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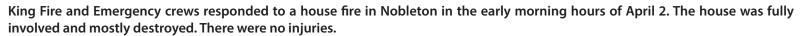
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# Nobleton home was destroyed by fire

King Fire and Emergency Services personnel respond- off the Nobleton station in case any of any other incidents ed to a fully involved structure fire on Wedgeport Court in the village of Nobleton in the early morning hours of April 2.

The call was received at 2:30 a.m. and the fire was confirmed shortly after by York Regional Police who happened to be patrolling nearby.

The initial call stated the fire was in the garage although at this time the cause of the fire is still under investigation.

Five occupants in the home self-evacuated and there were no injuries.

King Fire and Emergency Services had seven units on scene and a total of 30 staff. As is standard procedure in fires like this, vehicles and staff at King's two other stations in King City and Schomberg were prepared to cover

in the Township.

As a result of the fire, the roof was burned off and there was extensive damage throughout the entire structure. Although the remains of the structure are still standing, they will need to be assessed by structural engineers to determine the extent of the damage. Three vehicles were also damaged.

Due to the efforts of King Fire and Emergency Services personnel there was minimal damage to the homes to the immediate east and west of the burned-out home.

The Office of the Fire Marshal (OFM) has been notified and is expected to attend the scene this morning.

King Township's Fire Chief Jim Wall thanked his staff, York Regional Police and York Region paramedics for working together at the scene.

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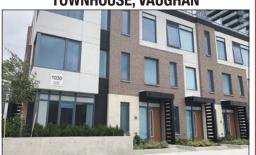




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# **KING**



# **UPCOMING MEETINGS**

# **COUNCIL AND COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

Monday, April 11

6 pm – Council and Committee of the Whole Virtual meeting live streamed at <u>http://king.ca/meetings</u>

Monday, April 25 6 pm – Council and Committee of the Whole

Virtual meeting live streamed at <u>http://king.ca/meetings</u>

To view full Council and Committee of the Whole agendas, visit <u>king.civicweb.net</u>

## **COMMITTEES AND BOARDS**

### Thursday, April 7

**6 pm –** Heritage Advisory Committee (Virtual Meeting – Not Live-Streamed). If you wish to participate in the meeting virtually, register by emailing <u>cpang@king.ca</u> by 12 pm (noon) on the day of the meeting.

## Tuesday, April 12

**11 a.m.** – Accessibility Advisory Committee (Virtual Meeting – Not Live-Streamed). If you wish to participate in the meeting virtually, register by emailing <u>dmoratto@king.ca</u> by 10 am on the day of the meeting.

### Thursday, April 14

**3 pm -** Holland Marsh Drainage System Joint Municipal Services Board. Electronic Meeting

### Tuesday, April 19

6 pm – King Township Public Library Board (virtual meeting)

### Wednesday, April 20

6 pm – Committee of Adjustment (virtual meeting)

### Wednesday, April 27

6 pm – Sustainability Advisory Committee (Virtual Meeting – Not Live-Streamed). If you wish to participate in the meeting virtually, register by email at <u>solivieri@king.ca</u> by 12pm (noon) on the day of the meeting.

# **BID NOTICES**

For all bid opportunities, please visit <u>https://king.bidsandtenders.ca/Module/Tenders/en</u>

# **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

# PUBLIC NOTICES

# NOTICE OF PUBLIC PLANNING MEETING CONCERNING A PROPOSED ZONING BY- LAW AMENDMENT APPLICATION

Monday, May 2nd, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.

(Electronic Meeting pursuant to Section 238(3.1)(3.3) of the Municipal Act, 2001).

At this time, Council/Committee meetings are being held virtually. This will be an electronic meeting held remotely and live streamed via <a href="https://www.king.ca/meetings">https://www.king.ca/meetings</a>

The public are invited to remotely attend the Virtual Public Planning Meeting to receive information and provide comments on the proposed Zoning By-law Amendment application, concerning a property located at 326 Main Street, Schomberg, in the Township of King in accordance with Section 34 of the *Planning Act, R.S.O.* 1990, Chapter P.13, as amended.

## Subject Property

Location:	326 Main Street, Schomberg, ON			
Owner:	Marcor Realty Inc.			
Agent:	Martin Quarcoopome			
	Weston Consulting Group Inc			
File Numbers:	Z-2021-14 and SPD-21-106			
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Staff Report: The staff report will be available at <u>www.king.ca</u> on the Thursday prior to the meeting date.

The proposed Zoning By-law Amendment submitted by Weston Consulting Group Inc. on behalf of the owner, Marcor Realty Ltd., under Planning File Z-2021-14 concerns a property on the east side of Main Street, approximately 95 metres south of Doctor Kay Drive in the Village of Schomberg. The subject property measures 0.81 hectares (2.0 acre) with 31.2 metres of frontage on Main Street and currently supports a dwelling, a barn, a pool and several sheds. A Site plan Development Application has been submitted (SPD-21-106).

### What Is The Proposed Amendment?

The application proposes to amend the Schomberg and King City Urban Areas By-law 2017-66, as amended, to facilitate the development of a 6-storey apartment building with a total of 73 residential units, a floor space index of 1.047 and a total of 111 parking spaces, including 76 underground spaces. The application also proposes to convert the existing heritage dwelling for commercial uses measuring 171 square metres over two storeys. The Amendment proposes to establish a Core Area – Exception zone (CAS-xx) to establish an increased building height, to permit front yard parking, to permit main floor apartment units, and other zone provisions.

Any person may attend the virtual public meeting and/or make written or verbal representation either in support of or in opposition to the proposed Zoning By-law Amendment. Written comments will become part of the public record.

### Lead Planner

The proposed Zoning By-law Amendment including supporting information, are available by contacting Paul Kulyk, Planner II, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., with reference to the address or file numbers for more information. Written comments in advance of the staff report being published may be sent to:

# Paul Kulyk, Planner II

Email: pkulyk@king.ca Telephone: (905) 833-4063

## How to Participate in the Virtual Public Meeting

- 1) VIEW THE MEETING live virtually at https://www.king.ca/meetings. No pre-registration is required.
- SUBMIT WRITTEN COMMENTS to the Township Clerk at <u>clerks@king.ca</u> by 12:00 p.m. (noon) on the day of the meeting. Comments will form part of the public record and will be circulated to Council and the Planning Division.
  - SPEAK TO COUNCIL remotely (by audio-telephone) by pre-registering with the Clerk's Division at 905-833-4068 or email clerks@king.ca

### Please visit the Township website at <u>www.king.ca</u> for employment opportunities.

- Recreation League Convener (Seasonal, Part time) Deadline April 8
- Manager of Budget and Financial Reporting Deputy Treasurer (12-Month Contract; 6 months F/T hours, 6 months P/T hours) – Deadline April 13
- Seasonal Aquatics Positions (Aquatics Manager, Aquatics Supervisor, Lifeguard/Instructor) – Deadline April 13
- Seasonal Camp Positions (Camp Director, Camp Program Coordinator, Inclusion Program Coordinator, Camp Counsellor, Inclusion Camp Counsellor) – Deadline April 13
- Outdoor Program Facilitator (Seasonal, Part time) Deadline April 13
- General Program Instructor (Seasonal, Part time) Deadline April 13
- Specialized Program Instructor (Seasonal, Part time) Deadline April 13

# REMINDERS

# **Half-load Restrictions**

The annual half-load period to limit vehicle weights to 5,000 kg per axle starts on designated Township roads effective March 1, 2022 to May 31, 2022 per our By-law 2017-103. For further information call 905-833-5321 or visit or visit <u>www.king.ca/roads</u>.

# **COMMUNITY SERVICES**



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no later than 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Monday, May 2nd, 2022. Provide your full name, address, telephone number and the item you wish to speak to. Upon receipt of your registration, you will receive a confirmation email with instructions for participating by telephone. All comments addressed to Council will form part of the public record.

### How To Stay Informed

If you wish to be notified of the decision of Council of the Township of King regarding the proposed Zoning By-law Amendment and, you must make a written request to the Clerk of the Township of King, 2585 King Road, King City, ON L7B 1A1, or by email at <u>clerks@king.ca</u>.

### Appeal Procedure

3)

If a person or public body that would otherwise have an ability to appeal the decision of the Council of the Corporation of the Township of King to the Ontario Land Tribunal ("OLT"), does not make oral submissions at a virtual public meeting (or participate virtually if the meetings continue in a virtual manner) or make written submissions to the Township of King before the Zoning By-law Amendment is passed, the person or public body is not entitled to appeal the decision.

If a person or public body does not make oral submissions at a virtual public meeting, (or participate virtually if the meetings continue in a virtual manner) or make written submissions to the Township of King before the proposed Zoning By-law Amendment is passed, the person or public body may not be added as a party to the hearing of an appeal before the Ontario Land Tribunal ("OLT") unless, in the opinion of the Board, there are reasonable grounds to do so.



### Dated at the Township of King this 7th day of April, 2022.

Kathryn Moyle Director of Corporate Services Township Clerk Township of King 2585 King Road, King City, ON L7B 1A1 (905) 833-4018

Comments and personal information (PI) are being collected in accordance with the requirements of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990 c.P.13 as amended, and become part of the decision making process of the application as noted on this form, also become part of the public record. Should you have any questions or concerns with regard to the collection of personal information (PI), please contact the Planning Department, Township of King at (905) 833-5321.

# **COMMUNITY SERVICES**



# King Township provides input into York Official Plan

### **By Mark Pavilons** Editor

While generally supportive of York Region's revamped Official Plan, King Township staff and council want to retain local planning authority.

York has been updatings its OP through what's called the Municipal Comprehensive Review (MCR) process and part of that involves getting input from municipalities.

The updated York Region Official Plan will guide growth throughout the Region to the year 2051 and will bring the Region's Official Plan into alignment and conformity with Provincial Plans. The Township must then bring the Our King Official Plan into conformity with the Region's no later than one year from the date that the Province approves the Region's Official Plan.

The Province's "A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe" (Growth Plan) sets out the population and employment forecasts for Regional and single-tier municipalities that are within the designated growth areas in the Greater Golden Horseshoe (GGH). The Growth Plan requires upper- and single-tier municipalities to plan to achieve these forecasts within their jurisdiction.

York Region is forecasted to grow to a population of 2.02 million people and 990,000 jobs by 2051. This represents a growth of approximately 800,000 people and 345,000 jobs between 2021 and 2051, which is the highest proportion of growth in the GGH.

The draft forecast and lands needs assessment pegged growth for King to hit a population of 49,600 and 16,400 jobs by 2051. The draft also contains a proposed target of 35% intensification and a goal of 30 residents and jobs per hectare.

The ROP places priority on building complete communities, sustainable growth initiatives and ensuring financial responsibility.

In terms of land use designation, Schomberg, King City and Nobleton remain as towns and villages in community areas of the ROP.

The plan also identifies "local centres and corridors" and "major transit station area – other" in King with the latter in King City.

The draft plan also predicts 750 rental units be built in King by 2051 and a density of 55 jobs per hectare within King City. That target drops to 25 jobs per hectare in Nobleton and Schomberg. The plan also sees a minimum intensification of 4,600 new residential units

Local municipalities, according to York, are encouraged to plan for these densities.

Employment targets are pegged to be concentrated in King City and adjacent to Highway 400. They're geared toward commercial, retail and other services or knowledge-based uses.

The ROP does identify specialty crop areas, agriculture, rural areas and the Holland Marsh area.

King staff have looked at specifics in the ROP and how they will impact King's future planning. Forecasts are provided in 10-year increments.

Medium density development, commonly referred to as the "missing middle," provides for a wide range of housing types and directs them to the villages.

While King staff are largely supportive of the ROP recommendations, they note it's critical for York to ensure policy framework provides for the appropriate local planning process to occur, and that infrastructure such as water and sewers be provided in a timely manner.

Future growth in King will be directed to the villages, staying away from whitebelt lands.

King will have to conduct a review and studies to see just where growth can be accommodated in the three villages.

A section of the ROP calls on any urban boundary expansions to be done through a Regional review. King staff contend this may hinder local authority and they want the Region to revise should be made at the local level.

this, allowing urban uses to be at the municipality's discretion.

King staff also ask that York considers adding provisions for the sustainability of complete communities and community areas.

They want additional flexibility built in to these provisions to encourage environmental protection. They also want the ROP to include tools for creating a green development standards program, including bylaws and incentives.

Township staff also want the definitions widened for agri-tourism opportunities.

