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## Bus strike impacts riders

Pickering senior left in lurch, worker has to adjust schedule

By Erin Hatfield  
Staff Writer

**DURHAM** — Now entering its third week, a strike by Durham Region Transit (DRT) workers is impacting more than just management and staff.

Across the Region, DRT customers are having to find alternate means to get on with their day, and in some cases they aren't able to get around at all.

Pickering resident Ken Devine said DRT is one of his main modes

of transportation.

"I use it to get to and from work," Mr. Devine said.

But, since the strike started, he said he has had no choice but to only take weekend shifts at his part-time job so he can use his girlfriend's car to get there.

"Work has been very accommodating," he said.

During the week, however, Mr. Devine isn't able to get to doctor's appointments or to see his daughter in north Whitby.

"(The strike) does limit you in what you can do and what you can't do," Mr. Devine said.

Hazel Stork, a senior living in Pickering, said she has felt the effects of the strike as well.

"I have no way of getting about," Ms. Stork said.

"It has been hard with this transit strike."

She has missed an appointment with a specialist because a cost estimate for the trip from a taxi company was between \$50 and \$60.

She then called DRT specialized service to see if they could help her.

"The man who I called said, 'Sorry we are on strike, we cannot help you,'" Ms. Stork said.

Unable to get groceries or do errands, Ms. Stork is also unable to babysit her granddaughters as she normally does.

She said she worries about what she will do if the strike continues much longer.

Joanne and Joe Pearson both use wheelchairs.

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**DURHAM** — Monsignor Paul Dwyer Catholic High School Saints' Steve Axe kicks the ball from behind him as St. Mary Catholic Secondary School Monarch's Niall Stocking goes for the header in a LOSSA 'AAAA' senior boys' semifinal game, with Dwyer winning 2-1. For story, see page 16.

## Waterfront to support more uses

By Danielle Milley  
Staff Writer

**PICKERING** — The University of Toronto might soon be setting up shop on Frenchman's Bay.

The Department of Physical and Environmental Sciences at the U of T Scarborough campus is interested in using part of a house on the western spit as a base for environmental research and public education.

"This particular location would give us a site that is very different (from our campus)," said Donald Cormack, chairman of the department of the house on Beachpoint Promenade.

In a letter to Ward 1 Regional Councillor Maurice Brenner at the beginning of the month, Mr. Cormack said the facility they have in mind would support interdisciplinary field research of the faculty, as well as graduate and undergraduate students. It would also provide the opportunity for school groups to come and learn.

"Public education, in my mind, is an important element of this," he said.

Coun. Brenner said the Waterfront Co-ordinating Committee, of which he is the chairman, is interested in an environmental learning centre.

"I was ecstatic," he said of receiving the letter. "It was something that we've talked about for a long time. To have the potential to have a program of that magnitude in the City of Pickering speaks volumes."

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# Minister recognizes need for transportation improvements here

By Erin Hatfield  
Staff Writer

**DURHAM** — As one of the fastest growing communities in North America, Durham Region must work hard to keep cars and trucks moving in and out of the region, members of the Ajax-Pickering Board of Trade heard Monday.

"Transportation must be at the table, not tomorrow but today," Transportation Minister Donna Cansfield said at a luncheon.

"All of you who have been doing the planning over the past number of years are well aware of the challenges that are faced in the Durham Region," said Ms. Cansfield, who was at the Hilton Garden Inn in Ajax, she said, to talk about some of the initiatives in transportation.

"We have already started planning on the Seaton lands and environmental assessments are under way for the (Hwy.) 7 and (Hwy.) 407," Ms. Cansfield said.

The ministry is working towards the widening of Hwy. 407 between Brock Road and Brooklin, a project, she admits, that has seen its challenges. But, she committed to looking into ways to reduce the environmental assessment (EA) time frame.

"My position is that if I can help you remove the barriers then it is my job to do so and I am quite prepared to work and support and push for those," Ms. Cansfield said.

However, she rebutted claims Durham Region doesn't get its fair share of

provincial funding.

"Durham is getting their fair share, it is based on the need, it is based on the status of the roads and or bridges," Ms. Cansfield said. "There is a good amount of work going on."

She said there has been \$165 million spent on Durham highways in recent years, including \$61 million to widen Hwy. 401 from Harwood Avenue to Salem Road, and \$11 million to repave a portion of Hwy. 35.

Earlier this year, Durham municipalities received a total of \$22.4 million under the Move Ontario program to use on roads and bridges of their choosing and \$7 million in provincial gas tax funding.

"Ontario has not received what we consider our fair share of infrastructure funding from the federal government," Ms. Cansfield said. "Ontario has been short changed by \$1.2 billion since 2001."

Regional Chairman Roger Anderson said he didn't hear anything that indicated any actual improvements in the near future.

"I appreciate the minister's interest in Durham Region," Mr. Anderson said. "But what we need is the minister's influence in speeding up the EA process, moving forward on the Hwy. 407 and Hwy. 7 far faster than it has been."

By the sounds of what he heard, he said an EA won't be filed until 2008.

"So there likely won't even be a decision on 2009," Mr.

Anderson said. "We are looking a long way out and that is not acceptable."

He said the same goes for Hwy. 7.

"We had an agreement with the Province," Mr. An-

derson said. "That should have been done a long time ago."

