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Claremont talks airport, and other things, with candidates

DURHAM — An all-candidates meeting for Ajax-Pickering Riding is set for Sept. 19 in Claremont.

Land Over Landings, in conjunction with the Greenwood Ratepayers' Association, is hosting the event, which will cover all issues and not just those dealing with Pickering airport. It's at the Claremont Community Centre, on Old Brock Road, starting at 7:30 p.m. All candidates have been invited. As well, there will be a presentation on the referendum question that will be on the ballot. Voters are being asked if they want to change the electoral system from the current one to a mixed member proportional system.



Merlin conjures up cocaine ring



Jason Liebrechts/ News Advertiser photo
Durham Regional Police Inspector Tom Cameron speaks during a press conference to discuss a major cocaine bust as Police Chief Mike Ewles listens.

Hundreds of charges laid after major drug bust

Police say dope flowed into Canada on commercial flights

By Jeff Mitchell
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DURHAM — A little bit of luck and months of dogged police work have led to the arrest of 12 people -- including a member of the Hells Angels and an airport baggage handler -- in the single largest cocaine seizure in the history of the Durham police force.

Six Durham residents were among those busted when police executed search warrants here and throughout the GTA Tuesday morning, breaking what's being described as an international cocaine smuggling operation that saw drugs brought to Canada on commercial flights, while money flowed back to the Caribbean by conspirators posing as tourists.

"We've dismantled a significant cocaine pipeline in the GTA," Durham Chief Mike Ewles told reporters gathered at a Whitby police station Wednesday morning.

"It has put a big dent in the market, we believe."

The investigation, dubbed Project Merlin, resulted in the seizure of 26 kg of powder cocaine valued at more than \$3 million, 12 guns along with ammunition and nearly \$45,000 in cash. More than 200 drug, conspiracy and weapons charges have been laid so far against 12 people and cops have seized eight private vehicles they've labelled as proceeds of crime.

Police allege those arrested were part of a ring that smuggled dope from the Dominican Republic into Canada on commercial passenger jets, with employees at airports in both countries playing crucial roles. The cocaine was concealed in jet cargo holds, police said.

"Airport employees on both ends were involved in this operation," said Inspector Tom Cameron of Durham's Criminal Intelligence Branch.

"The cocaine was destined for distribution in Durham Region and other municipalities in the GTA." The well-established ring made attempts to import coke at least once a week, Insp. Cameron said. He wouldn't discuss the methods used by police during the lengthy investigation, including whether or not drug officers worked undercover to infiltrate the operation.

What was revealed was that the ring appears to have been in operation for at least a year prior to the beginning of the investigation and that it saw large quantities of coke smuggled onto and off

planes coming to Toronto from the Dominican Republic. Money flowed back to the Dominican by way of couriers posing as tourists, who flew to the Caribbean with cash concealed on their bodies.

Project Merlin began last October after what at first seemed to be a simple traffic accident. A motorist driving along the South Service Road near Hwy. 401 in Bowmanville apparently was distracted by police working in a field near the Darlington nuclear plant -- human remains had been discovered in the area and a tent had been erected over the site -- when his car went out of control and crashed.

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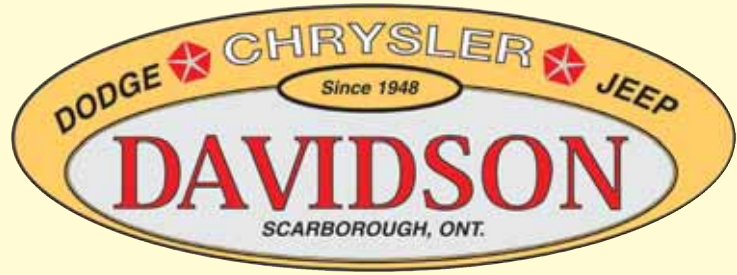
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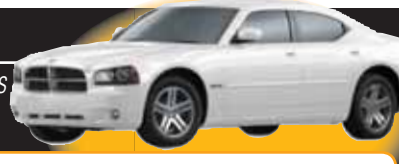
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United Way kicks off campaign by showing it cares

Co-chairmen vow fundraising effort will be successful

By Keith Gilligan
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DURHAM — The co-chairmen of the United Way of Ajax-Pickering-Uxbridge fundraising campaign know the effort "will be a challenge," but they plan on succeeding.

Jim Witty, a former Ajax Mayor and Regional Chairman, is co-chairing the campaign this year with Doug McKay, the owner of three McDonald's Restaurants in town.

"Doug and I are excited" about the campaign, Mr. Witty said to Ajax council on Monday, adding the campaign target this year is \$1.9 million. Last year, \$1.81 million was raised.

"We know in the current economic situation, this will be a challenge," Mr. Witty stated, adding, "We know it will be successful."

The United Way provides funding to 29 programs, he noted.

The campaign had its kickoff on Wednesday, Sept. 12 with the third annual Day of Caring and a breakfast at the Lakeridge Links Golf Club attended by about 150 people. The Day of Caring is when volunteers undertake projects, such as painting or repair work, for different charities.

There were "20,000 clients directly benefitted from the services by our local United Way," Mr. Witty said. "The United Way does make a difference. One in three families use our services. Money raised in the community stays in our community."

"A great foundation has been built over the years," he said, noting the efforts of previous campaign chairmen, including Don Terry, Al Froggatt, John Wiersma and Pat O'Brien.

"The United Way adds great value to the community," Mr. Witty added.

"To maintain our charitable status, we can spend

no more than 20 per cent on administration. We spend 82 per cent on the 29 programs we support," he said.

"Agencies go through a rigorous (screening) process. They must meet standards to be eligible" for funding,

Mr. Witty noted.

He requested the Town maintain its funding support, which last year was

\$3.19 per household. Given the growth in the community, the Town will be donating just over \$100,000 in 2008.



Photo By Mike Pochwat
Doug McKay and former Ajax mayor Jim Witty, at back, unload soil to help revamp the playground of PRYDE Learning Centre at St. Joseph's Catholic School in Uxbridge. The Durham-wide initiative was part of the United Way 'Day of Caring', which saw local business owners and politicians donate materials and time to help charitable, non-profit organizations.

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DURHAM — A long-time Oshawa trustee stood alone in voting against the Catholic school board buying blackberries for its trustees.

Trustee Joe Corey listed a board deficit and lack of necessity as some of his reasons for voting against the Durham Catholic District School Board's Sept. 10 decision to buy Blackberries — electronic devices with cellphone and internet capabilities.

"I've been a trustee for 35 years... and never once was there an emergency where they had to call me," said Trustee Corey.

He said he was "dead set against" spending that kind

of money on blackberries.

Although Trustee Corey initially recommended sending the Blackberry proposal to the rules and regulation committee for investigation, his motion was defeated. All but Trustee Corey voted for Oshawa Trustee Fred Jones's motion to acquire blackberries immediately for board members who want them.

Trustee Jones said they have discussed this issue around in-camera and other meetings and there seems to be a consensus to get Blackberries right away. He also said every board has a budget for governance and the cost associated with Blackberry acquisition is

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Accident led police to drug-importing operation

◆ Accident from page 1

pounds of vacuum-packed marijuana and almost \$17,000 in cash. The event tipped police to a drug importing operation that soon became international in scope. Over the next 11 months Durham investigators, working closely with other agencies such as the Canadian Border Services and Peel Police, pieced together the smuggling operation and the players involved. The cocaine, weapons and cash were seized during a series of raids early Tuesday in Ajax, Bowmanville, Oshawa, Whitby, Toronto, Bar-

rie, Brampton and Markham. Among the guns seized were assault rifles and semi-automatic pistols. The guns, drugs, and stacks of Canadian and U.S. currency were on display for the media at the 18 Division headquarters in Whitby Wednesday.

Among those arrested were Jeremy Wayne Brown, 30, of Margaret Street in Oshawa -- a full-patch member of the Hells Angels Oshawa chapter -- and a baggage handler at Pearson International Airport. Mr. Brown faces 47 charges, including conspiracy to import cocaine and trafficking and numerous weap-

ons offences including 10 counts of possession of a weapon obtained by crime.

Other Durham residents arrested are:

- Jason Ian McGee, 28, of Renaissance Avenue, Oshawa
- Shane Collins, 19, and Chad Lindsay Collins, 27, of Burcher Road, Ajax
- Gary William Livingstone, 43, of Renaissance Ave., Oshawa, and
- Lindsay Ann Barras, 29, of Waywell Street, Whitby.

The investigation continues and more arrests may occur, Chief Ewles said.

Teens busted after violent Ajax home invasion

AJAX — Two Toronto teenagers, including a 15-year-old who was supposed to be at home on a court-ordered curfew, were tracked down by cops responding to reports of a violent home invasion robbery Wednesday night in Ajax.

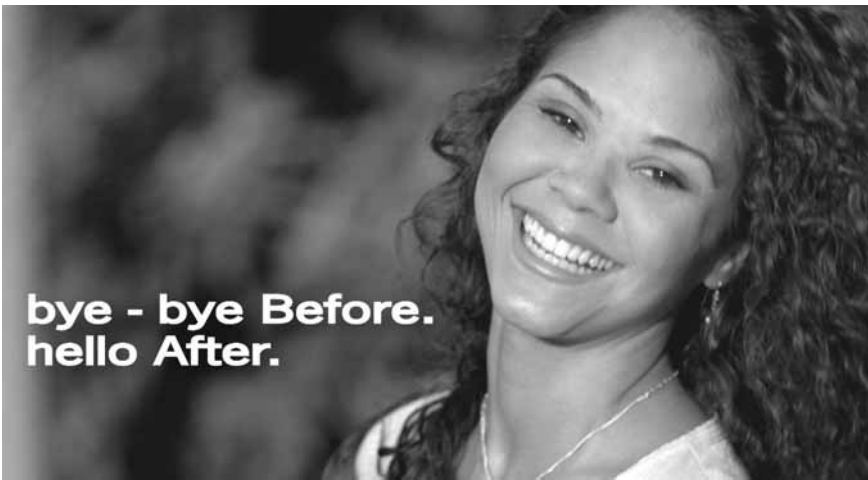
One victim was pepper-sprayed while another wrestled with an assailant for a gun during the incident, which occurred around 10:30 p.m. at a home on

Noake Crescent in the Westney Road North - Magill Drive area, Durham police said.