The bottom line is King wants to ensure planning control at the local level is not hindered.

Mayor Steve Pellegrini noted it's much better to have control in our own hands. While some residents may not want further intensification, he said it's up to council to balance the wants and needs.

He pointed out that King has completed its own OP and has not increased local settlement areas or boundaries one inch.

"We want a King solution, not a York one," the mayor observed.

Steve Naylor said staff recommendations provide for grater flexibility and local options.

The conformity exercise will continue over the next 12 to 18 months, which will include public input.

Councillor Bill Cober stressed that local autonomy is very important. Development pressures will continue in years to come and major decisions



received between \$150,001 and \$200,000 and 36 received between \$200,001 and www.king.ca



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# NOTICE OF COMPLETE APPLICATION **CONCERNING A PROPOSED OFFICIAL PLAN** AMENDMENT AND ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT

York Region staffers make over \$300k

**By Mark Pavilons** 

**Editor** 

According to the annual "Sunshine List" – those civil servants earning

Topping the list as Medical Officer of Health Karim Kurji, who brought

Following Kurji was Director Corporate Communications Patrick Casey,

Associate Medical Officer of Health Fareen Karachiwalla rounded out the

Among the 1,445 employees, 442 received earnings between \$100,000 and \$110,000 followed by 746 who received between \$110,001 and \$150,000. Some 215

who had annual earnings of \$330,512.11. Chief Administrative Officer Bruce Macgregor made \$328,100.24 and Associate Medical Officer of Health John

\$100,000 or more annually – York Region had 1,445 staff in that category, pull-

Running the Region of York is a costly undertaking.

ing in a combined \$186.27 million in 2021.

top-five highest-paid employees, with \$288,772.39.

home \$379,720.66 in 2021.

\$250,000.

Richard Gould made \$307,413.22.

The Township of King has received applications to amend the King City Community Plan (OPA540) and the Schomberg and King City Zoning By-law 2017-66 to provide for the re-development of the subject property consisting of a 6-storey building containing 78 residential units with a floor space index of 2.38, submitted to the Township of King in accordance with Sections 17 and 34 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter P.13, as amended.

The Township has determined that the applications are considered complete, and the Planning Division has commenced processing. We welcome your comments regarding these applications.

# SUBJECT PROPERTY

12734 Keele Street, King City Reg. Plan 84, Lots 38 to 40 KeeleOne Developments Limited Applicant & Agent: Humphries Planning Group Inc.

Township File No.'s: OP-2022-01 & Z-2022-03

# PROPOSAL

Location:

Owner:

The subject applications propose to amend the King City Community Plan (OPA540) and the Schomberg and King City Zoning By-law 2017-66 to provide for a re-development of the subject lands proposing a 6-storey residential apartment building containing a total of 78 units and 126 parking spaces.

At such time as a public meeting is scheduled in accordance with the Planning Act, the Township of King will provide further notice specifying the date and time of the meeting. Any person may attend the public meeting (or participate virtually if the meetings continue in a virtual manner), and/or make written or verbal representation either in support of or in opposition to the proposed official plan amendment or zoning by-law amendment.

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

A copy of the proposed Official Plan Amendment and Zoning By-law Amendment applications as well as related background and supporting information, are available for inspection by contacting Paul Kulyk, Planner II at pkulyk@king.ca or by telephone at 905-833-5321, ext. 4063, quoting File Numbers OP-2022-01 and Z-2022-



03 (12734 Keele Street). Written comments may be emailed or personally delivered to the Planning Division and will become part of the public record.

Dated at the Township of King this 7th day of April, 2022.

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# 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



# Frugality becomes a necessity these days

"I think when you're spending 16 hours of every day to pay your rent and get food, I just don't see where there's time outside of that to be creative and make things."

- Jake Shears

They say a fool and his money are soon parted.

While consumer spending is integral to keeping the wheels of our economy turning, there comes a point where frugality must step in.

My dad was known for being what we call "cheap," and yet, I find the older I get, the more "frugal" I become. It's a much nicer word!

When I was in my 20s, money didn't flow freely, but I was able to pretty much buy whatever I needed. Of course, there were times I had to make withdrawals from the Bank of Mom and Dad.

Our parents always put food on the table and in hindsight, there's nothing like a great, home-cooked meal. The moms of the world need to be acknowledged because everything they made, they added a little extra TLC.

When co-workers stopped by for a meal, during our long over-night shifts, they were amazed at the dishes my mom served. They just couldn't believe we ate this all the time.

They say everything is relative. Maybe it was, once. Groceries never seemed to be expensive when I was growing up, and Mom made sure we always had treats.

When I dove into my career, I earned a regular pay cheque, some of which was regularly spent on "entertainment."

But I always had money for bills, gas and incidentals.



**Mark Pavilons** 

salary rose, so did the price of all consumer goods. Most of you will know that currently, we're faced with some fairly substantial price hikes in almost every conceivable product.

I join my wife for our weekly grocery shopping duties and both of us have been taken aback by recent price hikes. They say the pandemic, supply chain issues and the rising cost of fuel are to blame.

When did a pound of butter hit the \$7 mark? Why are potato chip bags constantly shrinking? And when did the price of beef rival that of truffles?

I see more and more shoppers using credit cards, so I don't know if that's a bad thing or not.

I'm not sure if all 20-somethings are in the same category, but I understand As years went on, even though my that clubs, with rented booths and bot-

tle service are quite popular. A booth in price. But there's a catch. To get that one of the clubs can run you upwards of price, you have to buy 2 or more, some-\$1,000 and bottles cost around \$350 each. times 4 of more. Not much of a deal, is

Now, I don't know where young people are getting this kind of dough, but it's unbelievable. Sure, you always pay a premium at a nice bar or restaurant, but come on. Who, in their right mind, would pay 10 times for an average bottle but my wife always glances over the bill of liquor?

Hey, perhaps it's a way to curb impaired driving – at these prices who can afford to have more than one drink? But back to groceries.

Sure, I understand the pandemic has

really altered supply chain economics and given today's cost of fuel, prices are bound to soar.

We're all looking at the same shelves, so a wise shopper is a happy one.

It's not necessarily the grocery stores or chains themselves. Follow the money, as they say, and the increases start at the source.

The classic buy-one-get-one-free (BOGO) offer is a popular one. But while real deals can be great, more often they're just marketing ploys to snatch more of your money.

Do the math, people. If you spend more on two and only need one, where's the savings?

Also, pay attention to package weight. my column. Buying the larger size (such as cheese bars) may not actually save you money, ing for bargains and stretching our especially when the smaller ones are on sale.

In recent years, potato chip bags have shrunk considerably. When buying bacon or deli, check the gram weight.

When things are offered at a special price, like butter or canned goods for instance, buy as many as you can. Stock up!

al prices and compare before you put something in your basket.

store shelves loudly announce a special expensive one.

it?

Weekly specials and flyer deals may only offers savings of 10 cents. What's the point?

I've never been much of a bill checker, after checkout. She wants to make sure some items went in at the sale price, and that price-matched items were entered correctly.

Prudent.

I also love packaging that announces "new and improved" or higher quality products.

These are especially funny on pet food. I'd like to know who tests the "new and improved" flavours.

Also be careful at checkout. I've noticed in many stores – not just grocery stores - that junk food and "impulse buy" items are conveniently located as you leave the store. They are meant to tempt you to buy on your way out.

When my wife and I price match grocery items, we estimate we save roughly \$30 per week. May not seem like a lot, but that's \$120 per month, or \$1,500 per vear.

Now, back to the quote at the top of

When we're so busy shopping, lookdollars, it leaves little time for self improvement.

If we're constantly stressed every time we head out the door for some errands, or stop at the gas station, how does that impact our overall health?

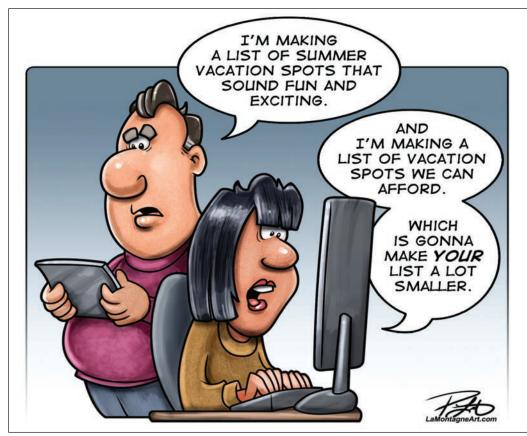
I'm getting crusty in my old age. I often grumble under my breath and the feeling that I'm constantly getting Take your time, look at individu- ripped off weighs heavy on my shoulders.

This is not the land of milk and hon-Lately, brightly coloured stickers on ey. It's a great country, to be sure, but an

# Letter to the Editor Citizens have responsibilities, too

The following letter, to Moiz Karimiee, a deputy crown prosecutor representing the Crown at the bail hearings for some of the Freedom Convoy protestors, was submitted to the Weekly Sentinel.

Good day Mr. Karimjee,



I hope that this communication is not in any way inappropriate. If it is, I apologize.

I write with regard to the upcoming trials of various individuals involved with the so-called Freedom Convoy to, with respect sir, present a suggestion for you to consider in your submission to the presiding judge with regard to sentencing.

I make this suggestion because of comments I've heard on the media from protesters, because I've read part of the Memorandum of Understanding prepared by the organizers, and because I heard an Ottawa lawyer commenting on the bail proceedings for the accused, referring to them as the most bizarre hearings he had ever attended.

Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada provides new immigrants to Canada with a 66 page Study Guide entitled Discover Canada: The Rights and Responsibilities of Citizenship, which is the official study guide for the Canadian citizenship test. The Guide is also available on-line at https://www.canada.ca/ en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/corporate/publications-manuals/discover-canada.html.

I respectfully suggest, sir, that one of the conditions of sentencing should be that the accused read this Study Guide from cover to cover and that they sit for and successfully pass the test. I am not in any way suggesting that their citizenship should in any way be tied to a successful outcome, only that they must pass the test as part of their sentence.

Thank you for your consideration of this suggestion. As I opened by saying, I hope that my contacting you with the suggestion is not inappropriate.





# Quote of the Week

"An apology offered and, equally important, received is a step towards reconciliation and, sometimes, recompense.

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— Margaret Macillan
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# **Trivia Tidbits**

A cat has 32 muscles in each ear. And a crocodile cannot stick out its tongue.



# **Density done right: the Missing Middle explored**

### By J. Bruce Craig

As many of us are hearing the news and observing changes in our communities, the question of how we provide suitable, affordable housing that blends well into our established neighbourhoods and accommodates growing population is an important question.

The answer is relatively complex, however, there are forward-looking approaches to planning that are emerging which provide a significant portion of the solution.

For the past 70 years in Ontario, planning has most often been characterized by sprawling, single-detached subdivisions gobbling up prime productive farmland and placing people a long way from amenities and employment. The car has become king, and many of us spend significant amounts of time in gridlock and long commutes while adding more and more carbon and GHGs to the atmosphere.

# Comment

"Intensification" within our existing communities and urban areas is the buzz word around planning these days, and this can take a variety of forms, some more positive than others.

On the opposite extreme of low density, car-dependent urban sprawl is what might be called "over-development" with extremely high intensification made up of crowded clusters of high-rise condo-apartments and limited open, green space. Do these super dense urban communities provide a liveable, healthy place for residents? What makes for complete communities that contribute to health and well-being?

As municipalities seek to accommodate future residents and conserve remaining farmland and thriving natural heritage systems, some form of intensification within urban settle-

# Politicians' salaries vary across province

### By Mark Pavilons Editor

With the release of the salaries of Ontario civil servants (under the Salary Disclosure Act), it's evident that politicians' salaries vary widely.

Leading the way is Ontario Premier Doug Ford, who earned \$208,974 in 2021. By comparison, Toronto Mayor John Tory was paid \$197,316.

Here in York, Vaughan Mayor Maurizio Bevilacqua earned \$194,119.58 last year. Markham Mayor Frank Scarpitti was paid \$253,416.08.

King-Vaughan MPP and Education Minister, Stephen Lecce earned \$165,851.04, the same as Health Minister Christine Elliott.

King's Mayor Steve Pellegrini made \$152,556.23.

Brampton Mayor Patrick Brown pulled in \$146,208.13, slightly better than Mississauga Mayor Bonnie Crombie who was paid \$144,294.80.