He said it's good that the minister understands the issues, like the influence Seaton will have on infrastructure.

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# No talks scheduled between transit management, union

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The Whitby residents have bus service within the town limits, as Whitby drivers

are contracted out, but the couple still feels the effects of the DRT strike.

The couple routinely uses DRT's specialized ser-

vice and, in the summer months, they are able to take advantage of the regular buses that are wheelchair accessible.

Since the beginning of the transit strike on Oct. 5 the Pearsons have had trouble doing their errands and activities.

"It is hard for us to get around," Ms. Pearson said. She wants to get started

on her Christmas shopping, which she normally does at the Oshawa Centre, but since the strike she isn't able to get there.

Mr. Pearson's doctor is in Brooklin, but without buses he can't make it to the office.

The couple has placed phone calls to councillors and the mayor of Whitby, whose staff directed them

to specialized services. Staff at specialized services told the Pearsons if they need to get to doctor's appointments they could take a cab and bill the Region, but not for other errands.

"It is not fair to have to depend on our family to get around," Ms. Pearson said.

The Canadian Auto Workers (CAW) Union,

Local 222, went out on strike Oct. 5 after failing to negotiate a first contract agreement.

Workers and management don't see eye to eye on issues of retiree benefits, cost of living adjustment (COLA) and contracting out, among others. No further talks have been scheduled between DRT and the CAW.

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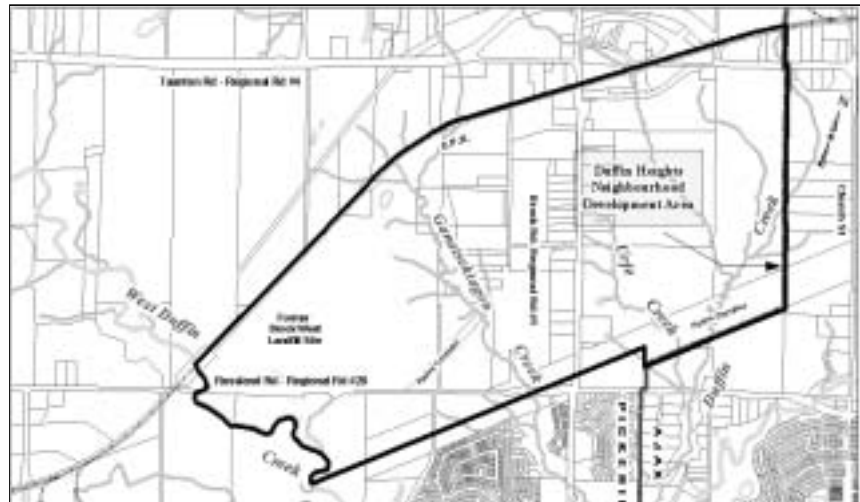
WORKS DEPARTMENT

October 20, 2006

NEWSLETTER

Duffin Heights neighbourhood is an approved development area in the City of Pickering. This area is centrally located on both sides of Brock Road between Rossland Road and Taunton Road, bounded to the north by the C.P. Rail, to the east by the municipal boundary with the Town of Ajax, to the south by the hydro transmission tower line, and to the west by the West Duffin Creek, as shown below. The development area is mainly comprised of tablelands on both sides of Brock Road and between watercourse valleys.

This development area is located north of the existing residential area. The City of Pickering Official Plan identifies this area as Duffin Heights Neighbourhood 15. The Region Municipality of Durham is undertaking a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (Class EA) study for the provision of regional water supply and sanitary sewerage services in support of land development within the Duffin Heights neighbourhood.



The Class EA Study is proceeding as a Schedule 'B' undertaking in accordance with the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment-MEA, June 2000.

A Public Information Centre (PIC) is planned to provide information on the needs and justification for the project, and to introduce alternative servicing strategies being considered. Durham Regional staff, as well as the study Consultants, will be available to answer questions regarding the project. The PIC will be held:

**Date:** Thursday, November 9, 2006  
**Time:** 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.  
**Location:** City of Pickering Municipal Building, Council Chambers  
One the Esplanade (Opposite Pickering Town Centre)

Public input and comment are invited, for incorporation into the planning and design of this project. All comments will become part of the public record with the exception of personal information. Please contact the following individuals for further information or to be included on the list of contacts for the project:

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# Oshawa man killed in crash on Taunton Road in Ajax

Woman and two boys, 5 and 3 years old, taken to hospital

**DURHAM** — A 59-year-old Oshawa man is dead following a two-vehicle collision in Ajax Thursday.

Durham Regional Police report a four-door Saturn was travelling west-bound on Taunton Road when it collided with a Honda minivan heading

north on Westney Road.

The accident happened around 3 p.m. and traffic was snarled for several hours as police investigated the incident.

Witnesses report the driver of the Saturn went through a red light and collided with the van.

A woman and her sons, ages 5 and 3, were taken to the Rouge Valley Ajax and Pickering hospital and treated for minor injuries.

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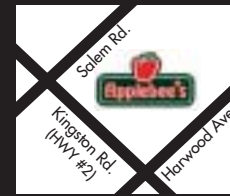


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**WORKS DEPARTMENT**

**October 20, 2006**

**NEWSLETTER**

The existing Rosebank Sanitary Sewage Pumping Station (SPS), located at 563 Rodd Avenue in the City of Pickering, requires upgrades to provide additional sanitary sewage pumping capacity for increased sewage flows from development within the Rosebank neighbourhood, in accordance with the Regional and Pickering Official Plans.

