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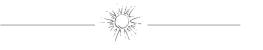


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Artists are gearing up for the annual Schomberg Street Gallery, hitting town Sunday, Sept. 17. Visitors will see some of these artists displaying their amazing works: (back, I to r) Tom Wray, John Yates, denim jacket worn by Kim Grant's son, Dubi Akinola, (front) Beatrice Grant, Karen Levert, Christina Clare, Manuela Stefan, Susie Cattedra, Nancy Falconi.

## Councillor wants 'heritage district' for Schomberg

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**By Mark Pavilons Editor** 

King will look into developing a "Heritage Conservation District Plan" for Schomberg.

Councillor Mary Asselstine presented the motion at council Monday night and members of the public were largely in favour of the move.

Asselstine noted that Schomberg has 22 listed heritage properties, and a minimum of 52 properties on the Built Heritage Inventory, located within the village along Main Street and Church Street, in and adjacent to the village core.

Her motion noted protecting these heritage resources "to the greatest extent" as they are important to residents and the Township.

"These cultural heritage resources enrich our traditions, contribute to quality of life and create a sense of

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place in Schomberg," the motion noted. "These cultural heritage resources are a limited resource, and once the resource is depleted, it cannot be recovered.

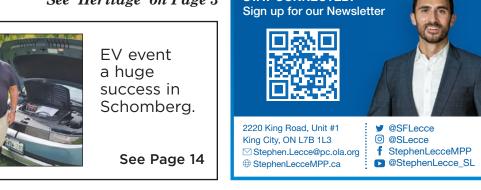
Schomberg's unique character and identity is linked to its heritage and the village core "contributes to a unique opportunity and environment for business, residents and tourists."

The Main Street is the focus of many different community events and activities that showcase the unique character and identity of Schomberg to local residents and tourists. These community events draw benefit from the unique character and identity of the village core.

The motion also states that King's Official Plan states that it is the policy of council to consider establishing Heritage Conservation Districts in the Township's Villages and Hamlets subject to the completion of Heritage Conservation Districts Studies and Plans.

See 'Heritage' on Page 3

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### **UPCOMING MEETINGS**

### **COUNCIL MEETINGS**

Monday, Sept. 25 6 p.m. – Council In-person at the King Township Municipal Centre at 2585 King Rd and live streamed at king.ca/meetings

Tuesday, Sept. 26 6 p.m. - Special Council: King's Official Plan In-person at the King Township Municipal Centre at 2585 King Rd. and live-streamed at king.ca/meetings

### **COMMITTEES AND BOARDS**

Tuesday, Sept. 19 6:30 p.m. - King Township Public Library Board In-person at the King City Library Branch, 1970 King Rd. For more information, email info@kinglibrary.ca. For information about the Library Board, visit kinglibrary.ca/library-board-administration

### Wednesday, Sept. 20

6 p.m. - Committee of Adjustment Hybrid Meeting (In-person/virtual participation, and live-streamed) Visit king.ca/cofameetings for more information.

> To view full Council and Committee agendas, visit king.civicweb.net

### **NOTICE OF CANCELLATION COUNCIL PUBLIC PLANNING MEETING FOR OCTOBER 2, 2023**

The Township Clerk of the Corporation of the Township of King has CANCELLED the Regularly Scheduled Council Public Planning Meeting due to no scheduled public planning matters for:

Monday, October 2, 2023 - 6:00 p.m. (CANCELLED) Dated: September 7, 2023

Denny Timm **Township Clerk** 

### **BID NOTICES**

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### **PUBLIC NOTICES**

## NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF **COUNCIL - OFFICIAL PLAN REVIEW**

## We want your input!

King Township is starting a review of its Official Plan, titled "Our King". The Official Plan Review will develop a roadmap to guide growth in King to the year 2051. The Our King Official Plan is due for a review to:

- Align with recent changes in Provincial policy and legislation.
- Conform to the York Region Official Plan.
- Ensure the vision for King continues to meet the Township's needs.

The Official Plan affects everyone in King. Your vision and input are important. Participate in the Special Meeting of Council on: Tuesday, September 26, 2023 at 6:00pm.

For details on how to attend or participate in the meeting, please review the process for public participation at: <u>https://www.king.ca/meetings</u>.

### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Please visit the Township website at www.king.ca for employment opportunities. All applications must be submitted by 4:30 p.m. on the day they close.

### **PUBLIC NOTICES**



### **EXCITING NEWS** The King City branch is opening Fridays!

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To start the conversation, visit: speaking.king.ca/our-king-official-plan-review

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### **KING ROAD** WATERMAIN SWABBING

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This portion of the road will not be accessible to local traffic during this time. Emergency access will be maintained. Vehicle traffic will be required to take alternative routes during the closure. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

For more information contact the Clerk's Division at clerks@king.ca.

Dated August 31, 2023



## Mandate to build homes remains, says new Minister Paul Calandra

**Bv Mark Pavilons Editor** 

Despite recent personnel changes at Queen's Park over Greenbelt issues, the government's mandate of building homes, according to Paul Calandra, the new Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, remains.

The Minister came out firing on all cylinders last week, reiterating the plan to build 1.5 million homes by 2031.

He further laid out some of the important steps the government is considering in order to hold "bad-actor landowners" and home builders accountable.

He admitted reaching the goal means a lot of work, but the government has made "considerable progress" so far.

The last two years saw the highest level of housing starts in Ontario in more than 30 years, and last year saw the highest number of rental housing starts in the province's history.

"This progress was not an accident. Despite challenging global economic conditions, housing starts have risen in the Province of Ontario thanks to our government's policies, many of which were recommended by the Housing Affordability Task Force.

"In fact, as of today, our government has fully implemented 21 of the task force's 74 recommendations, and is in the process of implementing many more.

The Housing Supply Task Force report and recommendations provide an important blueprint on the way forward, he said.

Calandra said this week, the government is writing to mayors and heads of councils asking for their input on the remaining Task Force recommendations. He added he plans to re-evalute the appointment of facilitators.

The results of these consultations, and the Housing Forum that the province is holding in November, will be used to inform the Province's next Housing Supply Action Plan, which will be introduced in 2024.

"We want to make sure that recommendations are implemented in a manner that supports efforts to build homes, and in a way that works for our municipal partners.

"And we want our partners to be clear where they stand when it comes to implementing or amending the recommendations of the task force."

A number of recommendations the government wants to get moving on include increasing density on transit routes, and expanding existing services.



**Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing** Paul Calandra.

To commit to evaluate the recommendations of the report for the next three years, with public reporting on progress.

"With this in mind, my ministry will soon be launching a webpage that will lay out the government's progress on the report's recommendations, with regular progress updates as we move forward.

"Once the recommendations are adopted, our government will have fully implemented 23 of the task force's recommendations."

Calandra said he's renewing the call for the federal government to work with Queen's Park to defer or waive the HST on purpose-built rental housing.

"We also need municipalities to work with us, and we applaud the efforts some municipalities have made to go even further than the task force's recommendations."

Calandra's announcement didn't convince Ontario's Green Party.

Ontario Greens leader and MPP for Guelph, said it will make the housing crisis worse because these lands don't have the infrastructure needed to build homes or communities.

"Digging a deeper hole into the Greenbelt will not get the Premier out of his \$8.3 billion scandal.

"There is enough land already approved for development to build not only 1.5 million homes, but to build 2 million homes.

"Instead of taking urgent action to build homes people can afford on land already approved for development, the Ford government is wasting precious To resume reporting on housing time and money focused on paving over ed insiders can cash in billions of dollars at our expense."

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He said they will immediately adopt several recommendations:

data and require consistent municipal the Greenbelt so wealthy, Ford-connectreporting as a condition to access programs such as our new \$1.2 billion.

## Heritage conservation important

### From Front Page

Resident after resident, many of whom have lived in Schomberg for decades, support the idea of protecting the precious heritage resources and the legacy of the village.

One woman, however, said the label "heritage" can bring negative results. She said properties are "prejudice" by financial institutions where there is a heritage designation.

The motion is asking Planning Division Staff to prepare a report to review the benefits and feasibility to undertake the preparation of a Heritage Conservation District Plan (HCD) for Schomberg focusing on the area in and adjacent to the Village Core. Included in the report will be timing and cost estimates, including the staff resources required.

Asselstine added it's just this public perspective she's looking for, as staff move forward on the feasibility study. She sees "exciting opportunities" ahead for all owners and tenants on Main Street.

Councillor Debbie Schaefer said the staff report is "exploratory."

Councillor Jennifer Anstey asked staff if they can look into impacts of the designation on mortage and insurance rates.

Mayor Steve Pellegrini said he wants to ensure the majority of the public favours the move, so he asked staff for a consultative approach. Staff noted there's not enough time for a full public consultation given the timelines, but they can contact heritage homeowners in Schomberg and a forum can be posted on SpeaK-ING website.

"I want to know where people stand on this," he said.

Hopes are staff can report back to council by Oct. 30, so that council can decide whether a Schomberg Heritage Conservation District project should be considered as part of the 2024 budget process.



"Jens Lindemann gave a sizzling, high energy performance in the American premiere of the trumpet concerto 'Dreaming of the Masters' at Carnegie Hall."

- New York Times



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"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

## Make sure you find the purpose in your work!

It's been said the reward for a job well done is that you get to do even more!

When you're surrounded by people who share a passionate commitment around a common purpose, anything is possible, according to Howard Schultz.

He also said that if you don't love what you're doing with unbridled passion and enthusiasm, you're not going to succeed when you hit obstacles.

On that point, many of us "older" workers have been there, or are there.

After decades of honing our skills and trying to make a difference in our work, we sometimes get stale, slow a bit and lose some of that umph.

So, the key is to look at the work, approach it a bit differently, and make it enjoyable by finding even the tiniest smidgen of joy and fun.

It's there, waiting to be uncovered. Believe me.

After more than a decade of writing about issues at King council, I still try to use my empathy and passion to create clear, understandable articles on issues that impact residents.

It may not impact me directly, but as a father, husband, homeowner and dog owner, I can likely find a lot of things I have in common with most taxpayers.

A survey I came across examined Canadians' perceptions, hopes and desires regarding the ever-evolving workplace, finding that people are seeking more intrinsic value and greater sense of purpose in their work than before the pandemic.

Commissioned by First Onsite Property Restoration, Canada's leading property restoration company, the workplace values survey of more



### **Mark Pavilons**

are helping people.

87 per cent of Canadians feel employee wellbeing is a human right. Women are considerably more likely to feel this way than men (92%-82%).

75 per cent of Canadians feel hybrid working is here to stay. Women are considerably more likely to feel this way than men (81%-70%).

75 per cent of Canadians would like to work in an industry where they are helping people.

Almost half of Canadians (48%) desire a greater sense of purpose in their work than before the pandemic.

41 per cent of Canadians feel they lack options for purposeful employment.

23 per cent of Canadians plan to quit than 1,500 Canadian adults found that or change jobs in 2023. Younger adults, three-quarters of Canadians would aged 18-34 (at 34%) are far more likely like to work in an industry where they to feel this way than those aged 35-54

### (19%) and those aged 55+(13%).

vey. Many Canadian employees are con- of the big picture. And that picture incerned about finding meaning in what cludes family, leisure time, health and they do for work," said Brian Hughes, just enjoying the little things. There vice president of human resources for are so many micro-moments each day First Onsite Property Restoration. "It's that bring a smile to our faces, it's simincreasingly important for HR leaders to focus on individual wellbeing and ensuring employees and managers are in the right resilient headspace. cancer, you would think I had some As the world and businesses change, workforces need ways to deal with high stress situations and evolve to be adaptable and effective."

The survey revealed that employee wellbeing is a "human right" and most are adamant that hybrid working is here to stay.

workplace treats them like a "whole person," rather than just an employee. That's great to hear.

to live more meaningful and enriched lives," said Hughes. "It is about finding wishes attest to King's sense of comthe why in everything – from work life to personal life. This goes beyond traditional salary and benefits and includes helping employees learn to find their the Weekly Sentinel is not "work," but purpose, which in the long run, creates a way of life, a pursuit of knowledge stronger organizations and bolsters employee retention."

"The way you get meaning into your life is to devote yourself to loving others, devote yourself to your community around you, and devote yourself to creating something that gives you purpose and meaning," said Mitch Albom.

I think as we age we do become a bit "A few things are clear from our sur- wiser and get a better understanding ply amazing. If we collected all of those in a jar, they would overflow in no time.

Following my treatment for prostate sort of epiphany or miracle moment of clarity. No such luck.

Sure, I thanked God and my lucky stars that I made it through all the hurdles. I still have a purpose, and I didn't come this far to only come this far.

I want to go further.

While some journalists get "stale," I A majority of respondents feel their have found that my writing has actually improved in the last decade at the Weekly Sentinel.

And the people I have met, well there "If there is one thing the pandemic simply aren't enough kind words to dehas taught us, it is the human desire scribe the friends and acquaintances I have made. And the number of well munity and how they look after one another.

> In many ways, my role as editor of and spreading awareness. How cool is that?

I will leave you with words from Martin Luther King, Jr.:

'Whatever your life's work is, do it well. A man should do his job so well that the living, the dead, and the unborn could do it no better."

