demonstrate leadership, product development or technology advancement that will benefit the sector. The innovations recognized will be those that have potential to help move the agri-food sector forward, so it is better positioned to thrive here at home and on the global stage.

"I'm so pleased to launch the 2019 Excellence in Agriculture program. Ontario's agri-food sector has always been innovative," said Hardeman. "Our farmers and processors always amaze me with their innovative ideas and projects. Innovation is what will allow Ontario to compete and succeed locally and on the world stage."

In addition to primary producers, processors and agri-food organizations, the 2019 Excellence in Agriculture program has a new category to recognize outstanding youth leaders in the agri-food sector: Youth under 29, who are residents of Ontario and have an inno-

vation with a direct link to the agri-food sector, are encouraged to apply. There is also a new category focussed on innovation. Application criteria for all five applicant categories can be found in the program guidebook.

The top innovation in each of the five categories will receive a plaque in recognition of their achievement and will be featured in a promotional video. All recipients will have access to the Excellence in Agriculture wordmark to be used for marketing and promotional purposes, and up to 15 honorable mention recipients will receive a certificate. Applications can be submitted until Oct. 11.

"Ontario's agri-food sector is a driving force for innovation and economic growth in our province," said Hardeman. "Agri-food innovators are always pushing boundaries and expanding economic opportunities for our agri-food sector."

Ontario is a strong supporter of the agri-food sector and is committed to the province's farmers and food processors. Farmers produce more than 200 commodities and support food and beverage manufacturers whose products feed local communities and the world. The sector contributes over \$39.5 billion to the local economy and employs one in eight Ontarians.

# Chamber looking for nominations

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There are six categories of awards that will be presented Excellence in Small business, Excellence in Large Business, Entrepreneur of the Year, Sustainable King, New Business, & People Choice Award.

Criteria descriptions for each award category can be found on the Chamber's website. There is no limit for nominations, but please read the criteria's for each category. If you are merchant in King, encourage your customers to nominate you.

The awards presentation will take place at the KCC Annual Awards Gala on Thursday, Sept. 26, 2019 at Cardinal Golf Club.

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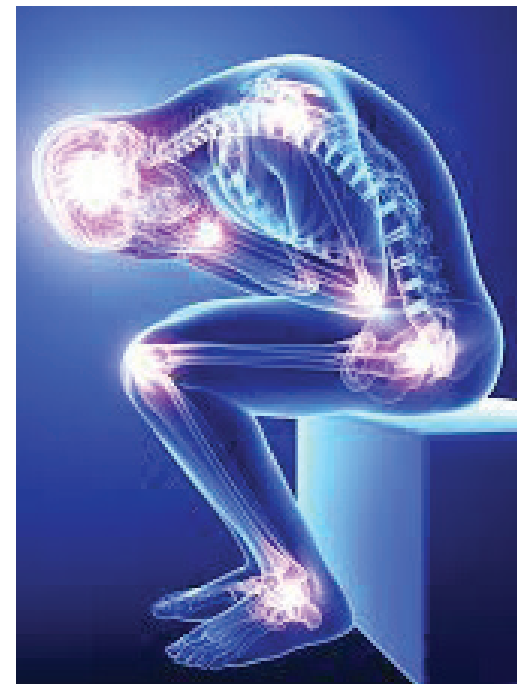
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# Revamped curriculum helps keep kids safe

By Mark Pavilons

The Ontario government has released the revised elementary Health and Physical Education (HPE) curriculum. It is now available online, along with a parent-friendly resource on what children will learn in each grade.

Following the province's largest consultation on education, the elementary Health and Physical Education curriculum has been updated to reflect public feedback, research and advice from experts.

The province is introducing an enhanced and inclusive Health and Physical Education curriculum for Grades 1-8 that relates to the everyday experiences of students. It provides them with the skills and knowledge they need to lead safe, healthy, and active lives. As a result of these enhancements, the elementary Health and Physical Education curriculum will make Ontario a leader in teaching students about:

- Mental Health, including Social-Emotional Learning Skills.
- Concussions,
- The effects and consequences of vaping and cannabis.
- Cyber safety, including bullying prevention and digital privacy.
- Healthy eating and body image.
- Healthy relationships, including consent.

"This modernization will keep kids safe in and outside of the classroom," said Stephen Lecce, Minister of Education and King-Vaughan MPP. "Ontario is a leader in critical areas including mental health, cyber safety, and consent, underscoring our commitment to building an education system that prioritizes inclusion, safety, and respect."

The Province is also partnering with School Mental Health Ontario (SMHO) to enhance learning about mental health in the curriculum. It is also collaborating with Ophea — a leader in physical and health education — to support educators on implementing the revised curriculum.

Ontario recently announced Education that Works for You, a new plan to modernize learning, modernize classrooms and empower educators to better prepare students for the realities of today's modern world. Investing in student learning is a key component of the Ontario government's vision for ed-

ucation.

