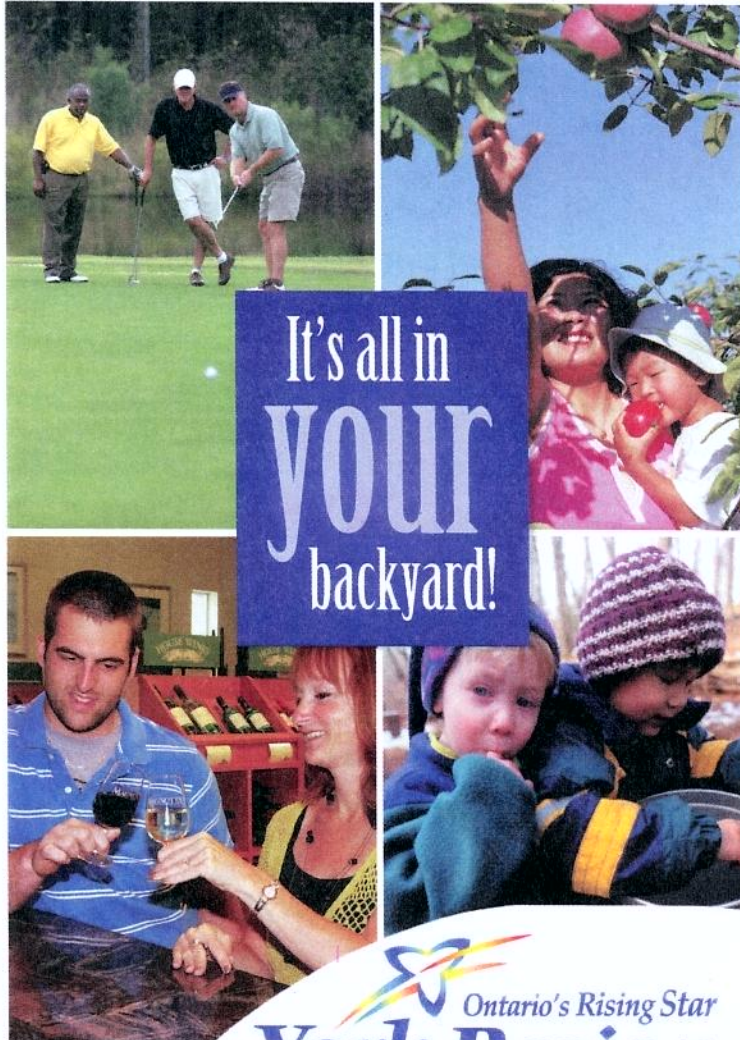


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Welcome to York Region

York Regional Council proudly invites you to discover the many outstanding cultural, sporting, outdoor activities, entertainment, shopping and dining activities that abound here in York Region.

This guide contains valuable information about our world-class attractions, huge indoor malls and quaint outdoor markets, fine dining, accommodations and numerous outstanding golf courses.

Discover all the things to do here in York Region.

When making your plans, be sure to visit www.yorktourism.com or call 1-888-448-0000.

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Whatever your interests, whatever your tastes, no matter what time of year it is, there's always something unique to discover and experience in York Region.

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Diverse in so many ways York Region

York Region is one of the best kept all-season travel secrets in the Greater Toronto Area. Stretching from Steeles Avenue to the south shores of Lake Simcoe, York's 1756 square kilometres (678 miles) are a blend of nine unique urban/rural municipalities offering a myriad of multi-cultural town centres and the quaint charm of country settings. Come experience our diversity for yourself.



Town of Aurora

905-727-1375 • www.e-aurora.ca

Aurora is a bustling community that has maintained it's "quaint town" feel. It is rich in history and culture including the national historic site, Hillary House. The town features over 615 acres of parkland, a pedestrian trail system that winds through the community, challenging golf courses, fine dining, theatre and exciting community events including the World's Longest Street Festival held on June 3.

Town of East Gwillimbury

905-478-4282 • www.eastgwillimbury.ca

The rural and historic **East Gwillimbury** has plenty to offer. Take in one of the many events and concerts at the Sharon Temple, designated a national historic site. Play a variety of golf courses including the prestigious Silver Lakes Golf Club. Or visit the Rogers Reservoir Conservation Area, home to one of the locks along the "ghost canal" system and a popular spot for birders and hikers.



Town of Georgina

905-476-4301 • www.georgina.ca

Georgina is a recreational playground located on the south shores of Lake Simcoe. Renowned as Ontario's original cottage country and the ice fishing capital of Canada. Home to Sibbald Point Provincial Park, The Red Barn Theatre: Canada's oldest professional summer theatre and one of Ontario's premier resorts - The Briars.