Quote of the Week

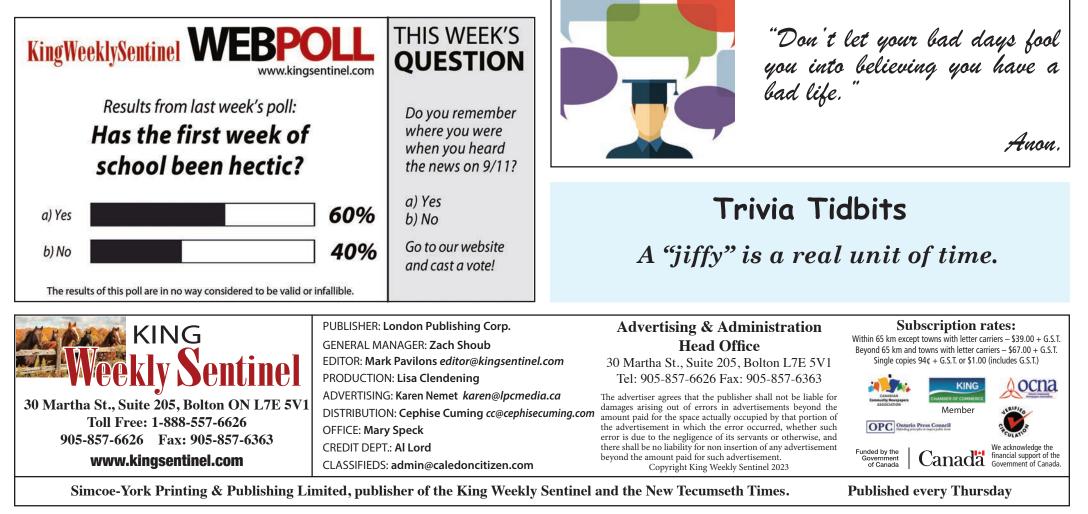


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## Province ranked most competitive in Canada

Economy

Vic Fedeli, Minister of Economic Development, Job Creation and Trade, issued praised figures released by Statistics Canada, showing Ontario added 17,000 full time jobs last month. "At a time when countries around the world are facing economic uncertainty, our government continues to build a strong and resilient economy and province. Our targeted and responsible approach supports people and businesses today and lays a strong foundation for the future by lowering costs, cutting red tape and keeping taxes low. "Earlier this month, Site Selection Magazine named Ontario the most competitive province for companies to invest in for the fifth time in the last six years. Companies both domestic and international are looking to grow in Ontario. We've attracted over \$25 billion in auto and EV battery-related investments, over \$3 billion in life sciences investments and billions more in tech investments. These investments are creating good-paying jobs across the province, with more than 200,000 new jobs added to the province in the last year. "As the population continues to grow, we're also working across government to fill in-demand and good-paying jobs in the construction trades. Construction employment increased by 10,800 in August, and Ontario will need over 100,000 new skilled trades workers this decade to help deliver our ambitious infrastructure plans, which include building at least 1.5 million homes by 2031."



## When will warming warnings kick-start critical climate action?

### By David Suzuki

CBC Radio has been airing programs I've hosted since the late 1980s. The prescience of the experts I spoke with as early as 1989 for It's a Matter of Survival is astounding. But it saddens me. Had we taken their warnings seriously we might have avoided the terrible consequences they accurately predicted.

With massive wildfires burning worldwide, floods inundating communities and washing away topsoil, intense hurricanes battering coastlines, ice melting at both poles and in glaciers everywhere and desperate climate migrants fleeing hostile conditions, scientists continue to issue increasingly urgent warnings to the world community.

In light of the cascading impacts of a warming planet, the Guardian recently asked 40 scientists from all over to assess where we're at. They didn't hold back, especially as the global response to the crisis is not nearly enough to meet the challenge.

"We need to stop burning fossil fuels. Now. Not some time when we've allowed companies to make all the money they possibly can," Imperial College London climate scientist Friederike Otto said.

The survey found overall agreement that we're entering uncharted territory – "flying partially blind." Climate models are amazingly precise at predicting the rise in global temperatures as greenhouse gas emissions climb, but they aren't as good at charting increasingly erratic and extreme weather events - nature's own warnings - many of which are turning out to be harsher than expected. They will almost certainly get worse.

"Knowing that we will look back on today's extreme events as mild relative to what lies in our future is truly mind-boggling," Andrea Dutton at the University of Wisconsin-Madison told the Guardian. "The speed at which we make this transition will define the future that we get."

Rein Haarsma of the Royal Netherlands Meteorological Institute said, "The extremes we see now happening could induce tipping points such as the collapse of the Atlantic meridional overturning circulation and melting of the Antarctic ice sheets, that would have devastating impacts."

Scientists recently issued a warning about those perilous conditions in Antarctica. Their letter from the recent Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research Biology Symposium in New Zealand stated, "Antarctica is a crucial component of the Earth system and a sentinel for Comment

growing change. As Antarctic scientists, we see the evidence of mounting change, including changes in food webs, rapid change in populations, breeding failure and local ecosystem collapse, with projections of rapid transformation of a region that makes our planet liveable and contributes in extraordinary ways to global biodiversity.'

Because polar regions are warming faster than the rest of Earth, the Arctic isn't faring much better. Rapidly melting sea ice cover is affecting weather patterns and ocean currents, speeding us toward unpredictable planetary feedback loops and new human-related threats as open waters entice oil and gas development, mining, fishing, shipping and waste dumping. Scientists are calling for the entire Arctic Ocean to be designated a marine protected area.

Warnings from scientists and Indigenous Peoples aren't new. From the Amazon to the Arctic, people on the front lines have been telling us of the extreme changes they've been witnessing for decades. Experts working with organizations from the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change to the International Energy Agency tell us we must curtail rampant consumerism, leave fossil fuels behind and shift quickly to renewable energy.

Scientists from around the world have also issued two "warnings to humanity," one signed in 1992 by a majority of living Nobel Prize winners and more than 1,700 leading scientists and another on the 25th anniversary in 2018, signed by more than 15,000 scientists. The latter stated, "By failing to adequately limit population growth, reassess the role of an economy rooted in growth, reduce greenhouse gases, incentivize renewable energy, protect habitat, restore ecosystems, curb pollution, halt defaunation, and constrain invasive alien species, humanity is not taking the urgent steps needed to safeguard our imperilled biosphere."

When will we heed the increasing warnings? Why do politicians, media pundits and keyboard trolls with no background in science think they know more than those who have observed and studied every aspect of climate?

We've long known what the problems and solutions are, but we've put off change to the point of crisis. There's no time left to lose. We ignore the warnings at our peril.

Written with David Suzuki Foundation Editor Ian Hanington.

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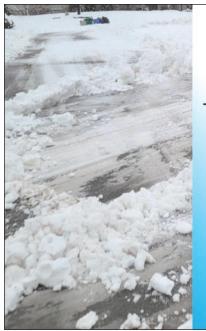


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### By Crispin Colvin Vice-President **Ontario Federation** of Agriculture

This year's Association of Municipalities of Ontario annual general meeting and conference attracted over 2,500 municipal leaders, government officials, civil servants as well as other interested stakeholders. Among those other stakeholders were a wide range of companies and organizations who are connected to municipalities in some capacity – including the Ontario Federation of Agriculture (OFA).

The event is one of the most important public policy conferences in Ontario, and as a farmer and former municipal leader, I was pleased to be part of the OFA delegation and have this opportunity to engage with participants at the event.

OFA advocates on behalf of farmers on a wide range of issues, from rural health care and energy policy to land use, economic development and more, and building relationships with related sectors can help deepen our understanding of those issues and lets us do a better job at advocating for the agriculture industry and rural communities.

For example, I had the chance to

meet delegates who aren't from municipalities but have strong interests in municipal affairs, such as natural gas supplier Enbridge and the Independent Electricity System Operator, which delivers key services across our provincial electrical sector.

Through our advocacy work, OFA interacts with government officials, particularly at the provincial and federal levels, on an ongoing basis, but this conference provides a unique opportunity to get to know many municipal representatives from across the province that we don't otherwise have the chance to meet.

Many municipal delegates come from large, urban communities with little direct connection to agriculture and food production, for example, and are unaware of the many issues we have in common, from infrastructure, housing and healthcare to jobs, the food supply chain, and budgetary constraints.

They're also often surprised at the level of farmland loss in Ontario - an average of 319 acres a day according to the latest census data - and interested in knowing more about how critical it is to all of our futures that we maintain our ability to produce our own food, fuel, fibre and flowers as much as possible.

Here are some of the main issues cluding the agriculture sector. Our fowe were able to discuss with AMO delegates where we share common goals that support our collective economic growth.

Ontario's rural economy relies on well-functioning roads, bridges and drainage to support the production and transportation of goods and services. Investments into transportation infrastructure, access to affordable energy, broadband and increased social services - including schools, healthcare and community centres - will keep businesses in rural communities as well as encourage newcomers to establish themselves.

The OFA can be a key partner working with government and local municipalities to identify ways and means to prioritize, build and maintain critical infrastructure that is needed in our communities. For example, OFA has partnered with six rural municipalities on Cost of Community Services studies to help identify costs and benefits of various land use types and support those municipalities in developing growth strategies that can provide a high quality of life for residents while also protecting natural resourc-

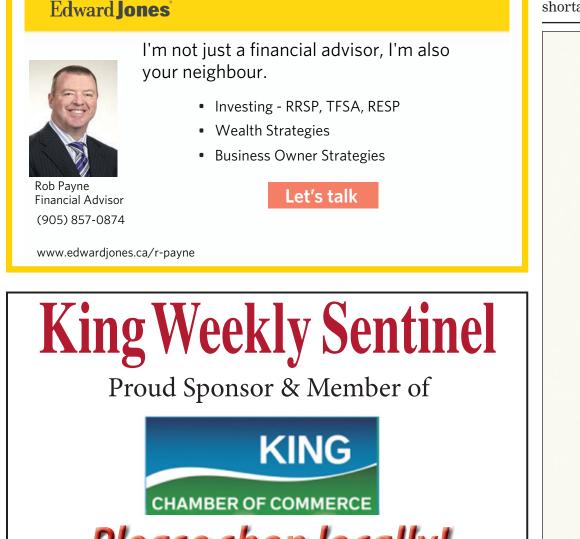
We support the government's goals of building more homes over the next 10 years to address the housing supply shortage that affects all Ontarians incus has been to encourage an approach that balances increased housing and economic growth with ensuring that we are protecting the agricultural and environmental lands we depend on for local food production and healthy communities.

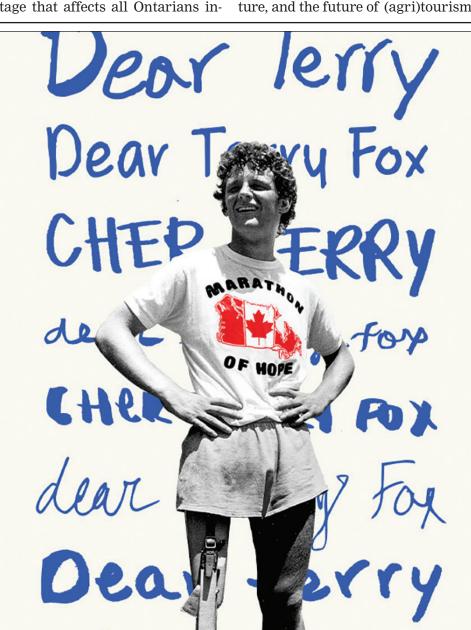
Solutions include intensification of residential development within the existing urban footprint in the context of complete and liveable communities and supporting the distribution of economic development province wide.

OFA sees tremendous value in developing and encouraging policies that enable direct farm marketing and agritourism to improve urban and rural connections and provide healthy outdoor activities and access to local food for families.

Last year, OFA conducted a local food and agritourism survey, where 38% of respondents noted that although they don't currently offer agritourism experiences on their farms, they would consider doing so.

OFA partnered with the Ontario Chamber of Commerce and the Tourism Industry Association of Ontario on the 2022 State of the Ontario Tourism Industry Report. The report provides several recommendations for all three levels of government, covering topics such as the economy, labour, infrastructure, and the future of (agri)tourism.





## Please shop locally!



## King gears up for Terry Fox Run

The annual King Township Terry Fox Run takes place Sunday, Sept. 17. The event runs 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Wellesley Park, King City (northwest Corner of Keele Street and King Road).

Participants can run, walk or bike on several routes - 2km, 5km and 10km. The event is wheelchair accessible. Volunteer students can also pick up needed community service hours.

For more, contact organizer Lisa Barenthin by email, lisa.barenthin@gmail.com

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## Province announces changes to DC Act, more health care funding

The former Minister of Municipal housing for those most in need." Affairs and Housing, announced the government's intention to update the definition of "affordable," as part of upcoming changes to the Development Charges Act.

Former Minister Clark confirmed that the new definition of affordable housing would consider income - a critical factor in the definition of affordable housing nationally. Changes to the definition would be part of amendments to the Development Charges Act, which would consider income levels when determining access to exemptions from development-related fees.

"Any definition of affordable housing needs to consider everyone's ability to pay the rent," said Colin Best, Association of Municipalities Ontario (AMO) president. "We commend the government for responding to AMO's request to update the definition of affordable housing to better target development fee discounts. AMO also requested that the government defer moving forward on development fees for 'attainable' housing introduced as part of Bill 23, to ensure that discounts to developers are focused on incentivizing affordable

In a separate address to delegates at the AMO conference, Sylvia Jones, Minister of Health, announced changes to how local public health units will be funded, supported and directed, including reverting back to a 75% provincial and 25% municipal cost sharing ratio. Strengthening the local public health system and ensuring financial sustainability are priorities for AMO.

"To keep people and communities healthy, local Public Health Units need the resources and support to get the job done right," said Best. "(The) announcement responds to critical recommendations about addressing longstanding challenges and is an important step toward building a more sustainable local public health system. AMO looks forward to working with the government on ways to further strengthen Ontario's local public health system."

The Minister of Health announced that the provincial government will:

Revert funding back to a 75% provincial and 25% municipal cost sharing ratio from a previous 70/30 cost share arrangement.

Increase base funding for public

health units by 1% annually for the to better support their communities. next three year so that they can prepare and plan with certainty.

Work on a longer-term approach with a guarantee that future changes will not create more financial burden for municipalities.

Work with the public health sector to clarify roles and responsibilities to reduce overlap and ensure that public health is aligned with provincial priorities.

Provide resources, support, and incentives to facilitate voluntary mergers

There are 34 Public Health Units in Ontario that operate under the Health Protection and Promotion Act, 1990. Ontario municipalities co-fund, and in some cases directly administer, the units to provide services. AMO has provided advice and recommendations to the provincial government on how to strengthen the public health system.

More than 2,000 participants attended the 2023 AMO Conference in London, Aug. 20 to 23.