Parent resources and more information on the elementary Health and Physical Education curriculum and The 2019 Addendum to The Kindergarten Program can be accessed on the ministry website.

Ontario is investing \$2.25 million to support school boards with the implementation of the revised elementary Health and Physical Education curriculum, and The 2019 Addendum to The Kindergarten Program along with other curricula.

The Health and Physical Education curriculum is taught in the second half of the school year, and educators will have access to professional development services to strengthen their knowledge of the subject matter.

The ministry will release online resources for parents who may want to introduce specific topics at home whenever their child is ready. These resources will be available in the 2019-20 school year. More information will be provided at a later date.

The government has issued a policy/program memorandum that requires boards to develop a policy/procedure allowing parents to exempt their child from instruction of the sexual health education component of the elementary Health and Physical Education curriculum. The policy/program memorandum can be accessed on the ministry website.

While seen as somewhat of a compromise from the previous changes, the revised plan drew mixed reaction.

The plan was praised by the Institute for Canadian Values, which boasts 110,000 members.

"I applaud the Minister of Education Stephen Lecce and Premier Doug Ford for achieving a Health and Physical Education Curriculum that reflects balance and compromise on a topic of sex education that is full of passion and diverse opinions," said President Charles McVety. "The real winners are the millions of children who will not be confronted with complex gender fluidity until the second half of Grade 8. Little children Grades 1 to 7 will not be taught multiple genders that can be chosen at will. Parents are also winners at they are being recognized as the authority in their children's education with the ability to opt out of the sex ed teaching. This has been a 9-year strug-

gle and children are now back at the centre of education."

But Campaign Life Coalition (CLC) doesn't see it that way, calling it a "betrayal."

The pro-family advocacy group views it as betrayal of Doug Ford's promise to repeal the Wynne sex ed program.

"This curriculum is exactly the same garbage that Kathleen Wynne imposed on the unwilling parents of Ontario. There's almost no difference between Ford's sex curriculum and Wynne's. There's been no repeal", said Jeff Gunnarson, national president of Campaign Life Coalition.

"The unscientific theories of gender identity and gender expression are still taught by Grade 7, or earlier if teachers want to. Homosexuality's snuck into Grade 3 with a wink and a nudge via the teacher prompt on accepting people 'regardless of who they love,' without any regard for the religious beliefs of many parents."

"With this announcement, Doug Ford has completely ignored the will of the parents who elected him on the promise he'd repeal and replace. It ignores the feedback parents gave during the consultation process", added Jack Fonseca, Campaign Life Coalition's political operations director. "Minister Lecce justified retaining all of the controversial and dangerous elements of Wynne's sex curriculum by claiming that during the consultation, that's what the majority of parents demanded. It's a lie.

"After reading the language on the opt-out provision, it appears that nothing has changed from Wynne's regime. It simply says that teachers must follow their school board's policy that allows for students to be exempted."



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## Ride for Karen cycles through York for cancer support

By Jake Courtepatte

For the past 15 years, the Tobias brothers have been memorializing their mother the best way they know how: cycling.

Started in 2002 after Kirk and Kris Tobias lost their mother Karen to a five-year battle with breast cancer, the Ride for Karen has raised more than \$2.6-million in support of those battling the disease.

“Our mother was dedicated to improving hope for cancer patients and the Ride for Karen is a way to build this hope,” said Kirk Tobias. “The Ride for Karen offers support for people that have been touched by the disease, whether they be cancer survivors or friends and families who have lost loved ones.”

The 2019 iteration of the event took off from the Ballantrae Centre in Markham on Sunday, where hundreds of cyclists weaved their way through a pair of courses that had participants reaching all stretches of York Region.

Both a 100-kilometre and 160-kilometre route were available, where another \$65,000 was raised to help send kids away to camp.

“We started it only six weeks after she passed away,” said Tobias. “So it was very personal, and it was very much a small event in the first year, and it’s grown from there.”

In the past, the Ride for Karen has raised funds for Camp Quality, a week-long camping experience for children battling the disease, as well as Camp Oochigeas and Camp Trillium. Funds have also been used to help build and furnish new cancer care facilities, provide much-needed resources for cancer support centres.

“Karen knew first-hand that hospitals were not a very positive environment in which to spend a lot of time,” according to the event’s website. “Karen wanted to make a difference and was dedicated to improving the quality of life of cancer patients with one goal in mind – improving hope – which she felt was a critical component of cancer care.”

A registered nurse, as well as a mother, grandmother, and wife, Karen was just 53 years old when she passed in July of 2002.

“We’re all about sending kids with cancer to camp,” said Tobias. “In terms of changing, we’ve added routes, we’ve tweaked things, but we’re very much the same family-run and volunteer-driven event. We’ve always been.”

And, even though the name of the game is charity, it’s always nice to get out on the York back roads with the sun shining.

“I think sometimes what people don’t realize, is all the nice secondary roads we have in Southern Ontario,” said Tobias. “There are busy roads, but there are so many nice, paved quiet roads, where you can just go out and have a great ride. And that’s really what we focus on.”



