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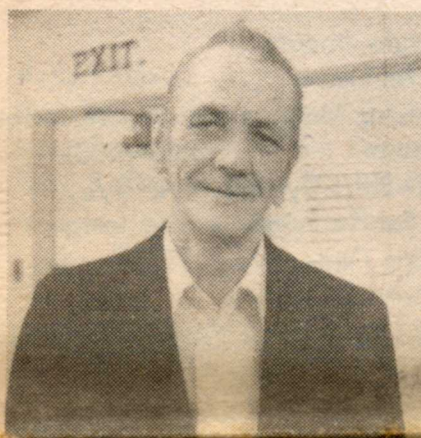
MARCH 21 1977

ELECTION MARCH 31st

THE CANDIDATES
FOR

RPCIA

PRESIDENT



VICE PRESIDENT



Pat Travis long time resident of Regent Park
1st Vice President

TREASURER



Iris Jackman for Treasurer

2nd

VICE PRESIDENT



Kathryn Whiteman for 2nd V. P.

REPRESENTATIVES
OF NORTH REGENT

Vickie Grainger
M. Rice
Marjorie Rudder
Mrs. Oben
Joan Sawyer

REPRESENTATIVES
OF SOUTH REGENT

I. Kitson
B. Woodgate
L. Csonka
M. Bray
G. McPherson

SECRETARY



Myrna Marston for Secretary

WHERE TO VOTE

1. 203 Sackville Green
2. Community Guardians Office-415 Gerrard
3. 41 Oak Street
4. 44 Blevins Place
Pick up ballots there.

Hi Tenants

I am Sam McPherson, the guy to be your next president of the RPCIA. If elected I promise to be a full time president and serve the RPCIA and every tenant in Regent Park to the best of my ability.

Thank you.



Dear Friends once again it is Election Time in the Park and I hope in the issue of the community newspaper I made myself clear on the issues of Voting as the New Board of Directors depends on your vote and who you want to run the R.P.C.I.A. You may not think much of the RPCIA but we have come a long way and have done a lot for the People of Regent Park and intend to do a lot more. Its up to you to come out and support us as we can't do it alone so I ask you as voting day is getting closer and I hope to get your vote on Election Day.

Yours Sincerely,
Arthur Scullion
Acting President

COMMUNITY CALENDAR



Canoe and Kayak Races March 26 and 27th. Streetsville. Credit River down river and Slalom 9 a.m.

Dog show Sportsmens Dog Show- Queen Elizabeth Exhibit Hall, Exhibition Place March 19-20, March 23-27 Toronto.

Maple Syrup Festival March 12 - April 10 Weekends, Daily March 21-25. Metro Toronto and Region Conservation Authority- Bruce's Mill Conservation Area demonstration bush 2 miles east of Don Mills Road on the Gormley - Stouffville sideroad. Demonstration of old and new methods of maple syrup making, pancakes and maple products for sale 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Monday March 21 Dixon Hall 58 Sumach st. is holding a Bake Sale at 1 p.m. today.

Sportsmens Show March 18 - 27 at the CNE grounds 12-- 11p.m. Weekdays, 10 am.-11 p.m. Saturdays and 1 p.m. - 9 p.m. Sundays.

Greenwood racing The next meet will be from March 21-April 30. No racing on Sunday. Regent Park Senior Citizens Busy Bee Club will present George Rust D'EYE with a slide presentation of Toronto Past and Present Wednesday April 6th at 2 p.m. at the downstairs lounge 41 Oak st.

Teen Craft Festival Saturday March 26/77 Parliament street Library House. Learn about Macrame, kite making, t-shirt dyeing, tie-dye, egg decorating, button making, films, book displays, continuous demonstrations.

Cafe du Port Monday March 21, Presented by l'association France-Canada, free at York Quay Tonight: French language presentation of films and slides from countries across the world, beginning at 8 p.m.

Poetry Evening -Marbyne Jenoff is tonight's guest. 8:30 p.m. free at York Quay.

Wednesday Night at the Movies- March 23, 77 A Canadian feature film free of charge every Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. this week Slipstream directed by David Acomb. York Quay.

La Troupe folklorique de Toronto - A workshop of French folkdances and tales, with emphasis on Canada's French Cultures. 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. free, at York Quay.