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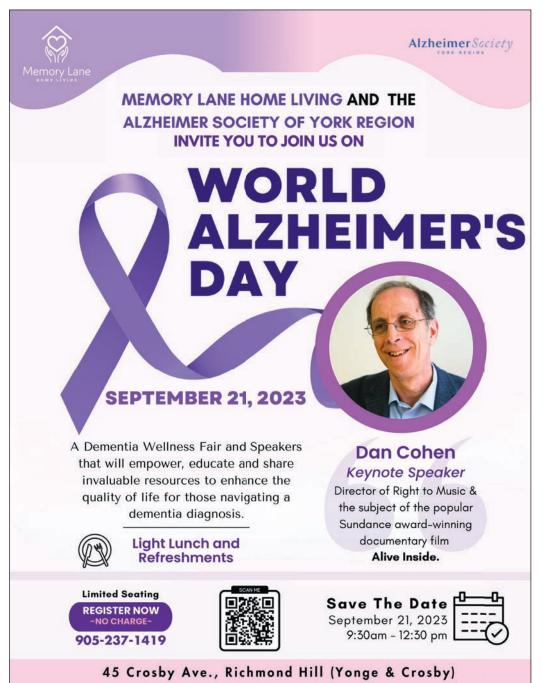
## King Animal Hospital holds professional recruitment

growth, King Animal Hospital has orchestrated an event that not only expanded its team by fourfold but also embraced the essence of community collaboration. The upcoming opening of the hospital, set for late October, has ignited a beacon of hope and enthusiasm that reverberates throughout the local area.

The event, a grand on-boarding initiative held under a tent on-site. brought together a diverse assembly of local residents, professionals commuting to the area, and newcomers who have been drawn to the town by the promise of meaningful roles within the hospital. The stage is set for an exceptional collective effort that transcends geographical origins and champions a shared vision for exceptional veterinarv care.

CEO Tracy Jones stated: "At King Animal Hospital, we believe in the power of community-driven excellence. This event exemplifies our commitment to uniting diverse talents under a common mission – To ensure that every animal has access to the most compassionate and committed care possible."

Over the course of two weeks, the



In a powerful testament to unity and new team members immersed themselves in an environment that nurtures learning, engagement, and camaraderie. Under the guidance of the hospital's founders and leaders, discussions about the institution's vision took center stage, galvanizing a collective commitment to raising the bar in veterinary care. Distinguished guest speakers further enriched the experience by sharing insights on building a positive workplace culture, fostering an environment that thrives on collaboration and mutual respect.

> The event wasn't just about learning; it was about relationships. The tent that housed the event served as a melting pot of aspirations, where connections between diverse roles like doctors, specialists, technicians, care attendants, service representatives, and administrative/support staff were forged. The result is a team that echoes the township's very fabric - diverse, united, and dedicated to creating a profound impact.

> With the hospital's opening drawing closer, the ripple effect of this event is already palpable. The assurance of exceptional care, combined with the unity displayed during the on-boarding, offers a glimpse into the level of dedica-



tion that the hospital brings to its community.

As King Animal Hospital prepares to mark its presence, the echoes of unity testament to the unshakable bond between the hospital, its team, and the community it serves.

cated on 50 acres in King Township. the benefit of all.

Founded by Rob and Danielle Scheinberg, the King Animal Hospital offers Equine and Small Animal services within a carefully curated building that and shared commitment linger on, a has been designed from the ground up to foster care for its patients. Through the King Animal Hospital, the couple are building on their enduring commit-King Animal Hospital is a privately ment to providing animals with quality owned, four-storey, 60,000-square-foot care and technology while also supportmultidisciplinary referral hospital lo- ing a culture of sharing knowledge for

## Canada ranked 2nd best in the world

**By Mark Pavilons Editor** 

Canada is 2nd in world's best countries, according to a U.S. survey.

Switzerland has retained its top spot in U.S. News & World Report's annual Best Countries rankings, marking the second year in a row and the sixth time overall the central European nation has placed No. 1. The small, landlocked country is followed by Canada (No. 2), Sweden (No. 3), Australia (No. 4) and the largest increases, both up three spots United States (No. 5) – which is down a year over year. spot from 2022 – in the latest edition of the analysis. Canada received a score of 99.3, led by its "agility" (modern and progressive), quality of life, social purpose and entrepreneurship. It's also considered "open for business." Canada, at 9.9 million square kilometres, takes up two-fifths of North America, making it the second largest country in the world after Russia. The survey noted that Canadians pride themselves in encouraging all of their citizens to honor their own cultures. In 1971, Canada adopted a national policy of multiculturalism, which celebrates the country's diversity. At the same time, Canada faces national challenges related to the concerns of indigenous people and those in the predominantly French-speaking province of Quebec. While constitutional guarantees allow the province wide-rang-

ing cultural and linguistic autonomy, movements for complete independence come in waves.

The remainder of the top 10 include Japan. Germany. New Zealand. United Kingdom and Netherlands.

European countries made up the majority of the top 25, holding 16 spots in the 2023 rankings. Germany saw the largest fall among these leading nations, down five spots since 2022, while Australia and New Zealand saw the

The Best Countries rankings and analysis from U.S. News are formed in partnership with global marketing communications company WPP and the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania. The project is based on a global survey in which more than 17,000 people across 36 nations associated various countries with specific attributes, ranging from "dynamic," "safe" and "a leader" to "cares about human rights, economically stable" and "committed to social justice." The survey this year contained 73 attributes in total and encompassed 87 countries. Cyprus, Honduras and Zimbabwe were included in the rankings for the first time in the project's history after meeting benchmark criteria. El Salvador rejoined the list after dropping off in 2022.

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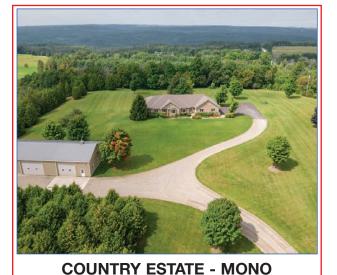
The U.S. moved down a spot in the rankings, landing at No. 5 after steadily climbing from No. 8 to No. 4.





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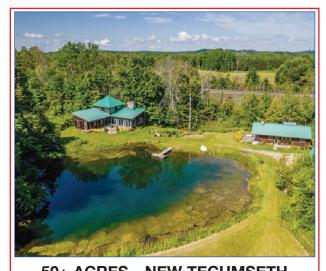


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### By Mark Pavilons Editor

A medal-winning equestrian, and real estate professional, Moffat Dunlap, has passed away.

The well known and respected King resident left an unrivalled legacy in the equestrian and real estate fields.

His King-based firm specializes in luxury country properties across the GTA, and in particular, King and Caledon.

Moffat Dunlap Real Estate Limited has been licensed in the real estate Industry for more than 50 years. Since 1972, Moffat owned and operated his own independent firm, specializing in the purchase and sale of country properties in the greater Toronto area along with exceptional Georgian Bay retreats.

Moffat Dunlap is well known throughout the Canadian horse and farm community, having been a 20-year member of the show jumping team of the Canadian Equestrian Team (a Team Bronze Medal winner at the 1967 Pan-American Games and Team Gold Medal winner at the 1970 World Championships). He served on many boards and management committees; a former director and Jumping Team Chairman of the Canadian Equestrian team over the Los Angeles Olympic Games; a past Director of the Canadian Pony Club; the Canadian Horse Council; the Canadian Horse Shows Association: the Horseman's Benevolent and Protective Association. He was an Honourary Di-



CDS Co-founder Moffat Dunlap and his daughter Louise stopped by CDS to see the new Dining Hall in 2017.

rector of the Canadian Therapeutic Riding Association and a Director, former Horse Show Chairman and a Past President of the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair.

Moffat was twice inducted into the Jump Canada Hall of Fame once as an individual sport builder and once as a team member. According to Jump Canada, his life-long commitment to show jumping, his generosity towards his teammates, and his dedication to the continued improvement of Canada's hunter/jumper industry made him a "true builder of the sport."

"Strong, yet quiet, Moffat instilled a sense of trust in those he worked with, and developed a reputation for always being good to his word," Jump Canada noted during his induction.

Moffat was also co-founder of King's independent school, The Country Day School, which today boasts an enrolment of 780 students.

The idea to start The Country Day School was the topic of a 1971 dinner conversation between Moffat Dunlap, the late Margo Bindhardt, Edmond G. Eberts and the late Daphne Eberts. All were in agreement that King Township was in need of a co-ed private elementary school. Moffat and Margo enrolled their two children, Louise and John, the year the School opened. Moffat's youngest daughters, Daphne and Allie, also attended CDS starting in the late '80s.

"The Country Day School community is profoundly saddened to hear the news of the passing of our Co-Founder, Mr. Moffat Dunlap. Moffat was a driving force behind starting our school, serving as one of the original trustees and as Chairman of the CDS Foundation for years. He sent all four of his children to CDS; two starting the year the school opened in 1972. CDS benefited immensely from Moffat's guidance and knowledge of the King real estate market, especially in negotiating the lease of the original property in the early days. His passing is an incredible loss not only to our community, but all of King and the Canadian Equestrian community. The Dunlap name will live on forever in the hallways and classrooms of CDS and proudly adorns one of our four houses - Dunlap House," said John Liggett, Head of School.

Moffat also worked on the purchase of land and subsequent rezoning for



The 1970 World Championship gold medal team was inducted into the Jump Canada Hall of Fame. Shown (I to r) are Michel Vaillancourt presented to team members Moffat Dunlap, Jim Elder, and Tom Gayford.

Photo by Michelle C. Dunn

Canada's (Paramount) Wonderland for the owner, Taft Broadcasting of Cincinnati, Ohio. He helped with the sale of Eaton Hall to become Seneca College's King Campus and rezoning for the King Ranch Health Spa (now Kingbridge), designed and built to be a world class facility. In Caledon, Moffat helped with the land assembly and rezoning of the Devil's Pulpit Golf Course and in Aurora, assembled lands for the world headquarters of Magna International.

Moffat also was involved in the management and sale of Glenville Farms, a 700-acre agricultural show place in King. He was also involved in the sale of Green Meadows, the famed Leslie Street estate of the late J.A. (Bud) Mc-Dougald, one of Canada's captains of industry.

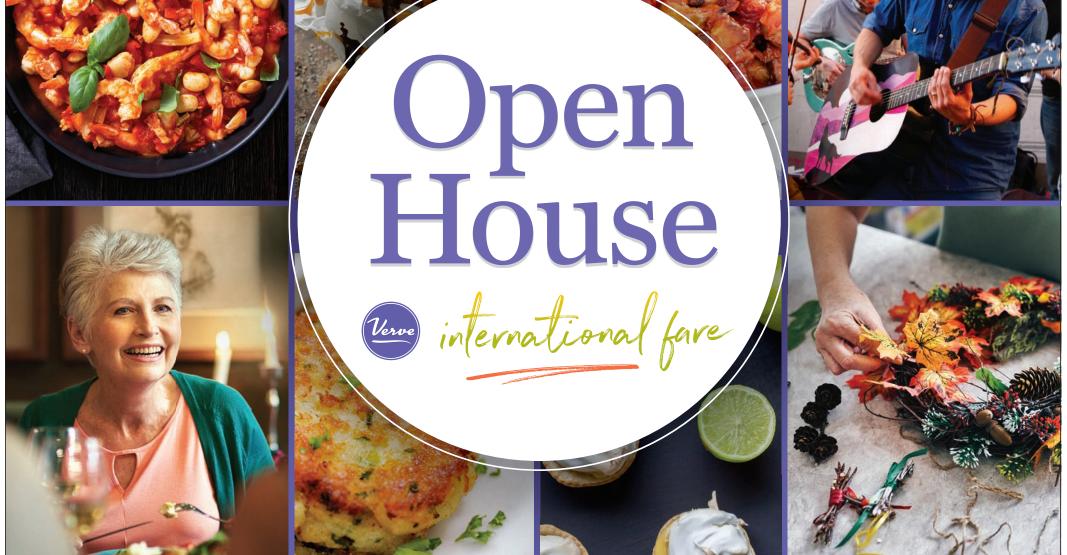
Moffat acted as the Koffler family's advisor and agent when their property, Joker's Hill (890 acres), was gifted to the University of Toronto – the largest single gift the University has ever received.

His firm is a member of Provincial and National Real Estate Boards and Associations (Toronto Real Estate Board, Ontario Real Estate Association and the Canadian Real Estate Association). The firm and its associates are well regarded in the community and offer a very high level of experience and commitment to their clients.

Moffat graduated from Upper Canada College (Toronto) and the University of Western Ontario (London, Ontario). He also served on the Equine Advisory Board at both Humber and Seneca Colleges; was a member of the capital fund raising team at the Princess Margaret Hospital and the Southlake Regional Health Centre Foundation and co-chairman of The York Region Police Appreciation Committee. Moffat was a member of the Toronto Club for over 50 years.







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## Forty artists at the Schomberg Street Gallery

ing classic village centres in Ontario her attempt to explore idealized childand is a true jewel in King Township's crown.

Arts Society King (ASK) invites visitors to leisurely browse the many wonderful art pieces of forty artists and artisans lining the street, enjoy the strolling musicians, and take the kiddies to the Youth Art Tent to create their own masterpieces on Sunday, Sept. 17 from 10 am to 5 p.m. The Schomberg Street Gallery is made possible by the countless volunteer hours of Tom and Mara Wray, Linda Welch and the volunteers of ASK who have for years worked to organize this incredible event. Here are ten more artists that you will meet on Sunday.

Veronica Meloche, Painting and Potterv

Veronica works in both paint and pottery. As a mother, her acrylic paint- ing landscapes of Muskoka shorelines,

hood memories and nostalgia. Veronica creates mostly functional ceramic forms and is intrigued with painterly applications of glaze and the memory of the human touch on the clay. Instagram @veronica meloche

Carrie Pais, Paper Art. Carrie is a maker of 3D Paper framed images, wedding décor, party favours, handmade gifts, and seasonal home décor. Instagram: carriescreativecollection

Jacqueline Raynor, Encaustic and Oil. Jacqueline works in Encaustic (oil paint + beeswax) that is heated and applied to wooden boards. Works are often embellished with oil sticks and pan pastels. She is fascinated by colour and texture, and inspired by nature. Website: www.jacquelinehoperaynor.square.site

Janet Riches, Oil. Janet enjoys paint-

Main Street is one of the few remain- ings are often of her own children and lakes and popular lookout points such as Rosseau falls. Website: www.aboomerandherbrush.com

> Michele Rose, Acrylic. Michele studied at OCA, and privately with a master painter. She is represented by a number of galleries throughout Ontario and also takes part in a number of art shows in Ontario. Website: www.michelerose.com

> Catharine Somerville, oil and watercolour. Catharine was born in Toronto and works in both England and Canada. This gives her work a unique touch. She is known for plein air/studio work. Catharine completed her postgraduate studies at West Dean College, West Sussex in 2007. This study has highlighted her work into a more relevant and quasi abstract/realistic mode that is suitable for atmospheric landscape painting. Major awards include the Griffin Theatre (Barrie) and the Chairman's prize (West Dean). Catharine is represented by Gallery 1313, The Colborne Street Gallery and Artel. She is a member of Arts Society King and Women's Art Association of Canada.

