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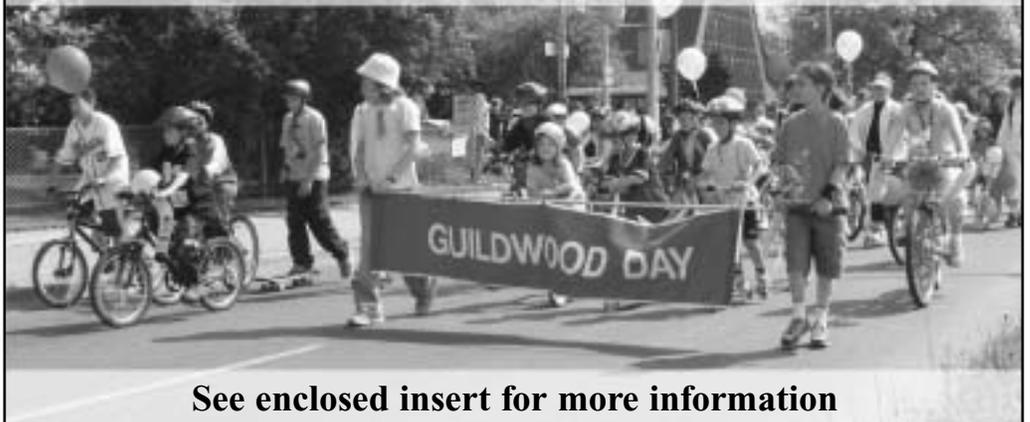
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### **Guildwood Garage Sale Day May 28th**

Event will be advertised

### **Guildwood Day – June 4th**



See enclosed insert for more information





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**Did you know...** that the Guildwood Village Community Association has its own hotline?

If you have any questions you would like answered or any issues you would like to bring to our attention, this is the number to call and leave a message anytime. The messages are checked on a regular basis.

**(416) 410-2755**



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## President's Annual Report



I can report to you that the state of our Community Association is strong, that the state of our community is kind and caring and the state of the Guild Inn is disrepair. But hopefully, the latter will be changing soon.

This has been a very active year for your association. Our Annual Garage Sale Day was a huge success last year, so mark your calendars for the **last Saturday in May** for this year's sale.

Last year's Guildwood Day was another huge success, as many of you will attest. This year we promise an even bigger and better event on **June 4th, 2005**.

The Gardens of Guildwood attracted more tourists than the year before and even turned a tidy profit, not to mention the great ideas we all got for our own backyard oases.

We even had a good turnout on a cold, rainy evening in December for our annual caroling event. Hot chocolate flowed and our children met Santa.

This year we revised the look of our Newsletter, thanks to a new volunteer. We sold beautiful calendars again this year, which by the way, also turned a bit of a profit for us.

And last year we had more members join than ever before. We actually had a surplus in revenue, makes up for the deficit the year before. Thanks to our membership committee and all the dedicated volunteers.

We've been kept informed about our safety, we've learned about scams in our neighborhood, we've had numerous opportunities to meet and spend some time with our neighbours and most importantly we've been given the chance to live in the best community in Canada. For that I believe that we must be thankful.

Finally, I have to tell you how I am constantly amazed at the number and type of volunteers that we have. That's not to say we have enough volunteers. **We do need a new News and Views distribution coordinator.**

*Harry Spindel*

## Guildwood Village Community Association Annual General Meeting.

### Your New Executives are:

**President – Harry Spindel**

**Vice-President – Michele Ade**

**Treasurer – David Tumber**

**Corporate Secretary – Kathleen Wolfe**

The Guildwood Village Community Association Annual General meeting was held on Wednesday, March 30th with a very good turnout of community residents.

Our guest speaker was **Dorsey James**, wood sculptor and teacher. **Mr. James** was for many years the resident wood sculptor at the Guild Inn, using the cabin on the grounds as his studio. **Mr James**, an eloquent speaker, captivated his audience with stories of his life and also gave a very interesting slide presentation of examples of his many sculptures. He spoke of and provided us with visuals of one of his projects, Home Place. For this project he used discarded hydro poles which were carved to represent the peoples from a diversity of cultures that have come from near and far to call this country "home". Home Place is part of Pickering's waterfront trail.

We were also pleased to have our elected officials attend the general meeting. Councillor **David Soknacki**, the **Hon. Mary Anne Chambers**, M.P.P. and the **Hon. John McKay**, M.P. provided the audience with an update of matters with which they are currently involved. Councillor **Soknacki** also provided a brief update on the progress of the plans for the Guild Inn. Following their presentations the floor was open to a lively question and answer session.