Due to the proposed increase in sewage pumping capacity, the existing forcemain conveying sewage flow from the SPS to the existing gravity sewer on Park Crescent, crossing Petticoat Creek and Petticoat Creek Conversation Area on an existing easement, may need to be upgraded. A new forcemain of larger size, or twin forcemain, is being considered.

A Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (Class EA) is being conducted to identify the need for an upgrade to the SPS, as well as determining possible alternative locations for the SPS. A number of alternatives are being evaluated. The preferred alternative for the SPS location, as well as the forcemain location if required, will be chosen. The community's input is important to the overall analysis and final recommendation.

In order to provide an opportunity for discussion, a Public Information Centre is planned to:

- Provide the need and justification of the project
- Present background information
- Present the alternatives, evaluation and the preferred solution
- Obtain public input

Representatives of the Regional Municipality of Durham and the consultant, R.V. Anderson Associates Limited, will be present, to describe the work plan and address any questions. The Public Information Centre will be held at:

**Place:** Petticoat Creek Community Centre – Franklin Room  
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**Date:** November 23, 2006, Thursday  
**Time:** 4 to 9 p.m.


Following the Public Information Centre, the consultant will proceed with a final evaluation of all alternatives, giving consideration to comments received from the public and interested agencies, and will make a recommendation on the preferred location of the pumping station, as well as the preferred alignment of the forcemain.

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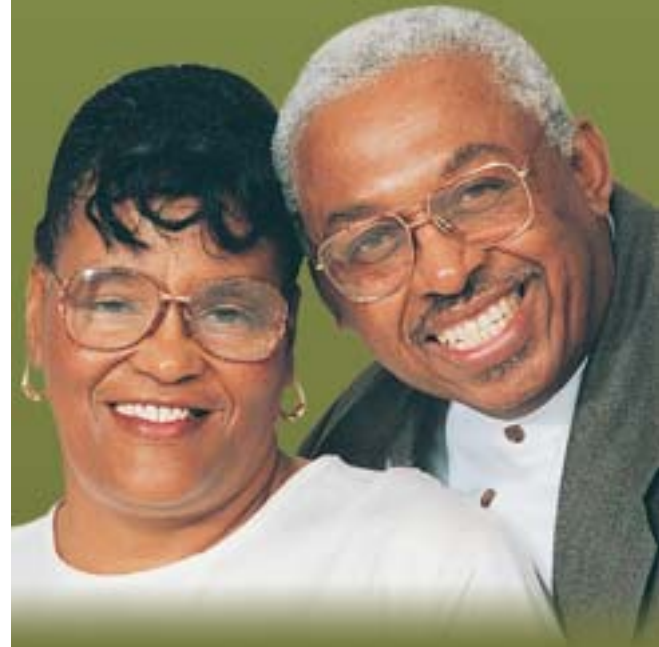
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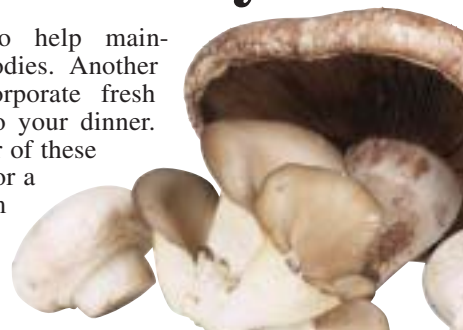
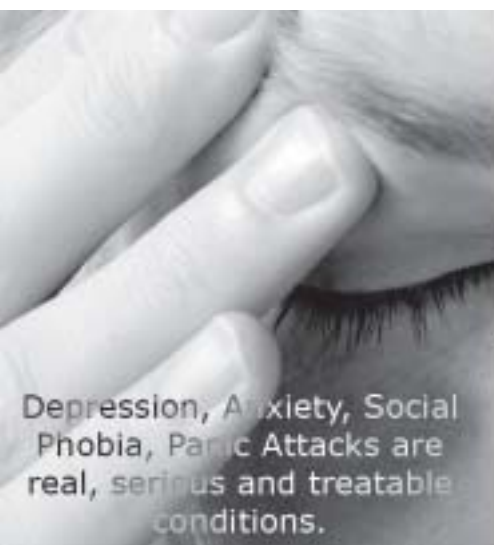
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## Part 4 of 4: Websites



### DURHAM REGION

This site is very linear with logos and artwork providing an easy map of the site. The main two columns are heavy on text, light on graphics, which would make it easy for rural residents to load the page. The site offers up lots of information and press releases are prominent which provides transparency and allows the public to know what the municipality is up to. A career opportunities link is helpful. One complaint is that e-mail verification is vague and then you have to scroll down to discover that your message was sent; there is no indication to scroll down for more information. About Durham provides comprehensive information -- it's like Civics 101. Any services the Region provides are listed and easy to find. For the most part, it's two clicks and you have your answer.