## Caledon opens ‘pump track’

Alton Park is now home to a brand new BMX and multi use pump track.

But – what, exactly, is a pump track?

A pump track is a continuous loop of dirt berms and smooth dirt mounds that people can ride without pedaling. Cyclists of all ages and skill levels can ride any pump track.

“A lot of people had spots in the community that were unsanctioned, it got to the point where municipalities and the riders started to have to work together to create legitimate sanction facilities in our communities,” said Chris Dewar, president of Transitions Bike Parks Inc. “And that’s where I saw an opportunity to be involved, from a rider and volunteer standpoint, and then eventually I got more and more involved”

Recently, the Town of Caledon and the Alton Village Association and Lynx & Hare Cycles held a grand opening for the Alton Village Pump Track.

A spokesperson from the Town’s recreation department said this location was not the only one being considered for a pump track, however the Alton community responded so well to the idea, the Town decided to build the pump track in Alton, just south of Orangeville.

Transition Bike Parks Inc. offers professional experience in a variety of projects for stakeholders. From the design and development of public municipal bike parks to full-scale XC trail systems.

Transition Bike Parks designed the track in 2016 and construction began in 2018 by TDI International AG Inc., and was completed this summer. There are two tracks that were built, the main track and the junior loop. The junior loop is for young children and is 25 metres in length whereas the main track is 175 metres in length.

“We didn’t grow up with things like this. This is only the sixth municipal asphalt track in Ontario and I think this is the way of the future. The maintenance and traction that you get with asphalt is superior to any other product,” said Dewar. “And, the cost per square foot is really low compared to tradition sports like hockey or baseball.”

Transition Bike Parks worked with New Line Skateparks on the design for a small skateboard park that is slated to begin construction in 2020. The skateboard park will be adjacent to the track.

Dewar started the company Transition Bike Parks 15 years ago and they have done many projects like this one, in other towns across Ontario. Last year they did a track in Stratford and another one near Trenton.



Riders converged on Spray Lake in King over the weekend for the annual Canadian Wakeboard National Championship, crowning winners in five different categories.

## National Wakeboard Championship hits Spray Lake in King Township

By Jake Courtepatte

Long known to draw in the best of the best, Spray Lake played host to the top wakeboarders and wake skaters in the nation last weekend in the annual Canadian National Wakeboard Championship.

Making use of both the boating area and the park’s unique straight line cable, riders competed for thousands of dollars in prize money over the four-day long event.

The large-scale event was supported by the provincial government’s “Sport Hosting Program,” designed to stimulate community growth through major sporting events. The program provided around \$18,000 to help fund the weekend.

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## Stage is set for inaugural Caledon Trail Fix relay run

By Mark Pavilons

Runners will get a chance to see Caledon's beauty first-hand at a unique cross-country trail run.

Trail Fix, Ontario's newest relay, arrives in Caledon Sept. 7.

Traversing most of Caledon, Trail Fix is a 110-kilometre point-to-point trail run relay for teams of four. The course connects Terra Cotta and Albion Hills conservation areas through 10 distinct stages, over 90% of which follow trail routes.

Race director Sean Roper of Storm Racing said the course involves a wide range of terrain types and team members split up the stages based on their running strengths and personal preferences.

Runners will alternate between the stages at 6 transition areas, transporting themselves to each in their designated team vehicle. Each member can expect to run roughly 22 to 32 kilometres.

By joining together trail systems from Terra Cotta, Silver Creek, Forks of the Credit and Albion Hills, Trail Fix will feature an amazing cross-section of trails into this one event. Runners will experience the beauty of the Caledon Trailway and Bruce Trail.

"The race has been specifically designed to appeal to a wide range of runners," Roper said. "Bordered by both the Niagara Escarpment and the Oak

Ridges Moraine, the course features a very diverse mix of terrain types, including Escarpment ridge running, open meadows, countryside rail trail, technical rock-hopping and smooth rolling single track. The idea behind Trail Fix was to create a relay course that offers something for all runner types, with each stage being different from the next."

Roper brought the Trail Fix concept to Town staff in the fall of 2018, having identified the potential offered by Caledon's vast array of trails and natural spaces.

Relay-style running events have seen a surge in popularity in recent years, but this will be the first of its kind to be hosted in Caledon.

Roper hopes that diverse terrain and trail types, combined with the many amenities offered through local businesses, will make for a truly unique trail running experience.

"The point-to-point format will not only expose participants to the area's many hidden-gem trails, but will also highlight the villages and communities through which the route passes."

The event also seeks to raise funds for the Caledon Hills chapter of the Bruce Trail Conservancy.