Website: www.catharinesomerville. com

Manuela Stefan, Photography. Manuela is the Schomberg Street Gallery's feature artist this year. Meet her in person. Manuela creates equine images from around the world, presented on various mediums, such as canvas, wood and metal, in a variety of sizes, from shelf to wall. Website: www.gracefulhorses.com

Anna Whitmore, Ink Drawings. Each one of Anna's art gallery blocks are hand drawn in archival ink, mounted on a stained birch panel, and then covered in resin. Because each piece is created by hand, in a studio, they are never perfect but always beautiful, says Anna. Website: www.annawhitmore.com

Tom Wray, Fine Art Photography. Tom's medium is photography, and his inspiration comes from outdoors. He captures images of landscapes, waterscapes, and flowers, turning them into compelling pictures that have an almost painterly quality. When Tom takes a photograph, he thinks about composition, angle, light and atmosphere. The finished picture might be soft and dreamy, or bright and cheerful. His intention is to evoke an emotion; it might be calming, exciting or mysterious. Facebook: Tom Wray Photography

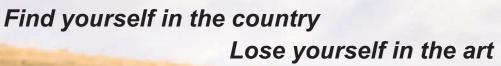
John Yates, Fine Art Photography. John is a landscape and wildlife photographer with a particular concentration in the Southern Ontario "cottage country" region. He believes that this region is one of the most beautiful parts of Canada - if not the world. John gets inspired by the opportunity to share this spectacular scenery with others through his photography and hopes his work serves as a great reminder of what Canadians love about this part of Canada.

His photographs will be offered in framed canvas, metal, and paper. They will range in size from 8"x12" up to 30"x45." Website: www.johnyatesphotography.ca

Arts Society King is looking for high school students who need volunteer hours to assist the ASK volunteers in handing out door-to-door brochures in King and Aurora. They are also looking for student volunteers on Sunday, Sept. 17 in Schomberg to assist artists with setting up and taking down booths, helping in the Youth Arts Tent, assisting visitors, etc. If you know of a student looking for volunteer hours, please have them contact Michele at info@artssocietyking.ca for further information.



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## **Club holds flower show**

The Nobleton & King City Garden Club's last meeting before the summer break brought out great speakers and a lovely display of flowers. The Flower Show displayed 25 exhibits of specimens and floral designs. A beautiful Delphinium was the Judge's Choice in the cultural section and was awarded to Barbara Downey. Highest points were attributed to Barbary Downey in first place, followed up by Kelly Lavis and Arlene Heaps. Join them for their September meeting and come enjoy our exhibit of flowers.

Photo by Kelly Lavis



## Schulich partnership with Toronto International Film Festival

the Schulich School of Business at York University, and TIFF, a not-for-profit film festival presenting the best of Canadian and international cinema, are partnering to launch leadership and management programs, workshops and speaking engagements with the goal of strengthening the leadership capabilities of TIFF's management and senior teams. This joint venture launched in May 2023 and will continue into 2024, alongside the current TIFF events.

Targeting managers, senior managers and executive leaders across TIFF, these programming and professional development events are a response to the current needs and strategic goals of the film organization. Through this partnership, Schulich ExecEd strives to empower TIFF leaders with advanced training to enhance skill sets in areas such as strategy, resilience, leadership, management change and transformation, and DEI initiatives.

"The goals of the partnership are to augment and enrich the management and leadership development program at TIFF by engaging with Schulich ExecEd's research excellence and expertise; to co-develop a diverse curriculum intended to elevate leadership competence and empower TIFF people lead-

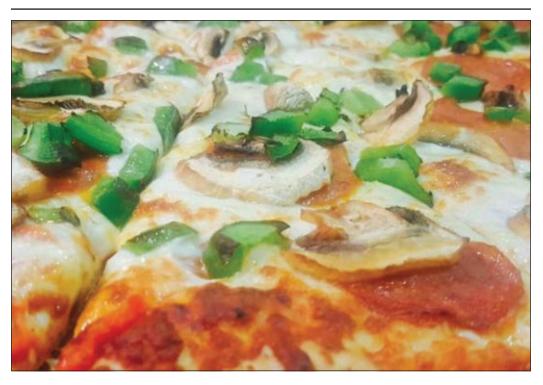
Schulich ExecEd, an extension of ers at all levels; to secure best-in-class resources and tools that will increase team effectiveness and organizational performance; and to position TIFF as a learning organization committed to investing in its employees' growth and development," says Nathalie Sato, Director of People and Culture at TIFF.

> To Nathalie and TIFF, the vision is to grow leaders at every level of the organization through impactful and sustainable professional development.

> As organizations undergo change to various degrees, success lies on the shoulders of senior leaders with superior problem-solving skills. Today, problem-solving is included in the top seven essential soft skills for leaders in the constantly shifting business landscape, as listed by Forbes. Also relevant is a leader's ability to lead change and transformation, manage stakeholder relations, create strategic partnerships, and achieve management goals.

> Targeting these areas, Schulich ExecEd's programming is customized to address relevant business trends, but it also centres specifically around the skill gaps and needs of TIFF as an organization and its leadership teams.

> Through a blend of soft skills and hard expertise, Schulich ExecEd's programming allows TIFF leaders to ful-





ly engage in interactive sessions and sets integral to today's business landlearn and practice key business concepts with a curriculum that blends academic rigour with industry relevance.

Taking up the mantle for programming creation and facilitations in this partnership, Schulich ExecEd draws on their successful experience with professionally developing, upskilling, and reskilling non-profit and media-based organizations, which include Women in Film and Television (WIFT), the McGillivray Group, and the American Marketing Association. With worldclass faculty and their recent title of #30 best in the world for the 2023 Financial Times Executive Education rankings, Schulich ExecEd brings experience, prestige, and capabilities to match their internationally celebrated partners.

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### By Jim Stewart

King residents got another glimpse of a more sustainable future on Sunday afternoon at the Schomberg Fairgrounds.

Climate Action King - along with Event partners King Township, Plug 'N Drive, and the Electric Vehicle Society – provided visitors with the opportunity to meet owners of electric vehicles (EVs) from across Ontario and test drive the EVs for free on the fairgrounds. In addition to the range of vehicles and owners present at Go Electric, residents also had to opportunity to learn more about other money-saving and environmentally-friendly consumer options including electric recreational watercraft, electric lawn equipment and power tools from Makita Canada Limited in London; HVAC installations featuring green technologies from MAK Mechanical in Barrie, and shiny new electric buses from the York Region Transit fleet that is housed in Newmarket.

It was indeed a cornucopia of GV delights parked along the main thoroughfare of the fairgrounds. Fourteen vehicles were arranged in a long line from the north fence to the covered east entrance to the grounds. Their environmentally-conscious and helpful owners – many of whom were affiliated with the Electric Vehicle Society – offered insights into their car's benefits.

Ken Hurrell of Bracebridge extolled the virtues of his 2022 Hyundai Ioniq 5 and its 500 km range: "The performance of the vehicle is good and so is its pick up. I had to be careful when I was driving down the 400 because the car goes quickly and effortlessly to 130 km/h. Its range in the winter is good, too. 410-km range, according to my 'guess-a-meter,' but if you travel at an ideal speed of 100-115 km/h, you can maximize your electrical charge."

Lisa Price and JP Holmes of Toronto addressed what they called "range anxiety" regarding their 2023 VW ID4. The range of their family-sized SUV is 480 km and they tested its capacity this summer. Price, who grew up in Schomberg, was pleased with the vehicle's performance: "We did a vacation trip up to Sault Ste. Marie and Manitoulin Island and we were able to find charging stations that reduced our range anxiety. It's a reliable family vehicle and we simply plug into a regular outlet in our garage."

Other vehicles on display (with their ranges in kilometers in parentheses) included a 2020 Mini Cooper S (200 km), 2023 Ford Escape Hybrid (60 km), 2023 Ford F-150 Lightning (500 km), 2023 Ford Mach E (with its front hatch being used to cool iced water bottles for passers-





by), 2018 Tesla Model X SUV (400 km), 2021 Tesla Model S (600 km), 2021 Tesla Model 3 (500 km), 2021 and 2022 Hyundai Kona (450 km and 412 km), 2018 VW E-Golf (200 km), as well as a 2019 Nissan Leaf, 2023 Volvo XC 40, and a Jeep, Audi, and Porsche e-cars displayed by Vaughan Chrysler.

Tim Britnell of Makita offered visitors a full range of electric tools and shared a number of insights into 130 power tools that are now running on current including 40-volt chain saws that have the cutting and performance equivalent to a 42cc gas-powered chainsaw. Other intriguing e-products included a cooler that heats as well and most visitors were drawn to Britnell's demonstration of Makita's latest battery-powered lawn mowers.

Alex McIntosh of MAK Mechanical offered glimpses of a more inexpensive and sustainable future for owners of homes and cottages: "We are pioneers in geothermal and cold climate heat pumps via Mitsubishi Electric. They're creating intense technologies that bear up better and better to Canadian winters. They work at -40 which is big breakthrough. Homeowners and cottage owners can cool and heat their principal and recreational residences for a fraction of what it would cost to use gas."

McIntosh offered an intriguing comparative analysis and delineated many



corporate and government initiatives that are available to consumers this year to leave fossil fuels behind and go electric: "The average 1,500-square-foot house costs \$2,400 to \$2,800 annually to heat and cool by gas with the thermostat set at 22 degrees. Switching over to a cold climate heat pump will cost only \$600 per year to heat and cool the same 1,500-square-foot house."

The amiable Green HVAC expert noted that "Enbridge customers who switch to these heat pumps receive 65% of the installation cost and for customers currently switching from oil to heat pumps are eligible for \$10,000 in federal and provincial government grants." He also noted the convenience and efficacy of a new technology for owners of recreational properties: "Ductless minisplits can be installed that dehumidify, filter, heat, and cool a cottage with the push of an app on a cellphone. Imagine pressing a button here in King before you depart for the cottage and activate the ductless minisplit that will have the cottage cooled or heated to your personal level of comfort as you pull up the driveway to your recreational property."

Even an electric bus was on display for visitors to tour at the north entrance to the fairgrounds. Richard Wiseman, Matthew Mandley, and Don Dodangoda from York Region Transit served as friendly reps and tour guides. Mandley mentioned that "our electric buses run any route currently completed by our diesel fleet. Our electric bus fleet – which now numbers 14 – is housed and maintained in Newmarket in the YRT's North Garage." Wiseman added that the "electric fleet was manufactured in Manitoba and Quebec" thus showing that Canadian-made solutions to Climate Change are all around us.

## 5 important times to review your insurance

Life can change quickly and it's important to ensure your insurance is keeping up. Here are five important times to pause and determine if your insurance needs have changed.

### 1. Your marital status has changed

Whether you're getting married and combining households, or divorcing and splitting up possessions, a change in your marital status can affect your need for life, auto and home insurance coverage. As you review your coverage, be sure to verify or change your beneficiary designations, if applicable.

### 2. Your family makeup changes

If you're expecting a baby or adopting a child, you'll want to protect your growing family with adequate life, critical illness and disability insurance. Losing a family member is another life event that may prompt a policy review. It's important to review beneficiary designations on your existing policies whenever these types of changes occur.

### 3. Your teen gets a driver's licence

If your child is just learning to drive, proper auto insurance is a must. Whether you plan to add them to your existing policy or have them purchase a policy of their own, be sure to talk to your insurance advisor about your options, including discounts that may be available for multi-vehicle policies or student drivers.

### 4. You make a major purchase

If you buy a home or vacation property, or take on a significant renovation, you should review your home insurance. But don't stop there. When you buy, inherit or acquire items of value, like expensive sports equipment, a baby grand piano, or antique jewelry, it's also important to check whether these possessions are fully covered by your existing policy or if you should consider protecting them with additional coverage.

### 5. Your employment status changes

If your income has changed recently because of a promotion, lay-offs, termination, retirement, or a change in your career aspirations, it's important to let your insurance advisor know. Depending on your circumstances, they may recommend increasing your coverage or opting for a more affordable option. Plus, if you're no longer commuting to an office or worksite, your auto insurance premiums might also change.

Bottom line: if your life has changed significantly, now's the right time to review your insurance coverage. Not sure where to start? Reach out to me for an insurance and financial review today – or visit **desjardinsagents.com/customer-care/blog** for more helpful insurance tips.



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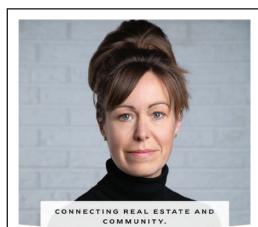
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**Electric tools are environmentally friendly** 

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Keith Beckley, a passionate advocate for EVs for more than 10 years, an active member of the Electric Vehicle Society, (and a member-at-large of Climate Action King), discussed the infinite number of green options for homeowners in 2023: "There's really nothing in your home that you can't replace that used to be run by gas. Your car, your HVAC, your lawnmower – the breadth of different technologies now available can help homeowners and car owners make more environmentally-sensitive consumer decisions.

"Over at the Makita display, they have access to 400 tools that have been converted from gas-powered to electric. Every technology on display here today is better - it's win-win and there's no inconvenience. The climate wins and the pocketbook wins. The selling price of virtually every vehicle at the fairgrounds today is in the price range that most people will pay for a gas-powered vehicle. The greatest selling feature of the electric car is this: If you spend \$100 on gas to go somewhere, it'll cost you \$10 in fuel to charge your vehicle to travel the same distance. And EVs have half the maintenance cost of combustion vehicles."