Oakville Mayor Rob Burton made \$187,458.86, slightly ahead of Burlington Mayor Marianne Meed Ward (\$187,076.96).

Ottawa Mayor Jim Watson pulled in \$188,996.08, while Windsor Mayor Drew Dilkens made \$199,203.92.

Hamilton Mayor Fred Eisenberger was paid \$193,621.09, while Niagara Falls Mayor Jim Diodati earned \$116,946.08. Barrie Mayor Jeff Lehman received \$121,349.52.

Provincial party leaders also differed.

Ontario NDP Leader Andrea Horwath received \$180,885.96, while Ontario Green Party Leader, Mike Schreiner made \$125,874.

As for top public officials, medical officers of health were extremely busy during the pandemic.

Last year, Peel's Medical Officer of Health, Dr. Lawrence Loh earned a whopping \$322,678.23.

York's Medical Officer of Health Karim Kurji made \$379,720.66.

Ontario's Chief Medical Officer of Health, Dr. Kieran Moore, was paid \$235,314.14.

## ment areas is required.

In smaller communities such as King City, Nobleton and Schomberg, increasing density through intensification is a delicate issue. Most people in King would agree that lining main roadways such as King Road and Keele Street with rows of six storey apartment buildings with limited trees and open green space, plus a poor transition to adjacent existing neighbourhoods with single-detached homes is not good planning. What other options do we have?

Something called the "Missing Middle" offers a promising solution. The Missing Middle is often defined as housing made up of a variety of residential structures with two or more units on a lot bridging the huge gap between single-detached homes on large lots, as we have in King, and the proposed six-storey apartments, which result in high densities packed into core areas of King's villages. Think of duplexes, triplexes, quadraplexes, garden suites, laneway cottages and similar residential units which provide what could be called "gentle density." This approach to housing was very common in past days prior to suburban sprawl where neighbourhoods had a mix of housing that would meet a variety of needs and offered a significant degree of affordability to residents.

Are there opportunities in our established neighbourhoods in King to carefully integrate a variety of Missing Middle housing that would blend well through excellent design and substantial landscaping including abundant native trees and shrubs? Could zoning bylaws be revised and design guidelines be crafted to accommodate Missing Middle housing and en-

sure that it integrates well in existing neighbourhoods and streetscapes? In addition energy-efficiency and net zero construction could be addressed at the same time in meeting climate action goals.

With this approach of Missing Middle housing more efficient use of the land on larger properties could be realized, a range of housing options could be offered and more complete communities created. And through this, gentle intensification throughout our settlement areas could be achieved without the need to pack in "towering" apartment buildings along our busy roadways.

Even in the core village areas on the main roads, attractively-designed triplexes and quadraplexes could be interspersed with well-terraced fourto five-storey apartment buildings designed at a "village scale" that would blend in well. Mixed uses, including residential units with appropriate commercial units - cafés, fresh food markets, small scale offices – could be incorporated into many future projects. In addition, small scale garden suites and cottages could be built behind our heritage homes with deeper lots in the core areas of King's three main villages.

Let's keep the conversation going and work together to achieve something better, more liveable and more attractive that will meet intensification goals while accommodating a variety of needs for the future in King's villages.

(Note: In writing this piece I give credit to Planner, Brent Toderian, other visionaries and journalists who have highlighted the benefits of Missing Middle housing.)







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April is Earth Month, a very good time to stop worrying about the environment, climate change, and instead do something about these by taking personal action. The changes we make to green our shopping choices can add up to a sizeable dent in our carbon footprint.

The York Region Environmental Alliance is asking residents to make a pledge for Earth Month to check as many of the boxes below as you can.

I will read labels and choose more sustainable products certified as organic, Energy Star, FSC, Fair Trade, EcoLogo or C2C (cradle to cradle).

I will consider borrowing, renting, repairing or buying used and refurbished instead of buying new.

I will ask myself if I really NEED to buy each item I consider purchasing.

I will re-evaluate my wardrobe and avoid impulse purchases.

I will consider more sustainable fibres such as organic cotton and linen, hemp, recycled polyester.

I will first visit a consignment or second hand store the next time I need clothing.

I will recycle all textiles and clothing by donating to charities or at community drop off centres.

I will get an energy audit for my home.

I will install a programmable thermostat.

I will purchase my hydro, natural gas heating from Bullfrog Power, a green energy provider.

I will convert my lighting to CFL or LED (best choice).

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I will buy phosphate free dishwasher detergent.

I will use white vinegar as a window cleaner and fabric softener.

I will use baking soda as an air freshener, drain cleaner and stain remover.

I will switch from chlorine to oxygen bleach.

### Paper

I will purchase paper products made from post-consumer recycled content.

I will reduce paper use by converting to online newspapers, paperless banking & email communication.

I will use both sides of a sheet of paper whenever possible.

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I will avoid buying bottled water, use a refillable container instead and if I have concerns about my tap water, I will install a water filtration system.

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# Ontario cutting gas and fuel taxes for six months

for Ontario families and businesses, the Ontario government is introducing legislation that would, if passed, cut the gas tax by 5.7 cents per litre and the fuel tax by 5.3 cents per litre for six months beginning July 1.

Vehicle owners in Ontario would see significant direct savings from this proposed gas tax cut and the recently announced elimination of licence plate renewal fees, with households benefitting from an average combined savings of about \$465 in 2022.

"Ongoing supply chain challenges and geopolitical conflicts are pushing up the cost of living from gas to groceries," said Peter Bethlenfalvy, Minister of Finance. "With these added pressures, families and businesses need extra help to keep costs low. That is why our government is bringing forward legislation to provide tax relief at the pumps and put money back into people's pockets."

Effective July 1 until Dec. 31, the gas tax rate would be cut from 14.7 cents per litre to 9 cents per litre, representing a cut of 5.7 cents per litre. The fuel tax rate, which includes diesel, would be reduced from 14.3 cents per litre to 9 cents per litre, representing a cut of 5.3 cents per litre.

The Ontario government is also continuing to call on the federal government to help families and businesses in the face of rising costs by cutting the carbon tax, which increased to 11.05 cents per litre on gasoline and 13.41 cents per litre on diesel on April 1.

"Ontario is getting stronger, and with this proposed legislation, our government is doing its part to support workers and families," said Minister Bethlenfalvy. "Now is the time for the federal government to join us in providing relief for hard-working Canadians by cutting the carbon tax."

Ontario's plan to cut gas and fuel taxes is part of a broader package that will provide immediate cost-of-living relief, including:

io vehicle owners by refunding licence plate sticker renewal fees paid since March 2020, and eliminating licence nlate renewal fees and nlate stickers on be impacted by this proposed cut.

As part of its plan to keep costs down a go-forward basis, saving vehicle owners \$120 a year in southern Ontario and \$60 a year in Northern Ontario for passenger and light commercial vehicles.

Permanently removing tolls on Highways 412 and 418, effective April 5.

Providing tax relief for workers, families and seniors through the Low-Income Workers Tax Credit, the Seniors' Home Safety Tax Credit, the Ontario Jobs Training Tax Credit and the Ontario Child Care Tax Credit.

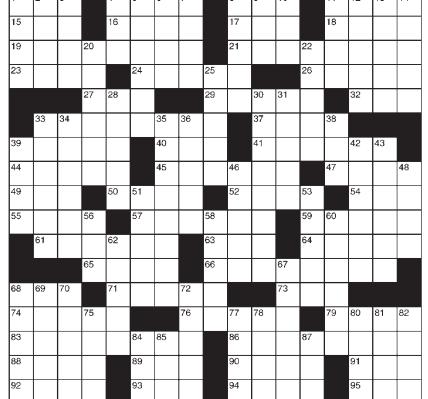
Reaching an agreement with the federal government for \$13.2 billion of funding for a Canada-wide Early Learning and Child Care System, providing Ontario families with children five years old and younger in participating licensed child care centres with up to 25 per cent in savings, to a minimum of \$12 per day, retroactive to April 1. This agreement will deliver an average of \$10-a-day child care for eligible children by September 2025.

Vehicle owners in Ontario would see a significant direct savings from this proposed gas tax cut and the recently announced elimination of licence plate renewal fees. For example, a family in Southern Ontario who owns two cars and drives regularly would save about \$815 in 2022. Households that do not own vehicles are expected to benefit from the impact of the proposed gas tax cut in the prices paid for taxis, food delivery and consumer products.

The price paid at the pump is made up of the cost of crude oil, wholesale margins, retail margins, federal excise tax, the federal carbon tax, Ontario gasoline/fuel tax and HST.

In 2018, the government passed legislation to eliminate the previous government's cap and trade carbon tax to reduce gas prices by 4.3 cents per litre. When combined with the savings from the government's proposed legislation, the reduction in provincial taxes and charges on gas would total 10 cents per litre.

Ontario's Gas Tax program supports public transit in municipalities across Cutting costs for millions of Ontar-Ontario by providing two cents per litre of provincial gas tax to improve and expand transit. The Ontario government will ensure that this funding would not



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# Funding for housing initiatives comes as good news

### **By Mark Pavilons** Editor

The Ontario government's pledge to eliminate some red tape and accelerate housing comes as good news.

The Province plans to inject \$19 million to help reduce backlogs and accelerate decisions at the Ontario Land Tribunal and Landlord and Tenant Board (LBT) is being well received.

Funding will help appoint more impartial adjudicators at the OLT and LTB and support additional technologv at the land tribunal to resolve cases faster.

"Ontarians deserve the opportunity to find the right home for them, and government bureaucracy should never stand in the way," says Attorney General Doug Downey. "We are making even more investments in the Ontario Land Tribunal and the Landlord and Tenant Board to help clear longstanding backlogs and drive faster decisions so we can get more shovels in the ground."

This investment addresses a key recommendation in the Report of the Ontario Housing Affordability Task Force to increase resources at the Ontario Land Tribunal so homes can be built faster.

"We recognize the important role the Ontario Land Tribunal plays in the province's housing supply, and we remain committed to the principled and timely resolutions of the matters before us," said Greg Bishop, Alternate Chair for the Ontario Land Tribunal. "This investment will allow the Tribunal to schedule hearing events and issue decisions quicker and more efficiently than before, and we appreciate the support of the Ontario government to allow us to provide an even higher quality of service to Ontarians."

Investments at the OLT will support faster case resolution.

"Our More Homes for Everyone plan proposes smart, targeted policies that make the approvals process work better and faster to help more Ontarians find the home that's right for them. It lays a strong foundation for our longterm plan to deliver the Task Force and create multi-generational communities that work in every municipality," said Steve Clark, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing. "As the ultimate impartial adjudicator, investing in the

Ontario Land Tribunal as well as the Landlord and Tenant Board will help break the cycle of delays and appeals - getting homes built faster and helping tenants and landlords resolve disputes."

These changes are part of More Homes for Everyone, the next phase in the government's plan to build all kinds of homes faster.

Since 2019, new adjudicators hired by the government have helped reduce a longstanding backlog of Ontario Municipal Board cases by more than 60 per cent.

In 2021, Ontario had the highest level of new home construction since 1987, and the highest level of rental construction in 30 years.

Aurora Mayor Tom Mrakas believes new legislation can help create more affordable housing as well as curbing speculation and making it easier to build more community housing.

The Bill, presented by Minister Clark, abandons the Housing Affordability Task Force's 55 recommendations and commits to delivering short-term solutions and long-term commitments including working with and supporting municipalities.

"I was encouraged to hear that the Minister has seen the importance and need for the Provincial Government to have meaningful consultation with municipalities to find the best approach to the housing crisis. If we are to find solutions to the housing crisis we need to work together - all levels of government.

"I look forward to working with this and the next Provincial government to create vibrant, thriving communities to not only spur growth and create affordability but continue to maintain the uniqueness of each of the 444 municipalities in our province."

The Residential Construction Council of Ontario (RESCON) is applauding the legislation that takes aim at the critical lack of housing supply.

"The More Homes for Everyone Act tabled in the Legislature by Municipal Affairs and Housing Minister Steve Clark is the type of forward-thinking action that is needed to help increase the supply of housing in Ontario," said **RESCON** president Richard Lyall. "The measures being proposed in this legislation are a good first step toward a solution to the crisis."

Specifically, the legislation commits ed plenty of ideas and highlighted that to a housing supply action plan every year over four years and proposes measures to streamline municipal approval processes. Municipalities would be required to gradually refund application fees if a decision isn't made within legislative timelines. A new tool called the Community Infrastructure and Housing Accelerator is also proposed that would help municipalities accelerate approvals related to housing and community infrastructure.