### OSHAWA

The webmaster earns kudos for keeping everything to one screen, even on a laptop. There's nothing more annoying than having to scroll down to see the information you're seeking. This sharp-looking home page has lots of links and a scrolling list of topical headlines and news items. One strike is the fact the title of Durham MPP John O'Toole is incorrect on the website, but to be fair, his riding's name was changed not that long ago. All the sites have directories, but Oshawa's is outstanding and offers up hundreds of frequently used phone numbers in Oshawa and beyond. The FAQ about bylaws, rules, etcetera is very good. The questions and answers portion spells out everything in simple terms. The first thing we learn about is how to deal with messy neighbours. You must clear your own sidewalks or else pay the piper when the City does it for you. It's on the website, so you're forewarned.

### CLARINGTON

At first blush there is a whack of information in the first page and a half on the Clarington site. The columnar layout is easy to navigate and gives the home a crisp, clean look. It's very inviting to the user and loads quickly, which is even more important. Users are blessed by the "most requested pages" section which takes them on a quick tour of the site. We loved the council page with its pictures, biographies and e-mail links to the elected officials. The only issue is the fact there are a number of pages featuring these people. For those of you who work away on a computer and don't like to surf a bunch of different sites, Clarington lends a hand with its link to Clarington weather from the Weather Network website. There's even a clock on the pages. Phone numbers are featured down the left menu of the help and support pages. This simple feature goes a long way to answering customer service needs. There are loads of links, including construction, headlines with vital information including how seniors can get help with sidewalk clearing. It's hard to find fault with this site.

### PICKERING

This very slick, home page earns the thumbs-up for fitting on one laptop screen. The layout is very clean and there's not a lot of wasted area. The homepage loads quickly with no broken links, although in the left menu some of the pop-ups overlap

other links when rolled over. This flaw makes it difficult to make some of the links work on the first click. The stylish icons take you to six information portals. The best is the kids page which is found through the lifestyle section. This impressive area has lots of neat innovation. It can be slow, but the kids section is one of a kind when it comes to municipal websites. It's easy to imagine this site being referenced for homework assignments.

The rolladex of local businesses is extremely helpful given the size of Pickering. The council page offers up contacts with pictures of the motley crew and e-mail addresses. It's a nice touch. Unlike some municipal websites, the home page is always one click away. You never have to worry about ending up on a page and not having the chance to get back to home page.

*Are You Being Served is a four-part series looking at municipal service from the first-person perspective. We sent anonymous journalists to get a taxpayer's view of service at municipal departments, recycling at municipal facilities, energy conservation and municipal web sites.*

quick links down the left side. Most importantly, the text elements make it easier to load the pages. This is a must where many residents still have dial-up access to the Internet. The "how can we help" pages offer service information on the home page. If you send a question to the site administrator, you are informed your message has been sent at the top of the page. There's no guesswork here. There is an impressive list of site links and it is augmented by a good rolladex of phone numbers and contact information. The FAQ of nine links on the home page leaves little to be desired.

### UXBRIDGE

This website is old school. It's not bad if you want a simple easily opened web page. It likely has something to do with dial-up access. Regardless, the site lacks a polished look as compared to other municipalities. There are eight buttons with links to all services offered by the Township. It can be time-consuming finding what you want but with a little perseverance you can get it. The list of municipal election candidates doesn't say how many will be elected for each position. Assume only one for each ward, but the site doesn't tell you definitively. When booking facilities everyone in town must still want to use the phone, rather than e-mail. Despite its shortcomings this site does a good job of providing all the necessary information to its residents.

### AJAX

For those users who want to visit a pretty site, Ajax is the place. The home page features a large image showing one aspect of Ajax. The home page has about a dozen links in various forms, but each is easy to understand and leads to useful information. Even with a large image dominating the top third of the homepage, it loads quickly.

One click gets you to the information pages where you'll find lots of links about Township services. A little house-keeping might be in order as the only jobs posting on the careers page closed over a month ago. There is useful information about Ajax for prospective businesses and residents coming to town. The statistical analysis of Ajax paints a rosy picture and is an enhancement that makes the website stand out.

### WHITBY

Well, in a word, wow. This is the best way to describe the Town of Whitby website. If you want to find any information about Whitby, it appears to be all there, and best of all, on the home page. The portal into Whitby is chock full of useful links which take you where you want quickly.

The pages load fast and aren't cluttered with useless graphics. Nothing here is for show, everything is about customer service. Whitby wins for its cool factor.

Who wouldn't love its GPS type tool which allows people to find out what's available for purchase, lease or rent in Whitby? Want to find a commercial property with 1,299 square feet for rent, you'll find out in about 10 seconds in what Whitby has to offer. This is by far the best innovation on any local municipal website.

This site is very fun to browse and you could spend hours zooming around looking for information.

### BROCK

There is nothing flashy about the Brock website. This 'plain Jane' site is easy to navigate with its folder hierarchy. This site is designed for the simplistic, throw-back PC user. As plain as it is, it is effective and useful. The site is exceedingly informative and spells out quite clearly what services are available to residents. It's a surprisingly fast site which should satisfy the needs of this rural community.

### SCUGOG

The home page is heavy on text but has a useful menu of

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All workshops will take place between 1:30 and 3:30 p.m. on those days.