The poignant words of Ken Hurrell, Lisa Price, JP Holmes, Tim Britnell, Alex McIntosh, Richard Wiseman, Matthew Mandley, Don Dodangoda, and Keith Beckley were inspirational in a time of great peril where decisions need to be made in a timely fashion to improve humankind's environmental stewardship. Climate Action King's "Go Electric" exhibit at the Schomberg Fairgrounds on Sunday afternoon offered local residents myriad options to act locally and think globally as humanity stares down the challenges of climate change and its looming consequences.





## Brantford facility will help build province's EV supply chain

The Ontario government is welcoming a \$102.3 million investment by Mitsui High-tec (Canada), Inc. a manufacturer of motor cores, the basic structure of the motor used in electric vehicles (EVs). This investment, to expand the company's Canadian operations, will create 104 highly skilled, good-paying jobs, while helping to build Ontario's EV supply chain.

"Mitsui High-tec (Canada), Inc.'s investment to expand its Brantford-based facilities is a huge boost not only for the people of southwestern Ontario, but for our province's growing manufacturing and auto sectors," said Premier Doug Ford. "With great partners, we're building an electric vehicle and battery supply chain and making Ontario an auto-manufacturing powerhouse once again."

Since opening its first Ontario facility in 2017, Mitsui High-tec (Canada), Inc. has expanded twice to increase production capacity and is now the only motor core parts manufacturer for EVs and hybrid vehicles in Canada. The company's significant \$102.3 mil-

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To support Mitsui High-tec (Canada), Inc.'s expansion, the government is investing \$3.1 million through Invest Ontario, the province's investment attraction agency.

"As the sole motor core parts manufacturer for EVs, Mitsui High-tec (Canada), Inc. plays an important role in Ontario's auto and advanced manufacturing sectors," said Vic Fedeli, Minister of Economic Development, Job Creation and Trade. "Their exciting new investment will create more good-paying jobs and help ensure that the cars of the future are built in Ontario by Ontario workers. Thank you, Mitsui High-tec (Canada), Inc., for choosing Ontario."

This investment furthers Driving Prosperity, the government's 10-year plan to transform Ontario's automotive supply chain to build the cars of the future, including fully-battery electric vehicles. Over the last two and a half years, Ontario has attracted over \$25 billion in transformative investments from global automakers, parts suppliers, and manufacturers of electric vehicle batteries and battery materials. With a talented workforce, state-of-theart research and development facilities, clean steel manufacturing and an abundance of critical minerals, Ontario continues to be one of the most competitive places for businesses to invest and grow.

Driving Prosperity: The Future of Ontario's Automotive Sector positions Ontario as a North American leader in developing and building the car of the future through emerging technologies and advanced manufacturing processes.

Vehicle assembly and auto parts production directly supports approximately 97,000 workers in Ontario, as well as hundreds of thousands of indirect jobs. Ontario's auto supply chain comprises over 700 parts firms, over 500 tool, die and mold makers, and over 300 connected and autonomous companies.





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## King fire launches awareness campaign for smoke alarms

Ontario's first Test Your Smoke Alarm Day will be Sept. 28 and King Fire is ready to spread awareness. Fire Chief Jim Wall made the rounds promoting the campaign.

Last year there were 133 fire fatalities in the province – the most in 20 years. As part of Test Your Smoke Alarm Day, all Ontarians are encouraged to learn more about smoke alarms, fire safety, and home fire escape planning, which can save the lives of you and your loved ones. Most importantly, we want you to test your smoke alarms!

How to participate?

Snap a photo of you or family members testing your smoke alarms and post it to social media using the hashtag #SavedByTheBeep. Tag your friends and family to spread the message!

On Sept. 28, push the test button on all of your devices. Ensure they work, they are within date, and your family knows how to escape your residence through an established escape plan. Practice does make perfect. Have a plan, test your devices, and know what to do when your alarms activate.

Chief Wall extended his thanks to our wonderful community partners at King City Trailers (Mark Matson and Kevin Joosten), Eek Farms, RONA, Mike and Julie Jessop, Holland Marsh Wineries, Trisan Construction, Rory at McDonalds in Schomberg for supporting this initiative.







The King Township Historical Society Speaker Series Presents:

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Supervisor, Archaeology Toronto Region Conservation Authority







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## York crew rescues turtles

After a construction crew discovered a nest of turtle eggs while working on a road culvert as part of the Rutherford Road project earlier this year, 40 successfully-hatched snapping turtles have been released in the wetlands surrounding Rutherford Road in the City of Vaughan.

Snapping turtles are identified as a "species at risk" as they take 15 to 20 years to reach maturity, with many not making it to this age due to environmental factors, predators, habitat disruption or other dangers like vehicles. Crews carefully followed the strict rules in place for handling species at risk, allowing the turtles to surpass the expected survival rate of hatching in the wild. This means they should contribute to an increase in the snapping turtle population in the future.

Eggs are also vulnerable to predators. These factors all contribute to the slow rate of repopulation.

The construction crew located an adult snapping turtle and a nest at the roadside. They promptly fenced off the area, instructing crew members to keep away from the area until a specialist arrived.

After assessing the nest, York Region confirmed it had been disturbed by a predator the night before and the eggs could be carefully removed and relocated.

There are very strict rules regarding the handling of "species at risk."

York Region spent more than two hours carefully extracting eggs, making sure to keep them at the same temperature as the earth since a degree or two can alter the sex of the turtle. The eggs were secured in a peat moss-lined container for transport to the Ontario Turtle Conservation Centre in Peterborough.

The facility agreed to hatch the eggs and return them for release in the same sub-watershed where they were found.

Due to the quick thinking of all staff involved, these turtles surpassed the expected survival rate of hatching in the wild and should contribute to an increase in the snapping turtle population.





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## Cougars win two pre-season games to set up home opener

### By Jim Stewart

The Schomberg Cougars won two of their three pre-season tournament games on the weekend.

The exhibition contests, in a round-robin tournament hosted by Alliston, served as tune-ups for Thursday night's home opener versus the Stayner Siskins at 7:30 at the Trisan Centre.

The Cougars defeated the Caledon Golden Hawks 6-1 on Friday night at the New Tecumseth Rec Centre in front of 100 fans. Matthew Lychek, Thomas Cecutti, Nicholas Volpe, Degi Angeli

Sam, Anthony Nascimento, and Jerod the one-sided exhibition contest. Sparrow scored for Schomberg.

The Cougars led 1-0 after two periods as Lychek's first period tally held up as the difference after forty minutes of play. Schomberg fired four consecutive goals in a three-minute flurry in the third period to pull away from Caledon and seal the victory. Golden Hawks forward Edward Rebolo scored midway through the third period to narrow Schomberg's lead to 5-1, but Sparrow restored the Cougars' 5-goal winning margin. Schomberg outshot Caledon 41-10 in

In Saturday's pre-season tournament game, Cougars veteran forward Carlo Lionti scored two goals in his team's 3-2 win over the Uxbridge Bruins. Degli Angeli Sam added a goal for Schomberg, his second in as many games. It was a chippy "friendly" with the Bruins as 11 penalties were called. Cougars' goaltender An-

thony Paolini picked up the W versus Uxbridge.

Later on Saturday, the Cougars fell to the Orillia Terriers 7-1 in the team's final tournament tune-up for the regular season. Patrick Polaczek scored Schomberg's goal in the loss to Orillia.

The Cougars completed their pre-season schedule with a record of 2-2.

## Hull Family recognized as PJHL Volunteers of the Year

### **By Jim Stewart**

The Schomberg Cougars organization was honored at the PJHL Awards Ceremony at the conclusion of the 2022-23 season when the Hull Family was selected as the 60-team league's "Volunteers of the Year."

The recognition is clearly merited, based on the family's 30-year connection to the hockey team and their successful ownership of the club for the past 25 years. Anyone who attends Cougars games on Thursday nights is met at the rink's entrance table by Randy and Debra Hull who are the President and the Treasurer of the hockey club, respectively. After you pass by this hospitable and welcoming pair, you'll hear their daughter Nicole Sellers on the PA system as she introduces the players and works intently as a game official on stats and announcements as needed.

Her husband, Vice President Matthew Sellers - a former Cougars Captain and defenceman – can be seen with either Randy and Debra helping at the attendance gate or tending to the needs of the organization or the media on game day.

Their team effort as a family on game night - as well as their diligent work behind-the- scenes during the rest of the week – was formally recognized by the PJHL at the end of May.

Heartfelt congratulations from The King Weekly Sentinel to the 2022-23 PJHL Volunteers of the Year - Randy, Debra, Nicole, and Matthew, for running such a classy organization, for providing opportunities for players to play, and for entertaining King Township hockey fans on Thursday nights at the Trisan Centre in Schomberg. Cheers to the club traditions you have created, your service to the community, and this kind of province-wide recognition. It is richly-deserved.





Lesley Ring, Vice-President, Major Gifts and Campaign, Southlake Foundation, Jennifer Ritter, President and CEO, Southlake Foundation, Brian Fulton, Managing Partner at Mercedes-Benz Newmarket, and Gianlucca Filippetti, New Car Sales Manager at Mercedes-Benz Newmarket.

## NHL's Morgan Rielly, Anthony Cirelli team up with Mercedes-Benz Newmarket to donate \$50K to Southlake's Stronach Regional Cancer Centre

Mercedes-Benz Newmarket, along advanced equipment at the Stronach with the support of their customers Regional Cancer Centre like adding a and brand ambassadors, Toronto Maple Leafs' Morgan Rielly and Tampa Bay Lightning's Anthony Cirelli, has generously donated \$50,000 to Southlake's HERE is Where Cancer Meets Its Match campaign.

The funds raised will support Southlake's \$20 million cancer campaign, now over 60% of the way towards the campaign goal, made possible through the support of community fundraising partners like Mercedes-Benz Newmarket.

The campaign is growing the Stronach Regional Cancer Centre's capacity to meet the increasing demand for care in the community. Gifts made to the campaign will ensure Southlake can continue to bring the latest technology to the Cancer Centre and enable Southlake's talented clinicians to deliver the best care - and the best chance for patients to survive their cancer right here in York Region.

Throughout the month of May, Mercedes-Benz contributed \$200 from every new vehicle sold or leased at the dealership to support the Campaign. In July, Mercedes-Benz customers joined Tampa Bay Lightning star Anthony Cirelli at Magna Golf Club for the annual Mercedes Trophy Golf Tournament, where they raised additional funds through live and silent auctions.

As part of this event, participants had the opportunity to bid on a one-ofa-kind trip to Tampa to see a Toronto Maple Leafs vs. Tampa Bay Lightning hockey game with a visit to the dressing room with Cirelli to meet the Tampa team.

"We are so grateful to Mercedes-Benz Newmarket and their customers for their renewed support of Southlake," said Jennifer Ritter, President and CEO of Southlake Foundation. "Last year's support from Mercedes helped us to make incredible progress in our Campaign and as a result, we will bring the first ever PET-CT scanner to York Region, a game changer for the diagnosis, staging of treatment and monitoring of cancer. This latest gift will continue to drive momentum towards our \$20 million goal, supporting new

fifth Linear Accelerator so that we can expand our Radiation Therapy Program to administer more than 7000 additional radiation treatments annually. This level of support means so much to us and we hope it will inspire other caring companies in our community to help drive us even closer to our goal as we continue to create the cancer care our communities deserve."

"It is an incredible honour to work with the talented, caring people at Southlake who strive to make a difference in the lives of those in need throughout the York Region", said Brian Fulton, Managing Partner at Mercedes-Benz Newmarket. "I would like to thank all of our customers who supported us during the campaign, especially Morgan and Anthony, who continue to set a great example of leadership off the ice!"

"We cannot thank Mercedes-Benz Newmarket enough for their generous donation to cancer care at Southlake," said Derek McNally, Executive Vice President, Clinical Services at Southlake, and Regional Vice President, Cancer Services, Central Cancer Program. "Community fundraising like Mercedes' helps make sure Southlake's staff, physicians and volunteers can be by our patients' side throughout every step of their cancer journey. This in turn ensures the delivery of high-quality, leading edge cancer care to the patients and families we serve."

Delivering cancer care to York Region and South Simcoe County, the Stronach Regional Cancer Centre at Southlake has redefined what a regional hospital is truly capable of. Informed by innovative research, Southlake's oncology experts provide high-quality, compassionate, patient-centred care in a light and uplifting atmosphere. It consistently ranks within the top three of Ontario's Cancer Centres and was the first hospital in Ontario to partner with the Princess Margaret Cancer Care Network.

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The new fast charging stations are part of a historic EV charger roll-out announced in December 2021 by the Ontario government, Ivy Charging Network, ONroute, Canadian Tire and Natural Resources Canada. All stations are now equipped with at least two EV chargers at each site, with busier areas equipped with more. The chargers are available to all drivers on a pay-per-use

The Ontario government is making basis and serve all vehicle types.

"With a total of 20 ONroute stations now equipped with EV fast chargers, our government continues to make life easier for those who drive electric vehicles," said Caroline Mulroney, former Minister of Transportation. "With more people switching to electric vehicles each year, we're preparing for the future now by rapidly building the infrastructure needed to support a cleaner, greener, more accessible Ontario for zero-emission vehicle drivers."

"Over the last two and a half years, Ontario has attracted over \$25 billion in auto and EV battery related investments that will create more good-paying jobs and opportunities across the province," said Vic Fedeli, Minister of Economic Development, Job Creation and Trade. "Ontario is at the heart of the EV revolution, and the new EV fast chargers will help people and businesses more conveniently access charging on the go as we continue to build Ontario's end-to-end EV supply chain."

As the EV population grows, more chargers may be added at each site. These critical infrastructure builds will

further encourage the electrification of connected and autonomous vehicles. the transportation sector in Ontario by making EV charging more accessible and utilize the province's world-class clean electricity supply by shifting away from gas-powered vehicles.

The government also launched a new Ultra-Low Overnight electricity price plan which will support EV adoption and reduce emissions. The new electricity pricing structure is a third option for electricity customers, in addition to the existing Time-of-Use (TOU) and Tiered plans. Customers who use more electricity at night, including shift workers and those who electrically heat their home or charge their electric vehicle, could save up to \$90 per year by shifting demand to the ultra-low overnight rate period when province-wide electricity demand is lower.