The legislation also recommends changes to the Building Code that would streamline modular multi-unit residential building approvals and facilitate more infill and low-rise multiunit housing.

RESCON has been pressing for action by the provincial and federal governments on the housing front. We held a summit in March to explore the issue and figure out what do to going forward. Importantly, the summit generat-

the federal and Ontario governments and big city mayors in the province are all aligned on the seriousness of the housing crisis.

"Lack of housing and high prices are causing talent to leave our cities. Young people are no longer able to afford a house and start families. The cost of buying a new home in Ontario has nearly tripled in the past decade and prices are still rising. Our economic recovery is threatened by the problem.

"We are falling far short of the number of new homes needed to keep up with our immigration and population growth," added Lyall. "Demand is only going to increase and our ability to attract talent and business investment very much depends on adequate and affordable housing. The More Homes for Everyone Act is just the first of many steps that must be taken to address the housing crisis."

# York school boards boast top wage-earners

### **By Mark Pavilons** Editor

Once again, the number of school board staffers serving York Region have secured spots in the "Sunshine List," civil servants earning \$100,000 or more annually.

At the boards, several staffers pulled in more than \$200,000.

At the York Catholic District School Board, 2,306 staffers made the list this year, earning a total salary of \$245,605,441.74 in 2021.

Topping the list was Director of Education Robert Hofstatter, who brought home \$202,883.38 in 2021.

Following Hofstatter was Superintendent of Human Resources and Internal Education Michael Gray, who had annual earnings of \$184,999.88.

Elementary teacher Nadia De Zorzi made \$181,517.53 and Senior Manager Budget, Payroll and Benefit Services Lucie Giambattista made \$175,657.70.

Coordinating Manager of Planning and Operations Thomas Pechkovsky rounded out the top-five highest-paid employees with \$174,334.57.

Among the 2,306 York Catholic District School Board's employees, 1,975 received earnings between \$100,000 and \$110,000, followed by 315 who received between \$110,001 and \$150,000. Fifteen employees earned between \$150,001 and \$200,000.

The numbers were much larger at the York District School Board.

There, 4,720 staffers made the list this year, earning a total salary of \$502,201,460.93 in 2021.

Leading the way was Director of Education Mary Sirisko, who brought in \$281,686.85 in 2021.

Next was Assistant Deputy Minister, Student Support and Field Services Division Clayton La Touche, who had annual earnings of \$247,861.96.

Associate Director Of Education Schools And Program Steven Reid made \$230,618.88, while Associate Director of Education and Chief Financial Officer Vidyia Maharaj made \$214,324.85.

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# Schomberg Vet Services open their doors, hosts event

### By Robert Belardi

Following a closed-door policy that lasted two years due to the pandemic, Schomberg Vet Services finally opened their doors to the public recently.

This open house, featured a DJ, snacks and giveaways for everyone who attended.

After purchasing the clinic nine months ago, Dr. Gigi wanted to embrace the power of local community.

"Let's meet each other in person. I used to go out into the parking lot to greet people. So, people are so excited to come in," Dr. Gigi said.

"It's more of a soft, open house. Come in and meet us and get to know us."

Open throughout the course of the day, more than 70 clients along with their pets, came to meet the clinic's staff. Inspired by one of the employees named Claudia, all staff wore cowboy boots and hats throughout the opening

Dr. Gigi has worked in and around the Schomberg area. She was previous-



www.blacklawoffice.ca Email: info@blacklawoffice.ca ly located in Kleinburg, Nobleton and Tottenham before finally residing here.

The Woodbridge resident, is excited to be providing both veterinary and animal-hospital like services to all pet owners.

"We basically are a full hospital so everything for pets we can provide here. We have our diagnostic, digital x-ray," Dr. Gigi said. "We have our inhouse lab. For lab work and urine analvsis. If a sick animal comes, we can have results right away. So, blood, urine and x-rays."

Accompanied by an in-house pharmacy, Dr. Gigi can perform most soft-tissue surgeries on site. She provides services to dogs, cats and small mammals. Uniquely, she also carries a dental machine to provide oral hygienic services for her clients.

"It's very important for the body health. A healthy mouth is a healthy body. Owners with puppies, I tell them, start brushing now. Get the dog used to dental hygiene. Even my gifts, half of my gifts are dental. Dental toothpastes, toothbrushes and a pamphlet on how to brush your dog's teeth. It prevents kidney disease and heart disease. The bacteria enters the blood stream. And they even found it is related to some skin conditions."

Speaking with clients on site, everyone who attended the open-house, is more than satisfied with Dr. Gigi's work.

"We're happy to have a doctor like Dr. Gigi up here. We were having issues with our little pup. Our dog was having four issues a week. Right now she brought it down to one issue every two to three months. We're so happy about that, it means a lot to us," said Carlo Peca, who has been a resident in the community for 23 years.

"Dr. Gigi is a beautiful person. She's very sensitive to everyone. And we want to support this community and come out and do the best for her. Today we're going to throw a big party for the community."



Dr. Gigi welcomed the public to Schomberg Veterinary Clinic, during a fun-filled event recently.

13 Dalmatians.

"All of them were rescues except one. I rescued a pointer, too. I rescued a lot of dogs and I really like the more information.

new vet."

To contact Dr. Gigi, please call 905-939-2231 to book an appointment or for

Photo by Robert Belardi

# **Priestly Demolition Inc. completes** majority acquisition of Jones Group Ltd.

King-based Priestly Demolition inc., (PDI) is a Canadian leader in the demolition industry, and has been recognized as such with multiple awards including; Five World Demolition Awards, and the coveted World Demolition Company of the Year Award.

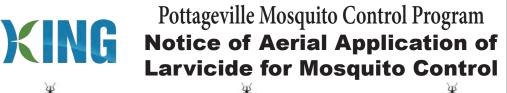
They recently announced the majority acquisition of Jones Group Ltd. (Windsor, Ontario), facilitating the expansion of two well established companies. This acquisition will allow for PDI and Jones Group to work together on larger proiects, across Canada and the United States. "We look forward to close cooperation with Terry and his team as we expand our operations to facilitate bigger demolition, abatement and remediation projects than we've ever done before," said Ryan Priestly, president, Priestly Demolition. "Ryan and I work very well together. I admire his integrity and drive and can't wait to be working with the Priestly family to grow and diversify. As a team, we will bring the very best of everything to the demolition industry," noted Terry Jones, president, Jones Group Ltd. Over the past 25 years, Priestly Demolition Inc. has become well known for taking down iconic landmarks and for their dedication to green solutions. They are a trusted partner of government agencies, construction companies and privately held organizations, globally. PDI owns the largest fleet of demolition equipment and OilQuick attachments in the country, and have made large investments in their people, technology, engineering, health, safety and COR Certification. PDI-trained experts now dive deeper into the logistics of many different types of projects, helping to ensure clients are getting dollar for dollar results. With real-time production values and cross-platform technology PDI can stay on target, improve efficiency, and adjust as needed. http://www.priestly.ca Over the past 20+ years, Jones Group Ltd. has gained the knowledge and skill required to grow from residential house demolition to multi-million dollar projects for Ford, GM, Windsor-Essex Parkway, Navistar, Hiram Walker, the University of Windsor to name but a few.

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Another resident, Teressa Handson, said the best part about being her client, she felt very welcome.

"She's very personable to me. She also has taken very good care of my dogs they are very happy. I'm very happy with the way my dogs feel," Handson said, who was previously an owner of





Sometime between April 8 and April 30, 2022, Pestalto Environmental Health Services Inc. will apply a biological larvicide by helicopter in the Pottageville area. This application is for the control of spring Aedes Mosquito Larvae only and will be conducted over specific mosquito breeding sites within the boundaries of:

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# PNK Hair Design Studio, a 25-year-dream come true

### **By Robert Belardi**

There's no better feeling than seeing your dream come true. But what about when multiple dreams become a reality? Things like this don't happen every day.

When Christine Longo was 14 years old, she dreamed of owning a motorcycle. In 2012, Longo said enough was enough. She made her dream come true, as both her and her husband John Mallia purchased a pink Harley Davidson.

Recently, Longo saw her second dream come to fruition, as she officially opened PNK Hair Design Studio in Schomberg.

"I've been a hair dresser and celebrating 25 years this year. For the past 18 (years), I worked in a corporate role as a national educator," Longo said, at her grand opening.

"The past year, I decided it was time to move on and do something for myself. That's where the hair salon came out of. So, 25-year celebration opening up a hair salon.'

The Maple resident, named her hair salon after the colour of her motorcycle.

In her search to find a suitable location, Longo chose Schomberg because of its small town feel. Maple, which has been vastly growing since its inception, was not the right idea for her. Being involved in a town like Schomberg, Longo will be able to meet her own goals and be involved with local charities to support causes she believes in.

where we'll raise money to be able to donate. The first one we are doing is in April, blow dries for ovarian cancer research. And then in May, we're going to do a motorcycle ride. And anybody who would like to participate, is going to donate money for King for Refugees,' Longo said.

"We're looking at doing another motorcycle ride for the humane society, the local humane society and the King food bank. Those are on the list this year."

On fundraising days, Longo will display her Harley outside of the shop. It will draw awareness for anything the studio will do.

Longo is an experienced hair dresser, who specializes in colour. She loves a good challenge, working on colour correction and meeting clients' goals.

PNK Hair Design will be offering services such as short and long haircuts for both men and women, she is trained to provide texture services such as barbering and smoothing as well.

Over time, the hope for the future is to bring a full aesthetics menu.

"So, doing manicures, pedicures, waxing, full-waxing, eyebrow tinting, eyelash tinting, all of the things that finish off the beauty services. So definitely actively looking for somebody to work in that area and service the clients," Longo said.

For weddings, Longo is working with the local florist and will be putting together packages to service flowers and hair combined. She also works with

# Ontario extends freeze on college, university tuition

The Ontario government is extending the current tuition freeze for colleges and universities by an additional year, through 2022-2023, providing financial relief and predictability for students and families seeking access to affordable post-secondary education.

"Our government recognizes that students and their families make huge sacrifices to attend college and university, so our government will continue to look for ways to reduce financial barriers for learners," said Jill Dunlop, Minister of Colleges and Universities. "By freezing tuition for another year, we are saying yes to ensuring that students have access to affordable, high-quality postsecondary education, and reducing the financial strain on families who have already faced so many challenges throughout the pandemic."

The one-year extended tuition freeze for Ontario residents builds on Ontario's historic 10 per cent reduction in tuition for the 2019-20 academic year, and the subsequent two-year freeze from 2020-22. These reductions represent the first of their kind in Ontario's history. The government's action to reduce and freeze tuition has provided students with tuition relief of about \$450 million annually when compared to tuition costs in 2018-19.

"We're going to be doing some days a photographer (Ordinary Moments tioned. Photography) to help round out the services.

> "We welcome anybody to come to my salon. We welcome children, we do children's haircuts. I also have a lot of friends with children with special needs, I really would like to be able to help out with that too," Longo men-

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Mayor Steve Pelligrini, Christine Longo, daughter Isabella and husband John Mallia cut the ribbon to unveil PNK Hair Design Studio to the public.





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# King photographer Lisa Pace celebrates women over 40

When you think of fashion magazines, women over 40 probably don't come to mind as the models gracing those pages. In fact, this age demographic tends to take a backseat to the camera.

Local photographer Lisa Pace, of Lisa Pace Photography, is trying to change all that with her brand new empowering campaign. This luxury experience is also raising much-needed funds for the Women's Centre of York Region.

Lisa recently launched her "40 Over 40 Campaign," where she plans to photograph 40 women over the age of 40.

"You can't be too old for this campaign," she said. "Bring on the older,



When you think of fashion maganes, women over 40 probably don't me to mind as the models gracing the wiser, and the incredible stories of mature women. They all deserve to be celebrated."

> Women in their 40s, 50s, 60s and up will be the models in this magazine-styled portrait session complete with professional hair & makeup, and wardrobe styling. It's the opportunity to feel like a celebrity with lots of pampering and coaching on posing.

> Lisa decided to embrace this age bracket after photographing newborns and young families for 8 years.

> "It was time to hang out with women my own age," confides Lisa, who's approaching 60 this fall. "I understand how women feel about being photographed, especially as we age."

> Lisa's daughter has even challenged Lisa to post a photo a month on social media to fully understand how difficult it is for some people to get in front of the camera.