A special volunteer presentation was made to **John Stafford** and **John Mitchell** for their tireless work as members of the Guildwood Village Community Association.

Following the presentations the Annual General Meeting was held, which included the election of your new executive committee. Please join me in thanking them for volunteering their time and efforts working as members of the GVCA.

*Kathleen Wolfe*





## From David Soknacki, Councillor Scarborough East

### *Dear Guildwood Villagers*

While progress is being made on the revitalization of the Guild Inn site, we are still a long way from the finish line.

Without a doubt there has been significant progress in working with the community, within the City bureaucracy and with the Heritage Board. But work still needs to finalize the memorandum of understanding with the proponent, to obtain Council approval and to make sure all of the stakeholders are satisfied with the final agreement and undertakings.



Prior to a summary of the status of Guild Inn site, let me spend a moment to speak of the scope of the proposal. The only matter under discussion is the apron of land under the Guild Inn building and some additional space for parking. Not under discussion is programming for the grounds or other buildings. The gardens and park will always remain open, even during construction.

Nor does the proposal involve the sale of any land. Rather it considers leasing 6.75 acres out of the 88-acre site for the residual term of the City's lease from the Conservation Authority. The sub lease involves more or less the area currently occupied by the Guild Inn with a reasonable apron of land to provide additional landscaping and parking associated with the hotel. At the end of seventy-five years, the land (and structures) will revert to the Conservation Authority. Of course there were many questions at the meeting about community involvement for the grounds and programming. This input is both natural and welcomed. Both City staff and I will continue to

make sure that there is community participation regardless of the site's use.

In March about two hundred Villagers (and our MP John McKay) heard presentations from the proponent, the heritage architect and City Culture staff. The overall conclusion of the presentation was that both sides were in agreement to go to the next step of writing the detailed memorandum of understanding. Both sides were prepared and able to invest to bring the project to fruition. From the developer's side, that means an investment of about \$40m in the buildings and grounds. From the City side, that means about \$7.5m for cultural infrastructure including garden improvements, Greek theatre improvements, Guild Gate restoration, outbuilding improvements and streetscaping improvements.

One matter that was examined at length - and upon which I expect further refinement is the detailed vision for the site. The City's goal for its investment is to create a centre for the arts on the Guild grounds, very similar to that originally envisaged by Spencer Clark. Even at this early stage, space and investment have been set aside for artists' workshops and an artist-in-residence program. The architectural fragments will be cared for and better displayed and the gardens will be upgraded and maintained.

At the meeting the heritage architect went through the details of the Bickford residence. To begin, nothing from the 1914 original structure is visible. Additions, wings, and rooms have entirely replaced the original plan with ones, which date from the 70s at its most recent to the 40s at the oldest. As part of the heritage recommendations the new building will respect the original massing (size), scale, orientation and height. Also the most memorable and historical elements of the Bickford building, such as the main staircase and wood paneling from the library and dining room will be saved and re-incorporated.

The architect then asked a series of questions about what should be saved. If the goal was to save the outside skin or structure then the result would be an incredibly costly project which would produce a building without architectural merit. The interior of the building - even if it was not in need of repair - is not up to the building code. It contains ancient electrical circuitry, asbestos insulation, single pane metal windows, a tiny basement and hallways



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which are too narrow. A complete restoration would produce a very expensive project without a viable role.

Ever since the abortive misstep of Giant Step Realty, the City has sought to manage or maintain the existing structure. More recently we have participated in three well-publicized "requests for proposals" to find a willing partner who respects the community, the vision of the site and its public ownership. City staff and I believe that the sensitive and timely implementation of the developer's plans as presented will meet the community's goals and expectations.

Subsequent to that meeting members of the GVCA Executive joined a representative of the Guild Renaissance Group to defend the project at the Toronto Preservation Board. We are pleased to report that the Board supported the proposal with respect to the heritage plan, which next goes to Scarborough Council.

With respect to the memorandum of understanding, discussions are currently intense. While the City and proponent share the the same vision, it is the lawyers who actually draft the documents. Currently discussions on this matter are being undertaken almost daily. The goal remains to have the preliminary approvals passed at the May 05 Council meeting and the final lease agreement substantially negotiated by the end of the year.

In other news, with the snow finally disappearing and the weather warming up, the annual "pothole season" has begun. If you notice areas of our local roads which require attention please call **Joan Bannister** in my Constituency Office at **416 396 7222** or the **Works Department Helpline** at **416 396 7372**.