Open Sing Thursday March 24, Amateur folk and blues artists are invited to perform every thursday night at 8:30 p.m. Call Dave Staver 863-1056 for details.

Square Dance Friday March 25, with Bill Myles, caller. \$1.00 membership to the Harbourfront Square Dance Association, 50¢ raffle. Instruction for beginners. 7:30 p.m. York Quay. Sunday March 27 Harbourfront Jazz Club The Climax Jazz Band is recording their latest album live at the Jazz club tonight, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Free admission, York Quay. Harbourfront is located at 235 Queen's Quay West, 1/2 mile west of the ferry docks. Free parking is available at the east and west sides of the building. For more information about programmes, call 369-4951.

Lawyer

Mr. Peter Harris is available at 7:00P.M. every Monday night to help you with any legal problems you may have. That's at the RPCIA Office 44 Blevins Pl

Regent Park midget girls won the City basketball title Saturday, defeating John Innes 15-14 at Bickford Park School.

Unit Reps will receive their Diplomas at Guelph University March 22, 1977. The Bus will leave 44 Blevins Pl. at 2p.m.

BINGO



Bingo is enjoyed every Wednesday at 44 Blevins Pl. in the basement, prizes, coffee, tea & Sandwiches.



Marie Niven and Theresa Thibeau cut the cake for Kim Gosling at her farewell party.

TEEN CRAFT FESTIVAL

Saturday March/77
2:00-5:00

Parliament St. House

Learn About:

- . Macrame
- . Kite Making(one demonstration only 3:00-4:00)
- . T-Shirt Dyeing, Tie-Dye,
- . Fabric Printing
- . Egg Decorating
- . Button Making
- . Films, Book Displays,
- . Continuous Demonstrations

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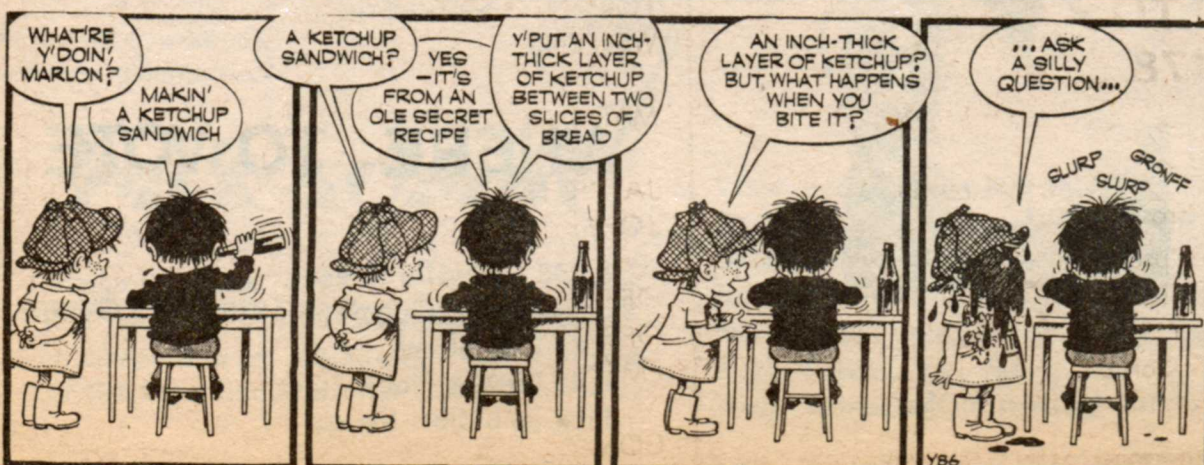
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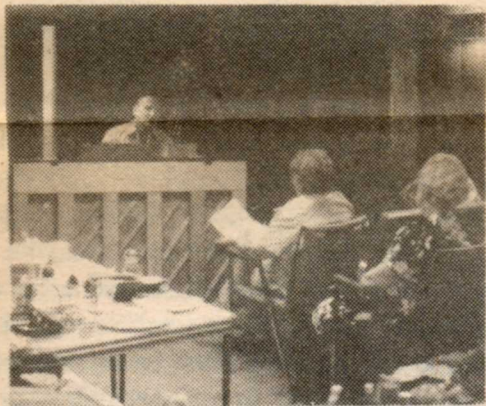


HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY



BUSY BEE CLUB

B.B. Club
Des Ryan(below) played the piano and sang for members of the Regent Park Busy B Club at their St. Patricks Day songfest and rummage sale at 41 Oak St. Mar. 16/77.