> In the 40 Over 40 Campaign, you will work with Lisa to design a photo session perfect for you.

> "We spend a great deal of time discussing your ideas and your outfits, before the session even takes place," says the Pottageville photographer. Lisa also has a studio wardrobe that clients can pick from if they want.

> When asked to tell about her experience, the first 40 Over 40 model Marion Knaus said: "She encouraged me to step outside of my comfort zone which gave us some amazing photos. I really wasn't sure what to expect when I went into this, so when I saw the results of her work, I was blown away at what she captured."

> The grand finale of the campaign will be a gallery-styled exhibition





where the favourite portrait from each session will be displayed, and all participating women will be invited to attend. Each woman will also be on the cover of Lisa's studio magazine SHINE.

Lisa is also donating \$50 from every session to the Women's Centre of York Region that helps support women in the community.



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To be part of this campaign, you can contact Lisa at www.lisapacephotography.com/40-over-40 or at 416-200-5786. Space is limited.





# 'More than Meets the Eye' event at gallery a success

The Olde Mill Art Gallery & Shoppe and WriteNow!@King groups hosted a wonderful event on Sunday afternoon, celebrating two art genres, the visual arts and wordsmiths.

In this unique collaboration of the arts, wordsmiths of King Township were invited to come to the Olde Mill Art Gallery & Shoppe in Schomberg to explore the Gallery and to be inspired to write about a piece that moved them. The writer was free to peruse the gallery and let the art work speak to them.

They were asked to put their thoughts of what they feel about a specific piece into poetry, prose or stories.

The written work of 6 authors of WriteNow@King were posted in the Gallery for this event and the 4 of the authors present read their wonderful submissions to the audience: Dorita Peer, Brian Boake, Kyra Walton and Joanne Bailey.

A special thank you to Mayor Steve Pellegrini, Councillor Debbie Schaefer and MP Anna Roberts for attending and showing their support!

Thank you also to the writers for the amazing stories and poetry and to all our guests for making this event very special.

The delightful and creative submissions from the Writers are being displayed alongside the selected art work in the Gallery and will continue to be on display for the month of April.







Councillor Debbie Schaeffer, King-Vaughan MP Anna Roberts and Mayor Steve Pellegrini showed their support for the event at Schomberg's Olde Mill Gallery. Photos by Julia Galt



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### By Mark Pavilons Editor

King's membership in the "Sunshine List" – those civil servants earning \$100,000 or more annually – has risen to 37. These employees earned a combined \$4.846 million in 2021.

The provincial Salary Disclosure Act details were released by the government recently, showing all public employees earning \$100,000 or more. The list has grown immensely over the years. Aside from the salaries, civil servants also enjoyed taxable benefits.

Locally, the top wage-earner was CAO Dan Kostopoulos, who made 253,995.28.

Chris Fasciano, Director of Community Services, earned 178,776.80.

Stephen Naylor, Director of Growth Management Services, made \$178,776.66. Next was Kathryn Moyle (Smyth), Clerk, Director of Corporate Services, with \$178,776.65

Peggy Tollett, director of finance/ treasurer, pulled in \$177,858.26.

Fire Chief Jim Wall followed with a salary of Jim Wall, Fire Chief, \$164,847.21. Samantha Fraser, Director of Public Works, \$155,442.73.

Mayor Steve Pellegrini pulled in \$152,556.23.

Nick Vertelman, Manager of Water and Wastewater, \$144,597.75

Scott Donald, Acting Manager

of Fleet, \$136,705.60. Steve Gillies, Manager of Roads, \$132,613. Tim Machuletz, Manager of Transportation, \$131,073.13.

James Arnold, Deputy Fire Chief, was paid \$127,752.63.

Carolyn Ali, Manager of Development, earned \$126,682.93.

Mandy Paglia, Manager of Infrastructure, Planning and Capital Works, earned \$126,611.29.

Kyle Brett, Acting Manager of Parks and Forestry, \$123,166.04, while Jeffrey Peyton, Manager of Facility Services, made \$120,392.72.

Nancy Cronsberry, Manager of Bylaw Enforcement, was paid \$119,617.42. Barbara Harris, Manager of IT, earned \$119,617.47.

Gaspare Ritacca, Manager of Planning, earned \$119,617.42.

Matthew Wildeman, Water/Wastewater operator 3, made \$119,381.37 and Steven Pataki, Facility Operations Supervisor, took in \$118,824.58.

Jodi Mancini, Manager of Human Resources, brought in \$117,525.83.

Christel Gregson, Manager of Revenue and Deputy Treasurer, made \$117,707.47, while Amanda Hicks, Manager of Community Services, was paid \$115,020.64.

Peter Angelo, Director of Public Works, was paid \$114,995.37, while Kenneth Crane, lead hand, water/ waste water, earned \$113,228.48. Angela Pham, Manager of Budget and Financial Reporting and Deputy Treasurer, made \$113,350.30.

Jamie Smyth, Manager of Economic Development, earned \$110,592.16, the same as Denny Tim, Manager of Legislative Services and Deputy Clerk and Jennifer Ingoto-Caietta, Council Liaison.

Fabrizio Chiatto, Network Systems Analyst, was paid \$106,768.21, while

# **Ontario opens new parking structure at Rutherford station**

MPP Stephen Lecce announced the official opening of a new major infrastructure upgrade – a 1,200-spot parking structure at the Rutherford GO Station in Vaughan. This project is part of a larger initiative, totalling \$239 million in investment to enhance the Rutherford GO station features in order to reduce traffic, while supporting future two-way, all-day service along the Barrie GO line.

"I am firmly committed to delivering better transit options, expanded parking and a better commuter experience for Vaughan families," said Lecce. "We are delivering a modern transit hub at Rutherford GO that will reduce congestion, protect the environment, and get Vaughan moving."

The completed improvements to Rutherford GO station include a new parking structure featuring approximately 1,200 net new spaces and 100 new secure bike parking spots. The structure is fully accessible and provides approximately 30 spaces reserved for accessible parking. The parking structure is also a gold level certification under the LEED (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) program, and includes digital displays, lighting, electric vehicle charging, and a state-of-the-art car counting system.

"The new, modern parking structure at Rutherford GO marks another improvement for transit riders in Vaughan. This parking structure delivers more than 1,000 net new parking spaces and 100 new spots for secure bike storage," said Caroline Mulroney, Minister of Transportation and MPP for York-Simcoe.



Heather Watson, Community Resilience Officer, made \$103,030.49.

Jonathan Thompson, roads supervisor, made \$102,955.50, while Ryan Rueckwart, Building Inspector, was paid \$100,617.18 and Allan Evelyn, former treasurer (retired), was given \$101,295.60 last year. David Lightheart, building inspector, earned \$100,617.16.

Among King's employees, 7 received salaries between \$150,001 and \$200,000.

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# York Catholic District board launches its spring food drive

The York Catholic District School and supplies to 83 community organi-Board (YCDSB) will be hosting its third annual "Nurturing Hope" spring Food Drive in support of vulnerable children and families across York Region.

In the spirit of the Lenten season, with giving and reflection as cornerstones of the Catholic faith, elementary school communities across the YCDSB will once again join together to provide vital nutrition and personal care essentials to nine different York Region food banks and food pantries.

Through April 8, between 8:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. bins will be located at the front doors of participating YCDSB elementary schools on designated days, ready to receive non-perishable food and/or personal care items from parents, students, family members and the community at-large.

Reminders and event updates will also be promoted through the schools' social networks and via @YCDSB.

"As a Catholic faith community, we find grace in serving where there is need," said YCDSB Chair, Elizabeth Crowe. "Now more than ever, our neighbours across York Region are facing uncertainty about the future on so many levels. Our board is proud to be reaching out once again with the Nurturing Hope initiative, and commends staff, students and families for their remarkable work and generosity."

In 2020, Food Banks of York Region distributed \$8.5 million worth of food

zation partners who provided food services to York Region residents facing food insecurity.

"It's been a challenging year for so many, but the resolve of our York Catholic community continues to demonstrate that we are a true force for good," said Angela Lomuto-Corriero, Nurturing Hope Spring Food Drive Lead/ Principal at St. Padre Pio CES. "We are thrilled to be back, and look forward to welcoming new and returning donors to this great cause."

The number of York Region households that experienced food insecurity between 2009 and 2014, was roughly 24,700 households. As new data emerges, and the long-term economic impact of COVID-19 is felt across the province, household food insecurity and childhood hunger in York Region continue to increase. Between April 2020 and March 2021, close to 600,000 people accessed a local food bank in York Region, representing a 10 to 12 per cent increase over the previous year.

York Region food banks and pantries benefitting from the YCDSB "Nurturing Hope" Spring Food Drive include Newmarket Food Pantry; Richmond Hill Food Bank; Keswick Food Bank; Aurora Food Pantry; King Township Food Bank; Georgina Food Pantry; Whitchurch-Stouffville Food Bank; Markham Food Bank; Vaughan Food Bank.

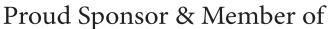




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# Local clinic a success

Adam Stewart gave blood for the first time at the Schomberg clinic recently. Canadian Blood Services notes the March 23 clinic at the Trisan Centre collected 55 donations, just shy of their goal. CBS notes as we head towards the Easter long weekend, donors are needed to continue to show up for patients in need. While it is still a requirement to book an appointment in advance of the event, same day and open appointments are often available at many donation events across the country.

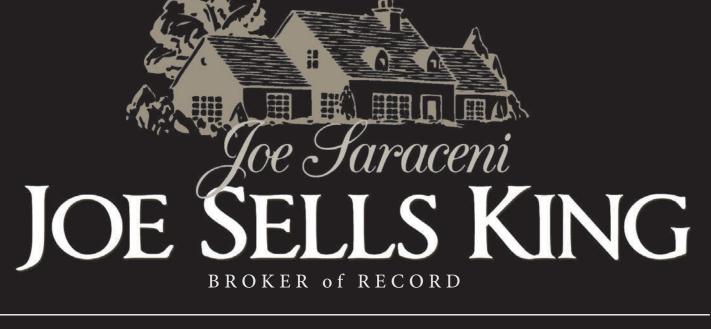
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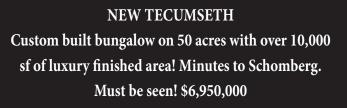
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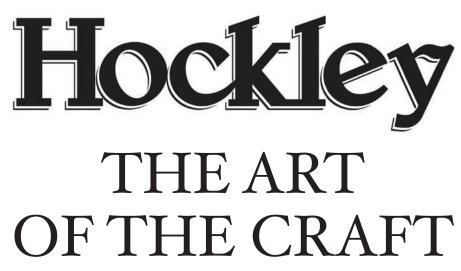


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# King Curling Club crowns 2022 champions

### **By Shellee Morning**

As one of the most challenging seasons of curling comes to a close, the final games of who would be champion have left an everlasting mark that will go down in history. A year that brought on player restrictions and another lockdown in the middle of the season had curlers in an up and down swing of momentum.

Year-end championship games are always exciting right down to the last rock thrown, and this year after everything the players endured, was no different.

The Men's A Division final between Teams Doug Brown and Dave Barber had it all with the traditional hits and draws that kept the interest of several spectators. Skip Doug Brown, Sylvain Pelland, Trevor Battershell and Anthony Strickland were in control with a 5-2 lead after 4 ends of play. Skip Dave Barber, Dan Steenhoek, Peter Kamstra and Simon Prigmore collected a deuce in the 5th then stole 3 more in the 6th to take over the lead 7-5.

Team Barber used their drastic swing of momentum by holding Brown to a single in the 7th regaining the hammer coming home. Keeping control of the house, Barber collected one

# U11 A King Rebellion made team history

History was written in the Rebellion's books, as the U 11 As became the first team in the minor hockey program to make it the OMHA finals this past weekend.

Ranked 2nd in all of Ontario and entering the tournament in Whitby with an undefeated regular season record, the Rebellion made King Township proud! Despite losing 3-1 in the finals to the Woolwich Wildcats, it was a remarkable season for all of these young men, coaches, team staff and parents. Full article to come in next week's

edition of the newspaper.

more to win 8-6 becoming 2022 Men's Champion.

Team Barber is forever grateful to ice technician Richard Quick, who commendably spared for them during the quarter final and semi-final playoff rounds allowing them to qualify for the final. This year's Canadian Men's National Championship known as The Brier, went down in the history books as for the first time a team of only 3 players; Team Gushue of Newfoundland, won the Title to advance to the World Championships.