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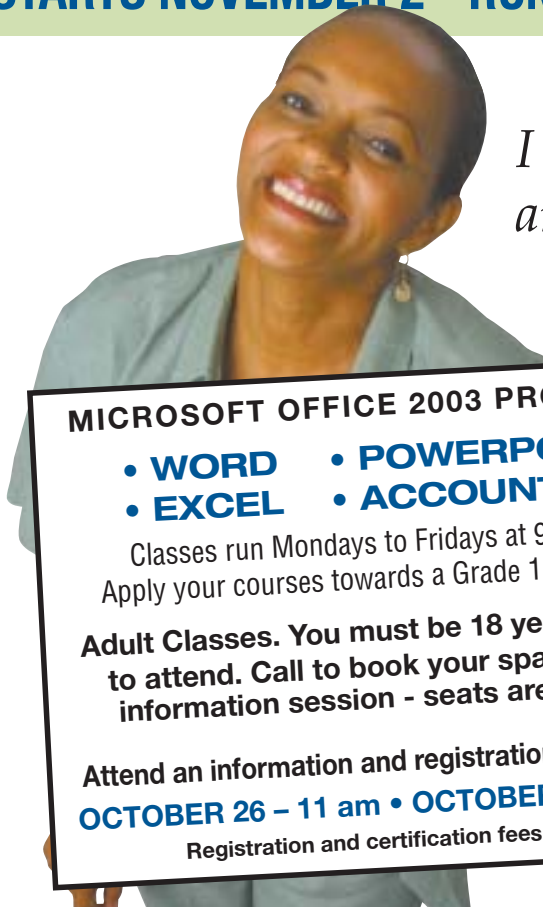
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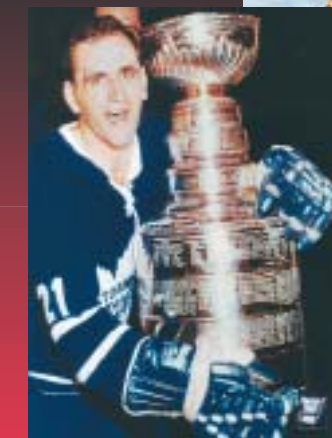


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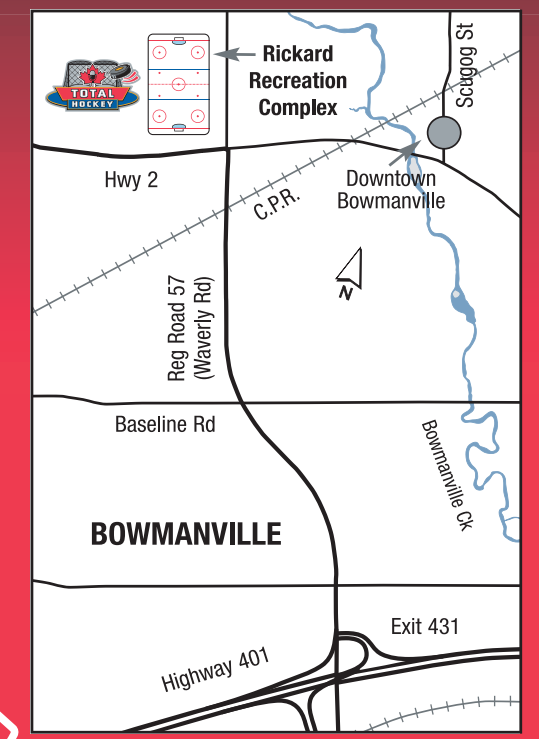
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# Ribbons, wristbands a reminder to speak up, prevent child abuse

*Purple Ribbon campaign in full swing across Durham*

By Jillian Follert  
Staff Writer

**DURHAM** — People across Ontario are donning purple ribbons and wristbands this month, as a quiet reminder that it is everyone's responsibility to help prevent child abuse.

Many don't know the symbol started here in Durham.

In 1992, Sue Sims, volunteer co-ordinator with the Durham Children's Aid Society (DCAS), decided to come up with a symbol to promote Child Abuse Prevention Month, observed every year in October.

At the time, ribbons were becoming popular and she settled on a bright purple, hoping it would catch on. DCAS started

using the symbol that same year and not long after, it was adopted by Children's Aid Societies across Ontario.

This October, 44 Children's Aid Societies across the province are participating in the purple ribbon campaign and the Use Your Voice campaign, which encourages people to be a voice for children who are unable to speak up, by reporting abuse or suspected abuse.

The DCAS conducted 3,901 investigations into suspected abuse and neglect last year, or about 75 calls per week -- a statistic Executive Director Jim Dubray calls "appalling."

The local agency has seen a steady three to four per cent increase in calls over the past several years, attributed in part to a growing local population and legislative changes requiring professionals to report suspected abuse.

DCAS relies on the community to be its eyes and ears, but there is still a stigma when it comes to reporting abuse.

"These may be friends, relatives or neighbours, so people may be very uncomfortable calling CAS," Mr. Dubray said. "But they have to think about how scared that child might be or what might happen if they don't report it."

A recent study commissioned by the Ontario Association of Children's Aid Societies (OACAS) reveals 87 per cent of Ontarians know they have a duty to report actual or suspected abuse. However, many don't cite barriers like fear of retribution, confusion as to what constitutes abuse or the belief that it is none of their business.

"The survey makes it clear that there is still a stigma associated with reporting the suspected maltreatment of a child," said Jeanette Lewis, OACAS executive director.

"This must change, because every child has the right to a happy and healthy childhood."

The DCAS currently has 922 children in care. In 2005-06, the most common investigation types were physical harm, neglect and domestic violence.

Purple ribbons and donation boxes are available throughout Durham Region this month.