NEW FACES

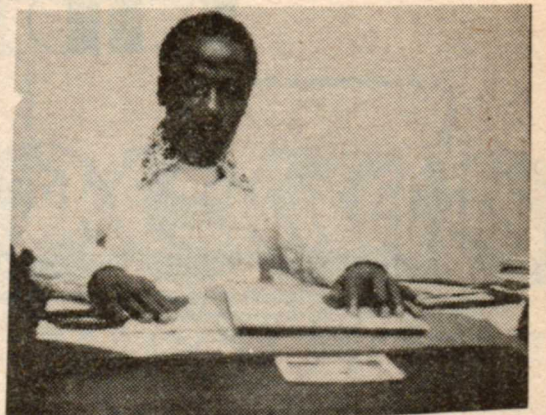


Vickie Grainger and Theresa Loewenberg below are welcome additions to the office staff of RPCIA.



PARKING ?

Parking in South Regent
To alleviate the parking problems in South Regent, Parking stickers are available at 33 Belshaw, the OHC office. These stickers will help control unauthorized vehicles from using the tenants parking area. Your co-operation is needed to improve the state of the parking lots.



The Tenant Management Programme
All Residents of Regent Park

The use of Laundry room facilities
March, 7, 1977.
The R.P.C.I.A. Through the Tenant Management programme has assumed responsibility of all Laundry Rooms in Regent Park, on the 1st, May, 1976.
During this period we have observed that
(a) Tenants are sending their children under 14 to do the laundry, this is wrong.
NO CHILD UNDER THE AGE OF 14 YEARS is permitted to use the machines.
(b) Machines NOT be OVERLOADED as this causes serious breakdown of services.
(c) The hours of operation should be observed because Laundry Attendants DO NOT GET PAID FOR WORKING OVERTIME.
(d) Tenants should NOT use abusive language to the Attendants, and should NOT attack them as has happened on several occasions in some buildings.
(e) Rugs, Carpets and other heavy materials SHOULD NOT be washed in machines. If you have a problem speak to your attendant or call my office at 364-8902 and I am sure your problem will be given attention.

Harold Jackman
Manager-TMP

FOR SALE

For Sale
21"Color T.V. set \$75
8 Track and Record Player fairly new \$100.
Stand up Freezer
For Sale \$100 863-6377
ads may be listed in the Regent Park News for
50¢ per line-
Phone 364-2909.

MAYCOURT CLUB

NEARLY NEW CLOTHES
AND HOUSEHOLD ITEMS
605 WHITESIDE PL.
THURSDAY
10:15 ----- 11 a m

ANITA'S HAIRSTYLING

239 CARLTON ST.
922-0478



Permanent eyelashes and natural nails Medical Skin Scrub Facials

Shampoo & Set- \$3.00 Ear piercing-\$8.50
Tint-\$8.50
Perm-\$8.99 Hair Removing
Rilex Hairstraightening for Afros
Medical Scalp Treatment for psoriasis Special unisex style
Complete line of Beauty Supplies, Wigs Ladies and men's cuts
and Hairpieces Special uniperm

Phone numbers you should know

EMERGENCY	361-1111
POLICE	967-2222
FIRE DEPT.	363-2133
SOCIAL SERVICES	
(general inquiry)	367-8623
(emerg. service)	367-8600
(339 George st)	925-3131
HEALTH UNIT	364-2261
DENTAL UNIT	364-2265
AMBULANCE	489-2111
REGENT PARK COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION	364-2909
REGENT PARK SERVICE UNIT	863-1768
HOSPITALS	
ST. MICHEAL'S	360-4000
MOUNT SINAI	596-4200
SICK CHILDREN'S	597-1500
TORONTO GENERAL	595-3111
WELLESLEY	966-6600
MARGARET SCRIVENER M.P.P.	964-8663
ALDER MEN	
JANET HOWARD	367-7916
JOHN SEWELL	367-7910
O.H.C.	
OFFICE NORTH REGENT	363-5188
OFFICE SOUTH REGENT	368-1891
EMERGENCY MAINTENANCE	789-7901
COMMUNITY GUARDIANS	924-7754

KID STUFF

LINES AND SHAPES

When you draw you show you are simply using lines to make shapes and here are the basic lines.