Police said the homeowner and a friend were sitting on the porch looking at laptop computers when they were approached by two males, armed with pepper spray and what turned out to be a pellet gun, who ordered them inside and demanded their cellphones and other property.

In a struggle that ensued one of the victims was hit with pepper spray while the other managed to pry the gun away from a suspect, police said. The two suspects fled on foot.

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Today, Northern Lights Canada maintains a complement of 160 practitioners in Ontario and is a founding member of Voc Rehab Canada, a national consortium of over 350 vocational counsellors located all across the country. Under its new banner, and through its cross-country collaboration with like-minded colleagues, NLC is properly positioned to build on its well-earned reputation for respect and excellence, and to continue its consistent responsiveness to the changing vocational environment.

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Wendy adds that, "just like the Aurora Borealis, with its rich array of brilliant colours and movement, we are shining all across Canada now!"



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EDITORIAL

Vandalism is a heartless act

West Durham residents need to be on guard and ready to respond to vandalism as recent incidents included the torching of a playground and the doors of a local school.

And, police need to redouble their efforts in protecting parks and schools in west Durham.

Pickering couple Dianne and Jim Greaves did just that early Tuesday morning, calling Durham Regional Police when they noticed a glow from their window. It was the playground equipment in Balsdon Park, at Liverpool Road South and Krosno Boulevard, burning and ultimately destroyed, at a loss of around \$20,000. The reaction by neighbourhood children, kids whom Ms. Greaves cares for, was one of sadness. She noted they're disappointed they cannot play at their favourite park any longer.

Anyone who would target play equipment and deny kids an opportunity to have fun is truly heartless. But, then again, such destroyers of public property obviously don't have much respect for anyone or anything if they're setting fire to play equipment at 4:30 a.m. on a weekday.

A day earlier, someone dragged a mattress left at the dumpster at Highbush Public School to the school's east doors and set it alight. While fire damage was mostly limited to the doors and part of the roof, smoke permeated the school. One parent noted in June, a couch, again left at the school's dumpster, was dragged to the same set of doors and set ablaze.

In the Balsdon park incident, Ms. Greaves noted as much as she loves the park, there's no point in the City of Pickering replacing the playground set. She and her husband have often put out fires in trash bins there and, for two decades, she's witnessed vandalism, drugs and drinking by youth.

"I think it's just throwing money into the fireplace because I think it's going to keep happening," she said.

Anyone with information on either fire is encouraged to call Detective Sergeant Adam Kelly at 1-888-579-1520, ext. 2511. Anonymous tips can be made to Durham Regional Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS.

A month ago, we commended police for instituting bike patrols in parks to address these issues. It remains a great idea. But, with plans to double the complement of officers on bicycles in west Durham next summer from two to four, perhaps police should consider increasing this number substantially. Sure, resources are limited, but residents feel their parks are sitting ducks for vandals who seem to have no fear of being apprehended.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

David Onley is an inspiration

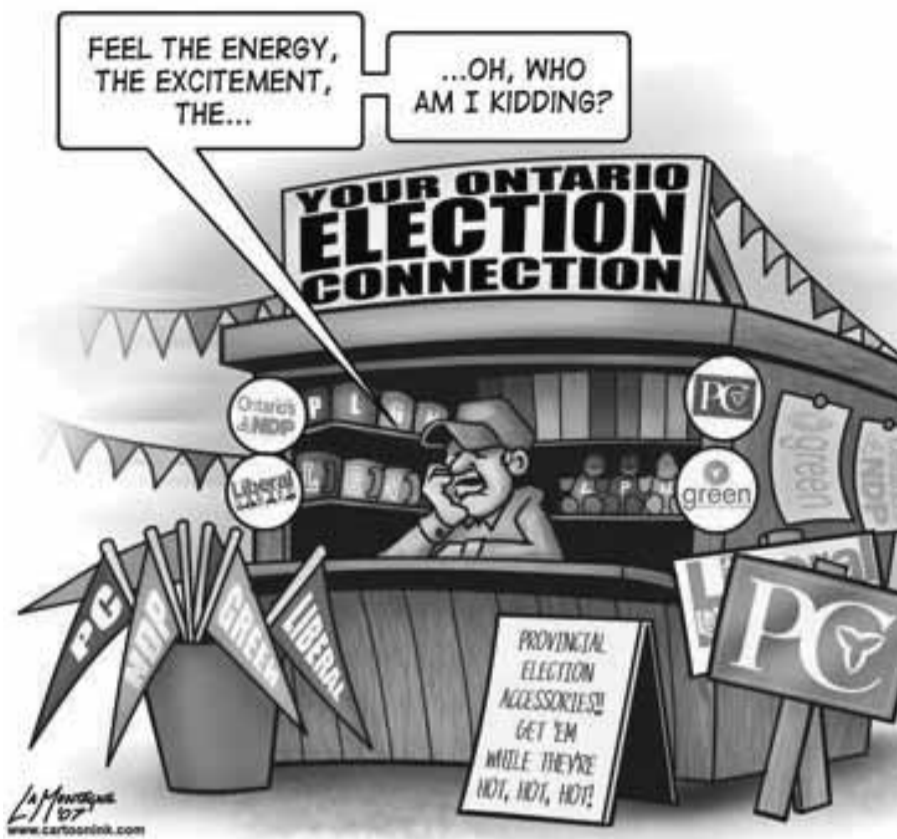
To the editor:

Kudos to you at the News Advertiser and reporter Kristen Calis for positive and excellent front page coverage of local Pastor Sam Martin and our new Lieutenant-Governor, David Onley.

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Dianne Robertson
Ajax



Liberal swag arrives in the mail

It's assumed that journalists like swag, free stuff, whether it's a cup of coffee or a new television set.

As you can imagine, all kinds of people approach newspapers wanting to get something in, often a product plug, and occasionally they'll offer up stuff thinking it increases their chances. I was once offered \$1,000 to cover a story. When a senior citizen, now deceased, in my former Uxbridge beat began bringing me baked treats as thank-yous for coverage received, it got to be too much of a good thing and I had to ask her to stop. People in Goodwood were talking.

Truth be told, most journalists with whom I've worked want no part of swag. It was inculcated to me in journalism school that accepting it is a serious no-no. So, when as a journalism student I covered election night at an NDP candidate's party, a candidate who just happened to be East Indian, and there was a wonderful spread of what seemed to be delicious food, I didn't take a bite. I even refused a cup of coffee. When covering the school board, as a colleague accepted handfuls of cookies on several occasions, I declined. I still feel a bit guilty about that bottle of water I accepted at a meeting. And don't get me started on the Tilley hat.

Still, when the mail arrives in the newsroom, and it includes a Purolator or large package, most of us are anxious to see what it is, who sent it, and why. We once received a roast in the mail for heaven's sake.

On Tuesday, such a package arrived for me. It was from the Ontario Liberal Party and contained: a black shoulder bag one could use for enviro-shopping; a black "traveller" coffee mug; a file folder containing the Liberals' 2007 plan; and, a cool flash drive with a biography and pictures of Dalton McGuinty, a media



Mike Ruta
news editor

guide for the Ontario candidates etc. All of it has the logo, McGuinty Tour 2007-Change that's working, while the flash drive simply reads, 'Change that's working.'

The election stuff is helpful, of course, given we're in election mode for a month. But, to include the swag in the package was a move that won't make me more likely to give the Liberals coverage or even vote Liberal. We expect the party platform etc., not a coffee mug. My first thought was, I can never be seen with this stuff. It would indicate a bias, and that wouldn't be right. Secondly, what am I going to with this stuff? Do I know many, any, committed Liberals?

One of the first lines in the press package made me chuckle- "It's great that you will have an opportunity to help cover the election in your community." Yeah, it's great all right. But, I think the sub text is, 'Love us, please love us! Or at least, don't hate us and continually bring up all those so-called broken promises in your coverage. Pleeese! After all, we gave you a shopping bag and a coffee mug.'

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The event will be run on a drop-in basis, giving voters a chance to

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Lame goose frustrates Pickering man

By Erin Hatfield
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DURHAM — Legs wrapped in twine and hobbling along, there was nothing a frustrated Derek Tustin could do for an injured goose.

Mr. Tustin lives in Pickering and last week during one of his regular walks with his dog in the area of Glenanna Road and Pickering Parkway he saw a goose favouring one leg heavily.

"I didn't think much of it," he said. "Then this past Friday I noticed the same bird there and got close enough to see that twine was

wrapped around its legs."

Wanting to help the injured animal, Mr. Tustin called everyone he could think of, animal control, the Durham Humane Society, a local bird sanctuary and the Toronto Wildlife Centre.

The Toronto Wildlife Centre is the sole resource for injured wild animals in Durham, but what Mr. Tustin didn't realize is when people call the Wildlife hotline, calls go directly to a voicemail message. Hotline staff records the calls into a database and they are sorted in priority sequence.

He was calling, but not leaving a

message as he said he would have preferred to speak to someone directly.

Although Mr. Tustin hasn't seen the bird since he said he still wishes it could have been helped. Not being able to do any-

thing about it is frustrating, he said.