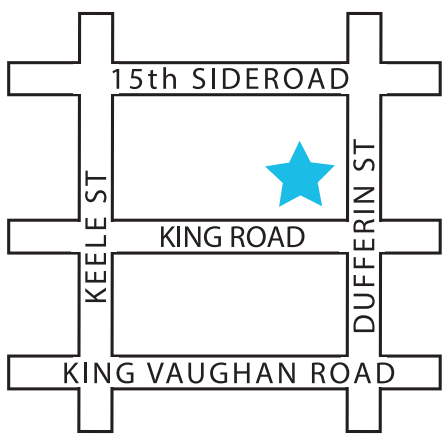
The race begins at 9 a.m. Sept. 7. Registration is still open, at [www.trailfix.ca](http://www.trailfix.ca). You can also call Storm Racing at 905-580-2767.

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# Schomberg Should Know

By Wendy-Sue Bishop  
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## Annual Country Run

The 9th annual Schomberg Country Run is being planned for Saturday, Sept. 28.

Proceeds from this run support the Clean Water Project in Pikangikum as well as the outreach ministry of the Parish of Lloydtown. This event is organized by the Anglican Parish of Lloydtown.

Run your best time if you prefer or make it a family event. Push the littlest ones in strollers while you run or walk.

This all starts at 118 Church St. The 1-km walk starts at 9 a.m. and the 5-km run starts at 9:30 a.m.

There are timed runs, draws and prizes and the event is dog friendly.

You can register through eventbrite or visit the church website at [www.anglicanparishoflloydtown.com](http://www.anglicanparishoflloydtown.com) or call the church office at 905-939-2314.

Anyone or any business is welcomed and encouraged to sponsor and/or donate towards this event and this can be done by contacting Karen Hope at 416-435-4742 or emailing her at [karen@goodyearphysio.com](mailto:karen@goodyearphysio.com) or calling Carol Ann Trabert at 416-559-7898.

Anyone wishing to volunteer is more than welcome and can contact any of the abovementioned.

Enjoy some good family and community fun, get some exercise and help raise funds for an excellent cause are all great reasons to come out to this 9th annual Schomberg Country Run on Sept. 28.

## Euchre night at Trisan

Your 50+ Senior Club of Schomberg is once again hosting a euchre night at the Trisan Centre on Friday, Sept. 6.

Doors open at 6:30 and the games go on from 7 to 10 p.m.

This all happens in the main level Room B and the Trisan can be found at 25 Dillane Drive. The cost is \$5 per player and light snacks and refreshments will be provided.

## Dufferin Marsh Monarch monitoring

The Dufferin Marsh Group encourages everyone to join them for their Monarch Monitoring Program in the Dufferin Marsh on Tuesday, Sept. 10 at 1 p.m.

Please meet at the shelter on Dr. Kay Drive, Schomberg and follow the trail from the bulletin board in the shelter in the marsh.

This is licensed as part of the international monitoring program and there will be capturing, tagging and releasing of Monarch butterflies.

This event is presented by the Nature Conservancy of Canada in partnership with the Dufferin Marsh Nature Connection.

For more information or to join the Dufferin Marsh Nature Connection, please contact Mary Asselstine at 905-939-7544 or visit [www.dufferinmarsh.ca](http://www.dufferinmarsh.ca)

## Schomberg United Church By Nancy Hopkinson

Regular Sunday services resume on Sunday, Sept. 1 at 9:30 a.m. at the Kitchen Bredon Manor. For the remainder of the month, the services will be at St. Mary Magdalene Church, lower level, for easy accessibility.

The Joint Affirm Committee (Chair Andrew Winter, Nobleton; Secretary Wendy Tushingham, Schomberg) will be meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 4 at 7 p.m. in Nobleton and on Tuesday, Oct. 15 at 7 p.m. at St. Mary Magdalene Church. We will be looking at a variety of areas that may be barriers to those coming to our churches. Our meetings are open to the public, so you are welcome to join us to voice your opinion or to listen to our discussion.

On Tuesday, Sept. 17 at 11:30 a.m., at the Seniors' Lunch, at St. Mary Magdalene Church, lower level, there will be entertainment first, followed by a delicious lunch of chicken & rice, brussel sprout/kale salad, with an apple dessert. Be sure to let Sheila Kelly (905-939-2315) know if you intend to come. Donations gratefully accepted.

The Joyful Spirits will start practicing again on Wednesday, Sept. 18 at 7 p.m. at Nobleton United. They will be preparing for Nobleton United Church's Anniversary on Sun. Nov. 3. The two songs planned are: "I'll Stand by You" by the Pretenders and "You are Mine" by David Haas. The Joyful Spirits practice with Dennis Kowal on

keyboard and Barry Simpson on guitar. If you play an instrument or if you like to sing, you are welcome to join them. This is a special occasion group.

Schomberg United meets at St. Mary Magdalene, 116 Church St., at 9:30 a.m. most Sundays, but at the Kitchen Bredon Manor usually on the first Sunday of the month. For more info, visit [nobletonunitedchurch.com](http://nobletonunitedchurch.com) and click on the Schomberg United link, or call 905-859-3976. Messages are picked up regularly.

## Anglican Parish By John Arnott

All our services begin with a prayer of acknowledgement that our Anglican Parish of Lloydtown stands on lands that once belonged to First Nations people.