In preparation for spring cleaning and summer gardening our office has a number of events on the horizon. We will be holding our annual Compost day on Saturday **May 14th**. Residents will soon receive flyer reminding them of it, and directing them to the Morningside Works Yard (Morningside just south of Highway 401) where they can pick up their free compost.

And speaking of spring cleanup, coming up on Saturday **23 April** is the City's – and Guildwood's – Spring Clean-Up Day. Volunteers throughout the City invest in their communities by picking up the litter that was hidden under the snow. Please do come out to the front yard of Holy Trinity Church on Saturday morning to volunteer some of your time cleaning up Guildwood.



Early in the summer we will be hosting our **Environment Day**. This year it will be from **10:00am to 2:00pm on Saturday July 9th at the Morningside Works Yard** (Morningside avenue at Highway 401). As in previous years we invite service groups to participate. If you are a member of a nonprofit group which has an interest in participating please contact my Constituency Assistant **Joan Bannister**.

I welcome your comments on any municipal matter and the opportunity to be of service. My regularly updated website at **www.soknacki.com** contains information on local organizations, news and events at City Hall. You can also communicate by email at **councillor\_soknacki@toronto.ca** phone me at **416 396 7222**, or send a fax to **416 392 4006**. Alternatively you can visit Joan Bannister; my full-time Constituency Assistant located on the second floor of the Scarborough Civic Centre.

**David Soknacki**, Councillor  
Scarborough East

**The Guildwood Village Community Association would like to extend condolences to the family of Gord Evans. Gord was well known in Guildwood and will be missed.**





## What is Guildwood Day?— *John Harris*



**Guildwood Day** is always the first Saturday in June, and falls on **June 4, 2005** this year. It is always a mild sunny day, and sometimes in the afternoon it gets very hot. It is the first real day to start working on your tan, but in reality, you can start the day off right with a pancake breakfast put on by one of the churches in the heart of Guildwood. (The small fee for this can be paid with the money you made in the Garage Sale the week before).

Guildwood Day is the biggest thing that you get for the \$15 annual family membership fee in the **Guildwood Village Community Association**, apart from getting the News and Views four times a year. This means that the whole family can take part for free in Guildwood Day .... and it does go all day with just a little lull in late afternoon.

Things start for real with the **Guildwood Day parade**. Just about anybody/anything can take part in this parade. If you have an old car that is roadworthy, put it in the parade. If you have a business and want to advertise it with your own float or banner, get it into the parade. If you want to promote your baton twirling team, or softball league, local pub, school, or whatever else, show up in Laurier Collegiate's front driveway on Guildwood Parkway soon after 9am. We want a parade to be a parade. The **GVCA** provides the bands for the parade, and the Emergency Services are usually well represented, and the little tots of Guildwood know that there is a **fancy dressed bike** section in the parade, and our local politicians take part too in the parade (suitably dressed).

Needless to say, Guildwood Parkway and some of Livingston Rd. are blocked off during the parade, so please be polite if driving a vehicle if you can't get to the plaza for a while.

The parade's route is from Laurier west to Extencicare where it turns round and comes down the other side of Guildwood Parkway past the plaza, and then south on

Livingston and into the rear of the Laurier grounds by the west driveway.

The rest of Guildwood Day mostly takes place at the back of Laurier Collegiate. What happens here? Well, they **sell memberships** in the **Guildwood Village Community Association**, so bring \$15 with you, and your whole family living with you are then members. You need to know this because you can't take part in the **FREE DRAW** for prizes that all members can take part in (and we do check!). What else happens on the school grounds during Guildwood Day? All kinds of free stuff for the **kids** mostly. There's races for different age groups, throwing things through holes, games of chance, and for these there's **prizes** to be won. Then there's an inflated building to jump up and down in, and pony rides, and perhaps clowns and face painting, and for those who brought more than just \$15, there are vendors and information booths where you can buy plants, pottery, knick knacks and who knows whatever else. The Emergency Services usually have a display for a while too, and you might get a ride in a **police helicopter** (though it is unlikely). Also present will be members of the other church in the heart of Guildwood, who will be cooking up hamburgers and



hot dogs, so you'll need money for that. (Washrooms are in the school.) If the weather should just not be nice while at Laurier, things move inside the school as much as possible.

**But**, the day isn't over yet, because there's the **evening entertainment and BBQ**, which will likely take place in the Guild Inn woods near the log cabin soon after 6pm.