These initiatives build on the government's Driving Prosperity: The Future of Ontario's Automotive Sector plan to create a domestic EV battery ecosystem in the province and position Ontario as a North American automotive innovation hub, by working to support the continued pivot to electric, low-carbon,

As of May 2023, there are more than 118,000 EVs registered in Ontario, including both battery-electric vehicles (BEV) and plug-in hybrid electric vehicles (PHEV). By 2030, there are expected to be more than one million EVs on the road in Ontario.

Three additional rest stops in Maple, Ingersoll and Newcastle will undergo planned renovations between 2023-2025 and will have EV fast chargers installed at that time.

The Ivy Charging Network, a joint venture between Hydro One and Ontario Power Generation (OPG), is responsible for the installation, ownership, and operation of the fast chargers.

Ivy's fast chargers charge 40 cents a minute to charge an electric vehicle. With a fast charger most drivers can get a 150 km range of charge for as little as \$7, depending on their vehicle.

"The partnership with IVY contributes to a greener Ontario, provides EV drivers with a convenient place to stop and paves the way for the future of highway travel," said Melanie Teed Murch. CEO at ONroute.







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The Ontario government is working in partnership with municipalities to get shovels in the ground on priority projects and connect more people to jobs and homes, while enhancing critical public services to better serve the province's growing population.

At the 2023 Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) conference in London, Premier Ford announced that Ontario is introducing a new Building Faster Fund that will provide up to \$1.2 billion over three years for municipalities that meet or exceed the housing targets they have pledged to achieve by 2031. This funding will help municipalities pay for housing-enabling infrastructure and related costs that support community growth. In recognition of their unique needs, 10 per cent of the funding will be reserved for small, northern and rural municipalities that have not been assigned a housing target, following municipal consultations.

Premier Ford also announced that Ontario will expand strong mayor powers to 21 additional municipalities, provided their heads of council commit to a municipal housing target as part of the province's work to build at least 1.5 million homes by 2031. Strong mayor powers offer municipalities tools to help cut red tape and speed up the delivery of key shared municipal-provincial priorities such as housing, transit and infrastructure.

As part of the government's work to support the construction of a range of housing types, the former Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing announced that the province will be moving forward with a proposed definition of affordable housing for the purpose of development charge discounts and exemptions. This definition would take local incomes into account in determining which units should be eligible for development charge discounts and exemptions. This approach will reflect the ability of local households to pay for housing and recognizing the variety of housing markets across the province.

The Minister also announced that the province will be naming regional facilitators in Durham, Halton, Niagara, Simcoe County, Waterloo and York no later than Sept. 11. The regional facilitators will make recommendations to the province on what locally-supported governance models would best support Ontario's fastest growing municipalities in moving forward on shared priorities to help municipalities meet their housing targets and build housing-enabling infrastructure.

The government will also host a Housing Forum in Toronto in November 2023 to engage municipal partners and other key stakeholders on the province's Housing Supply Action Plan and next steps in our work to tackle the housing supply crisis. As Ontario works towards that goal, the government continues to look to its partners for their advice on the implementation of our Housing Supply Action Plans and insights on potential opportunities to get more homes built.

"Municipalities are critical partners for our government and we're absolutely committed to making sure they have the tools they need to succeed," said former minister Clark. "We have made substantial progress in our work to get more homes built faster across Ontario and I look forward to working together to build the homes Ontarians need and deserve."

The government is also taking an important step forward to deliver on Your Health: A Plan for Connected and Convenient Care by increasing provincial funding for public health agencies to build a robust public health sector that has the support and resources needed to connect people to care in their communities.

Starting Jan. 1, 2024, the province will restore provincial annual base funding for public health units to \$47 million, which is the level previously provided under the 75 per cent provincial/25 per cent municipal cost-share ratio and will provide local public health units an annual one per cent funding increase over the next three years so they can more effectively plan ahead and prepare.

The province will also clarify the roles of local public health units, to reduce overlap of services and focus resources on improving access to services close to home. One-time funding, resources and supports will be offered to local public health agencies that voluntarily merge to streamline and reinvest back into expanding programs and services.

To connect people to emergency care faster and increase the availability of paramedics and ambulances in communities, Ontario is increasing land ambulance funding to municipalities by an average of six per cent, bringing the province's total investment this year to over \$811 million. The province is also investing an additional \$51 million into the Dedicated Offload Nurses Program over the next three years which helps reduce delays paramedics encounter dropping off patients at a hospital and allows them to get back out into the community faster. This investment will help 30 municipalities cover around 800,000 dedicated hours to support offloading ambulance patients in the emergency department.

"Building a stronger public health system, with more convenient and consistent access to public health services, is one more way our government is connecting people in Ontario to health care closer to home," said Sylvia Jones, Deputy Premier and Minister of Health. "The pandemic showed that we need a stronger public health system and this increased funding will help to create a more connected public health system that will support Ontario communities for years to come."

"Since day one, our government has listened to and worked closely with its municipal partners to build the critical infrastructure our growing communities need to thrive," said Caroline Mulroney, Minister of Transportation. "From building new highways, to public transit, we are getting shovels in the ground on much-needed projects right across the province and supporting our shared goal of a stronger Ontario today and in the future."

"For Ontario to succeed and serve the public well, all governments need to work together to address difficult challenges," said Colin Best, AMO President and Councillor for the Town of Milton and Region of Halton. "We welcome the Ontario government's support to build infrastructure, increase housing and to make housing more affordable for all."

"This announcement is another tangible example of our government's commitment to building Ontario," said Nina Tangri, Associate Minister of Housing. "We know first-hand that municipalities across the province must be equal players in helping us achieve our goal of building 1.5 million homes by 2031. These new measures will help create more opportunities for municipalities and the province to work together, increase housing supply, and deliver for

Ontarians."

The government's fourth housing supply action plan – Helping Homebuyers, Protecting Tenants – contains a suite of new measures to make life easier for renters, help homebuyers and streamline policies to build more homes.

Strong mayor powers are already available to 28 large and fast-growing municipalities that have committed to a housing target.

Ontario is investing an additional \$202 million annually through the Homelessness Prevention Program and Indigenous Supportive Housing Program - bringing the province's annual investment in these programs to close to \$700 million.

The province is providing up to \$50 million in temporary support to assist municipalities most significantly impacted by the federal decision not to make payments-in-lieu of taxes (PILT) on federal properties at the provincially regulated rate. Ontario continues to urge the federal government to make these payments and encourages the province's municipal partners to join in this effort, as this is a federal responsibility.

Ministers, Associate Ministers and Parliamentary Assistants held about 600 meetings with municipalities and municipal organizations from across Ontario at the 2023 AMO conference. They discussed key priorities including skilled trades, public health, housing and homelessness supports, and transportation infrastructure.

"Far too many hard-working families in King, Vaughan and across the province are unable to fulfill the Canadian dream of home ownership, which is why we must tackle the affordability crisis head on," said Stephen Lecce, MPP for King-Vaughan. "By introducing the \$1.2 billion Building Faster Fund, our government is taking action to build 1.5 million homes by 2031 and make home ownership attainable for young families in our community."

The three-year, \$1.2 billion fund will provide up to \$400 million per year to municipalities that have committed in writing to achieve their overall 2031 housing target. Ten per cent of the overall funding will be reserved for small, rural and northern communities.

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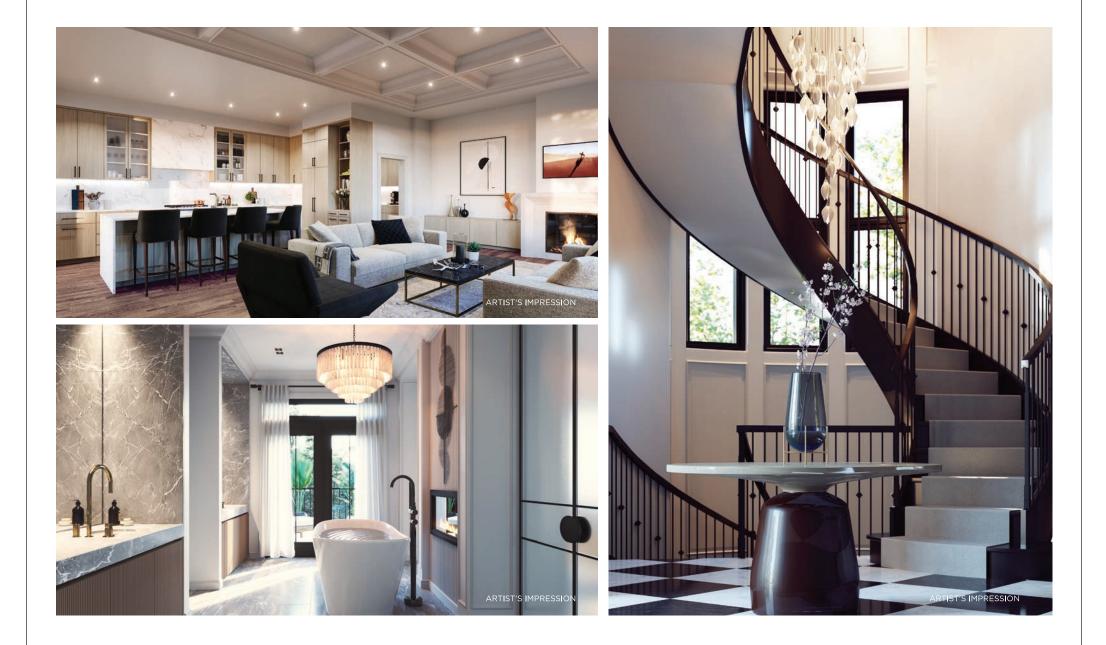
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## 24 - THE WEEKLY SENTINEL - Thursday, September 14, 2023 **Blue Door purchases fourplex in Newmarket**

### By Elisa Nguyen

A new supportive housing fourplex in Newmarket has been purchased by Blue Door. York Region's largest emergency housing provider for underserved people experiencing homelessness, creating more opportunities for affordable housing for the most vulnerable populations.

\$1.6 million was received by Blue Door thanks to funding from United Way Toronto and the federal government.

Blue Door said in a press release that the contribution provides opportunities for affordable housing, specifically for highly vulnerable senior men experiencing homelessness in York Region.

Alex Cheng, Director of Community Programs at Blue Door, says the

impact of the new purchase comes in the units.<sup>3</sup> two parts. Those who seek support from Blue Door are offered both affordable housing and wraparound services provided by the organization—such as counselling, child and youth programs, and wellness programs.

"On a basic level, non-profit service providers like Blue Door, we aim to ensure that housing stays affordable for the most vulnerable. In addition to this, we have an expertise in terms of supporting the most vulnerable. I think that sets us apart in that we're able to provide wraparound supports for people to be able to sustain long term housing," he said.

"We're not a traditional property manager or landlord, but we have a supportive team that understands the needs of the population that access

As housing units in the community continue "turning over," rental costs increase as well, making the purchase of a property an investment funding was straightforward, says that ensures the housing stays at an affordable level, Cheng says.

"One of the important pieces around an investment like this for a non-profit like Blue Door is that we're able to once we've made the purchase, ensure that the rent stays at an affordable level," he said.

Cheng notes that building entirely new housing units may not be possible, therefore purchasing existing properties is one of the best solutions.

"We can't just build new units to deal with the prices, but it is also very important for us to address the fact that existing units should also remain affordable. I think for us, in terms of

a long-term plan for Blue Door, we would ensure that we are part of that solution."

The process of applying for the Cheng, noting that the original funding call for service providers came out around November 2021. In the past, Blue Door has received funding from foundations such as one that sought to provide housing for LGBTQ+ youth.

According to a press release from Blue Door, approximately 60% of individuals experiencing homelessness in York Region are men; senior men are overrepresented and under-supported by available services.

In addition, women and children are often forced into homelessness by domestic violence, which increased dramatically during the pandemic.

Blue Door has purchased two properties in the past year – one in March 2022 and another in March 2023 - one of which is currently being used in a collaborative effort with Yellow Brick House, a nonprofit that serves women and kids seeking refuge from domestic violence.

"Right now all units are occupied," Cheng said.

Michael Braithwaite, Blue Door's CEO, expressed gratitude for the funding for its ability to make a lasting impact on the community.

'We are immensely grateful to receive this funding from United Way Greater Toronto and the Government of Canada to support providing refuge to these two very vulnerable groups in our community. Our deepest gratitude goes to these two organizations, who share our vision of creating a compassionate society where no one is left without housing or protection. Together, we can make a lasting difference," shared Braithwaite.



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## **Province to set municipal targets**

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For municipalities with targets, each municipality's portion of the \$400 million annually will be determined based on their share of the greater provincial housing supply goal, as well as their performance compared to their annual assigned targets. For example, if a municipality's target represents 10 per cent of the province-wide target, that municipality will be eligible for 10 per cent of funding through the Building Faster Fund.

Performance will be evaluated by comparing the municipality's number of housing starts and additional residential units created in a given calendar year against the annual target. Municipalities that are achieving 80 per cent or more of their annual target will be able to access a portion of their allocation. Those that exceed their target will be eligible to receive additional funding. Municipalities that are not achieving at least 80 per cent of their annual target will receive no funding.

For the first year of the program, 2023, province-wide housing targets will start at 110,000 new housing starts, which would represent a historic year for Ontario. From there, housing tar-

gets will ramp up over time until the province is on track to achieve at least 1.5 million homes by 2031.

Municipalities with targets would also be given strong mayor powers if their head of council has committed to meeting these targets, in writing, by Oct. 15. These municipalities would then receive strong mayor powers by Oct. 31, and would be eligible for the Building Faster Fund.

There are now 50 municipalities with assigned municipal housing targets in Ontario, including Aurora, Vaughan, Whitchurch-Stouffville, New Tecumseth, Markham, Richmond Hill, Newmarket.

"Recognizing the urgency of the housing crisis affecting every community across Ontario, The Province of Ontario has created new tools and policy mechanisms to address this crisis, in the form of Strong Mayor powers, housing target pledges and the Building Faster Fund," said Aurora Mayor Tom Mrakas.