"We acknowledge that we worship today on the lands of the Wendat and Asishinabek people and the Haudenosaunega Confederacy. All Southern Ontario falls under the Dish with One Spoon Wompom originally created by the Anishinaabe and Haudenosaunee Nations. The Dish with One Spoon Wompom focuses on stewardship and loving care of all the land water and people

of Great Lakes Basin and St. Lawrence Lowlands. In Jesus we have been given the gift of reconciliation. We pray God's mercy on the work of reconciliation in Canada. Amen

The Dish with One Spoon Wompom is a treaty area First Nations agreed to, recognizing they had only their lands (dish and spoon) to support them so they realized they had to take great care of it and share with others if they were going to survive. This is true today as we have only one dish, Earth, which we all must nurture and share. We here and now, like it or not, must forge a world wide unbreakable wompom to nourish and sustain our planet's limited resources such as the Amazon forests - our very survival depends on it.

This coming Sunday morning Sept. 1, there will be a combined parish service of Morning Prayer service at 10:30 a.m. in St. Mary Magdalene's 116 Church, Schomberg with Geoff Peat as Lay Reader. Then services, all at 10:30, will return to Christ Church, Kettleby for the remainder of September.

Sadly this Sunday we must say goodbye to our organist Elly Hollander who retires from active duty. She made a wonderful contribution to our weekly worship.

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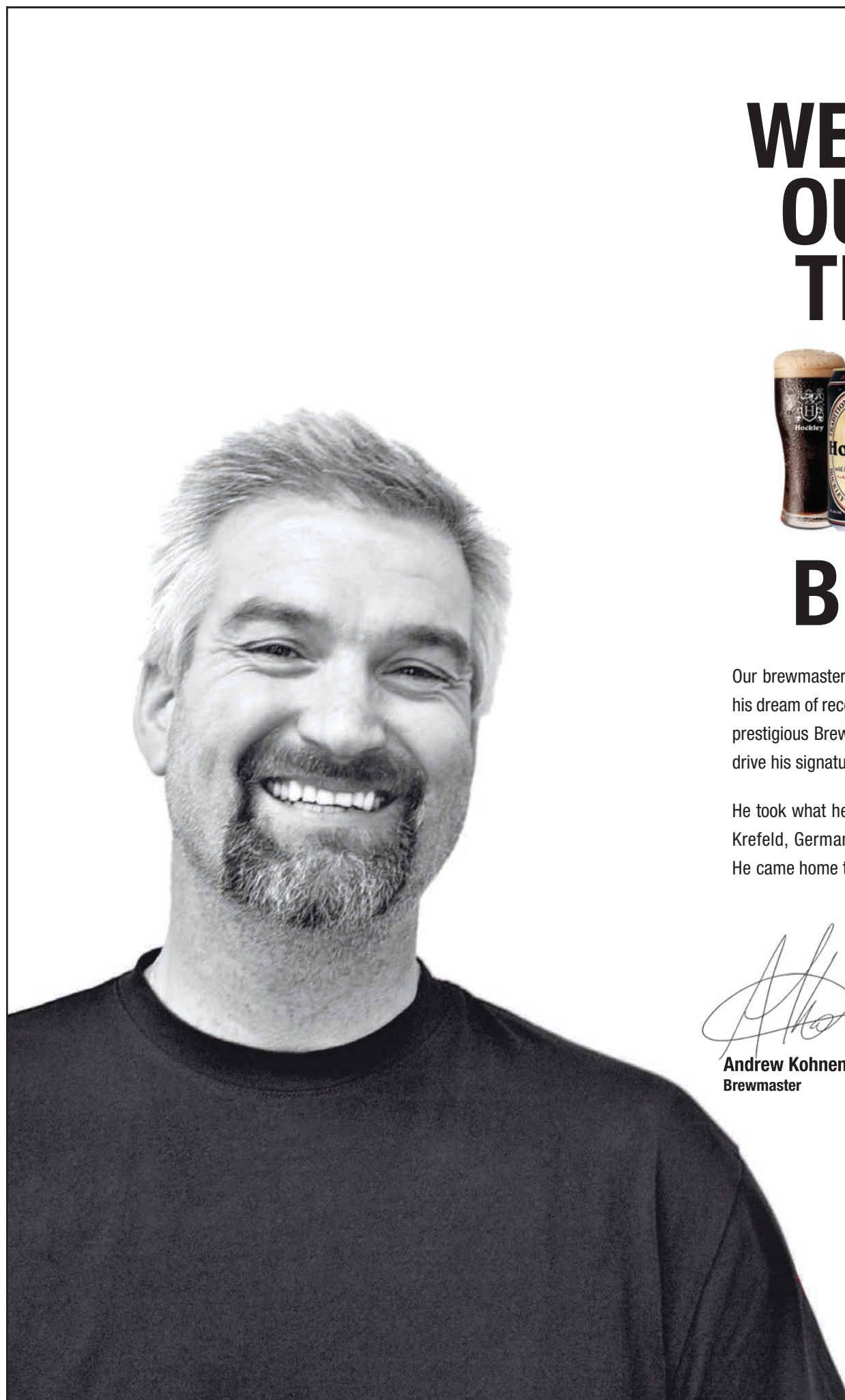


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## Nobleton Notes

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

This Sunday, Sept. 1, Jeff will lead us in worship. His message is titled "No Middle Man" based on John 16.16-33. We offer ministry to children aged 0 to 11 during worship. Following the service we always enjoy some delicious refreshments. Come and join us. You will be glad you did!