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What happens here? Well, you have to show your **membership card** (and we'll be checking) and then you can come into the woods to play, and **eat for free**, and drink pop, and listen to the band that do musical requests as well as their own routine. There might even be dancing if people get the urge, but there'll be a lot of neighbourly yakking. And the stuff off the **BBQ is unlimited and all free**, and it's all put on by your **Guildwood Village Community Association** with the help of all kinds of **unpaid volunteers**.

**How do I become an unpaid volunteer for Guildwood's special day?** Well, you contact someone

from the Executive Committee (listed at front of this paper) or contact the Guildwood Assoc. **Infoline at (416) 410-2755** or you just show up on the day at the GVCA table and say **"I'm here to help"**. You can also contact **John Harris (Guildwood Day Coordinator)** at **416-265-5999**.

**How do I donate a prize or gift voucher for the prize draw?** Well, the same answer as above. The **Infoline number is (416) 410-2755**

**How do I get to be part of the Guildwood Day Parade?** Well, you just show up around 9am at Laurier front driveway on Guildwood Day, or call the **Infoline** to help us keep organized.

**When is Guildwood Day? Saturday June 4, 2005.** Didn't we start off with that one? See you there!

*John Harris*

## 2004 Angel Tree



Thank you for your generous participation in Elizabeth Simcoe Jr. Public School's annual **Angel Tree**. This past December, 284 gifts of new toys and new clothing were donated to West Hill Community Services' "Holiday Hamper"

program. This program operates under the City of Toronto's "Operation Christmas", and benefits those families who require extra assistance during the holidays.

Simcoe has been involved with West Hill Community Services since 1989 and in 2002 we extended an invitation to our neighbouring community to participate in the **Angel Tree**. This activity connects our school with our community in a very meaningful way!

*Vivan Riehl*

## A Day in the Gardens of Guildwood

The third annual "A Day in the Gardens of Guildwood" will be on Sunday afternoon, July 10— rain or shine. Last year 16 homeowners opened their gardens to about 700 viewers. Everyone enjoyed the visits to the unique gardens, designed and maintained by the owners. See a sample of last year's garden tour on the GVCA website at **www.guildwood.on.ca**. Click on "Past Events" or look at the Guildwood Gardens 2005 calendar with photos taken by **John Mitchell**.

If you would like to include your garden in this year's tour, please contact **Cleve Pendock at 416-264-3548**, **Rhonda Bingham at 416-261-8848**, **Judy Baribeau at 416-264-4527** or **Gerard Baribeau at Guildwood Village Bakery-Deli** on Livingston Rd.

There will be a tour guide fee to cover costs, with the remainder going to Guildwood Village beautification projects.

We look forward to you opening your garden and/or visiting the gardens on display.

*Cleve Pendock*





## Public Meeting Regarding the Guild Inn Redevelopment Proposal

On Wednesday March 2, 2005, representatives of the proposed redevelopers of the Guild Inn held a meeting regarding their proposal to the city. **David Soknacki**, our city councillor, chaired the meeting. **Glen Garwood** from the City Economic Development Department and the Windmill Development team **Phil Goldsmith**, **Jon Bowman** and **Jonathon Westeinde** were also present. It was the first time they had shown this proposal to the general public and there was a good turn out from the Guildwood community.

**Glen Garwood** began the meeting by explaining the financial aspects of the proposal. In May, Windmill will negotiate the lease agreement with the city. They plan to collaborate with the city on this project.

The Windmill team then spoke about their proposal. The strategy for a new Guild Inn and its 6 acres is to recapture the memory of the original structure with a new contemporary look.

**Phil Goldsmith** who is a Heritage Architect gave a presentation on the history of the Guild Inn. He also presented the renovation plan, which consisted of restoring the infrastructure of building 191 and its cabins. There will be upgrades to the Greek Theatre and repairs or replacement of the entrance gates to the Inn along with the Guildwood gates on Kingston road. In addition, they

plan to add in new features such as a fitness gym, daily spa, culinary school and small meeting center.

**Goldsmith**, pointed out the exterior and interior problems. They want to be able to save the essence of the



history of the grounds and capture some of the original artifacts like the original staircase and wood paneling.

Questions and answers were held at the closing of the meeting. The residents of the Guildwood community seemed relieved to know that all will still be welcome, and continue to enjoy the Guild Inn and its new features.

Over 200 interested residents of Guildwood Village showed their support for this proposal when councillor **Soknacki** asked for a show of hands in favor of this proposal.