"The Town of Aurora has already demonstrated its commitment to addressing the housing crisis in our community through developing an Affordable Housing Action Plan, removing minimum parking requirements in our Major Transit Station Area as well as

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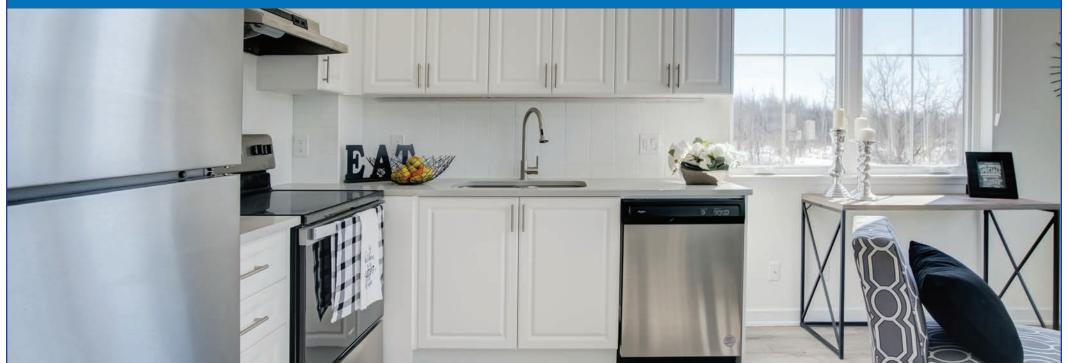
streamlining our development process.

"We have identified 8,000 housing units as the appropriate target for Aurora and I am glad to see that our number matches what the Province asked our Town to pledge. This target is appropriate and will ensure that we meet the housing needs of current and future residents in a manner that is appropriate for our community and in alignment with our Official Plan.

"I will be awaiting for the particulars of the newly announced Building Faster Fund to see how our Town stands to gain in accessing this critical funding. As for Strong Mayors powers - as I've said before, I don't think Strong Mayors powers are a tool we necessarily need, but it is a tool that the province has now given us. And there could be certain situations that arise in the future where strong mayor powers could be useful, specifically when it comes to accelerating housing.

"But I want to be very clear that I think our current Council works very well together, and I'm committed to working with my Council colleagues to make decisions that align with our Official Plan, provincial priorities, as well as the shared vision we have with community members on how we grow Aurora."







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## Nobleton Notes

### **By Angie Maccarone**

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

We invite you to join us in person for worship this Sunday at 10 a.m.

Our Pastor, Jeff Loach, will continue his series, on Hosea. Jeff's message, entitled "Chasing the Wind" is based on Hosea 13. Following the service, we will enjoy refreshments. We hope you can come! If you can't make it in person, our live-streamed broadcasts are available directly on stpaulsnobleton.ca or on our YouTube channel each Sunday at 10 a.m., or on demand at youtube. com/stpaulschurchnobleton.

Brett Ullman, author of "Parenting – Navigating Everything," will be back with us again on Sept. 22 at 7 p.m. Doors will open at 6:30 p.m. Please join us as we together look at how we can best help our kids navigate the world they are all growing up in. Refreshments and child care will be available. Cost is Free! For more information on Brett. check out his website at BrettUllman. com.

St. Paul's continues to look for God's choice for our part-time Pastoral Musician position. If you love Jesus, play piano and can lead a praise team and a congregation in worship, we'd like to hear from you! Send your résumé to jeff@stpaulsnobleton.ca.

Is there something we could pray about for you?

Back in the spring, we welcomed new friends from Caven Church in Bolton as they amalgamated with us. On Sunday, Oct. 1, we will officially dedicate "The Caven Room" at St. Paul's, which will house some memorabilia from Caven's history. We will celebrate the Lord's Supper together, and share a pot luck lunch after the service, and we hope you'll come to enjoy it all with us!

Our "Junction" children's ministry is meeting in person for all children up to Grade 6 during worship. We continue to offer St. Paul's "At Home" boxes each month to facilitate God-focused family learning. If you would like to engage with this resource, tick the appropriate box on the connection card at stpaulsnobleton.ca/connect

### St. Mary's Church

rently in Grade 2 and Grade 7: Information regarding registration for the 2024 Sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation will be shared shortly through email by our two Catholic Elementary schools, and is posted on our parish bulletin and websites.

The Gruppo di Padre Pio will be hosting a social in honour of St. Padre Pio on his feast day, Saturday, Sept. 23 after the 5 p.m. Holy Mass in the St. Mary's Church Hall. Join us for refreshments and fellowship to celebrate our beloved saint. All are welcome!

We are only three weeks away from our LifeTeen and Edge Launch Night taking place on Saturday, Sept. 30 in St. Mary's Church Hall, after the 5 p.m. Youth Mass. We are very excited to be planning a fun night of Minute to Win

It Games, food and fellowship. All teens Grades 6 to 12 are invited to this engaging event. Mark your calendars so that you don't miss it and invite your friends! See poster in the bulletin, Life-Teen Social Media and bulletin board in the foyer.

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

The Parish Office will remain open from Monday to Thursday, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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

Please note, the Sacrament of Recon-

ciliation/Confession is available from Tuesday to Friday before the 9 a.m. Holy Mass at St. Patrick's Parish and on Saturdays between 4 and 4:45 p.m. at St. Mary's Mission Church.

### Nobleton Seniors (55+) **By Joanne Bailey**

We welcome all Nobleton Seniors (55+) to the Nobleton Arena to participate in meaningful activities, create new friendships and to share ideas. We are located at the Nobleton arena at 15 Old King Rd., (upstairs).

Our current schedule is as follows:

Monday: Outdoor Bocce - 10 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. to 3 p.m., weather permitting.

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## CAA survey reveals increase in dangerous driving behaviours

A recent survey conducted on behalf of CAA South Central Ontario (CAA SCO) found that 82 per cent of parents in Ontario have witnessed dangerous driving behaviours in school zones that's a four per cent increase compared to last year. More than half (55 per cent) consider the roads around their child's school to be unsafe.

"Our children deserve to travel to and from school safely," says Tracy Marshall, manager of community relations at CAA SCO. "As another school year begins, drivers should prepare for higher traffic periods in school zones and drive with extra vigilance."

According to the survey, some of the most common dangerous driving behaviours parents have witnessed include speeding, double parking and stopping in undesignated areas.

Of those surveyed, the car remains the primary mode of transportation to and from school. Because of this, more than 80 per cent of parents report experiencing congestion around their child's school. In fact, survey respondents believe that parents in a hurry (38 per cent), too much congestion (33 per cent) and parents not following the drop off or pick up procedures contribute the most to unsafe driving behaviours in school zones.

Majority of parents say more can be done to help drivers slow down in school zones.

Ninety-one per cent of parents in Ontario support lowering the speed limit in school zones with 83 per cent that say A note to parents of students cur- speed limits should be 30km/h or lower.

When it comes to Automated Speed make school zones safer. Enforcement (ASE):

Seventy-seven per cent – an 11 per cent jump compared to last year strongly support the use of it in school zones.

Eighty-one per cent believe its presence would deter speeding around schools.

Seventy-five per cent say that it should remain permanent in school zones.

Drivers reminded to follow the rules of the road in school zones, especially near school buses.

"It is dangerous and illegal to pass a stopped school bus with its red lights flashing and stop arm extended," says Marshall.

According to the survey, 11 per cent of parents report having ever been charged with failure to stop for a school bus.

"Not only do you risk facing a fine of up to \$2,000 and six demerit points for a first offence, but you are also putting the lives of others at risk," adds Marshall.

How drivers can help keep school zones safe.

Drivers can also use the following CAA tips to ensure they are staying safe in school zones:

Help reduce traffic with active school travel: Encourage your kids to walk or wheel to school to ease traffic congestion. If your school is a further distance, CAA encourages parents and guardians to park a block away and walk to school to reduce traffic and

Slow down: Know the speed limit in your neighbourhood's school zones and respect them. Ensure you give yourself plenty of time to drop off your kids at school to avoid rushing.

Choose a safe spot to drop off and pick up vour children from school: Follow your school's rules and avoid double parking or stopping on crosswalks, dropping off or picking up your kids on the opposite side of the street, and stopping in moving traffic as kids rush out. Instead, use the designated drop off areas or consider a spot a bit farther away from school that is easily accessible and safe.

Make eye contact with pedestrians: With the excitement of going back to school, anticipate that children may not easily see or hear your moving vehicle, so ensure to make eye contact with pedestrians crossing the road.

Watch for CAA School Safety Patrollers: When travelling to and from school, watch for CAA School Safety Patrollers in their lime green safety vests, as they play an important role in ensuring the roadway is safe before kids cross on their own.

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Tuesday: Mobility Matters – 1 p.m. to 1:45 p.m.

Friday: Mobility Matters – 1 p.m. to 1:45 p.m

Other scheduled events are as follows: Thursday, Sept. 14 – The Beauty of Po-

etry.

Thursday, Sept. 21 – Bird House Making Workshop.

Thursday, Sept. 28 – Board Games & Cards.

We are currently seeking more volunteers for our Nobleton group. If interested please contact Joanne Bailey at 416.706.9375 or email Erin Burford, Coordinator of Recreation Programs at: eburford@king.ca

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Nobleton Girl Guides meet locally on Tuesday nights from mid-September to June, for girls ages 5 to 14.

Register at: girlguides.ca If you have any questions, please email 1stnobletongirlguides@gmail.com

### Nobleton and King City Garden Club

The Nobleton-King City Garden Club's next meeting is on Sept. 25 at 7:30 p.m. at Laskay Hall in King City. The topic of this meeting is 'Succulent Gardening for Beginners' with Molly Shannon, owner of Canadian Succulents. Molly will share her expertise with the group, including an introduction to succulent care and design!

For those interested in attending, the non-member fee for this meeting is \$5 or the club membership fee for this meeting, and the remaining others for 2023 is \$20. Payment can be e-transferred to nobletonkingcitygardenclub@gmail.com or paid in cash at the meeting.

The remaining 2023 meeting dates and speakers are:

Monday, Sept. 25: 'Everything You Wanted To Know About Succulents and More!' with Molly Shannon.

Monday, Oct. 23: 'Indigenous Foods and Medicine' with Jordan Jamieson.

Monday, Nov. 27: Annual General Meeting, including a workshop on 'Creating Beautiful Evergreen Arrangements' with Barbara Downey.

## Kingcrafts Studio art show and sale

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### **Nobleton Lions**

Your Nobleton Lions Club is in full swing for another year after a summer break. The Club wishes to sincerely thank everyone who participated in, or supported the Charity Golf tournament held at Nobleton Lakes Golf Course in June. It was a rousing success which will permit the Club to go on supporting the town of Nobleton and surrounding community.

Coming up is the annual Community Fundraising Draw with winners to be declared on October 28. First Prize is \$4,000, Second Prize \$750, and Third Prize \$250. Tickets are \$20 or 3 for \$50 and can be obtained from any member of the Club.

Other events now being planned for the fall include participation in the Nobleton Tree Lighting, the Reverse Advent Calendar food drive, and Skate with Santa on December 16, with more information to follow for each event.

We invite you to follow us on Facebook and Instagram (@nobletonlionsclub), on X (@NobletonLions), and on our website, by simply googling 'Nobleton Lions' which will bring up the link to the site.

As always we welcome prospective new members. You may join us as a guest at an upcoming meeting by contacting Lion Andrew at andrew.bevil@sanofi. com We meet on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday each month from September to June at the Old Community Hall, just north of the arena, at 6:30 p.m.

### Horticulture By John Arnott

Now if it's recommended that "you don't judge a book by its cover," then I recommend that you don't judge a this plant by its common name – toad lily.

Its botanical name, tricytris meaning 3 humps referring to the 3 points or convexes on its tiny seed pods for indeed this beautiful late summer.

This early fall perennial should be a must for the fall garden when other plants are flowering less or fading. This shade-loving plant, a member of the lily family, hails from east Asia.

Its star shaped up facing orchid like blooms about 2.5/1in. across have 6 petals that are white or light purple and speckled with deep purple dots. Leaves are glossy green but often variegated light and dark green as mine are. Stems can grow up to a metre/3ft. high but that's not often the case. Those in my garden are just over 30cm/1ft. high and the clump some have formed is about the same in width. Tiny purple flower buds will form at each nodule on the arching stem. These plants spread slowly on underground stems called rhizomes and aren't considered invasive. There are red tricytris and yellow ones but these are not commonly found in our area. Tricytris hirta (hairy -leaves and stem) and tricytris formosana (from Formosa the Japanese name for Taiwan) are much more often available.

Tricytris like to grow in damp humusy soil thus won't survive long in dry conditions.

September is a good month for planting tricytris and other perennials. Year 'round centres often have great bargains at this time of year.

## Tree planting at Cold Creek

King and Ontario Streams will plant 400 trees in King on Saturday, Sept. 16 between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. at the Cold Creek Conservation Area to improve the local habitat. Join in. Register at www.ontariostreams.on.ca/get-involved



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### King's Corners **King City United** By Sheryl Sinka

Next Sunday Sept 17th, we are pleased to welcome back Rev Evelyn MacLachlan to preside over our worship which will begin at 10 a.m. Our regular worship schedule has returned and we welcome all to join with us for worship and fellowship at 10 a.m. on Sunday mornings. Sunday school has resumed and takes place for elementary aged children during the worship hour.

It is with great sadness that we must give you the news that our long time member and friend, Jean Kell, passed away on Sunday Sept 10 into the hands of our Lord. Funeral arrangements are not available at the time of writing this column however if you would like information regarding funeral arraignments please call Sheryl Sinka at 416-450-0140 as our church office is closed until next Tuesday.

Weekly recordings have discontinued now that we have returned to in-person worship. Please join with us for in person worship and light refreshments after the worship.

For the PDF of past messages and 15. recordings please visit our website at kcuc.net

We continue to encourage all to help out with the King Township Food Bank who is experiencing unprecedented needs and we encourage you to continue to help with donations of food or financial donations for the many needing assistance.