"I just feel so bad this bird is hobbling around out there," Mr. Tustin said. "All I know is there is a bird flying around with twine around its feet."



This goose has been hampered by twine around its legs.

Gala of Hope is Oct. 20

DURHAM — The fourth annual Gala of Hope Pink Martini dinner is coming up on Oct. 20.

This highly anticipated breast cancer fundraiser started with Oshawa resident Heather Griffith, who was diagnosed with two types of breast cancer in November 2003.

After undergoing three surgeries and before beginning two rounds of chemotherapy, her sister suggested they do something to raise money to research the disease.

On Oct. 15, 2004, the first annual Gala of Hope dinner dance was held at L'viv Hall and raised \$17,000.

The next year, the Oshawa Hospital Foundation lent its support and the event has been growing ever since, raising \$85,000 over the past three years.

Tickets are \$125 -- to purchase, e-mail heather@thegalahofohope.com. The Gala of Hope is also hosting the second annual Swing for a Cure golf tournament on Sept. 29 at the Newcastle Golf and Country Club. Tickets are \$125 and include 18 holes of golf, a barbecue lunch and gourmet dinner, silent auction and dancing. For tickets e-mail Mark Lathangue at mark@thegalahofohope.com.

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NOTICE TO MONEY MART CUSTOMERS WHO MADE A FAST CASH ADVANCE OR PAYDAY LOAN IN ONTARIO IN THE PERIOD AUGUST 19, 1997 TO SEPTEMBER 9, 2007.

Read this notice carefully as it may affect your rights. This notice was approved by The Honourable Madam Justice Alexandra Hoy of the Ontario Superior Court of Justice.

THE CLASS ACTION

This notice is directed to all persons who received a Fast Cash Advance or a Payday Loan from a Money Mart store in Ontario in the period August 19, 1997 to September 9, 2007 and repaid it by cheque on the borrower's next scheduled payday.

The class action seeks, among other things, an order requiring Money Mart and its parent company, Dollar Financial Group, Inc., to refund all interest and other fees charged on certain Fast Cash Advances and Payday Loans in Ontario repaid by cheque on the borrower's next scheduled payday on the basis that such fees and interest breach s. 347 of the Criminal Code of Canada.

The defendants have brought a counterclaim in the action against class members who owe money to Money Mart with respect to any transaction and seek a judgment and/or set off against them.

THE CERTIFICATION ORDER

On January 5, 2007, Madam Justice Hoy certified the action Smith v. National Money Mart Company, Court File No. 03-CV-1275, as a class action and appointed Margaret Smith and Ronald Adrien Oriet as representative plaintiffs of the class defined as:

All persons who, in the period August 19, 1997 to September 9, 2007, received a Fast Cash Advance and/or Payday Loan from Money Mart in Ontario that was repaid by cheque on the borrower's next scheduled payday.

If you are a member of the class, your rights will be affected.

Each member of the class who does not opt out of the class action will be bound by the terms of any judgment or settlement in the class action, including any judgment or settlement with respect to the counterclaim. If the class action is successful, he or she may be entitled to share in the amount of any award or settlement recovered. However, a class member may not receive any money if the amount he or she is entitled to recover is less than the amount of money that he or she owes the defendants as a result of the counterclaim.

This notice is a summary of the terms of the certification order and the further April 20, 2007 court order. If there is any conflict between the provisions of this notice and the terms of those orders, those orders shall prevail.

LEGAL FEES AND DISBURSEMENTS

Counsel have entered into an agreement with the representative plaintiffs with respect to legal fees and disbursements. The agreement provides that counsel will not receive payment for their work unless the class action is successful or costs are received from the defendants. The agreement, which must be approved by the court to be effective, provides for a contingency fee of at least one-third of the amount recovered in the class action.

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DO NOTHING IF YOU WISH TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CLASS ACTION

Class members who wish to participate in the class action need not do anything at this time. They are automatically included in the class action.

YOU MUST OPT OUT IF YOU DO NOT WISH TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CLASS ACTION

Money Mart may choose not to make a Payday Loan to class members who participate in the class action.

Members of the class who do not wish to participate in the class action must opt out of the class action. If you wish to opt out of the class action, send the opt-out form at the bottom of this notice or obtain an opt-out form from any Money Mart location, from www.moneymart.ca, from counsel listed above or from www.moneymartclassaction.com.

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A class member who opts out of the class action will not be entitled to participate in the class action. His or her right to pursue a claim in a separate proceeding will not be affected.

No class member will be permitted to opt out of the class action after March 9, 2008 at 5:00 ET.

Committees want Adelaide House money back

Region provided \$105,000 to hostel, which is now closing

By Erin Hatfield
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DURHAM — Adelaide House isn't re-opening, so Durham's finance and administration and health and social services committees are recommending the Region ask for its money back. Last May, council voted to give \$105,000 to Adelaide House to

help it re-open. It was one-time emergency funding, conditional on the YWCA agreeing to undergo a joint operational review.

It did agree, but on Sept. 6 it was announced the closure would be permanent.

The emergency hostel closed on a temporary basis on April 1. YWCA officials said in order to bring staff, salary and administration up to where it needed to be, a \$250,000 a year increase in its operating budget was needed. The YWCA could not afford to subsidize the annual pay-equity payments to staff.

But, now that it isn't re-opening, a closed committee meeting was held Sept. 11 to discuss the money given to the YWCA.

"What I can tell you is that a motion that was moved publicly recommends council ask for the \$105,000 back," said April Cullen, chairwoman of the Region's health and social services committee. "And that we are making a commitment to get to the bottom of this pay equity thing."

The money came from the Na-

tional Child Benefit Reinvestment program and, according to Coun. Cullen, it would go back there.

After the provincial election, she said the Region hopes to make some headway with the issue of pay-equity requirement. If at that time the Region needs to pitch in money, that will be a separate decision, Coun. Cullen said.

"I don't want to see this turn into a blame game because that is not going to help the people who need this service," Coun. Cullen

said. "We are looking towards the winter coming and severe weather and it's very concerning because we don't know if we are going to be able to accommodate everyone."

Susanne Groen, Adelaide House's finance director, said she had not received any official notification from the Region about the possible request and therefore was not comfortable commenting on it. Eva Martin Blythe, the executive director of the YWCA Durham, was not available for comment.

Dickson waives council salary

AJAX — For the next month, Joe Dickson is working for free.

The Ajax Ward 2 local councillor requested he not be paid during the provincial election campaign, as he's the Liberal Party candidate in Ajax-Pickering Riding. For the month, it works out to \$2,084.34 in foregone salary and travel allowance.

Coun. Dickson's request runs

from Sept. 10, the day the election was called, to Oct. 10, election day. Ajax councillors approved the request during a Monday meeting. In addition to not being paid, he's also waiving the monthly \$229 travel allowance each councillor receives.

During the meeting, Coun. Dickson declared a conflict of interest on the matter.



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Clarington has no say on incinerator: Anderson

Residents argue producers should be focusing more on responsible packaging

the proposed Energy From Waste plant. "Easy to say it now, but I don't know what you're going to say in 2011 (after the Michigan border closes to Ontario trash) because you're not going to have an answer."

There is nothing to the suggestion made by Clarington Councillor Adrian Foster that the Municipality is "Durham's ultimate waste solution," said the chairman.

"We deem energy from waste as the ultimate waste solution," he said.

But, there are alternatives to incinerating garbage which should be explored, some delegates told Council. Many touted a move toward zero waste, with some form of stabilized landfill until waste can be eliminated.

'With the incinerator... you still have that residual ash, and you still need landfill.'

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It's not like incineration will eliminate the need for landfill, said Kerry Meydam.

"With the incinerator ... you still have that residual ash, and you still need landfill," she said.

It is estimated about 30 per cent of what is sent into the incinerator would remain as bottom ash.

Zero waste, which would entail extending producer responsibility for their spent product, isn't terri-

bly realistic, said others.

"Germany put in one of the most extensive producer responsibility systems ... but after the system was implemented, what they found was that they had huge and grow-

ing stockpiles of materials that could not be recycled," said David Climenhage. "I don't think that necessarily a zero-waste solution is something that can happen without many years and many new technolo-

gies in place to achieve it."

But, there is a need to look for other solutions, said others, some of whom were clearly disheartened by Mr. Anderson's comments. "I'm not sure it

really makes a difference whether I'm here or not," said Kristin Robinson. "It certainly seems like Mr. Anderson has made it clear my side won't be heard at all."

By Jennifer Stone
jstone@durhamregion.com

DURHAM — Saying the municipality would not be a willing host to an incinerator proposed by the Regions of Durham and York would have "absolutely no effect whatsoever" on the process, Regional Chairman Roger Anderson told Clarington councillors Monday.

The chairman was one of a number of delegations speaking on the matter during the council meeting.

"It would be nice if we could have a willing host, but it is not essential," said Mr. Anderson.

In fact, he said, that East Gwillimbury, the only other municipality with a potential site for the proposed incinerator besides Clarington, has said it won't be a willing host either here nor there. The site there remains under consideration, with a decision expected later this month on preferred site.

"It would be pretty easy to sit in front of all these folks ... and say, okay, I'm not going to be a willing host," he said, referring to the audience in council chambers, several of whom were on hand to voice their opposition to

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

ROUGE HILL SENIORS:

Join the Rouge Hill Seniors Club for darts, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 a.m., carpet bowling, Wednesdays and Fridays at 1 p.m., and euchre on Fridays at 7 p.m. The fun is at the Petticoat Creek Community Centre, 470 Kingston Rd., in Pickering. All are welcome. For more information, call 905-420-4660, ext. 6302.