A similar scenario took place in the men's B Division. Team Gerrits missing their Skip George Gerrits, Chris Welch and Rick Ahle were all away for their final championship game. Spare Nick Keehn accompanied 4th team mate; Alan Courneya and James Gillem the team's 5th alternate were matched up against the newly formed team of Jim Smith.

Gillem, who had never skipped before, took the position within stride collecting 3 in the first. Smith along with team mates Charles Pringle, John Urbanski and Eric Mumford earned one in the second before Team Gerrits took control for the remainder of the game securing the B Division Title.

The Women's Championship game was decided between teams Barb Davis 3rd and Cindy Brown 4th place finish in the standings.

The scoreboard exchanged points back and forth to a 3-3 tie after 4. Davis and her team of Kathryn Markle, Pam McKinley and Julie Hymers shifted brooms in the 5th earning a solid 3 for a 6-3 advantage.

Cindy Brown with Ann Gerrits, Diane Bracken and spare Natalia Lebedeva made some very impressive shots during their match but it would be Team Davis who was victorious that night earning their first title of Ladies Champion.

(More results next week.)



Men's Division A Champions (left) Simon Prigmore, Peter Kamstra, Dan Steenhoek and Dave Barber. Men's Division B Champions (spare) Nick Keehn, James Gillem, Alan Courneya. Missing George Gerrits, Chris Welch and Rick Ahle.



Ladies Champions Barb Davis, Pam McKinley, Kathryn Markle and Julie Hymers.



# **Cougars advance to division finals**

### By Robert Belardi

The Schomberg Cougars booked their ticket into the North Carruthers Division finals after erasing a 3-2 series deficit against the Orillia Terriers.

With this win, the Cougars advanced to the divisional finals for the first time since 2015, when the club was a part of the Georgian Mid-Ontario Junior C Hockey League.

"I'm just happy for the organization and to be a part of it. The Hulls are great people and they do a lot for their team," said Cougars head coach Stan Kondrotas.

"Obviously, we're thankful for the fans that we do have there. But we would also like to see the community and fan base come out more to see exciting hockey; a very offensive hockey team that we have. We score a lot of goals, we're a fast hockey team."

The Cougars downed the Terriers 6-5 in 2OT last Thursday in game six and took care of business in game seven on the road last Saturday with a 5-1 drubbing.

In Thursday's emphatic win, the Cougars went down by one early. After pressing the Terriers for the opening seven minutes, Terriers forward Josh Brown opened the scoring.

Towards the end of the first period, the Cougars relentlessness paid dividends. A point shot from Marc Bottero trickled through Reed Spinola. There to poke it in on the doorstep was captain Cameron Kokelj.

Fueled by the tying goal, Kokelj drifted into the slot and ripped a shot past Spinola with 10 seconds left in the frame to put the Cougars up by one.

At the beginning of the second, Kokelj continued to dominate the game, firing home his hat-trick goal just four minutes into the second period.

Riding on a high, the Cougars lost a step, and in a span of six minutes, conceded goals to Sam Pink and Jayden Murison, setting up an epic third period.

With just over five minutes left to play and down by one goal, the feisty Zach Gallow, slapped the puck through the five-hole from the top of the right hashmarks to send this game to overtime.

In the first overtime, Cougars goaltender Tristan Szymanowski stood on his head to keep the boys in it. In double overtime from the left side of goal, Luke Miehm's shot squeaked through Spinola to give the Cougars the win.

In game seven on Saturday, the Cougars went in with a full lineup. Christian Taylor and Stuart Barber returned. The Cougars, chased Wade Monague out of the net forcing the Terriers to return back to Spinola. Luke Miehm and Chris Dirracolo scored twice, Barber contributed a goal and an assist, as the Cougars, earned a hard-fought victory on the road in front of 792 people at the West Orillia Sports Complex.

Now into the divisional finals, the Cougars have a tough task ahead. The boys will be going up against the top team, the Stayner Siskins.

The Siskins, are coming off a heroic comeback victory, having erased a 3-0 series deficit against the Alliston Hornets in the previous round.

"Our guys are focused and fired up. Everybody is hungry. They want to win," Kondrotas said.

"We have as good a chance as anybody. I know our guys are prepared. Stayner, they're going to be ready. We just have to play our game and try to capitalize on things that Stayner does wrong."

The Schomberg Cougars kick off the North Carruthers Division finals tonight on the road in Stayner at 8 p.m.

Game two will take place Saturday night at the Trisan Centre at 7:30 p.m.

Game three is in Stayner on Sunday at 1:30 p.m. and game four, will take place on Tuesday night in Schomberg at 8 p.m.

U9 A King Rebellion (top) won the York Simcoe Minor Hockey Championships this past weekend.

# U9A King Rebellion wins York Simcoe Minor Hockey championship

## By Robert Belardi

The U9 A King Rebellion were crowned champions of York Simcoe Minor Hockey in the last weekend of March.

It was quite an exceptional tournament for these young boys. The Rebellion, never lost a game in this tournament, earning their third victory in tournament play this year.

With opening victories 3-2 against East Gwillimbury, 5-2 against Bradford and 7-0 against Barrie, the semifinals were a true test up against a good Orillia team.

Tied 2-2, the game went to shootout and the Rebellion booked their ticket into the finals with a 6-4 shootout win.

Having opened the tournament against East Gwillimbury, the two teams took each other on once again the finals. The Rebellion defeated East Gwillimbury 2-0.

Recapping the tournament, head coach of the team Steve Mignardi, said the most satisfying thing out of all of this, was coaching this group of players.

"For me personally, I would say, this is the most satisfying thing I've ever done," Mignardi said.

"I think for all of the coaches. Not just because we won. But just for the development of the kids, the good and bad experiences that we've had. Other than having my kids and getting married, this is incredible. I didn't realize that I would get such a love for all of the kids on that level."

Along with Mignardi, assistant coaches on the team were Steve Brown and Paolo Sacilotto. The trainer of the team is Peter Paris and the one managing the group, was manager Sonia Mignardi.

On the ice, goaltenders Alexander Dimitriou and Luca Pupo held it together between the pipes.

On the back end, Matteo Paris, David Filippo, Brayden Brown, Grayson Winhall and Giordano Bisogno protected the goaltenders and contributed offensively.

And the boys up front, helping lead the Rebellion on the scoresheet were Luca Gorniak, Giuliano Bartella, Simon Samaroo, Dante McCague, Stefano Mignardi, Mason Macri, Christian Farro, James Sacilotto, Max Giannone and Rocco Mc-Cague.

# Nobleton Notes

### **By Angie Maccarone**

### St. Paul's Church By Linda Blydorp

We invite you to join us in person for worship this.

Our Pastor, Jeff Loach, will be leading worship this Sunday as we celebrate Palm Sunday and the beginning of Jesus's last week before the crucifixion.

Our live-streamed broadcasts are available directly on stpaulsnobleton. ca or on our YouTube channel each Sunday at 10 a.m. You can watch previous services or messages anytime, also on our YouTube channel youtube.com/ stpaulschurchnobleton).

Our Women's LifeConnect Group meets Tuesday mornings from 9:30 to 11 a.m. via Zoom. Another LifeConnect Group, for both men and women, is meeting on Tuesday evenings at the Church and on Zoom at 7:30 p.m. Both groups go deeper with questions related to the previous Sunday's message. It's a good way to do life together with other followers of Jesus, and inquirers, in a more intimate setting than you can get on a Sunday morning. For details of either group, be in touch with us via our online connection card, stpaulsnobleton.ca/connect.

Every Tuesday at 1 p.m., a group of women gather in the basement of the church to sew or tie quilts for people who could really benefit from them.

St. Paul's is coordinating with the King Township Food Bank in the distribution of "St. Paul's Love Bags." These bags will include items that are seldom donated and are in high demand for those less fortunate. If you would like to help by contributing to this mission, please check www.stpaulsnobleton.ca to find a list of items needed.

In-person children's ministry will resume on Easter Sunday, April 17! Until (and beyond) then, we are providing Family Ministry At-Home boxes each month for parents interested in engaging with their kids in faith development. If you would like to participate, tick the appropriate box on the connection card at stpaulsnobleton.ca/connect.

### St. Mary's Church

We hope and pray that you and your families are doing well as we look for-

ward to celebrating the Fifth Sunday in ment. Please call the parish office. the Holy Season of Lent.

For Christians, participation in the Sunday Eucharist is the central experience of the week, and that is the foundation for the obligation of every Catholic to be personally present at Mass every Sunday.

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At St. Patrick's for Easter, Holy Thursday (April 14) Mass of the Lord's Supper takes place at 6 p.m.

Good Friday service is at 5 p.m. Holy Saturday offers a 10 a.m. service and 7 p.m. Easter Vigil Mass. On Easter Sunday, a Resurrection of the Lord Mass will take place at 9 a.m.

At St. Mary's, Holy Thursday mass will be at 8 p.m. On Good Friday, there will be outdoor Stations of the Cross at 2 p.m., followed by the Good Friday service at 3 p.m.

On Saturday, there will be blessing of Easter food at 11 a.m. and an Easter Vigil Mass at 9:30 p.m.

The Easter Sunday mass will take place at 11 a.m.

LifeTeen Parish Youth Group: We invite all teens (grades 7-12) for our Life Nights. See bulletin for more details.

Please contact our Youth Minister Zephania: 905-830-2644 or zgangl@archtoronto.org for our next event. Hope to see you there!

The Children's Liturgy of the Word Program takes place at St. Patrick's Church on Sundays at the 9:30 a.m Holy Mass and resumes at St. Mary's Mission on Sunday, April 10 at 11:30 a.m.

Perfect for those preparing to celebrate their First Holy Communion in 2022 and their siblings from JK to Grade 5.

If there is anything we can do to support you, please call the parish office on 905-859-5522 or email us at: stpatandstmarysc@archtoronto.org

We will be checking emails and phone messages periodically as the parish office will remain by appointment only until further notice.

You may continue to request Mass Intentions, Roses for Our Lady of Guadalupe devotion, as well as weekly Sanctuary Light Offering and intentions. You may contact the parish office with your request.

Please note, the Sacrament of Confession is available at St. Mary's Church on Saturdays after 4 p.m. by appoint-

The Sacrament of Reconciliation/ Confession is also available on the First Friday of the month at St. Patrick's Church after the 9 a.m. Mass and St. Mary's Church after the 7 p.m. at Mass (during Eucharistic Adoration).

Thank you for your continued support and prayers for our parish family.

You will continue to be in our prayers, Rosary and Holy Mass Intentions, especially those in our community who are sick or homebound.

### **Nobleton United Church** By Nancy Hopkinson

Doug Reid will be our licensed lay worship leader for Palm Sunday. This will be a fun service as we will have palm branches to wave, as we remember Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem. Doug is very welcoming and friendly. Until last Sunday, he had never been in Nobleton but has played golf at Nobleton Lakes! He is married with 6 children and 10 grandchildren. He lives in Lefroy. In his spare time, he gardens, plays golf and travels.

We encourage people to bring their children and grandchildren to our services. We have activity bags to keep them happy. We also have light refreshments after our service so that we can socialize.

Friday, April 15 is Good Friday. Rev. Evelyn McLachlan is leading a Tenebrae Service of Shadows at 10:30 a.m. The Front Porch Harmony will be providing special music. This Tenenbrae Service is characterized by gradual extinguishing of candles. The Good Friday service will not be ending with a loud sound. Rev. Evelyn has something else in mind. Come and find out on April 15 at 10:30 am.

Rev. Evelyn McLachlan is leading our worship on Easter Sunday, April 17. For both services, you are invited to bring noisemakers, bells or any other instrument to play each time the word "Hallelujah" is sung or spoken.

On Easter morning, we are encouraged to get up early and come to the church for a 7:30 a.m. "Sonrise" worship. A light breakfast will follow (thanks Sue & Val). The regular service will be at 11:15 a.m., the chancel will be filled with pots of tulips, and there will be an Easter Egg Hunt following the service. Bring your children and grandchildren for this fun activity.

Did you know that Al-Anon meets at our church once a week? Members help

each other by practicing the Twelve Steps of Alcoholics Anonymous themselves, by welcoming and giving comfort to families of alcoholics, and by giving understanding and encouragement to the alcoholic.