*By Michael Clarke*

## Free Drop-In Program for Parents and Kids



**Guildwood Community Presbyterian Church**  
**140 Guildwood Parkway (at Livingston Road)**

The group meets **every Monday morning from 9:15 to 11:15** in the church hall. It's an opportunity for you to interact with other parents in the neighbourhood. We invite you to bring your child(ren) (infants to age 4) to participate in an interactive program with circle time.

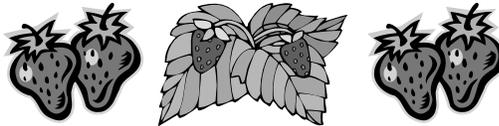
Coffee, tea, snacks, and lots of toys are provided.  
You don't have to be a church member to participate.

For further information, contact the church at **(416) 261-4037** or visit **www.guildwoodchurch.com**.



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## Poplar Road's Famous Strawberry Festival – 2005



Poplar Road Junior Public School is once again hosting its annual fun fair with entertainment for the whole family.

The 43rd Annual Strawberry Festival will be held on **Friday, June 10th, 2005 from 6pm onwards** and includes:

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|  <b>Food</b>         |  <b>Silent Auction</b>         |  <b>Basket Raffle</b> |
|  <b>Wishing Well</b> |  <b>Choose Your Own Raffle</b> |  <b>Grand Raffle</b>  |
|  <b>Inflatables</b>  |  <b>Bake Sale</b>              |  <b>Games</b>         |



And, of course, our famous Strawberry Tarts – baked by our own Guildwood Village Bakery-Deli

Admission is a food bank donation or a loonie.

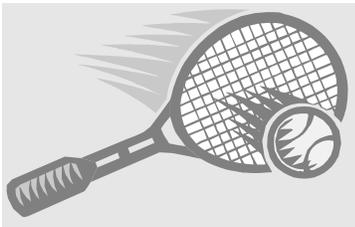
The Strawberry Festival started in 1962 as a neighbourhood social tea, and has developed into Poplar Road's main fundraising event. The event is supported by hundreds of generous donors and volunteers. All funds raised go directly back into the school for additional services and supplies for Poplar Road students.



For details, call **Steve Kemp**, Principal at **(416) 396-6525**



## Kiwaniwood Tennis Club



Did you know that we in Guildwood have a very active tennis club located on Sylvan Ave., in the park behind Elizabeth Simcoe School?

**Kiwaniwood Tennis Club** is the third largest community tennis club in Scarborough, and we welcome new members. With each membership, we offer two

weeks of free lessons for Juniors, a series of free adult lessons for new members, Friday and Sunday evening round-robins (a great way to meet other members), and four competitive teams in the Scarborough Tennis Federation. Our club includes four courts with lights for evening play, and our activities begin in May.

To join or for more information, please call **Angela Talbot** at **(416) 265-7491**.





## This IS Guildwood Village

Yes, this is Guildwood Village: Where else can you go for a nice evening walk with your dog, to the bank? In the complete knowledge that you will be safe? And



enjoy yourself? On this beautiful, pastel, early Spring crepuscular time of the day?

To meet the Great-Grandfather walking with his eighteen-month old first great-granddaughter who meets my big Golden Retriever with a steady gaze and much bravery for one so young. She pets him on the head and when I walk with this couple a while, she takes hold of the leash while her Great-Grandfather tells me that “I’m quite used to kids. My wife (who died a year ago) and I fostered over seven hundred kids.”

Seven hundred children. Fostered. By this man and his wife.

Humbled. I felt very humbled. I do my bit. I try to help out in our community. A little. But fostering seven hundred children?

As I took my leave from this couple of people at the poles of their lives, I realised that they are quite the essence of Guildwood. The old and the new. The hopes of our future and the solid foundations and principles that keep the Village something special.

*Ross Armitage*

Volunteers are needed for routes on the following streets to canvass for GVCA memberships:

- Greyabbey Trail
- Fordover Dr.
- Fintona Ave.
- Morningside Ave
- Guildwood Pkwy
- Wooster Wood
- Toynbee Trail
- Rowatson Rd.
- Sir Raymond Dr
- Sylvan Ave

There is also a need for **Area Coordinators**. If you would be interested in helping out, please call **Judy-Anne Tumber** at (416) 264-6016

### **GUILDWOOD JUNIOR PUBLIC SCHOOL'S SPRING FUNDRAISER (Rain or Shine)**

**SATURDAY MAY 28TH 9AM-2PM**

- LICK'S BBQ
- VENDOR TABLES
- RAFFLES
- TOY AND BOOK SALE
- SPECIAL GUESTS

**COME AND HELP US CELEBRATE  
OUR COMMUNITY**



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## West Hill Community Services

**West Hill Community Services** is a multiservice agency that has been providing services in the West Hill area for more than 25 years. Working with individuals and families of all ages and backgrounds we strive to improve and maintain the health and well being of our community.