In addition to raising awareness, the campaign raises funds for the Durham Children's Aid Foundation, supporting education, recreation and skills development programs.

For information about DCAS and the local campaign, visit [www.durhamcas.com](http://www.durhamcas.com). For information about the signs and indicators of physical, sexual and emotional abuse and how to contact a local Children's Aid Society, visit [www.useyourvoice.ca](http://www.useyourvoice.ca).



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# PVUC Golf Committee donates \$13,000 to community

DURHAM—The Pickering Village United Church golf committee donated \$13,000 to groups around Durham Region following its eighth annual tournament on June 15.

Tom Blake, chair of the golf committee, thanked the 140 participating golfers, supporting businesses and sponsors and members of the congregation.

Groups receiving donations are: the AIDS Com-

mittee of Durham; Ajax - Pickering health Centre; Child Find Canada; Charles H. Best Diabetes Centre; Cornerstone Men's Hostel; Durham Mental Health; First Pickering Scouts; Frontier Foundation; Gate 3:16.; Hearth Place; Horizon House; Immigrant Interchurch Support Group; Interchurch Health Ministries; Kids Help Phone; R.S. McLaughlin Durham Regional Cancer Centre;

Project Next Step; Salvation Army Food Bank; St. Paul's-on-the-Hill Food Bank; Whitby Community Garden, and the YWCA women's shelter.

In the past eight years, the PVUC Charity Golf Tourna-

ment has raised more than \$163,000, with 50 per cent of the funds donated to Durham Region organizations and 50 per cent to support the community outreach ministry of Pickering Village United Church.

The church golf committee will rename the event the PVUC Bill Hearn Memorial Golf Tournament due to the death of Bill Hearn, an enthusiastic member of the golf committee and church board.

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# Two Pickering swimmers go to the wall

Foster, Heard join elite group of club members

By Al Rivett  
Sports Editor

**PICKERING** — Seeing the other Wall of Fame plaques adorning the Pickering Recreation Complex pool was all the motivation needed for Allison Foster to someday want to join that select company.

Now, the 14-year-old national-calibre swimmer and fellow clubmate Kaleigh Heard, 15, will take their place among the elite, national- and international-level swimmers in the club after they were honoured at the Pickering Swim Club's annual awards night recently.

"I remember walking on the deck and seeing the wall and I was like, 'I want my face to go on that wall too,'" says Foster.

Heard and Foster, who each made their debuts at the senior nationals in Montreal last July, are just the seventh and eighth swimmers to be enshrined on the Wall of Fame in the 33-year history of the Pickering Swim Club. They'll join former Olympians Lisa Flood and Laura Nicholls, among others.

In addition to swimming at nationals, Heard and Foster, both sprint and distance freestylers, were members of the first relay team from the Pickering club to ever qualify for senior nationals. They were joined on the team by Jessica Ward and Danielle Gomba, both previous Wall of Fame inductees.

Competing at senior nationals

this past summer, says Foster, who's still a junior-level swimmer, was exciting and perhaps a little unsettling, too.

"It's very different racing than the age-group meets. You get used to being at the top, but when you go to nationals you're not at the top," she says, noting that her dream is to eventually represent Canada at the Olympic Summer Games.

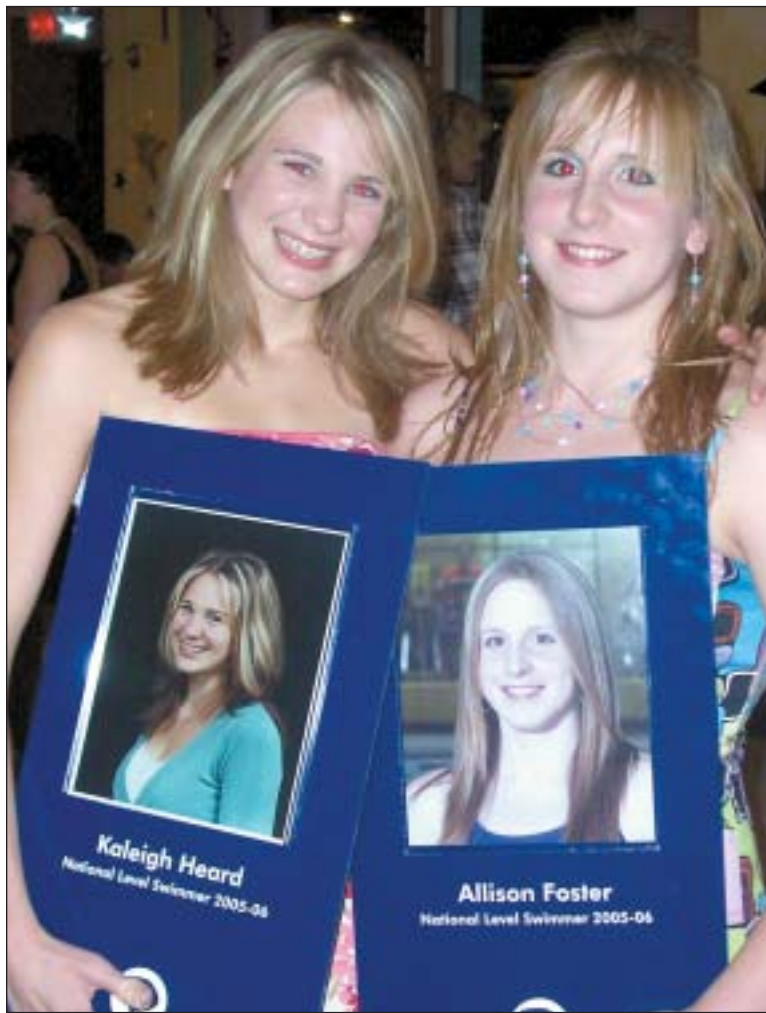
Former Canadian Olympian and Pickering resident Craig Hutchison was the guest speaker at the swim banquet. He represented Canada at the 2000 Games in Sydney, Australia, where he helped the Canadian 4-x-100-metre medley relay team to a sixth-place finish.