The first and third Tuesday of the month we have a group that gets together at 1 p.m. to do quilting. The second and fourth Tuesday of the month, the focus is on knitting. All handcrafted items are donated to various mission projects. Please join in if you enjoy handcrafts!

It is said that what goes into a mind comes out in a life. What you read, watch and listen to really matters! Our library continues to grow. We are excited to be adding many brand new non-fiction books, as well as new DVDs based on true life stories. You are welcome to borrow from our church

library, which contains many DVDs, books and CDs to help stretch and grow and encourage you.

Jeff's messages are posted at [www.passionatelyhis.com](http://www.passionatelyhis.com) each week. They are also available for viewing on Facebook Live, on the church's Facebook page (@stpaulsnobleton) and its YouTube page (search St. Paul's Church, Nobleton), and our website, [stpaulsnobleton.ca](http://stpaulsnobleton.ca). For more information about ANY of our activities or events, please contact the church office (905-859-0843) or visit [stpaulsnobleton.ca](http://stpaulsnobleton.ca).

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Mark your calendar for our next community dinner. The Harvest Dinner is on Thursday, Sept. 26. More info next week.

The next Messy Church will held on Tuesday, Oct. 22, from 5-7 p.m. It is for families, and the adults get as much out of the crafts and activities (5 to 6 p.m.) and the related Bible story (6 to 6:15 p.m.) as their children. Dinner is at 6:15 p.m. This free event is sponsored by Nobleton United Church. Donations are welcome.

The Craft and Bake Sale is on Saturday, Oct. 26, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. More info coming.

For more info, visit [nobletonunit-edchurch.com](http://nobletonunit-edchurch.com), our Facebook page, or

call 905-859-3976. The church office is normally open on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings. Messages are picked up regularly. Nobleton United, 6076 King Rd., is north of the King Rd., about 6 buildings west of Hwy. 27. We have a big parking lot at the rear, an accessible ramp, chair lifts and accessible washrooms. We warmly welcome everyone, old and young.

### Nobleton Tennis Club

Nobleton Tennis Club is inviting members of our community who are 50 years of age or older to join us and learn the game of tennis. We will introduce the game of tennis using green dot balls. Green dot balls play a little slower to accommodate the learning curve of players new to the game of tennis. This "Green Means Go" program will run Saturday, Sept. 14 from 10 a.m. to noon at the Nobleton tennis courts. Parking at the Nobleton arena and courts are just past the swimming pool. Please register with Karen at [karenwright@sympatico.ca](mailto:karenwright@sympatico.ca)

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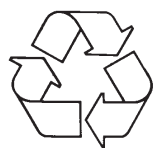
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**Nobleton Skating Club**

As the summer draws to a close, that means it's time to get back to the rink. Registration is now open for fall and winter skating sessions with the Nobleton Skating Club. Did you know that the Nobleton Skating Club has been teaching kids to skate for over 60 years? Our Canskate (learn to skate) sessions begin on Monday, Sept. 23. Canskate is offered Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays. Our Canskate groups are a maximum of 10 skaters, and skaters are with a coach the entire time.

We also offer Pre-Power and Power Skating on Fridays, and STARskate (figure skating) is offered Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays.

New this year, we are offering an intensive two week camp-style program as an intro to figure skating. If your skater is keen to get into figure skating and is close to the level to move up from Canskate, please inquire about our 2 week long intro program. It is 8 sessions, designed to show skaters about the transition from Canskate into STARskate, and get a taste of the elements of figure skating. Please email

us for more details, nobletonskatingclub@outlook.com.

We also offer Adult Learn classes on Saturday mornings, so it's a great opportunity for parents and their children to learn to skate at the same time. Registration is done online, so please visit our website, nobletonskatingclub.com for the full schedule and pricing details.

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**708 OBITUARIES**

**McGowan, Brenda**  
Peacefully passed away at Uxbridge Cottage Hospital on Wednesday, August 21, 2019 surrounded by her family and friends. Brenda McGowan (nee Wilson) of Uxbridge and formerly of Schomberg at 60 years of age. Beloved daughter of the late Jack and the late Marjorie Wilson. Dear sister of late Harold (late Frances), late Wayne (Donna) and late Brian. Dear aunt of Stephen, Kathryn, Marc and Michael and their families. Brenda will also be remembered by Michael McGowan. Friends will be received at Skwarchuk Funeral Home, 30 Simcoe Rd., Bradford (1-800-209-4803) for memorial visitation on Thursday, August 29, 2019 from 12 noon until the time of a celebration of Brenda's life at 1 p.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Comfie Cat Shelter or Golden Rescue.