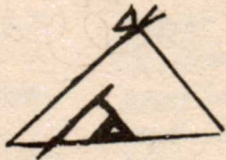


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BROCKEN
WAVY
CURLY
CURVED

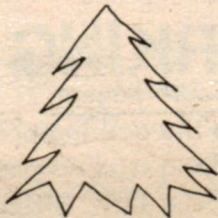


Now here are a few examples of what you can do with these lines.

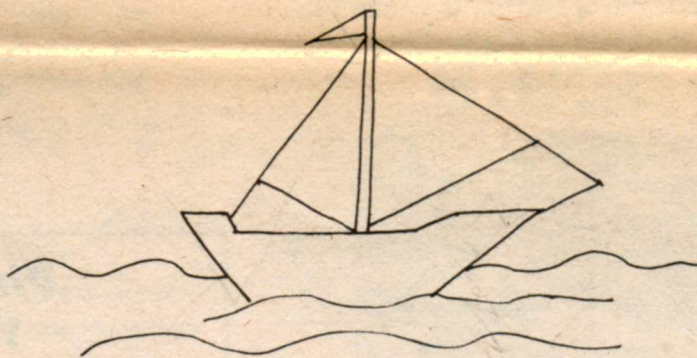
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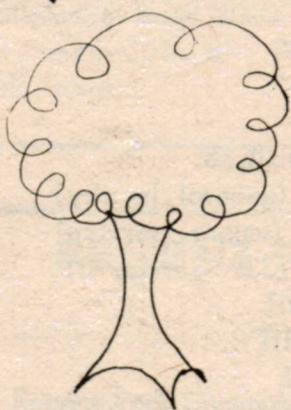
Broken



Wavy and Straight



CURLY AND CURVED



Curved



THE NATIVE PERSPECTIVE
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1977

Park school

Congratulations

Our Park School Band recently placed 3rd in competition at the Kiwanis Festival held at the Canadian National Exhibition.

When you consider that this band has been in existence only a year and a half and competed against Junior High Schools, we can be justly proud of our students and their instrumental Teacher Mr. Jeffrey and music Teacher Mr. Harrop. Well done, band. Next year?

COMMUNICATING

The Communication Course presented for The RPCIA Unit Reps by the Dept. Of continuing Education at the University of Guelph consisted of the following sessions.

- Session I-October 7, 1976,
 - introduction
 - leadership Styles
- Session II-October 14, 1976
 - Group product exercise
- Session III-October 21st, 1976
 - Authority
- Session IV-October 28th, 1976
 - Communication and Acceptance
 - Rumour Clinic
 - Communication Roadblocks
- Session V-Comm. Roadblocks
 - Comm. Process
 - Active listening
- Session VI-November 11, 1976
 - Review
- Session VII-Nov. 18th, 1976
 - active listening
 - one way vs. two way Comm.
- Session VIII-Nov. 25th., 1976
 - Effective meetings
 - talking skills
- Session IX-Dec. 2nd. 1976
 - talking skills & Brainstorming
- Session X-Dec. 9th, 1976
 - Developing a Job Description

94 % of the Unit Reps attending found the course very helpful. It appears that leadership styles, active listening, communication and acceptance, problem ownership, talking skills, (especially, categories of verbal response, and brainstorming are topics that since proved useful on the Job. Many Unit Reps expressed a general feeling of having more confidence on the job and taking more time to solve a problem by approaching it in a systematic way.

Remember your Unit Rep will help you with general information concerning maintenance problems, arrears in rent personal problems, notices to vacate, if you have suggestions concerning parking, vandalism etc, If you want to volunteer for community activities. If you haven't received the Ward 7 News. If you want to know where there is recreation, if you want to join the RPCIA for more information call the Unit Rep Manager Mr. Harold Jackman at 364-8902.

JOB COUNSELLING



We are working for you to find you work. Call Roland at 364-2909
44 Blevins Pl.