Hutchison, a graduate of Arizona State University who's now an engineer working in Markham, notes that, in the end, swimming contributed much more to his life than being an Olympian or winning races.

"Swimming to me is a lot more than being first to the wall," he told the audience. "I met my wife through swimming and I met my best man through swimming."

After Sydney, Hutchison noted that he continued to train through the next four-year Olympic cycle, swimming at the 2002 Commonwealth Games. In 2004, at age 29, he attempted to land in his second Olympics as a member of Canada's 4-x-100-metre medley relay team at the trials that year. The relay team, however, finished just over the Olympic qualifying standards. He retired from competitive swimming soon after.

Currently, Hutchison remains in-



Al Rivett/News Advertiser photo  
Kaleigh Heard, left, and Allison Foster earned their way to the Pickering Swim Club's Wall of Fame after competing at the senior nationals this summer.

involved in swimming as a volunteer at the Pickering club, under head coach Lucie Hewitt-Henderson.

The swim club also presented a host of other awards during the course of the evening. They were:

- Stroke awards: Butterfly - Cameron Taylor; Backstroke - Steven Taylor; Breaststroke - Nadine Rodricks; Freestyle - Philip Kay; Individual medley - Kyle Leng;

- Performance awards: Junior Provincials - Ainsley Corkum, Michael Foster, Carleen Ginter, Kayla Ginter, Caroline Gomba, Rayah Gugliotta, Alysha Lynden, Robert Masters, Emily Mayer, Hollie Smith, Meghan Toswell, Katie Webster; Junior and Senior Provincials - Jose Baylon, Jeffrey Cernele, Alex Griffith, Michael Storto; Junior Provincials and Age Group Nationals - Kayla Bannister and Alison Russell; Junior and Senior Provincials and Easterns - Adam Gomba; Junior

and Senior Provincials, Easterns and Senior Nationals - Allison Foster, Danielle Gomba, Kaleigh Heard, Jessica Ward;

- Most improved athletes: Development Team 1 - Melissa Devers; Development Team 2 - Kent Leng; Junior blue - Rayah Gugliotta; Junior red and senior red - Meaghan Douse; Senior blue and white - Brianna Porter;
- Senior national relay: Danielle Gomba, Jessica Ward, Allison Foster, Kaleigh Heard;
- Grand Tomato Head award (special award): Connor Dach;
- Lake Swimmers: White-level, distance of 100,00 metres - 1. Melanie Clarke, 2. Lynsey Ward, 3. Lisa Devers; Senior blue level, distance of 300,000 - 1. Cameron Powell, 2. Brendan Woodrow, 3. Alysha Groff;
- Super swimmer award (athlete who's taken most time off her swims during the season): Alison Russell (405 seconds).

# Pumas edge Cougars for junior basketball crown

Pine Ridge girls win Ajax High School tournament

**PICKERING** — The Pine Ridge Secondary School Pumas junior girls' basketball team cut it close en route to the championship at the recent Ajax High School tournament.

Facing an undefeated Notre Dame Catholic Secondary School Cougars in the championship game, the Pumas emerged with a narrow 43-42 victory. Monique Johnson was a key contributor on both ends of the court for Pine Ridge, netting 16 points. Felicia Roberts, Michelle Dixon and Shona Dunkley contributed solid defensive efforts.

Kim West recorded a game-high 26 points, followed by Whitney Ellenor with 14 to pace the Pumas' offensive attack.

Pumas' head coach Cameron Nekkers noted he was proud of the players' efforts throughout the tournament, adding that their hard work at practices paid off.

The Pumas played two games last Friday, starting the tournament with a solid 54-40 victory over Oshawa's O'Neill CVI Redhawks. West against topped all scorers with a 32-point performance. Dunkley was a force for Pine Ridge on the defensive end.

In Game 2, the Pumas ran past the Dunbarton High School Spartans 40-25 to book their tickets to the final. Brittany Arsenault played well offensively and defensively in the victory. She also added four points.

The Pumas junior girls' squad returns to Lake Ontario Secondary School Athletics (LOSSA) league action on Oct. 23 against the Mon-Signor Paul Dwyer Catholic High School Saints at Pine Ridge.

# St. Mary loses heartbreaker to Dwyer in soccer semifinal

**PICKERING** — A banner senior boys' soccer season for the St. Mary Catholic Secondary School Monarchs came to a frustrating end on Thursday afternoon.

The Monarchs faced the Mon-Signor Paul Dwyer Catholic High School Saints in the Lake Ontario Secondary School Athletics (LOSSA) 'AAAA' semifinals in Oshawa, with the favoured Monarchs dropping a heartbreaking 2-1 decision.