### **King Bible Church**

Join us on Sundays at 10:30 a.m. as we're in-person for our services. Pastor Mark is speaking on The Lord's Prayer. We will also be streaming the service online at 10:30 a.m. on Facebook and YouTube.

We also invite your family to our Family Fun Fair on Saturday, Sept. 23 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. We will have a free BBQ, bouncy castles and obstacle courses and carnival games!

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

### King City Seniors (55+) By Carolyn Kanitz

Art classes resume tomorrow, Sept.

Friday, Sept. 22 will be the date of our first potluck lunch this fall. Attendees are asked to bring either a main course or a dessert item to share. Join us at 12:30 p.m. for a varied menu and great conversation.

On Wednesday, Sept. 27, from 2 to 4 p.m., KCSC will present a unique fashion show. We have an abundance of special occasion outfits as well as many items of clothing from around the world. The variety is amazing. We could still use a few models from size 8 to 14 to wear the clothes. If you are interested, please call the Centre at 905-833-6565.

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Friday: 9:30 a.m. - Art Class (2nd & 4th of the month unless otherwise noted); 1 p.m. - Euchre.

KCSC will be hosting a Retirement Residence Fair on Friday, Oct. 27 at the Centre. If you think that a Retirement

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### **Sacred Heart Church**

Holy Mass will be celebrated on Thursday, Sept. 14 at 7 p.m. for the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. The Cross is the primary symbol of our Christian faith. It represents Jesus himself, his suffering, his immeasurable love for us, his victory over sin and death, and our redemption.

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Garage Sale: Saturday, September 16th 8 am to noon. Rain or Shine. 173 Norman Dr, King City.

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### 30 - THE WEEKLY SENTINEL - Thursday, September 14, 2023 .

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Friday, Sept. 15, Silent Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament begins at 3:30 p.m., Benediction at 6:45 p.m. It is also the Feast Day of Our Lady of Sorrows. Holy Mass will be celebrated at 7 p.m.

Attention all youth. "The Restless Outreach Group" of Sacred Heart will be going to help the needy in the Scarborough Region on Oct. 21. More information will follow. For information, restless.sacredheartparish@ email: gmail.com

Join us on the rectory grounds for our 1st Carnival and Picnic, Sunday, Sept. 17 from 12 to 4 p.m. Bring your own chair/blanket. Lots of fun for the whole family. \$10 entrance fee covers hamburger/hotdog, drink, chips, and games. Volunteers needed. If you are a Grade 7-8 or high school student who needs volunteer hours, this is a great way to get involved in your community even at this date. Kindly send a quick email to: sacredheartki@archtoronto. org.

Registration for Sacraments in 2024 will be in the Parish Hall at 7 p.m.: First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion on September 26; Confirmation on October 3.

See our Parish on Facebook: Sacred Heart Parish King City or Instagram: Sacred Hear Parish King City or our website: sacredheartki.archtoronto. org. Rectory Office 905-833-1161.

### **York Pines United Church**

The proceeds from our summer virtual bottle drive will be dedicated to the Mission and Service Fund this Sunday. Mission and Service provides support to outreach agencies in Canada and aboard. Rev. Andrew will be leading the service.

Next Sunday, Lesley Morris is again leading the service. Wear your orange T-shirt in recognition of the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation on the 30th.

Book Club returns on Monday, Sept. 25 at 10 a.m. Join the group for coffee and some lively discussion of Up and Down by Terry Fallis, in-person or on Zoom. If you are interested in participating, please contact the office at yorkpinesuc@gmail.com or 905-727-8118.

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

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Welcome to St. Andrew's Presbyte-

rian Church at 13190 Keele St. Sunday morning worship service is at 10:30 a.m. with Alison Agnew leading us. The Rev. Peter Ma will be visiting us again this Sunday to share the message from God's Word. Last Sunday Alison continued with II Kings 4: 38-44 about Elisha's response to the famine at that time and how it's relevant in our time when there seems to be a spiritual famine that isn't being satisfied. "Jesus is the true vine and Jesus is the Bread of Life."

We are blessed to have Jacqui Lawson lead us in our worship songs along with Marlene Harris at the piano.

The session had a very productive and exciting "working breakfast" last Friday to plan for the fall. Alison Agnew has renewed her summer contract to the end of the year! Bible Studies will soon be starting - one virtual and one in person. More information to follow. If you would like to join one, please call the church office.

Coming up is October 1 - World Communion Sunday and October 22 is Anniversary Sunday at St. Andrew's. Plans are being made so mark your calendars!

For pastoral care, please leave a message at the church at 905-833-2325 for Alison Agnew, call one of the Elders or call our Interim Moderator, the Rev. Jonathan Dennis (1-905-724-1979).

### All Saints Anglican Church **By Patrick Gossage**

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Healing Ministry at All Saints - Licensed lay anointers offer anointing and special prayers for anyone who needs them during communion at the 10:30 service. It's personal and very meaningful. Love and truth telling – a sermon by Rev. Erin Martin on Matthew 18 – dealing with conflicting views.

"I see so much trouble in the world and do what I can to bring about understanding and change. It isn't easy to name difficult things, but Jesus tells us it's the only way to work through issues and have a truly healthy community. Listening is the other part of that; being open to the Spirit deepening our understanding and allowing ourselves to be changed by information, relationships, and experience. Right now one of the main issues on my heart is the current debate around trans youth and whether a change in their name and pronouns at school should be reported to parents by school staff. It's all too much to get into for a sermon."

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Hellen attended college in Toronto, then worked as a secretary at C.N.I.B. While living in Toronto she met the love of her life Jim. Once they started a family, they moved to Tottenham, where she later became the superintendent of two apartment buildings. Hellen quickly became loved and admired by many. Her willingness to lend a hand endeared her to many.

Born in Sprucedale Ontario, she grew up in Huntsville on the family farm.

extended family, friends, and many more touched by her life.

She was also an active caregiver and volunteer throughout her community. In 2010, Hellen was awarded Senior of the Year award along with being inducted into the South Simcoe Hall of Fame for her continued efforts to support those in need.

Hellen is greatly missed and will forever be in our hearts. Cremation has taken place. Visitation will be held on Saturday, September 30th, 2023 at Rod Abrams Funeral Home, 1666 Tottenham Road Tottenham, 905-936-3477 from 10 - 11 a.m., followed by the Memorial Service at 11 a.m. Interment to follow at Mount Tegart Cemetery, followed by a reception at Rod Abrams Funeral Home Cliffside Hall.

For those who wish, donations in Hellen's memory to Matthews House Hospice would be greatly appreciated. Condolences and memories may be left for the family at www.RodAbramsFuneralHome.com

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## The Scoop from Schomberg

### By Susan Heslop

We were out this past Saturday to celebrate our 21st anniversary and happened to sit beside an Instagram influencer who was here in Schomberg to check out "Taste of Main" her name is Kaley Langille and seems she loved Schomberg and tried all the offerings at our local restaurants and even made it to a few of our local shops. If you don't know what an "Instagram Influencer" is, I'm not sure anyone fully understands it, but they seem to make money by checking out different products, restaurants, shops and recommending them to their followers who will hopefully go check out their recommendations and boost these products or businesses.

I'm not sure how she did it, but she seemed to enjoy her dinner at Port Soiree, from what I witnessed. I truly hope she brings in lots of out of towners and puts Schomberg on the map as one of the "places to be eat and shop!"

This year's participants in "Taste of Main" include: The Schomberg Pub, Craft Kitchen & Beer Bar, Port Soiree, Historia Cantina. Hollywood Pizza. Leonardos Pizzeria & Smokehouse, 307 on Main, and The Grackle Coffee Company. You can find the menus online at schomberg.ca, they look fabulous, Bon Appetite.

From King Curling Club: Have vou ever watched professional curling on TV and wondered, could I learn to play this game, and where? If only there was a place where I could learn without pressure, in a structured environment, and have fun doing it!

Well wonder no more, and welcome to the King Curling Club Adult Instructional League! We offer an 8-week course beginning Sunday, Oct. 15, from 1 to 3 p.m. Every Sunday afternoon we will walk you through the basics of the game, from sliding down the ice, delivering the rock, game play, and yes you will learn how to sweep a rock! All adults welcome, and it is not too late to start as we had 80-year-old graduate last year.

Above all, you will have plenty of fun in this environment, with a very good student to instructor ratio. Just ask any one of our 109 previous students and they will tell you what a great time they had. All this for only \$185 including your membership fee.

After graduation in December, you will immediately be offered spots in our regular leagues for the second half of the season and be well on your way to enjoying a lifetime of curling fun.

While you probably won't be playing in a televised event, at least not right away, there will be plenty of excitement and competition waiting for you at the Club level, not to mention the comradery of fellow Members as you enjoy post-game celebrations in our welcoming curling lounge.

Please join now as we have limited spots available, to enroll or for more information, please email, registration@ kingcurling.com

Art Society King is once again presenting the outdoor art show "The Schomberg Street Gallery" on Sept. 17, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Main Street will close, and you can wander down Main and meet local and world-renowned artists who will be showcasing their work. Make sure to mark your calendars.

Emmanuel Presbyterian Church invites you to "Fall Fest" on Sept. 30, at 11 a.m., join us for brunch/lunch. There will be soup, sandwiches, desserts, and refreshments. We will also have a bake table with lots of goodies for all. There

will be a table to shop for miscellaneous items, such as, plants, planters, assorted crafts along with a few other bits and bobs. They hope to see you there.

Don't forget about the guided Apiary Tour at Cold Creek, Sunday, Sept. 24 from 1 to 2:30 p.m. You can sign up at king.ca/recreation.

The Schomberg Agricultural Society is inviting you to the "Annual Community Spirit Bonfire" October 21, from 12 to 10 p.m. at the fair grounds. There'll be music, and food so make sure to bring vour family and join in all the fun.

Our very own King Food Bank has been serving the people of King for many years, and this year their one and only event that helps them help others "Sip and Savour" is a Moroccan inspired theme "Yalla Casablanca" which takes place in October at the "Sultan's Palace" at Seneca College, tickets go on sale soon so stay tuned. It's always a wonderful event that includes a silent Auction both on site and online. They are looking to find local businesses willing to donate items for the auction and are asking for gifts that retail around \$100. If you would like to donate, please reach out by email to KTFBsipandsavour@gmail.com

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### Nobleton and Schomberg United Churches

### **By Nancy Hopkinson**

Schomberg's Sunday service is at 9:30 a.m. at St. Mary's Magdalene Church, 116 Church St. Nobleton's service is at 11:15 a.m. at 6076 King Rd., west of Hwy 27.

Every Thursday afternoon starting Thursday Sept. 14 at 2 p.m., join us at Nobleton United for "Thursday Tea. Thick Texts, and Theology."

You do not have to be an expert to join and you do not need to be a member of our congregation. Pastor Richard Gardner will lead us through the rich narratives and timeless wisdom of Genesis with this new Bible study series. There will be engaging discussions, warm tea, and a vibrant community as we uncover the profound layers of theology woven into these ancient stories.

Whether you're a seasoned theologian or just beginning your faith journey, come together with us to enrich your spiritual understanding and forge deeper connections with God's Word.

The next Senior's Luncheon is on Tuesday, Sept. 19 at 11:30 a.m. (arrive by 11:15 a.m.) at St. Mary Magdalene Church, lower level, 116 Church St.,

Schomberg. The guest speaker is Joe Gray, a farmer volunteer from Peel Region who will inform us about the S.H.A.R.E. Agricultural Foundation, a Canadian charity operating primarily in developing countries of Central and South America. This charity has provided support to agricultural-based communities for over 45 years using the "Pass On" principle where people can improve their life through their own efforts. The meal will be barbecued sausage from Schomberg Quality Meats, baked beans, coleslaw, corn on the cob (if available), buns and butter, followed by chocolate cake and ice cream, tea and coffee. Please let Sheila Kelly (905-939-2315) know if you are interested in attending. Space is limited.

If you prefer, the meal can be delivered in the afternoon in time for dinner. Although the meal and entertainment are free, we do appreciate any donations you are able to make to offset some of our costs.

The next Messy Church is Wednesday, Sept. 20, 5 to 7 p.m. Messy Church is for families. The theme this time is Joshua: Nothing is impossible with God. Do you remember the story of Joshua and how the Israelites got through the walls of Jericho? There are activities, a game

wall) and optional crafts (making musical instruments. flower decorating) for the first hour, then an interactive Bible story and songs that relate the activities to the story and at 6:15 p.m., a meal. It is a fun way to learn Bible stories and how to relate them to our own lives. The

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The Schomberg 55+ Club is back with a kickoff this past Wednesday with a membership drive.

Here are the events planned for fall at the Community Hall:

Open Discussion Meetings 21; Oct 5, 19, Nov. 2, 16, 30; Dec. 16, Monday, Sept. 11 - 10:30 a.m. - 'Laughter Yoga,' Monday, Sept. 18 – 10:30 - "Power of the Pen" handwriting analysis, Monday, Oct. 2, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. – Tour Farm Day at Sheldon Creek; Monday, October 16 10:30 a.m. – Speaker – Richard McLeod – History Hound; Monday, Oct. 23, 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. - Workshop - Glass 5x7 sun catcher - cost \$90; Thursday, Oct. 26, 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. - Workshop - 4 glass pendants - cost \$70. Please make sure to come out and sign up for these amazing events.

Euchre night is Thursday nights

called "Connect Four" (looks like a meal and activities are free, but we do appreciate donations.

> Our Pastor, Richard Gardner, is in the Nobleton church office most Wednesdays and many Thursdays as well. Richard would love to have a chat with you or offer communion with you, if you would like that.

> from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Curling Club at Trisan. It's \$10 per night or \$20 a month. We will be heading back to Fridays and moving downstairs at Trisan at the end of this month, but we still have a few weeks left on Thursdays, so come out and join us.

> The "Four Seasons Market" is open for Fall and Winter Market applications, the Fall market takes place, Saturday, Sept. 23 and the Winter Market, Saturday November 4th. Please go to thefourseasonsmarket.com for more information and to apply to be a vendor.

This quote spoke to me this week:

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won't continue to climb" ~Matthew Mc-Conaughey

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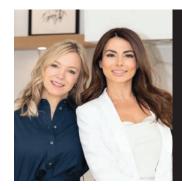
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