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

PICKERING READING

CIRCLE: The new session begins today and runs on Saturdays until June 2008. Volunteers read to children aged four to 12 using a buddy system to help improve their reading and writing skills. It begins at 9:15 a.m. and is free. Returning members are welcome and

newcomers will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. It's at the Pickering Public Library auditorium. Call 905-839-3037 for more details.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

BRIDGE AND BID

EUCHRE: Join the Rouge Hill Seniors Club for bridge and bid euchre Mondays at 7 p.m. at the Petticoat Creek Community Centre, 470 Kingston Rd., in Pickering. All are welcome. For more information, call 905-420-4660, ext. 6302.

RUG HOOKING: The Ajax Rug Hooking Guild meets at the St. Andrew's Senior's Center, 46 Exeter Rd., on the first Monday of the month for a structured meeting and third Monday for a social rug-hooking event, both at 7:30 p.m., every week until Christmas. For more information call Shelley Carroll 905-683-0017 or Pat Norwood 905-839-4964.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

EXERCISE GROUP: All seniors are welcome to exercise with the Ajax Seniors' Friendship Club on Tuesdays at 1:30 p.m. at the Ajax Seniors' Friendship Club, 46 Exeter Dr., Ajax. 905-426-7605 (Lynne).

FIVE-PIN BOWLING: Knock 'em down with the Ajax Seniors' Friendship Club on Tuesdays at 9:30 a.m. sharp at Plaza Bowl and Amusement, 158 B Harwood Ave. S. in Ajax. A new season began on Sept. 4 and there may be room for a few more bowlers. 905-683-0911 (Arlene).
DISCUSSION GROUP: The Ajax Tuesday Morning Seniors' Discussion Group meets at 9:30 a.m. at the St. Andrew's Community Centre, 46 Exeter Rd., Ajax. Cathy Fitzsimmons of the

Ajax Public Library will speak about its services and the latest 'Fall reads.' Everyone welcome. 905-683-7799 (Louise), 905-428-8711 (Shirley).

TAI CHI: For seniors with the Ajax Seniors' Friendship Club on Tuesdays at 11:15 a.m. at the St. Andrew's Community Centre, 46 Exeter Dr., Ajax. A new, ten-week session began on Sept. 11 and costs \$20. First-timers should come a bit earlier. 905-683-6219 (Sylvia) or Marian (905-683-2768).

DIABETES: The Ajax-Pickering Diabetes Support Group meets at 7 p.m. at the Petticoat Creek Library and Community Centre, Kingston Road west of Rosebank Road, in Pickering. Irina Grigorayeb, a healing consultant with Global Quantum Integrity, speaks on Vitamins and Minerals: What your body needs and wants. Everyone welcome. Free admission. 905-725-4226 or 905-441-3364 (Barbara).

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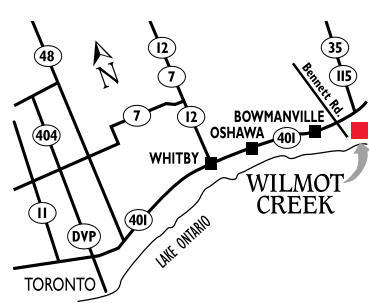


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On Saturday, Sept. 15, beginning at noon, tons of activities will begin at the seventh annual festival. Annette Ainsbury, a member of the Greenwood Recreation Association and project manager for the event, said it's an event for everyone, and 70 volunteers have been working hard to put it on.

"It's really about family," she said. "It's the only event we have that really pulls people together, young and old."

Free activities include a reptile show and a magic show. A giant slide, obstacle course, petting zoo, bake sale, beer garden and all-day barbecue are also on the list. A tug of war, three-legged races and pie eating contests begin at 4 p.m. Tickets for games and rides are 50 cents each, and are pay as you play.

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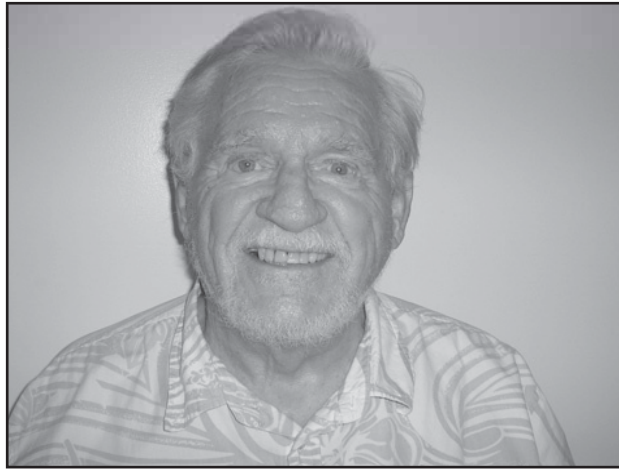
A bicycle parade begins at 11:45 a.m. at Greenwood United Church, located at Concession 6. Participants, who can decorate their bikes for the ride, must be there at 11:30 a.m.

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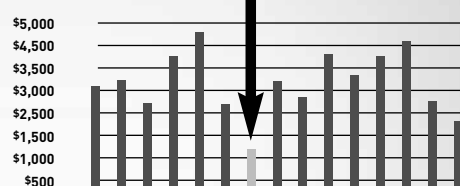
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Ajax, Pickering escape review for closing schools

By Crystal Crimi
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DURHAM — An accommodation review is getting under way for a group of Oshawa Catholic schools.

The first public meeting for a committee to review the 11 affected schools is Oct. 30, at 7 p.m., at the Catholic Education Centre, 650 Rossland Rd. W. in Oshawa. The mandate of the accommodation review is to study and make recommendations on options, include consolidating and closing schools.

"As you can see, we're up and running in regards to getting the ARC (Accommodation Review Committee) up on track," said Superintendent Chris Hurst, chairman of the ARC.

Since the Durham Catholic District School Board agreed to establish the review committee, letters were sent home with every student in the affected schools to notify parents of the ARC's formation.

At the end of June, they also received an information package to take home, and a notice of the public meeting was put in Oshawa This Week.

The board secured a facilitator through C.N. Watson and Associates for \$27,000 in August, chosen from seven submissions.

"Other than that, it's in the planning stages and we'll go forward and keep you updated as necessary," said Mr. Hurst.

According to a report presented in June, nine of the schools under review have lower than 100 per cent

facility utilization rates and higher than average per pupil costs. Three other schools, Holy Family in Beaverton, Holy Redeemer in Pickering, and St. John the Evangelist in Whitby,

have similar challenges, but are in an isolated municipality and have other reasons for not being reviewed at this time. The combined utilization for the 11 Oshawa schools is at 74

per cent and is expected to decrease to 52 per cent by 2011/2012, with the average per pupil cost expected to jump to 160 per cent from 131 per cent.

Mr. Pulla previously said that May 2008 is the earliest the board could make a decision to consolidate if that's the accommodation review committee's recommendation.



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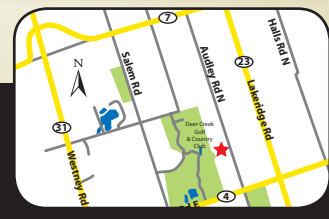
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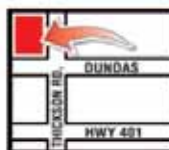


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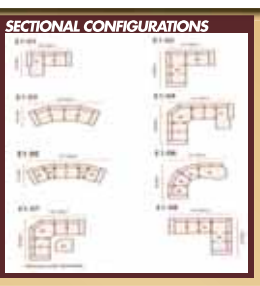


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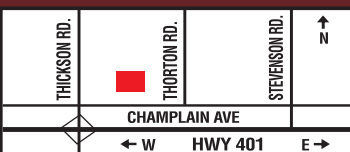
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Vandalism constitutes hate crime: B'Nai Brith

Swastikas, epithets mar Bowmanville house

By Jeff Mitchell
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DURHAM — Members of the Jewish community are calling upon Durham police to label a case of vandalism -- which included scrawling swastikas and anti-Semitic epithets inside a Bowmanville house owned by an aging Holocaust survivor -- a hate crime.

Declaring the incident a case of mischief rather than a hate crime diminishes the impact of the event, both on the victims and the community at large, said Anita Bromberg, legal director with B'Nai Brith Canada.

The organization is taking issue with the stance of Durham police, who say that while the acts carried out by the vandals at the King Street East home are repugnant, they do not meet the threshold for a hate crime as defined in the Criminal Code.

"How can you put up an epithet like K-I-K-E -- I can't even say the

word -- and say they're not motivated by hate," Ms. Bromberg said in a telephone interview Thursday.

"Yes, this was a very particular incident where a Jewish landlord was targeted. However, knowing this has happened has a chilling effect on the broader community -- that's the nature of a hate crime."

The furor arose after media reports in which Durham police said the incident was being investigated as a case of mischief, rather than a hate crime. Police were called in after the property owner arrived Tuesday to evict a tenant who had failed to pay rent for months. The 82-year-old woman, whose husband survived the Holocaust, found the house extensively damaged. A swastika was drawn on the front door and on a wall inside and the words "White Power" were scrawled along with other

offensive terms aimed at Jews.

Ms. Bromberg said the letters "SS" -- a symbol associated with Hitler's Nazis -- were also found on the walls.

She said the incident ought to have been labelled a hate crime from the start.

Durham police Chief Mike Ewles said police are bound by the Criminal Code in pursuing incidents as hate crimes. The Code cites elements such as advocating genocide or publicly inciting hatred as grounds for such a designation.

Chief Ewles said that as the investigation of the Bowmanville incident progresses, those elements may be detected. Then the police would need the consent of the provincial Attorney General and the local Crown Attorney to proceed with a hate crimes charge.