Our health center is located at **3545 Kingston Road** and staffed by a multidisciplinary team, which includes **doctors, nurses, a dietitian, a chiropodist, a youth worker, health promoter, social worker and nurse practitioners.** We also offer **Healthier Babies**, a free prenatal and postnatal program offering support and information about pregnancy, parenting and health for women and their partners.

We have a community support program which provides seniors and the disabled with everything from meals on wheels, to friendly visiting for the isolated, homemaking help, grass and snow shoveling assistance, respite care for caregivers as well as caregiver support sessions, and transportation to medical appointments and shopping trips with escorts when necessary. There may be minimal fees associated with some of these services and even if

you are not sure what help you need you can call and West Hill staff will explain what services are available.

Our social support program includes a **food bank, clothing bank, furniture bank**, and a **homelessness intervention** and outreach worker who can assist families who are homeless or facing eviction. A hot lunch program is available one day per week for the homeless and isolated and each spring income tax clinics are held for low-income families.

Our family resource center offers a playschool program for parents and/or caregivers and children 0 – 6 years. Our Generations...Creating Together program provides seniors with the opportunity to participate with our parents and children in arts and crafts, cooking and community outings.

Volunteers are an integral part of all of our programming and volunteer opportunities are always available.

Please visit our website at [www.westhill-cs.on.ca](http://www.westhill-cs.on.ca) for more information or call us at **(416) 284-5931** if we can be of assistance.



Girl Guides of Canada  
Guides du Canada

*Calling all Sparks, Brownies, Guides,  
Pathfinders...and new leaders!*

**Register Early for a Year's  
Worth of Fun and Adventure!**

**Saturday, June 4, 10:00 - 2:00**

Visit our table behind Wilfrid Laurier  
Collegiate during the Guildwood Day  
events to pre-register for the fall.



Girl Guides of Canada, Village District

Any questions, contact Gerda Rowlands  
(416) 261-0732 • [gerda2@rogers.com](mailto:gerda2@rogers.com)

## SCOUT REGISTRATION

for the 2005 - 2006 season

will take place in  
the Guildwood Community  
Presbyterian Church hall on  
**Thursday September 8**  
**from 6:30 - 7:30 pm.**

**Boys aged 5 to 11 years are  
welcome to sign up.**

For  
further information please  
contact Nicki Dryburgh at:

**416-267-2090**





# Guildwood Public Library April-June 2005



**Guildwood Library 416-396-8872**

Monday and Thursday 12:30 - 8:30  
Tuesday, Friday 9:00 - 5:00 and  
Saturday 9:00 - 5:00  
Drop box open when library is closed.

### Author visit

(Ages 8-10)

Meet *Jean Little*, author of *The Birthday Girl* and many other titles. Friday April 29 at 10 a.m.

**Local art continues – please come in and enjoy our gallery with us.**

**Look in the library window for current book displays.**

### Guildwood Day

Saturday, June 4

Guildwood library staff will be at Sir Wilfrid Laurier C.I. to help the community celebrate Guildwood Day. Library staff will be delighted to tell you about what is new at the library. Children can come and get a preview of the TD Summer Reading Club “Blast off”.

### CHILDREN’S PROGRAMS

#### Drop in Family Storytime

(Ages 2-5 and their families)

Tuesdays, Apr. 19 – May 24, 10:30-11 a.m.

For children and their families to enjoy stories, songs and finger-plays.

No registration required. Limit 15.

**Required for Guildwood Day ...Volunteer Coordinator and Evening BBQ Coordinator.**

**If you are interested in helping out, please contact John Harris (Guildwood Day Coordinator) at 416-265-5999.**



## Guildwood Village Community Associaton Membership Application

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Would anyone in your household be interested in volunteering in any of the following ways?

- Canvassing for membership
- Contributions to News and Views
- Become involved in the Executive
- Distribution of News and Views
- Help on Guildwood Day
- Other:

Return application along with payment of \$15.00 to:  
GUILDWOOD VILLAGE BAKERY-DELI or 203 SYLVAN AVE.

or mail to:  
Box 11001, 97 Guildwood Parkway  
Scarborough, Ontario M1E 5G5