**708 OBITUARIES**

**Richardson (Wilson): Deborah Marie "Debbie"**  
Peacefully after a courageous battle with Scleroderma at Guelph General Hospital on Saturday, August 24, 2019. Debbie (Wilson) in her 64th year, beloved mother of Tyler (Megan). Sadly missed by her many brothers, sisters, nieces, and nephews. A private family interment was held. The family wishes to invite friends and family to Celebrate Debbie's life at the Cliffside Hall of Rod Abrams Funeral Home, 1666 Tottenham Road, Tottenham, 905-936-3477 on Friday, August 30, 2019 from 11:00 am to 1:30 pm. Words of remembrance will be held at 12:00 pm. If desired donations in Debbie's memory can be made to the Scleroderma Society of Ontario at [www.sclerodermaontario.ca](http://www.sclerodermaontario.ca). [www.RodAbramsFuneralHome.com](http://www.RodAbramsFuneralHome.com)

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# King's Corners

**King City United**  
By Sheryl Sinka

Rev. Bruce is off for study leave and vacation and we invite you to visit one of our sister churches, York Pines United (3150 Loydton-Aurora Rd, Kettleby,) or New Hope United (9100 Jane St, Concord) if you are home. Our church office will remain open with regular hours.

The women's prayer group continues to meet at the Residences of Springhill at 80 Burns Blvd. on Tuesday mornings. The condo community is on the south side of King Road and meetings are in the small dining room on the main floor. Departure time is optional but please try to arrive just before 9 so as to be let in. Prayer is powerful and whether it is illness, anxiety or life situations for yourself or someone else, consider adding your voice to this ministry. For more information contact Deana at 905-

833-5375.

Tea and talk meets on Friday mornings at the Sunset Grill (1700 King Rd.) at 10 a.m. All are welcome to come out and join in a cup of coffee or tea and some conversation. If you have any questions please contact the church office at 905-833-5181.

Check out our website at [kcuc.net](http://kcuc.net)

Worship at King City United will resume on Sept. 8. We hope to see you then.

## King Bible Church

Please join us on Sunday, Sept. 1 as Pastor Mark will be completing our Identity series with "Secure."

During the summer all the children (except for nursery) will stay upstairs with their parents for the beginning of the service.

Then those who just completed Grade 4 and younger will be dismissed as usual to go downstairs for their program.

There will be activity booklets for the older kids in the service.

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Join us for our fall kick-off service on Sunday, Sept. 8.

We are excited to welcome everyone back after the summer and re-start our KBC Ministries! We will be having a Ministry Fair to highlight our church ministries and events! Come and join us!

You can find us at 1555 King Rd. King City (at King Rd. & Dufferin), 905-833-5104, visit [www.kingbiblechurch.com](http://www.kingbiblechurch.com) or email [info@kingbiblechurch.com](mailto:info@kingbiblechurch.com)

## St. Andrew's

  
By Kathy Patterson

St. Andrew's shares the love of Jesus in the community and beyond!

Sunday worship for the family is at 10:30 a.m. Join us this Labour Day weekend, Sunday, Sept. 1. Alison Agnew will lead us in worship and conclude the sermon series on Peter as we look at II Peter. We have been so blessed to have Alison and look forward to when other visits to St. Andrew's are possible.

Lynn Vissers will be back September 8 and The Welcome Back BBQ is September 15 following the worship service. All are welcome! Sunday school will be starting up for school-aged children up to age 12. Watch for more info re Messy Church and other programs.

Sunday evenings Niyazi Bilgen, a pastor with The Greater Grace Fellowship leads a Bible Study starting at 5 p.m. in the lounge. Refreshments follow and all are welcome. Call 416-878-8499.

Tuesday mornings from 9 to 10 a.m. the Women's Prayer Circle continues to meet throughout the summer at 80 Burns Blvd. What a wonderful way to

start your day. Take time to meet with Him wherever you find yourself this summer. (Philippians 4: 6 & 7)

While Lynn is on vacation, for pastoral care contact our Interim Moderator, the Rev. Paul Johnston, 705-341-7738 or speak to one of the Elders. The office number is 905-833-2325. We are located at 13190 Keele St., 2 blocks north of the King Rd. [www.standrews-kingcity.ca](http://www.standrews-kingcity.ca)

## All Saints Anglican Church

  
By Patrick Gossage

A Prayer for the health of God's Creation - God our creator, as we reflect on the mystery of our fragile planet we celebrate the wonders of the earth as our home. Help us to discern how we have polluted our planet and to empathize with the groaning of creation. Teach us to sense your presence pulsing through the earth as a living green and blue sanctuary. Teach us to love the earth as our home and to be faithful custodians of your creation for the future.