"Once we investigate thoroughly and investigate all parties involved

...that may give us more. Right now we haven't crossed that threshold," Chief Ewles said.

"It does not preclude us from elevating (the charge) should conditions warrant."

The chief vowed the incident will be investigated thoroughly, with a consideration of the gravity of the hurt caused the victims.

"It's unacceptable to us and it's unacceptable to the community," he said.

"The actions are absolutely reprehensible." Ms. Bromberg said that sense of revulsion ought to be reflected in the way police proceed with the investigation.

"We don't question that the police are taking this seriously," she said.

"The police have a crucial role in sending out a clear message that such hate crimes won't be tolerated."

Bird tests positive for West Nile

DURHAM — A dead crow picked up in Whitby is the latest bird to test positive for West Nile virus.

According to the Region's health department, the bird was picked up on Sept. 10 and tested positive for West Nile virus on Sept. 11.

So far this season three birds have tested positive of 35 submitted.

More than 16,200 mosquitoes have been trapped as part of the adult mosquito trapping program with no positive results.

"Although we're approaching the end of the summer season, we know that West Nile virus activity continues to be detected in a num-

ber of areas of the Region," said Dr. Robert Kyle, Durham Region Medical Officer of Health. "It's still important for area residents to remember that mosquitoes remain active and although temperatures are a bit cooler, we encourage everyone to continue taking precautions to protect against mosquito bites."

For more information on West Nile virus or to report sightings of dead crows, blue jays or raptors, call the health department at 905-723-3818 or 1-888-777-9613, ext. 2188. Sightings can also be reported online at www.region.durham.on.ca.

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Official Plan causes debate

City councillor wants to see more consultation among residents and First Nations

By Kristen Calis
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PICKERING — A City councillor believes the public should be consulted more when reviewing Pickering's Official Plan (POP).

At the latest planning and development meeting, some changes were made to the POP review final work plan, but it carried and will be brought to Council for final approval.

The work plan combines 18 initiatives into seven City-initiated amendments, such as implementing the Central Pickering Development Plan, sustainability initiatives, and housekeeping updates that will be completed over the next three years. It also includes recommendations from residents, agencies, land developers, First Nations and City staff.

Forty thousand dollars is set aside for consulting services related to the initiative, but for Ward 1 City Councillor Jennifer O'Connell, that isn't enough.

"Why are we spending the same amount of money participating in Communities in Bloom (CIB) or renovations within City Hall as the most important planning document for the City's future?" she said at the meeting.

She added she doesn't feel CIB or City Hall renovations are unimportant, but she wants to make sure the official plan is on the priority list.

The amendments she introduced include a strategy to engage the community, the creation of Pickering's Official Plan Community Advisory Committee, an individual review process for the Seaton neighbourhood and face-to-face consultation with the First Nations communities specifically impacted.

"The biggest issue I'm having is the lack of community outreach," she said.

"What type of engagement are we doing?"

Neil Carroll, director of planning and development, said the City hasn't commenced consultation yet and "we'll be developing a consultation strategy with each of these (seven) sections."

Ward 3 City Councillor David Pickles agreed with most of Coun. O'Connell's concerns, but thought her amendment needed some fine tuning before they could be approved.

Native activist David Grey Eagle Sanford came to remind Council members of the land rights of aboriginal peoples in the Constitution Act while referring to Seaton.

Mr. Sanford has in the past referred to Seaton as First Nations land, and feels Native groups have not been properly consulted in the devel-

opment plans.

"They just don't get it and that saddens me greatly," he said in an interview.

"They're going to bring war upon themselves. Do they want a Caledonia situation coming here? Because that's what's next."

Ward 1 Regional Councillor Bonnie Littley said Coun. O'Connell was "jumping the gun" when she introduced the amendments.

"We need to collaborate between Council, residents and staff to be the most proactive," she said.

"We're not going anywhere if we're all being confrontational."

City staff has been asked to report on Coun. O'Connell's request.

Proposed work plan


2007: Bill 51 provisions, provincial policy statement, housekeeping and Duffin Heights.

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Entertainment in brief

SEPTEMBER 14, 2007

Lower Back Tatti headlines party

DURHAM — Two local bands are playing at the 24K Entertainment Group's 24K Party at E.P. Taylor's Pub tonight.

Lower Back Tatti is headlining the event at the pub, at Durham College/UOIT campus. Opening for them will be Kessel Run.

The event will also feature a DJ and Playmate Jayde Nicole, who will be filming live for her website.

The event will be broadcast live at www.theriotradio.com.

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For more information, go to www.24kentertainment.biz.

Exhibit on until Sept. 21

PICKERING — There's still another week to catch an exhibition of paintings in Pickering.

Pickering artist Judith Jewer show is at the Pickering Civic Complex.

Jewer likes painting the natural world and is interested in the process of seeing. She often works plein air, capturing her favourite subjects in Ajax and Pickering. The exhibition features her latest works.

Jewer is a member of the PineRidge Arts Council, Ajax Creative Arts and the Durham West Arts Centre. For more information on her and her work, visit www.museon.com/spiral.

The free exhibition can be viewed at the complex Monday to Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Musicians helping Musicians

AJAX — Rob MacArthur, of Robert MacArthur and Associates, who also plays in the Ajax-based Too Drunk to Fish Band, has formed a mob.

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MacArthur states the goal is to help independent artists and bands with their development and growth in the music industry.

For more information, contact MacArthur at rmandassociates@rogers.com. To join Music Mob, join Facebook and visit the group at <http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=4584373154>.

Pickering actor on stage for 'A Little Quickie'

By Christy Chase
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DURHAM — It's 1979 and the comedy team of Steve and Allen is about to break into the big time.

But, since this is a farce, nothing goes smoothly as you can discover at Class Act Dinner Theatre in its newest production, 'A Little Quickie', on stage now in Whitby.

"One guy (from the comedy team) has a one-night stand with the other guy's wife," explained co-director Glenn Ottaway, who also stars in the play by Jane Milmore and William Van Zandt. "That's when the trouble begins."

While the play shows how the characters scheme to keep the affair hidden, it's really "about the relationship between the two guys," Ottaway said.

Set in 1979, the play features costumes and attitudes from that era.

And, you get to see the stand-

up comics, Steve and Allen, doing their routine.

"You actually see them on stage in Atlantic City and you also see them in their hotel room before and after the show," Ottaway said.

Ottaway directs the stand-up comedy routine, while Shannon Laverty directs the hotel scenes.

Even funnier is the fact that there are three actual stand-up comics involved in the production but they aren't cast to type.

"Shannon is a stand-up comic. I'm a stand-up comic," Ottaway said. "And the actress who plays Polly, Sue Morales, is a stand-up comic. None of us plays a stand-up comic in the play."

Instead, the comics are played by Daryl Marks of Pickering as Allen and Robert Calvert as Steve. Nancy Gleed plays Sara, Steve's wife. Ottaway plays the flashy Roscoe Clementine, Steve and Allen's manager. Morales plays Polly, his latest girlfriend. Velika Mangova



Photo by Velika Mangova
Sara (Nancy Gleed), Polly (Sue Morales) and Roscoe Clementine (Glenn Ottaway) perform a scene from 'A Little Quickie' at Class Act Dinner Theatre.

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'A Little Quickie' runs until Oct. 27 at Class Act, 104 Consumers

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Artist's focus

AJAX — Every Wednesday and Thursday, from noon until 4 p.m., Ajax Creative Arts club members meet at the Village Community Centre in Pickering Village to work on paintings and for fellowship. Angela Hennessey concentrates as she works on a piece recently.

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THIS WEEKEND

The Pickering Panthers junior 'A' hockey team's home opener is against the Markham Waxers at the Pickering Recreation Complex on Sunday at 6:30 p.m.

Battalion, Bulls play to draw in pre-season tilt in Pickering

OHL exhibition game draws big crowd, raises big buck for Durham Dragons special hockey, PHA development program

PICKERING — A near-sellout crowd at the Pickering Recreation Complex witnessed an OHL pre-season contest as the Brampton Battalion and the Belleville Bulls battled to a 2-2 tie Tuesday night.

A reported 997 were on hand in the 1,000-seat arena for the exhibition contest, which also served as a fundraiser for the Durham Dragons Special Hockey Association and the Pickering Hockey Association's development program.

According to PHA president Gary Watters, the Dragons received a cheque for \$5,000 from the OHL exhibition match, which in addition to the gate receipts, also raised revenue from raffles and a 50/50 draw.

"The Dragons were absolutely thrilled," says Watters.

Meanwhile, after expenses, including ice time costs, are deducted the PHA's development program should realize \$3,000 to \$4,000 from the game, says Watters.

He notes the close to 1,000 in attendance represented one of the largest crowds ever at the complex for a sporting event.

"It was great to see," he says.

Josh Shalla and Thomas Middup scored one goal each for Brampton.

Battalion goaltender Patrick Killeen made 20 saves in goal in preserving the club's second pre-season draw.

The tie puts the Battalion's pre-season record to 1-2-1.

