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Innisfil Tyke Provincial Lacrosse Champs to be showcased in a parade of Champions at Toronto Rock Game

The Provincial Gold Medal winners, INNISFIL WOLFPACK TYKE LACROSSE team has been invited to take place in a parade of champions hosted by the Toronto Rock On February 3rd 2007.

This summer the boys won the provincial Tyke "D" championship going Undeclared in 5 games.

The Innisfil Wolfpack Lacrosse Association in it's second year of operation put together and developed a

"D" Gold medal Tyke team and also a silver medal Peewee team in the "C" division.

We are very proud of our Players and Coaches for their dedication and hard work. In honour of our team we will travel with them to the Air Canada center and cheer them on in the Parade of Champions before the Toronto Rock game against Buffalo.

We have rented two coach buses to take all who

want to attend this big event at the ACC.

The buses will leave from Stroud Arena at 5:30 Pm Feb 3rd . Tickets can be purchased for \$45 adult and \$35 Youth/senior.

Tickets include Coach bus and Toronto Rock game.

Come out and Cheer on the boys and watch the best game on two feet.

Contact Jennifer Moores for more details or to buy a ticket 436-1850



Winterhawks hard work pays off

The Innisfil Winterhawks Major Peewee A team, sponsored by Sandy Cove Marine, played a strong game on Saturday against the Stouffville Clippers beating them 3-2. The team came out hard with strong passing and excellent goaltending by Vincent Fumo. In the first period Brandon Stratton started off the scoring assisted by Adrian Tibando. Into the second period, Stouffville had a break away and with the smart goaltending by Fumo, he came out almost to the blue line and made a pass out to Stratton who

then made an excellent pass over to Derek Roy-Hins who assisted Gavin McVicar as he tipped it over the goalie and made it in, making the score 2-1 for the Winterhawks. To end the second period with 25 seconds to go Luis Soriano came in and made a lone hander into the net making the score 3-1. Stouffville went on in the third period and slipped by a goal but when the buzzer went, the Winterhawks came out ahead 3-2. Hip Hip Hooray, great job on the ice and keep up that hard work!

Lose a few kilos and still drink all the eggnog you want

The holiday season is supposed to be about peace, joy and goodwill but for many Canadians, it is expensive, stressful and generates huge amounts of pre and post Boxing Day waste.

During the year, Canadians generate more waste per capita than any other country in the world, with a significant increase during the holiday season.

Earth Day Canada, through its EcoAction Teams Program is encouraging all Canadians to consider the environment in their holiday planning.

If all Canadians reused paper and gift bags for just three items, we would save enough paper to cover 45,000 hockey rinks. And if every family produced one less kilogram of waste during the holidays, we would produce 34,000 tonnes less garbage. Little efforts translate into huge savings.

In the coming weeks, commit to greener celebrations and trim your holiday WASTEline.

Gifts from the kitchen – for little gifts, give edible items such as homemade cookies, cakes, or nuts and

dried fruit in reusable containers like jars or pottery.

Give 'em green! – For the person who has everything, support a cause they believe in and make a donation in their name. Donate to Earth Day Canada, buy an acre of rainforest, Adopt-a-Tree, an animal or its habitat and more. Find your organization of choice at <http://www.ecoactionteams.ca/resources/links.cf>.

Give quality, not quantity in a gift of presence – Give a certificate for time spent together such as regular

Thornton hockey notes

Thornton Tigers Novice 2 House League

Thornton vs. Lefroy
 Sat., Dec 16-Thornton Novice 2 fought their way to a win against Lefroy 4-3. Lefroy took an early lead in the first with 2 goals. Thornton came back in the 2nd period and took the lead 3-2 but Lefroy tied it up again. The winning goal was scored in the 3rd period and Thornton worked hard to keep the lead. Goals by Matthew Pyz,

Behn Ware(2) and Brian Escott. Assists to Christopher Johnson, B. Escott(2), M. Pyz, Aidan Didomenico, Aryon Celli and Jason Eenhoorn. Great job by goalie Braden Butcher.

Thornton Tigers Bantam 2 House League

Thornton vs. Beeton
 Sun., Dec 17- Thornton Bantam 2 narrowly won against Beeton 1-0. Goal by Daniel DeMartin.

visits to an outdoor skating rink, theatre, movie, or lunch dates. Create memorable moments with this year's gifts.

Green decorating – When decorating, use materials that can be composted, such as popcorn and cranberry garlands for the tree, homemade wreathes of pinecones, evergreen branches and berries.

Green hosting – If you have a big group coming over and not enough plates, bowls or cutlery, ask a friend to bring an extra set over or rent dishes from a party rental company.

Refuse to use "disposables" that take more than 100 years to break down.

Light up the holidays – If you are considering buying new holiday lights, buy LED (Light Emitting Diode) lights as they use about 99 per cent less energy than regular holiday bulbs. Reduce the number of old technology lights you put up and if you are sticking with regular lights, use the strands with smaller bulbs because they use less energy and are less of a fire hazard.

The gifts that keep giving – Give memberships to a gym, art class or

recreational activity for a gift that keeps giving throughout the year.

Keepin' it green – This New Year's make a green resolution and keep it. For example, resolve to walk more and take the car less often.

Wrapping it up – Get creative and reuse gift bags, ribbons or bows. Use the comics from the newspaper or tins and pottery to wrap edible items. If you decide to buy wrapping paper, make sure that it is recycled post-consumer content.

Little returns to chair Corporate Services committee

by Richard Blanchard

Adjala-Tosorontio deputy mayor Doug Little will return to chair the Corporate Services committee at Simcoe county council.

Little was acclaimed for another one year term last Tuesday. He had previously served as chair of the committee for the

past three years.

The committee will have New Tecumseth mayor Mike MacEachern as its vice-chair.

In the only voting that occurred during the selection of committee chairs and vice chairs, MacEachern defeated Collingwood deputy mayor Sandra Copper and Ramara mayor Bill

Duffy as vice-chair.

MacEachern told county councillors that he wanted to serve on the Corporate Services committee as a way of broadening his experience with the County of Simcoe.

"I have served two years on the Performance Management committee," he said.

Among other areas, the Corporate Services committee has responsibility for planning, county forests, waste management and roads.

In the other two major committees, Penetanguishene mayor Anita Dubeau will serve as chair of the Performance Management committee with

Severn mayor Mike Sled as deputy chair while Midland mayor Jim Downer will serve as as chair of the Human Services committee and Severn deputy mayor Judith Cox will serve as deputy chair. All of these positions were acclaimed.

All terms as chairs and deputy chairs are for one year.