Words to live by - the Gospel last Sunday in Luke 12 told of Jesus healing a crippled woman in the synagogue on the sabbath and the indignation of the Jewish leaders since their law said you could do nothing on the sabbath.

Rev. Claire said the story was more about breaking rules than healing and that Jesus was all about breaking rules. She quoted Jesus in Mark 7, 8: "You abandon the commandments of God and hold to human tradition."

She asked if we are different from the synagogue congregation. "The challenge for the church is to be in relationship with people like the crippled woman." She might just be the misunderstood person in the back pew.

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## King City Senior's Centre activities

By Carol Kanitz

Did you miss signing up for the trip to Welland and the Showboat Theatre? The Travel Club ladies will take your reservation until tomorrow (Friday, Aug. 30). So, call Agnes at 905-841-7390 or Jayne at 905-853-1436.

Come over to the Centre on Wednesday, Sept. 4 between 9:30 a.m. and noon to renew your membership and sign up for fall events. Remember that new members are very welcome. Come out and see what we are up to. We definitely have the welcome mat out for you.

Our annual corn roast (with entertainment) is scheduled for Friday, Sept. 27 from 4 to 6 p.m. Tickets are now available from Mary at 905-833-0448. (Adults \$10, children \$5.) Don't miss out on this great start to the fall season.

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"Do we know their story?" she asked. But, "We don't like anything that disturbs our ritual." Jesus stopped in the middle of the sermon to heal a woman who came forward who was not just bent but had a spirit that crippled her. The leaders objected. We are all captives of rituals, especially at church. We should have the freedom to worship God each in our own way. We must free ourselves from tyranny, oppression, abuse and discrimination so we can state with Martin Luther King, "Free at last, free at last thank God almighty I am free at last."

"We need to take a long look at what we are in bondage to and to see that the only true bondage is the bond of love."

**Horticulture**  
By John Arnott

And there they were as bold as brass staring me in the face in my own garden. After 3, no maybe years 4 years, I have teasels. And they're 3 to 6 ft./ 1 to 2 m tall!

I'm amazed to think how these biennials native to Eurasia and North Africa where they have been resident for thousands of years made their way as respected immigrants though sometimes unwanted stowaways with European settlers to the temperate Americas in colonial times then escaping the garden walls to take up new residence in the wild fields and edge of woods beyond and now into my garden some 300 years later!

There are some 15 species of what botanists call dipsacus, from the Greek word dipsa for thirst referring to rain that gets caught where the base of the leaves that grow alternately out of the

sturdy stems form little cups from which small birds and insects can drink.

The most common species in our area is d. fullonum, Latin for fuller or carder. The dry seed heads of this species once free of seeds have long been used for teasing/carding and cleaning wool and other natural cloth making fibres hence a reason settlers brought it with them. Even today though metal carding combs are used in big operations many home weavers still use teasel for raising the nap on cloth as the teasel breaks if it hits a snag or rough patch whereas the metal comb will tear the cloth. This dipsacus is also known as d. sylvestris, Latin for of the woods as it can be found at the open edge of the bush or in bush clearings. The banks on either side of Mount Wolfe Rd. where crosses King Rd. near Bolton always has noticeable stands of fuller's teasel.

Being a biennial, teasel grows root and leaves the first year. In this plant's case a whorl/circle of 3 to 4 in./8 to 10 cm crinkly, bright green ground level leaves held in soil by a long tough carrot like tap root out of which many fibrous (stringy) roots grow. The following year the stem and stem leaves grow. Each main stem produces an egg shaped flowerhead that holds many tiny pinkish mauve trumpet shaped florets each with a tiny dark pink dot on its lower lip. Green very slim, sharp, modified leaves called bracts cup each flowerhead with a tuft of the same topping every head giving it a thistle like appearance.

This teasel has an unusual way of blooming as instead of flowering from the bottom of the flowerhead up or from the top to the bottom flowers appear in a ring around the middle of the flowerhead then start to flower up and down. But when the middle blooms die

it leaves just an upper ring and a lower ring of pink-mauve florets! Both bees and butterflies are attracted to teasels.

Much of the teasel plant including stem and flower/seed head is prickly with each leaf having the main vein on its underside holding a ridge of prickles. Second year leaves near the ground can be 6 to 8 in./15 to 20 cm long or longer with leaves becoming smaller the higher they grow.

Teasel root has been used by skilled practitioners of herbal medicine to

treat minor cuts and abrasions, psoriasis and Lyme disease.

In some places teasel is seen as invasive but have found they're easy to control And they add a dramatic touch to the garden.

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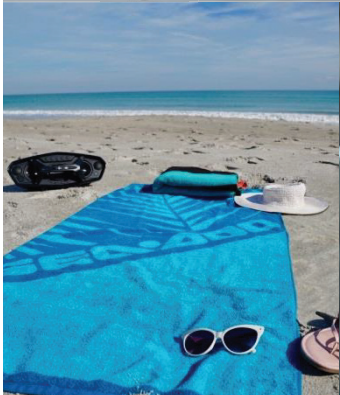
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