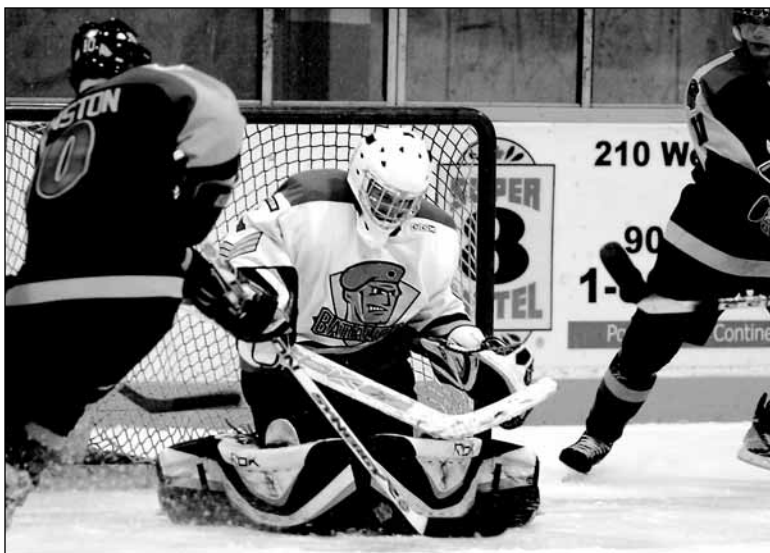
Tyler Randell, Belleville's first-round choice in the 2007 OHL Priority Selection from the Brampton Battalion minor midgets, scored both goals for the Bulls. Goaltender Edward Pasquale faced 38 shots.

Both teams dressed limited line-ups because of players attending National Hockey League camps, injuries and illness. The Battalion had 18 in uniform; the Bulls had 15.

After Belleville's Cory Tanaka was called for roughing, the Battalion enjoyed a man advantage for the final 1:34 of the scoreless third period, peppering Pasquale without netting the winner. Cody Hodgson and defenceman Ken Peroff were among those who came close to capitalizing.



Ron Pietroniro/ News Advertiser photos
The Brampton Battalion faced off against the Belleville Bulls during an OHL fundraising exhibition game at the Pickering Recreation Complex on Tuesday night. In photo above, Bulls' Stephen Johnston battles with Battalion's Ken Peroff and Cody Hodgson during first-period action. In photo below, Brampton goaltender Patrick Killeen covers up after making the save. The teams played to a 2-2 draw.



Shalla, recalled from the Bowmanville Eagles OHA Ontario Provincial Junior 'A' squad for the game, opened the scoring from the right circle at 7:59 of the first period, con-

verting a pass from behind the net from defenceman Alexander Eriksson, who pressed the play down the right boards.

Randell tied it 28 seconds later on

a wrist shot. Stephen Johnston, on the end board, fed Randell in the right circle.

Middup gave the Battalion a 2-1 lead during a two-man advantage at 5:45 of the second period, tipping a point shot by Kevin Christmas between Pasquale's legs. Matt Duchene drew the other assist.

Randell tied it again at 11:14 when he fired a snap shot from the left circle on a pass from the corner by Keaton Turkiewicz.

Jason Dale, the lone Pickering resident on the Battalion roster, was a scratch for the contest.

The exhibition OHL game and fundraiser was a return match from a year ago when the Battalion travelled to Baltimore, Ontario for an exhibition match to raise funds for the Cobourg Cougars Ontario Provincial Junior 'A' squad, the Bulls' tier II junior affiliate.

Sports briefs

SEPTEMBER 14, 2007

[Lacrosse]

Veltman to play one more season

DURHAM — Ajax-Pickering Rock captain Jim Veltman will stay with the Toronto Rock after signing a five-year agreement with the National Lacrosse League club.

The 41-year-old lacrosse legend, however, will play only one more NLL season before agreeing to spend the remaining four years behind the bench as an assistant to Toronto head coach and one-time teammate Glenn Clark.

Veltman was totally at ease with his decision to play one more season, and then turn to coaching.

"I'm ecstatic that Toronto has committed to me and my family for the next five years," Jim Veltman told

the Toronto Rock website. "The Rock is an organization that I started with and watched grow through the good and bad times. I'm happy to continue with that group of people and with a club that we're all so proud of."

Veltman enters his 10th and final season on the floor as a Rock player before making the transition to coaching. The Rock will host a tribute to Veltman at their last regular-season home game this coming season.

Veltman has played with the Ajax-Pickering Rock for the past four seasons, helping them get within a game of winning the Presidents Cup, the national championship of senior 'B' lacrosse. The Rock, however, was stopped by the Sherwood Park Outlaws of Alberta in the final in Owen Sound last month by an 8-6 score.

At the Presidents Cup, Veltman was named as the tournament's most valuable player and he was also named to the first all-star team.

[Basketball]

House league signups soon

DURHAM — The Durham City Basketball Association hosts house league signups this month.

The DCBA's house league enters its fifth year of providing a structured league for boys and girls ages four to 15. Players can register at Carruthers Creek Public School (1 Greenhalf Rd., Ajax) on Monday, Sept. 24 and Monday, Oct. 1 from 7 to 9 p.m. each night.

The cost is \$75 per play and includes a T-shirt and awards.



Jim Veltman

Panthers down Rangers in junior 'A' season opener

PICKERING — Even though short-staffed on the ice, the Pickering Panthers didn't come up short in the scoring department.

Playing with only three forward lines, with the decision not to add midjet call-ups to the mix, the Panthers still managed to hold off the North York Rangers 4-2 on the road in Toronto in Pickering's OHA Ontario Provincial Junior 'A' Hockey

League season opener on Wednesday night.

The Panthers are back in action tonight (Friday, Sept. 14) in Markham against the Waxers in the first of a home-and-home series which reverts to Pickering on Sunday for the Panthers' home opener at the Pickering Recreation Complex at 6:30 p.m.

In Wednesday's win, the Panthers

experienced a shortage of bodies due to four Panthers' players still attending Ontario Hockey League tryouts. Undeterred, the Panthers came up with a solid overall effort to give rookie head coach Mark Joslin his first victory as a junior 'A' bench boss.

"It was an incredible team effort on the road," summed up Joslin.

Moreover, the Panthers held tight


to a 3-2 lead into the third period, although the Rangers had several quality chances to net the equalizer. Tyler Hauer's goal at the midway point of the period gave the Panthers the two-goal cushion it would hold through to the final buzzer.

Individually, Joslin praised the work of second-year Panthers' goaltender Connor Sampson, who stopped 34 of 36 shots to earn the


victory, and rookie forward Kain Allicock, who led the Panthers on the scoresheet with a goal and an assist. His first-ever junior hockey tally came as a result of second effort around the net.

Veterans Greg Riggs and Jamie MacQueen, both on the power play, had the other Panthers markers. Defenceman Scott Brown added two assists.

Panthers' Postscript



Allicock scored his first career junior 'A' goal during Wednesday's season opener. The strapping forward, who's 6-foot, four-inches tall and 200 pounds and played with the Toronto Red Wings midjets last season, also added an assist... Joslin was touched that after game team staff made the effort to retrieve the game puck and give it to him as a memento of his first win as a junior 'A' head coach. "There's a good bunch of people there."...



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U13 Girls – Born 1995	Princess Diana Large	Sep 22, 29, Oct 6	11:00 am to 1:00 pm	Charlie Salvagna Paul Boyle
U14 Girls – Born 1994	Princess Diana Large	Sep 22, 29, Oct 6	1:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Nixon Bernardino - OYSL Chris Jadoo
U15 Girls – Born 1993	Princess Diana Large	Sep 22, 29, Oct 6	3:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Bert Laing - OYSL Debbie Carkner
U16 Girls – Born 1992	St Mary	Sep 22, 29, Oct 6	9:00 am to 11:00 am	Anton Passchier
U17 Girls – Born 1991	St Mary	Sep 29, Oct 6	11:00 am to 1:00 pm	Jorgen Runas
U18 Girls – Born 1990	St Mary	Sep 22, 29, Oct 6	1:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Manny White - OYSL Jeff Kennedy

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U8 Boys – Born 2000	Kinsmen 1	Sep 23, 30, Oct 6	9:00 am - 10:30 am	Tony La Ferrara Fabian Best
U9 Boys – Born 1999	Kinsmen 1	Sep 23, 30, Oct 7	10:30 am – 12:30 pm	Gord Smith Joe Cipollone
U10 Boys – Born 1998	Kinsmen Small	Sep 23, 30, Oct 7	9:00 am to 11:00 am	Todd Davidson
U11 Boys – Born 1997	Kinsmen Small	Sep 23, 30, Oct 7	11:00 am to 1:00 pm	Tony Helm Howard McCalla
U12 Boys – Born 1996	Kinsmen 2	Sep 23, 30, Oct 7	12 Noon – 2:00 pm	Bill Jahshan Roosevelt Roberts
U13 Boys – Born 1995	Kinsmen 3	Sep 23, 30, Oct 7	4:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Jeff Nastich Ed Whitehead Frank Gfroerer
U14 Boys – Born 1994	Kinsmen 3	Sep 23, 30, Oct 7	6:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Mike Reynolds - OYSL Corrado Roccasalva-Premier
U15 Boys – Born 1993	Kinsmen 4	Sep 23, 30, Oct 7	12 Noon – 2:00 pm	Garre Edmund TBA
U16 Boys – Born 1992	Kinsmen 2	Sep 23, 30, Oct 7	2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Desmond Warner Fabian Best
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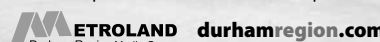
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office help

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office help

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office help

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Please email your resume with cover letter (in Word format, before September 28) to Todd Blayone (Manager, Interactive): tblayone@durhamregion.com

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Shift RPN's and RN's for visit program and flu clinics

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- **Registered Dietitian**
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Fax: (905)579-1733

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office help

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hospital/medical/dental

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hospital/medical/dental

DENTAL ASSISTANT/RECALLS

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BARTENDERS, WAIT STAFF,

waitresses, security, cooks, bar-backs. PT & FT. Come in-person, 90 Harwood Ave. S. Speak to Matt. 416-875-2699 or e-mail resumes@headquarterz.com

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OSHAWA ONE BEDROOM quiet location. Main floor of 4-plex. Newly renovated and painted, plus parking. No pet/smoking. Available Oct 1st. (905)576-6780, leave message.