Dwyer will meet the Father Leo J. Austin Catholic Secondary School Wildcats in the LOSSA 'AAAA' soccer final in Oshawa on Monday at 1 p.m. Austin defeated the Dunbarton High School Spartans 1-0 in sudden-death overtime in the other semifinal.

The Saints opened the scoring in the first half, with the scoring remaining 1-0 in Dwyer's favour at the end of the break. In the second

half, however, the Monarchs tied the score as Luke Stedmond put St. Mary on an even footing with the Saints. Dwyer scored the eventual winning marker with about 10 minutes remaining. St. Mary put all-out pressure on the Saints' defence in the dying minutes of regulation time and on into injury time, but couldn't convert on its chances.

"They played their hearts out, but we couldn't do it," says St. Mary

coach Melanie Cayford, adding the Monarchs hit several posts during the course of the semifinal, and also had several corner kicks in the final minutes of the game.

The Monarchs advanced to the semifinal game after notching a 6-3 win over the Uxbridge Secondary School Tigers in the quarter-finals.

St. Mary finished LOSSA play with a 6-2 mark, including a 5-1 record in LOSSA regular-season play.

# Tiller's boxers in the ring at Arnie Boehm novice provincials this weekend

Seven fighters from Ajax club in the mix

**AJAX** — A large contingent of fighters from Tiller's Boxing Club will descend on St. Catharines this weekend in the hopes of returning with provincial ring championships.

The club will send seven boxers to the Arnie Boehm Novice Provincial Championships. Those taking part are Mohammad Asad (60 kilograms senior), Garrett Killaby (54 kilograms, cadet 'B'),

Kevin Hadaway (69 kilograms, senior), Anthony McLaughlin (64 kilograms, cadet 'C'), Brandon Cook (64 kilograms, senior), Shana Van Luven (71 kilograms, female), and Ryan Hummel (64 kilograms, senior).

The Arnie Boehm championships started Friday and will continue into Sunday, with the championship bouts that day.

In other Tiller's Boxing Club news, Chico Caracas fought and won over Fred Carlton of the St. Catharines Boxing Club while competing at the Tri-City Boxing

Tournament in Kitchener earlier this month.

The bout for Caracas was in preparation for the Open Senior Pro-

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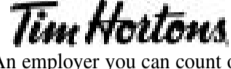
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# Mock train disaster trains Durham staff

*Uxbridge Community Centre site of emergency exercise*

By Jeff Hayward  
Staff Writer

**DURHAM** — A chemical spill, out-of-control fire, flood, even a tornado could happen at any time.

Fortunately in Uxbridge, and the rest of Durham, there are procedures in place to deal with such situations. At the Uxbridge Community Centre Thursday, Oct. 19, about 300 individuals, including more than 100 volunteer 'evacuees', the Uxbridge Fire Department, Durham Region Social Services, Durham Health, Emergency Medical Services and Durham Police were on hand to simulate response to a derailment of a train carrying toxic substances.

Busloads of evacuees poured into the community centre, one of two emergency evacuation centres in Uxbridge. The other, said Ivan Ciuciura, the Region's director of emergency management (DEMO), was Uxbridge Secondary School.

Members of community groups such as Canadian Red Cross and Salvation Army stationed inside the community centre worked quickly to record information about each person. "It's not only for registering... we can (also) identify a medical problem," said Mr. Ciuciura.



Wendy Hayko is tended to by St. John's Ambulance workers Robin Meredith and Eric Sikkenk during a Region emergency evacuation exercise at the Uxbridge arena.

One resident was identified as having scabies and another had West Nile virus. Response teams evaluated whether the affected should be isolated from other evacuees.

Wendy Hayko, a student of Durham College's emergency management program, was brought in a wheelchair to the registration tables.

Ms. Hayko was suffering from a mock sprained ankle, and had to be carried by medical staff to a first-aid room. Once there, Ms. Hayko had her 'swollen' ankle treated with ice and bandaging, while others around her, including teenage girls who had broken down in tears, were also looked after.

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Meanwhile outside, Animal Control tended to pets brought along when individuals left their homes.

Uxbridge Fire Chief Simon Almond, also the municipality's Community Emergency Management Coordinator (CEMC), explained how an evacuation works on a local level.

"Once you realize it's beyond the normal capabilities of the fire department, then we call our mutual aid partners... we're also going to activate our emergency operations centre.

"It's up to elected officials to decide if they want to declare an emergency or not."

To get people to emergency centres, explained Mr. Ciuciura, Durham Region Transit will be called upon. Even during a strike, "Buses are still available... there's a clause that the Region has to come back to work in an emergency." During the practice scenario, a school bus was used instead.

Bob Ferguson, manager of the arena portion of the centre, said he doesn't recall any specific Uxbridge emergencies on a grand scale in past years. However, "The arena was used as a water centre during the (2003) blackout," he said.

Emergency evacuation exercises are ongoing and were last held in Scugog in 2003, noted Mr. Ciuciura, who added the exercises rotate through each municipality. The point of the exercises are "two-fold... to provide training and make improvements to any planning we have done," he said.

According to DEMO, 35 facilities throughout Durham have been identified as suitable evacuation centres. For more information on the Region's evacuation plan, visit [www.region.durham.on.ca/demo](http://www.region.durham.on.ca/demo).

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