Have you ever thought about taking a CPR/AED course? You may be able to save someone's life. CPR is cardiopulmonary resuscitation. AED is Automated External Defibrillator. This Level 3 course will be offered on Saturday, April 30, from 3 to 5 p.m. at Nobleton United Church. Each student will receive a CPR/AED e-book written by former Toronto paramedic David Goodman and a Certification Card the day of the training.

The instructor will be David Goodman who is the owner of Heaven Can Wait Emergency First Aid Inc. The cost is \$55 each and includes light refreshments. To reserve your spot, phone Sharon at 905-859-4793 or email nobletonunitedchurch@bellnet.ca before April 19. For more info, visit www.heavencanwait.biz My husband and I have signed up. Hope to see you there!

Our Zoom Coffee hour is Wednesday mornings 10 to 11 a.m. Let me know if you want to be included in the email blast or want to join via phone. We would love to have you drop in and say hello.

My contact info is 905-859-0761 or nancy@hopkinson.ca.

### **Nobleton Tennis Club**

Nobleton Tennis club will open online registration on April 15 at nobletontennisclub.com. We will be offering Junior and Adult group lessons, Adult clinics, Cardio tennis and junior tennis camps. Group lessons for both adults and juniors will start May 18 and be held once per week for 6 weeks.

Registration and prices can be found on the website. Junior tennis camps will be offered the week of July 11 to 15 and the week of August 8 to 12. Registration and prices for summer camp can be found on the website.

Nobleton tennis club will also be participating in the Intercounty tennis league and will be entering a Mixed A team, Ladies A team and Ladies B team. If there is enough interest we also have the possibility of entering a 55+ team. Anyone interested on playing on any of the above Intercounty teams should contact the club ASAP.

We have some exciting developments for 2022, Come and see what's new!





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# King's Corners

### King City United By Sheryl Sinka

Sunday, April 3 was the fifth Sunday of Lent.

Rev. Bruce's message entitled "There is a New Creation" brought encouragement that we "seek the ways of peace and spread the Good News as ambassadors of Creation."

To view the worship recording or read the sermon please visit kcuc. net. Next Sunday we will celebrate Palm Sunday and will be serving the Sacrament of Communion. In order to prepare in advance so that we may participate in a distanced way, we ask that you RSVP if you know you will be attending on Sunday, April 10 at 10.

For the time being we continue to ask that only those fully vaccinated attend the in person worship and that you continue to wear a mask and distance while in the church.

Our worship on Sunday begins at 10 a.m. and the worship will be recorded and available on our website later in the week for those unable to attend.

The Women's Prayer Circle is again "open for business" and will resume weekly on Friday mornings at 10, starting April 8, in The Residences of Springhill condo building, 80 Burns Blvd., King City. Masking is optional. Meanwhile, if you cannot attend, and need prayer for yourself or a loved one, please call Deana at 905-833-5375 and your request will be shared with other prayer sisters.

We surely all agree that prayer is needed now, more than ever.

### **King Bible Church**

Join us on Sundays at 10:30 a.m. as we're back in-person for our services! We will also be streaming the service online at 10:30 a.m. on Facebook and You Tube.

Pastor Mark will be continuing our sermon series Witness of a New Era – the Book of Acts.

We will be hosting a market this summer at King Bible Church at 1555 King Road, in King City. We are in a prime, high-traffic location and are looking to create connections within our community. We are looking for artisans, craft makers, food vendors etc. from all over Ontario to showcase the diverse skills and creativity in our community.

If you are interested in being a vendor please email info@kingbiblechurch. com for an application form. Or visit our website www.kingbiblechurch.com

Please visit our website for links and further information. www.kingbiblechurch.com

If you have any questions please email Lisa Lethangue at lisa@kingbiblechurch.com.

### **King City Seniors**

Attention King City Seniors: Information regarding the activities and events of interest to Seniors in King are sent by email. If you have provided your email address to King City Seniors but are not receiving them, please check your spam or bulk mail. Seniors wishing to be on the mailing list should forward their name and email to kingcity.seniors@gmail.com.

Our current activity listings are as follows: Monday 10 a.m. Viva Dance; 1 p.m. Intermediate Bridge; Tuesday 1 p.m. Bid Euchre; Wednesday 10 a.m. Drop-In Social time; 1 p.m. Novice Bridge; Thursday 9:30 a.m. Gentle Motion; 1 p.m. Carpet Bowling, Friday 1 p.m. Euchre.

Don't forget you can join other seniors for our Drop-In Social time every Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. A great opportunity to get connect with friends old and new.

### St. Andrew's By Kathy Patterson

St. Andrew's welcomes you as we journey through Lent to Easter. This Sunday we are looking forward to one of our youth, Erik deRoos sharing with us on Palm Sunday at 10:30 a.m.

Our Maundy Thursday service with Communion will be taken by The Rev. Jonathan Dennis, April 14 at 7:30 p.m. Communion will also take place on Easter Sunday, April 17 with the Rev. Dr. John Vissers presiding. We encourage the wearing of masks for everyone's safety. The Sunday services are recorded and posted on our website, by 4 p.m. at standrews-kingcity.ca for those who cannot attend or may not feel comfortable at this time.

The Bible Studies are offered on Tuesdays at 7 p.m. for the "after work ladies" and Wednesdays at 10 a.m., led by Lynn Vissers, our Director of Congregational Ministries.

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**APRIL 24** 

10am-4pm

The discussions are always stimulating and there are thoughtful questions on the previous Sunday's sermon. Artfor-the-Soul is also on Wednesday afternoons via ZOOM. Contact Lynn for the link.

Prayers and Support for Ukraine are found online at: https://presbyterian. ca/2022/03/04/praying-for-ukraine/.

Pastor Niyazi and Irada Bilgen of the Greater Grace Fellowship may be reached at 416-878-8499 regarding their Bible Study Service at the church, Sundays 2 to 5 p.m.

Have you heard that "Messy Church" is coming to St. Andrew's the end of April? We'll keep you posted!

### **King City Tennis Association**

Come Join the 2022 KCTA Outdoor Tennis Club. KCTA is accepting 2022 memberships and registrations to play tennis outdoors in King City.

They offer 2 lit tennis hard-courts, Monday night house league, Inter-County ladies and mixed travelling teams, Just for Kids Hourly Wednesdays from May 25 to July 27, 4:30, 5:30 and 6:30 p.m. run by Eileen Beck.

There's a Jr. Weekly Summer Camp July & August, 1 to 4 p.m., run by OTA Certified Club Pro Markus Ziegler.

The club also offers private and semi-private lessons by Markus Ziegler.

Visit their 2022 website – kingcitytennis.com to join and register today.

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### All Saints Anglican Church By Patrick Gossage

Celebrate with us the joy of the risen Christ on Easter Sunday April 17 at 10:30. Full sung Eucharist, great traditional Easter hymns and at All Saints everyone is welcome at the Lord's table. Finally, we will get a chance to renew our fellowship at a coffee hour downstairs after church with cake and an egg hunt for the young people. Come and get a warm welcome on this wonderful feast day.

What Was She Thinking? A sermon by Fr. Michael on the story of Martha washing Jesus's feet in John 12: "Mary took a pound of costly perfume, anointed Jesus's feet, and wiped them with her hair. But Judas Iscariot, said, 'Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?' Jesus said, 'Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for the day of my burial. You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me.' "

"What was Mary thinking? Judas sees that Mary's action is a terrible waste. All that 'costly' perfume, wasted. Her motives don't seem to matter to him. Why would she do such a thing for Jesus? For friendship and love, certainly, and perhaps for gratitude. We know Lazarus and his two sisters, Mary and Martha, are friends. After Lazarus dies, it is the sisters who send for Jesus, and John tells us that Jesus comes because he "loves" them. Perhaps Mary is thinking of her gratitude to him for returning Lazarus to life.

"What was Mary thinking? Perhaps she feels fear for her friend. After Jesus raises their brother, news spreads quickly. The Jewish leaders plot to kill him. Jesus could no longer travel in the open. Now here he is, He is on his way to Jerusalem and danger, maybe even death. Perhaps Mary understands enough to be anointing him as if he were dead. Anointing a person's body is getting ready for a funeral. Jesus refers to this when he says 'Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for the day of my burial.'

"What was Mary thinking? She might also be thinking of how he might enter Jerusalem, triumphantly, like a king. In the Jewish tradition, Kings were consecrated. It is as if Mary senses that her action of anointing has to do with resurrection and points to Jesus special role as the king who God sends to conquer death itself. And so to us, as we watch Mary at Jesus's feet. What are we thinking? Are we thinking of excess. or we may see it as selfless service to others.

"If we see Mary's action as a gift of love, then we see something of God's love for us. The extravagance of Mary's generosity, points us to the extravagance of God's grace and love. We will see this most clearly and terribly, when we look to the cross on Good Friday."





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# Province stabilizing sport and recreation for communities

ing \$30 million to stabilize Ontario's sport and recreation sector, help offset increased costs as a result of COVID-19 and support the sector's future recovery in communities across the province.

"Ontario's sport and recreation sector was among the first and hardest hit by the pandemic," said Lisa MacLeod, Minister of Heritage, Sport, Tourism and Culture Industries. "Our government recognizes how important sport and recreation is to our physical and mental well-being, and to the economic well-being of Ontario communities. As we emerge from the pandemic, this investment will help ensure families and athletes are able to return to the sports and activities they love."

This funding includes:

\$20 million to ministry-recognized Provincial Sport Organizations (PSOs) and Multi-Sport Organizations (MSOs) to distribute to their local member clubs such as soccer, karate and volleyball.

\$7 million to the Ontario Sport Network to distribute to local communitv-based sport and recreation organiza-

The Ontario government is invest- tions such as dance and cheerleading, through an application process.

> \$3 million to help the Ontario Hockey League (OHL) and its 17 teams meet their academic scholarship commitments for current and former players.

> "This funding will help community-based sports organizations get back on their feet, so they can continue to support the social, physical, emotional and economic well-being of communities across the province," said Finance Minister Peter Bethlenfalvy. "Ontario is getting stronger, and today's investment is part of our plan to support our recovery, prosperity and growth."

> Supporting Ontario's local sport and recreation clubs and organizations is vital to their long-term sustainability and will ensure they are well positioned to provide services and opportunities for youth and adults across Ontario as they return to physical activity and competition.

> Ontario's PSOs and MSOs consist of approximately 7,400 clubs servicing almost 3.1 million members, playing a pivotal role in the development of athletes, coaches and officials.

Sport Network, formerly Sport4Ontario, is a non-profit organization dedicated to promotion of sport and physical activity at the community level in Ontario.

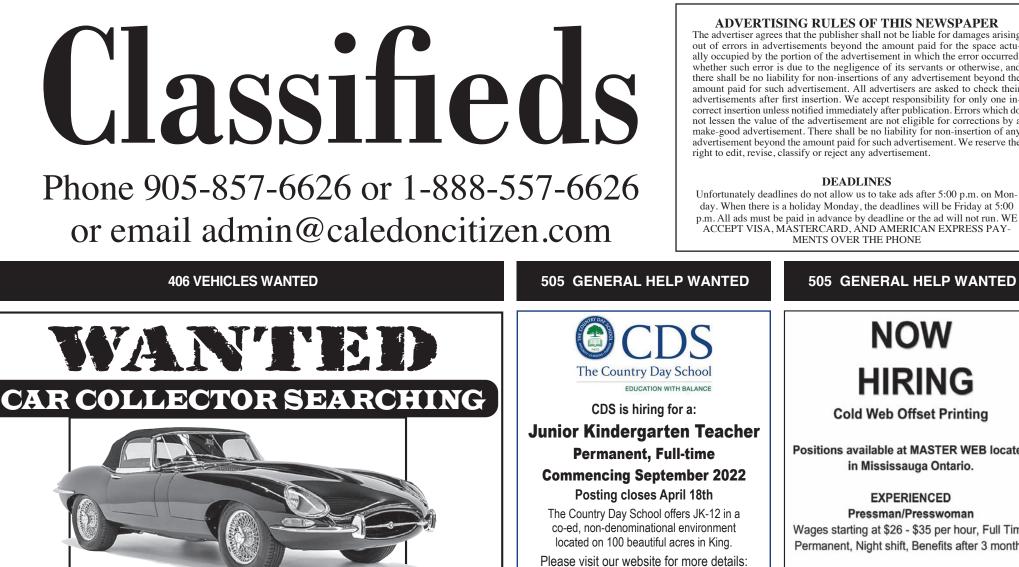
The OHL directly supports jobs and businesses across Ontario, including: 327 full-time jobs in its teams and league office, 831 part-time jobs, 176 students working for teams on internships or co-op terms, and 1,100 volunteers, and 327 player alumni on OHL-financed scholarships at post-secondary institutions in Ontario and abroad.