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OSHAWA, Simcoe/Adelaide, totally renovated, large 2 bedroom main floor apartment, with laundry and parking. First/last references. \$900 plus hydro. Non-smoker. (905)914-3133

OSHAWA, SPRING SPECIAL! Newly renovated 1 & 2 bdrms in senior lifestyle bldgs. Large units. New kitchens & appliances, carpeting, windows, security. Near schools/bus stop & amenities. Available August/Sept. 1-866-601-3083 or 905-432-6912. www.apartmentsinontario.com

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PICKERING, 2-bedroom basement apartment, Brock/Major Oaks. Recently renovated, washer, dryer, \$950/month. Cable included. Available immediately. No Smoking/Pets. Call 905-619-9578

PICKERING, 401/WHITES. Large, bright 1-bdrm walk-out bsmt apt. Parking, laundry, patio, a/c. Avail. immediately. \$850/mo inclusive. A Must See! Call (905)550-7314

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PICKERING, LIVERPOOL/BAYLY, large one bedroom basement apartment. Separate entrance, shared laundry, non smoker. \$850/month, all inclusive. Available Oct or Nov 1st. Call (905)839-4399.

PICKERING: 1-bdrm. bsmt. Separate entrance, full bathroom, 2 walk-in closets, clean, new carpet/painted, close to bus, amenities. Suitable for family. No pets/smoking. Available Sept 1st, 905-619-1028.

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apartments & flats for rent

PORT PERRY, Simcoe/Scugog St. 1 bedroom basement apartment. Separate entrance/parking/laundry/dishwasher. Close to transit & shopping. No pets/smoking. \$850 inclusive. Available Nov. 1. (416)406-6648, (416)894-2552.

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WHITBY Large 1 & 2 bdrm apts. Separate entrance, parking, laundry, a/c. From \$800/inclusive. Shows well. No pets/smoking. References. Call Bo Gustafsson, Sales Representative, Sutton Group Tower Realty, 416-783-5000

WHITBY - Bright, bachelor on 2nd floor in Victorian style 4-plex. Avail. Nov. 1. \$520/mo. all inclusive. First/last. Non-smoker, no pets. Leave message at 905-725-1268.

WHITBY BROCK/DUNDAS, large 2-bdrm, quiet small building, new appliances, no smoking/pets, \$895 plus. Avail. (416)438-4895.

WHITBY Mary St. East immaculate re-done 2 bedroom apt, top floor of six-plex, Avail. now \$910/month includes appliances, heat, laundry facilities and parking. Call (905)666-1074 or 905-556-0455.

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WHITBY, 1-bedroom basement apartment. Laundry, parking, walk to downtown and all amenities, quiet area. \$675/inclusive. Single male preferred. Available October. (905)985-8503

WHITBY, BRAND NEW 1 bedroom basement w/o apartment. Utilities included. Parking. No pets/smoking. Close to all amenities. Shared coin laundry. \$695. 905-409-4038.

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condominiums for rent

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3-BDRM., newer North Oshawa home. Plus-1 bdrm in-law suite. Separate entrance, parking, laundry, garage access. Near all amenities. No pets/smoking. Available immediately. 416-562-2542.

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AJAX, 3 BEDROOM detached bungalow, large yard, driveway, clean, quiet street. Close to school and park. \$950+. 905-683-6203.

AJAX, AUDLEY/TAUNTON, junior executive 3 bedroom detached house, spotless, 5 appliances, a/c, c/vac, ceramic/hardwood, fenced yard, garage, security system. No pets/smoking. \$1600+. Immediate. 416-904-1584, 416-554-2034

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SAT. SEPT. 15, 2-4 P.M.
19 POTTLE LANE, AJAX
SHOAL POINT RD. & BAYLY

If you are looking for an affordable home in South Ajax By The Lake, then look no further. Surrounded by wooded parks and scenic walking trails, this quality-built Lebovic town home features soaring 9' ceilings, huge living room and dining room combination with a cozy fireplace, family size kitchen with access to handy fireplace - great for BBQ's, end unit provides an abundance of natural light in all rooms and minutes to public transportation! Don't miss this spacious home! See you Saturday! \$244,900.

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SAT. SEPT. 15, 2-4 P.M.
7 LARNER DRIVE, AJAX

*Demand Pickering Village *4+1 bedrooms *1-bedroom basement apartment with separate entrance
*Laminated flooring on main floor
*New roof & newer windows
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3825 SIDELINE 14, PICKERING

BROCK RD. & HWY. 7
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3185 ALTONA RD. WHITEVALE

A HOME FOR YOUR MEMORIES
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SAT. & SUN. SEPT. 15 & 16, 1-3 P.M.
1513 STURGEON COURT, PICKERING

FABULOUS UPDATED HOME WITH INGROUND POOL

Beautiful family home located on a quiet court location with a pie shaped lot, inground pool & hot tub, reno kit with granite counters, hardwood floors, fantastic fin basement with wet bar, gas f/p, 3pc & extra bedroom. Updated "pella" windows, shingles, furnace. Asking \$405,900. Call Mike today!

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SUNDAY SEPT. 16, 2-4 P.M.
78 SLATER CRESCENT SOUTH AJAX (AGATE & RANDS)

JUMP ON IT
Fantastic starter home! Walking distance to schools, transit & Ajax's waterfront trail. Huge backyard with inground pool. Gleaming hardwood floors, slate floor entrance, updated kitchen with crown molding, finished basement. Tons of upgrades! Call now.

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BUNGALOW JUST LISTED

SAT. BY APPOINTMENT SUN. SEPT. 16, 2-4 P.M.
222 FALLINGBROOK, WHITBY

TAUNTON AND GARDEN

- 3+1 bedroom
- Open concept
- 2 car garage
- Bmt: bedroom with a bathroom and jacuzzi tub
- Back yard: nicely landscaped with perennials

Pics at: www.tours.advirtours.com/104443

SAT. SEPT. 16, 2-4 P.M. SUN. BY APPOINTMENT
7 MACMILLAN, WHITBY

FIRST TIME HOME BUYER

- Just like a model home
- 3 bedrooms
- Open concept
- Garage

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SAT. SEPT 15, 1-3 P.M.
4 JALLAN DR., AJAX
BACKING ONTO RAVINE!!!

Beautiful 4 bedroom backsplitted, gleaming hardwood floors, freshly painted, covered deck and mature landscaping, great for commuters. Take Rotherglen or Mill St. south from Kingston Rd. & follow signs.

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SATURDAY, SEPT. 15, 1-4 P.M.
4938 OLD BROCK RD., CLAREMONT

1 ACRE LOT WITH A "FABULOUS" BACKYARD
Inground pool/hot tub/gazebo/deck and great countryside view. Finished basement with rec & games room & 4th bedroom. 400 amp electrical service. Large 2 car garage with workshop. Go north on Brock Rd. to Claremont & follow signs.

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SAT. & SUN. SEPT. 15 & 16 2-4 P.M.
1608 RAWLINGS DR., PICKERING

Beautiful 3 bdrm. det. home. Double car garage, prof. landscaped, prof. painted; updated kitchen w/eat-in breakfast & w/o to large private yard. Bathrooms newly renovated & prof. fin. bsmt. Close walk to schools, parks, shopping, transit & more. Call today or see for yourself.

SUN. SEPT. 16, 2-4 P.M.
1058 MEADOWRIDGE, PICKERING

NEW GLENDALE
Large spacious executive 3 bdrm. townhome. 4th bedroom w/ensuite in bsmt. Modern open eat-in kitchen. Large living & dining room w/hardwood floors & w/o to private deck. Cozy family room with woodburning fireplace. Call Bill or Shannon today!

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9675 BALDWIN STREET, MYRTLE STATION (Myrtle Rd & Baldwin St)

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76 STRICKLAND AJAX
RIVERSIDE ESTATES BEAUTY

Lovely home in Riverside Estates is an entertainer's delight with a huge 2 tiered deck, extensive outdoor lighting & landscaping. This well maintained property in an upscale Ajax neighbourhood features 4 bdrms, 3 baths, gas fireplace and cold cellar.

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SUN. SEPT. 16, 1-4 P.M.
785 BRAND RD

LIFESTYLE ESTATES IN DEER CREEK (Lakeridge Rd., Follow N. of Hwy. 7 Approx. 5 Min. - Watch The Signs)
Located on 22 acres w/ a view of Chalk Lake, this private country estate offers 3 bdrms., 3 baths, inground pool & professional landscaping, triple garage. Fall hiking, winter skiing, all here for you. Visit Sunday or Call Michele at 905-428-8274 for a personal showing. Visit www.MicheleRowland.com to view more.

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SUN. SEPT. 16, 2-4 P.M.
348 DELANEY DR., AJAX
(Near: Church St. & Delaney Dr. in Pickering Village)

ABSOLUTELY GORGEOUS
Stunning end unit Townhouse in Pickering Village. 2 storey with 3 bdrms & 3 baths. Hrdwd flrs throughout the mn flr. Custom built-in cabinets & mantel surround the gas fireplace in the liv rm. Upgraded kit. Soaker tub in the mstr ensuite bath. Walk-out to beautiful perennial gardens the very private yard & the 2 car garage. Full alarm system. All upgraded appliances, all upgraded light fixtures and all upgraded window coverings are included. Come see this outstanding home on Sunday.

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SUN. SEPT 16, 2-4 P.M.
36 ANGUS DR., AJAX
CUTE AS A BUTTON

Prime Ajax local, 3 bedroom, finished top to bottom detached home, beautifully decorated, nicely upgraded, greenhouse kitchen, walk-out to deck, 5 appliances, 3 car parking, steps to schools, park, public transit, looking for a nice family, move in condition!