"This is great news for our alumni and current players who play and study in the Ontario Hockey League. We are grateful to the Premier and Minister MacLeod for their support of the League throughout the pandemic. The OHL scholarship and academic programs are a key part of our player experience, and this funding helps to ensure this program continues to thrive," said David Branch, Commissioner, Ontario Hockev League.

"We are excited to be working with Minister MacLeod and the Ministry of

Established in 1998, the Ontario Heritage, Sport, Tourism and Culture Industries in providing an emergency relief fund targeting community level sport and recreation organizations. and associations to deal with financial hardships due to COVID-19. We recognize the critical importance of providing support to enhance the sustainability of our provincial sport sector," said Patsy Coyle, managing director, Ontario Sport Network.





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### Schomberg Agricultural Society

This article was submitted to me from Bill McPhail, the current president of The Fair Board.

I was expecting bling and blitz all about their upcoming Fair (May 26, 27, 28 and 29). After all, their upcoming event, as events throughout the world, hasn't been able to happen for the last two years. All volunteers want to promote their event at every opportunity. This was undeniably, a selfless, generous message given from a man who cares about his community and fellow man and urges us all to look at the whole picture and to just simply care! Thank-you Bill.

### By Bill McPhail

As the incoming president of the 2022 Schomberg Agricultural Fair, our Man-

ager Cathy Pezo and I have discussed what lies ahead for our community, and in general the people of King Township and surrounding areas.

Our main concerns are the challenges we are all going to face in the upcoming future including the Schomberg Fair.

I initially thought of COVID, but we can also add inflation, high energy costs and now the Ukraine issue.

These are all factors that can weigh heavily on our minds, creating more stress, and we will all have to adjust and work through it.

With this in mind the Schomberg Fair like all volunteer groups throughout our community primarily runs on volunteers.

Now more than ever we believe you should try to volunteer your time, get out and meet, communicate and work with others for a better community.

Schomberg, like most places is a town, a small one, where all kinds of people live, work, and commute to and from.

But, it has a soul, and that soul is primarily driven through businesses and their donations, Chamber of Commerce, and volunteers. Volunteers, who built the old arena, support Main St. Christmas Parade of Lights, the Lions, Hockey, Soccer, 4-H, The Township of King, churches, hospitals, and a whole list of community groups.

We truly believe one of the best things you can do for yourself is get involved in your community.

"The greatest things you can do is give others your time and talent."

### **Four Seasons Spring Market**

Three women with a passion for hosting events and shopping invite everyone to come to their "Four Seasons Spring Market" on Saturday, April 9, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the Schomberg Fairgrounds.

The three women hope you will join them as their passion for shopping comes to life and to support market vendors!

### **Schomberg Street Gallery**

The next Schomberg Street Gallery Outdoor Show and Sale on our glorious Main Street is scheduled for Sept. 18.

Tom Wray is putting out a call for all artists to get registered now. Just go to SchombergStreetGallery.ca; find the Art Applications Page and follow the steps. The deadline to get registered in May 31.

Schombergstreetgallery.ca/artist-applications.html

### **Support Ukraine!**

Tom and Mara Wray have come up with an amazing initiative to raise funds for the conflict in Ukraine. These funds will go towards providing emergency assistance – medical supplies, food, water, shelter, hygiene products, heating, fuel and whatever else it takes to give comfort and solace to this stricken nation.

This is Mara's brainstorm as her parents experienced a similar nightmare when Russia invaded Latvia in 1944.

Tom has developed a meaningful 12 inch X 24 inch image of three beautiful sunflowers (the National flower of Ukraine) with stunning blue sky overhead, honoring the passion, courage and strength of the Ukraine. He has also developed a six pack of greeting cards showing the Sunflower.

He is asking \$20 for each sign and each pack of cards and ALL of the proceeds will go to www.cufoundation.ca

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**EQUIP:** Gehl 3935 Skidsteer; gehl 1465 rnd baler; Land Pride 6ft 3pth tiller; pto spreader; Atlas wood lathe w/ chucks; Magnum 400 Gold hot water washer; Oliver OC3 crawler/dozer; qty of mowers - Cub Cadet, Murray, Poulan, John Deere; garden trailers; Stihl chainsaws & trimmers; power hacksaw; tillers; MTD snowblower; hyd engine crane; water pump w/ hose; mig welder; 28 ton wood splitter; 5ft aerator; fencers; Makita G5501R gen; and much more. **TOOLS:** qty of Snap-on & Blue-Point; vices; jack stands; bottle jacks; large qty of hand tools many new; air hose reel; torch set; tool boxes & chests; shop lights; and much more. **OTHER:** garage door opener; ladders; pails; cedar rails; ready rack; misc fluids; vehicle ramps; cord of wood holders; gates; 5th wh hitch; 4ft truck bed box; and much more.

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# **708 OBITUARIES**



Sunday, April 17th, 1932 -Sunday, March 20th, 2022 The family is sad to announce the passing of Frank on March 20, 2022, one month short of his 90th birthday. Frank is predeceased by his wife Irene and his brother Jack.

Frank Jennings

He will be missed by his sister Betty and many nieces and nephews. Frank will be remembered for his love of stock car races. He and Irene spent every Saturday night at Sunset Speedway, earning them the "number 1 fan" trophy. If wished donations can be made to the Alzheimers foundation or a charity of your choice.



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# Live Auction Sale for Garnet Braiden

Saturday April 16th, at 10:00am

**395445** County Rd 12, Amaranth, ON from the town of Orangeville, come west on Hwy 109 to Cty Rd 12, turn north & come 17km to sale on east side of road. OR on Hwy 89 west of Shelburne come south on Cty Rd 12 (5th Line) 3km to sale on east side of road. **\*PARKING ON SITE\*\*** 

**Tractors/Combine/Skid Steer:** JD 7410 4WD tractor, cab, dual hydr, front fenders, rear wheel wts, (6)front wts, 16.9-26 F 460/85R38 R, 3872hrs; JD 6110 4WD tractor, 640 loader, cab, dual hydr, 13.6x28 F, 16.9x38 R, 8250hrs; JD 2955 2WD tractor, cab, dual hydr, 18.4x38 R, 8285hrs; JD 9500 combine, straw chopper, bin ext, 30.5xLx32 F, 5200hrs; Gehl 4635 skidsteer, material bucket, bale spear, manure bucket, 1974hrs; AC WF tractor, 1946, not running, not seized, has PTO. **Mach/Equip:** JD 922 flex head, 22', new guards & sects; Kuhn pull type rotary rake; NH 195 manure spreader, top beater, end gate, tandem, 540 PTO, hydr drive; JD 630 MoCo discbine, 9'10'' cut, impeller, hydr swing; Case IH 5300 Soybean Special, 21run 7'', fertilizer, grass seed, press wheels, packer hitch, track elim, double disc; Bach Run header wagon 22'; JD 467 MegaWide round baler, net wrap & twine, 4x6; Ford 12' disc; Kverneland 5 furr x 16'' semi-mount plow; 12' packer, hydr lift; Wilrich 20' tandem cultiv, wheels on wings, harrows; 25' mesh floor all steel hay wagon, truck tires; 25' round bale wagon, 12-ply tires; (2)gravity boxes, 1-Bruns 400 bu & 12 t undercarriage, truck tires 1-Market Box 350 bu, 10 t Horst undercarriage; Farm King 8''x51' auger; 15' chain harrows & drawbar-heavy; (2)augers 4''x14'; 4'' sweep auger for 19' grain bin; hay dryer, 7.5hp motor; and much more! **Farm Rel:** Portable round tub; cattle chute & auto headgate; 12' headgate; Champion roller mill, double roller, 10x10 & discharge auger; (7)H feed bunks, 6ft; feeder wagon; (3)2-galv(100& 200gal), 1-blk rubber(150gal). **Straw:** (35)bales, 4x5, wheat & barley straw, stored inside.

Lunch Booth. Washroom Available. Preview: Friday April 15th, 1-6pm Order of Sale: Wagonload; Shop/Farm Rel; Mach & Tractors. Start: 10am, Tractors at 1pm

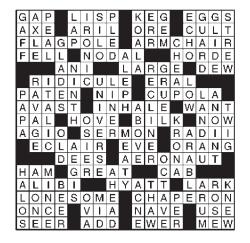
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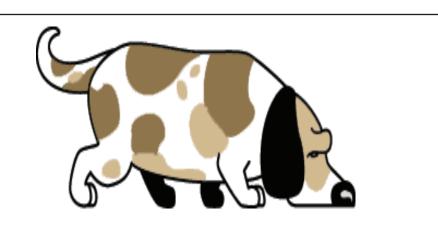
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# 710 CARDS OF THANKS

The family of **Bruce Bishop** would like to thank family and friends who came from near and far to help us celebrate a much loved husband, father and grandfather. A special thank you to Kevin Lipsett for his tribute and to granddaughter Nicole for sharing her and her cousins' memories of Grandpa. The floral tributes were beautiful. Many thanks to Rod and Michelle from Rod Abrams for their guidance and support and to Ilya for making the video slide possible and lastly thanks to the staff at Trisan Centre for all their efforts, much appreciated.



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# Schomberg Should Know

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These signs and cards can be picked up in Schomberg at the Grackle, the Scruffy or 399 Main Street. Tom has asked people to message or call him at 416-994-0174 and together let's help the desperate people of Ukraine!

### Dufferin Marsh Nature Connection

Have any spare cardboard? On April 9, the Dufferin Marsh folks are planning to create two more wildflower garden plots and they are looking for volunteers. They are also looking for cardboard which they will use to cover the grass. If you can assist them in any way please contact them at mfassels-tine@aol.com or call Mary Asselstine at 905-939-7544.

### Schomberg United Church By Nancy Hopkinson

Doug Reid will be the licensed lay

worship leader for Palm Sunday. This will be a fun service as there will be palm branches to wave. This is to celebrate Jesus's triumphal entry into Jerusalem. Doug is very welcoming and friendly. He is married with 6 children and 10 grandchildren. He lives in Lefroy. In his spare time, he gardens, plays golf and travels.

Tuesday, April 12 is the Schomberg Seniors' Brunch Delivery day.

Friday, April 15 is Good Friday. Rev. Evelyn McLachlan is leading a Tenebrae Service of Shadows at 10:30 a.m. at Nobleton United Church. The Front Porch Harmony will be providing special music. This Tenenbrae Service is characterized by gradual extinguishing of candles. The Good Friday service will not be ending with a loud sound. Rev. Evelyn has something else in mind. Come and find out on April 15 at 10:30 a.m.

Rev. Evelyn McLachlan is leading the worship for Easter Sunday. For all Easter services, you are invited to bring noisemakers, bells or any other instrument to play each time the word "Hallelujah" is sung or spoken. On Easter morning, Schombergers are encouraged to get up early and come to Nobleton United Church for a 7:30 a.m. "Sonrise" worship. A light breakfast will follow. The regular service for Schomberg will be at 9:30 a.m. There will be an Easter Egg Hunt in Nobleton following the 11:15 a.m. Nobleton United service. Bring your children or grandchildren for the hunt!

Did you know that Al-Anon meets at Nobleton United Church once a week? Members help each other by practicing the Twelve Steps of Alcoholics Anonymous themselves, by welcoming and giving comfort to families of alcoholics, and by giving understanding and encouragement to the alcoholic.

Have you ever thought about taking a CPR/AED course? You may be able to save someone's life. CPR is cardiopulmonary resuscitation. AED is Automated External Defibrillator. This Level 3 course will be offered on Sat. April 30, from 3 to 5 p.m. at Nobleton United Church. Each student will receive a CPR/AED e-book written by former Toronto paramedic David Goodman and a Certification Card the day of the training. The instructor will be David Goodman who is the owner of Heaven Can Wait Emergency First Aid Inc. The cost is \$55.

To reserve your spot, phone Sharon at 905-859-4793 or email nobletonunited-

church@bellnet.ca before Apr. 19. For more info, visit www.heavencanwait. biz My husband and I have signed up. Hope to see you there!

Our Zoom Coffee hour is Wednesday mornings 10 to 11 a.m. Let me know if you want to be included in the email blast or want to join via phone. We would love to have you drop in and say hello.

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