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2-4 P.M.

1050 MEADOWRIDGE CRES., PICKERING

Don't miss this Pickering Beauty!! Three bedroom, three bath, HUGE FAMILY ROOM, finished basement, double car garage, central air, five major appliances, too many upgrades and improvements to list here. Located at Dixie and Hwy. 2. Convenient to everything.

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\$399,900 **NEW LISTING**

SAT. SEPT. 15, 2-4 P.M.

976 FINLEY

Fabulous 3+1 bedroom detached house in prestigious "Ajax by the Lake" just steps to the lake...Rare 65'x116' fenced yard. Pride of ownership shows in this lovely upgraded home. Upgrades include shingles, windows, furnace, A/C b/i dishwasher, garage doors, tastefully painted throughout, kitchen remodeled.

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\$213,900 **NEW LISTING!**

SAT., SEPT. 15, 2-4 P.M.

52 LUCAS LANE

Lovely 4 bedroom home in South Ajax. Newer deck & fencing, fenced yard. Lots of recent upgrades, furnace, A/C, front door, windows, shingles, eaves troughs, carpet, bathroom. Located on a quiet laneway close to transit & shopping.



\$509,900

SATURDAY, SEPT. 15, 2-4 P.M.

28 MAGGS RD., PICKERING

Beautiful 3200 sq. ft. home shows to perfection. Follow open house signs at Kingston Rd./Elizabeth St. N., right on Kearney, left on Hester, right on Todd, follow around util Maggs St. See you at #28 on Saturday.

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SAT. & SUN., SEPT. 15 & 16 2-4 P.M.

24 ANDREA RD., AJAX

Beautiful 3 bedroom south Ajax home is steps to lake, trails, schools, hospital & public transportation. This home has a finished basement, updated roof, windows, furnace & new carpeting through out. Include fridge, stove, B/I dishwasher, washer & dryer. For more info call Dave or visit: www.AjaxPickeringHomes.com.

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SUN., SEPT. 16, 2-4 P.M.

2386 DENVALE DR., PICKERING

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This 4+1 bdrm home is in a great upscale family neighbourhood that has no through traffic. Very quiet street that is close to all forms or public transportation including the GO train, the 401 & the 407. Close to schools, park & shopping. Don't miss out. Take Valley Farm North to Greenmount & turn right onto Denvale. See you Sunday.

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125 RUSHWORTH DRIVE AJAX

NEARLY NEW 4 BEDROOM AJAX DREAM HOME!
Do not miss this gorgeous less than 2 years new Medallion built, 4 bedrooms, 4 bath, 3001 sq. ft. of finished space incl. builder finished rec room. This house has it all, 2nd floor laundry, 2 bedrooms with ensuite baths, totally upgraded kitchen and ceramics, C/Air, walkout to deck and the list goes on and on...plus an excellent commuter friendly neighborhood! N. on Audley from Rossland, follow signs, in the new Castlefields community.

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OPEN HOUSE SAT. & SUN 2-4

SAT. & SUN. SEPT. 15 & 16, 2-4 P.M.

26 DOPP CRES., BROOKLIN

Stunning 2900 sq. ft. all brick Tribute home on premium lot. Hardwood floors throughout main floor. Rich dark hardwood staircase. Dream kitchen w/breakfast bar, centre island, coffee station & stainless steel appliances. Walk out to deck & hot tub. Western backyard. 4 car parking! Call Grace Jorgensen 905-686-5153 or 1-866-430-9900.

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SATURDAY, SEPT. 15, 2-4 P.M.

73 CHADWICK DR., AJAX

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65 RYDER CRES, AJAX TAUNTON/ AUDLEY

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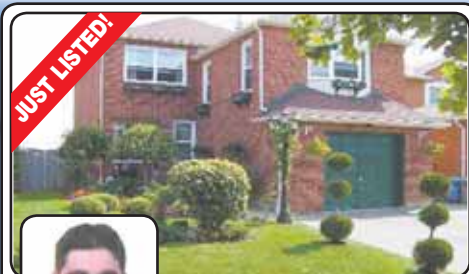
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Pickering Strikers league Cup champs

Under-10 soccer girls blank rival Wexford in final

PICKERING — The Pickering Strikers girls' under-10 rep soccer team silenced its arch rivals to capture the Central East Soccer League Cup recently.

The CESL Cup tournament featured the top U10 girls' team from Durham Region and east Toronto.

Facing the Wexford Panthers in the Cup final, a team the Strikers have battled with all season long for first place in the CESL West Division, both teams set a high tempo in the first half with neither side scoring. In the second half, however, the Strikers upped the pace

and penetrated into Wexford territory frequently enough to connect for two goals. The Strikers' defence kept the Panthers off the scoreboard.

Shalena Ackerman and Nikalya Rodney-Scarlett scored for Pickering, with keeper Madison Taylor earning the shutout.

In the semifinal, the Strikers met the Oshawa Kicks Fury, a strong team that eliminated top-ranked Whitby Iroquois 'A' in first-round Cup action back in July. With confidence gained from the quarter-final win, the Strikers executed a disciplined defence and offence to eliminate the Oshawa Kicks 4-1. Heather Brownlee, Kailey Steinhausen, Rodney-Scarlett and Sara Scholefield scored for the Strikers.

The road to the Cup included the quarter-final game against the Darlington Fusion. The playoff contest started with each team tentatively testing each other's abilities. After the first half the Strikers took control of the game en route to a 2-1 victory. Megan Doll and Scholefield scored for Pickering. Keeper Taylor

kept the scoring to a minimum.

To earn a spot in the quarter-finals, the Strikers first had to get past their sister team, the Pickering Warriors, in preliminary action. The Strikers prevailed 9-0. Rodney-Scarlett struck for three goals, Doll and Steinhausen each had two, Brownlee and Nicole Laing

added one apiece. Taylor earned the shutout.

The Pickering Strikers are Shalena Ackerman, Heather Brownlee, Megan Doll, Ashna Ganeshan, Nicole Laing, Fiona Leung, Nicole McMillen, Nikalya Rodney-Scarlett, Sara Scholefield, Kailey Steinhausen, Stephanie Tannis and Madison Taylor.

Gene Gesualdo coaches the team, assisted by Krish Ganeshan. The team trainer is Shannon Gesualdo. Bill Scholefield is the manager.

The Strikers have a few spots open on its roster for next season and are looking to make additions. Call Gene Gesualdo at 905-509-1988 or via e-mail at Gene.Gesualdo@sun.com.

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Pickering Red Sox midgets strike Ontario baseball silver

Rep 'AAA' squad drops close final to Toronto Mets

PICKERING — The Pickering Red Sox midget 'AAA' rep baseball team finished as silver medallists at the Ontario Baseball Association (OBA) championships in Windsor recently.

The Red Sox faced the Toronto Mets for the second time in the tournament in the final. In a contest that featured several lead changes, the Sox were edged 8-7 by Toronto to earn the silver

medal.

The Pickering midgets started the double-knockout tournament with a 3-0 win over Aurora, followed by a 2-1 victory over Guelph, a 2-0 win over Windsor and a 3-0 loss to the Toronto Mets.

The loss to Toronto was followed by an impressive 8-7 come-from-behind victory over Kitchener in the semifinals.

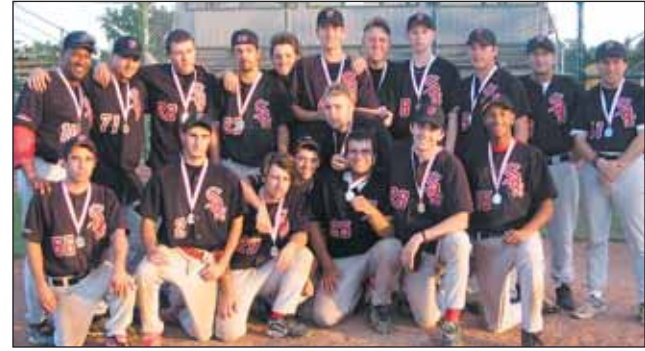
The Red Sox midgets' incredible season included finishing with a 16-3 record in EOBA (Eastern Ontario Baseball Association) league play, finalist in the Vaughan tournament during the May

18-to-20 weekend, winning the Brantford tournament during the July 20-to-22 weekend, and capturing the Niagara Falls tournament crown on the Aug. 10 to 12 weekend. The Red Sox also finished third in the provincial eliminations tournament in Burlington on the Aug. 3 to 5 weekend.

Team members are pitchers Kyle Kotchie, Eric Watson, Vito Perri, A.J. Burlington, Travis Hendry, Matthew St. Kitts, Robert Carman,

Brandon Eleuterio and Eric Wilton, infielders Kotchie, Carman, Hendry, Watson, Sean Molony, Ryan Turner, Burlington, Kyle Smeelen and St. Kitts. Catchers are Eddy Ricciardi, Smeelen and Bobby Gertsakis. Outfielders are Peter Collicchio, Wilton, Perri, Mark Hoyme and Mitchell Oke.

The Red Sox midgets' coaching staff is head coach Adrian St. Kitts and coaches Doug Wilton and Richard Hoyme.



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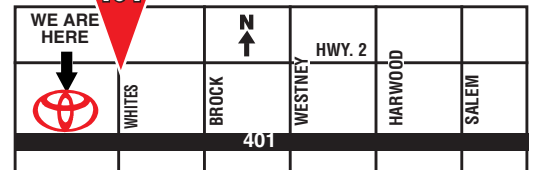
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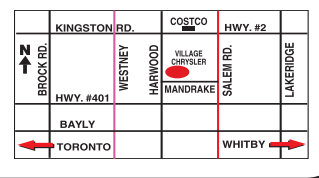
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