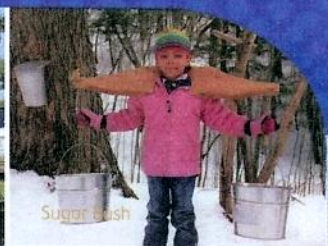
Township of King

905-833-5321 • www.king.ca

King Township, located on the Oak Ridges Moraine is your rural oasis close to home. Experience the country and a more relaxed way of life. Join us for Farm, Studio and Garden Tours or load up your bikes and put on your hiking boots as King has some of the most beautiful country roads and hiking trails accessible year round. Visit King for a day, or stay overnight at one of our bed & breakfasts, enjoy fine dining, or do a little antiques or home decor shopping.



Windfall Ecology Festival



Sugar Bush

Town of Markham

905-477-7000 • www.markham.ca

Discover an international community rich in culture and so unique that it has two Main Streets, one in Unionville, and the other in old town **Markham**. Visit Pacific Mall, the largest indoor Chinese mall in North America. Take in a performance at the Markham Theatre. Explore the Varley Art Gallery or the 25-acre site of the historic Markham Museum.



Town of Newmarket

905-895-5193 • www.newmarket.ca

A unique blend of big city amenities and small town charm. The 1800's styled historic **Newmarket** Main Street offers an abundance of shopping, outdoor cafes and the Elman W. Campbell Museum. Stroll the Holland River Trail System. Enjoy the Artisan Festival, the York Shakespeare Festival and other year-round events at Fairy Lake.

Town of Richmond Hill

905-771-8800 • www.richmondhill.ca

From the scenic Lake Wilcox to the over 160 parks and trails, **Richmond Hill** is a breath of fresh air for anyone who wants to get out of the city. Plenty to do for all ages, including The Wave Pool, golf, shopping, diverse and ethnic dining as well as great festivals and events. Just north of Toronto near Highways 404 and 401, come find out what makes Richmond Hill a great place to live, work and play.



City of Vaughan

905-832-2281 • www.vaughan.ca

Vaughan is home to some of Canada's most exciting attractions including Canada's Wonderland, Vaughan Mills shopping centre, Reptilia: Canada's largest Reptile zoo and the McMichael Canadian Art Collection. For quieter pleasures, stroll picturesque Kleinburg, hike the trails at Kortright Centre or enjoy an Opera York performance.

Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville

905-640-1900 • www.townofws.com

Discover the wonders and surprises of our scenic, rural community - gourmet chocolates, the Oak Ridges Trail, great golf and two wineries. Visit the award-winning **Whitchurch-Stouffville** Museum and Latcham Gallery or ride the York-Durham Heritage Railway. Enjoy the Stouffville Country Market or country village shopping along Main Street.



Schomberg Fair



Markham Fair

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A healthy community ...



Health Services provides a wide range of health-related programs and services, including: emergency medical response, family and children's health programs, immunization services, health protection and long-term care.

Take a walk in the forest ...

Did you know that there are over 2,100 hectares of York Regional Forest in 18 different tracts? York Region's natural heritage also includes the Oak Ridges Moraine, Greenbelt and Holland Marsh.



Resident support ...



Community Services provides a range of programs and services to help people who need additional support, including: child care fee assistance, financial and employment assistance and housing.

Economic vitality ...

Economic Development and Planning works to attract new business investment, encourages innovation and technology, promotes collaboration and supports small enterprise formation and export initiatives.

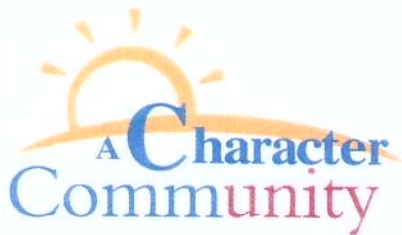


For more information on all the services York Region provides, visit: **www.york.ca** or call: 905 830-4444
Toll free: 1-877-464-9675.


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www.yrt.ca

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911

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www.yrdsb.edu.on.ca

York Region Roman Catholic Separate School Board
905-713-2711
www.ycdsb.edu.on.ca

York Region Health Services Health Connection
1-800-361-5633
www.york.ca/eatsmart

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www.yorktourism.com

East Gwillimbury Chamber of Commerce
1590 Queensville Side Road, Queensville, ON 905-478-8447
www.egcoc.org • email: egcoc@egcoc.org
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Georgina Chamber of Commerce 1-888-436-7446
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www.georginachamber.com
email: admin@georginachamber.com
The Georgina Chamber of Commerce is a member-driven business organization that provides value and support to its membership.

Newmarket Chamber of Commerce
470 Davis Dr., Newmarket, ON 905-898-5900
www.newmarketchamber.ca
email: info@newmarketchamber.ca
Tourism Information Centre offering magazines, newspapers, literature, maps and brochures from York Region and across the province.

Vaughan Chamber of Commerce 905-761-1366
160 Applewood Crescent, Unit #32, Vaughan, ON
www.vaughanchamber.ca • email: info@vaughanchamber.ca
Tourism information available, "The City Above Toronto"
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2008

March	7-31	40th SugarBush Maple Festival	www.kortright.org
	31	Savour Vaughan	www.savourvaughan.com
April	1- 6	40th SugarBush Maple Festival	www.kortright.org
	1-11	Savour Vaughan	www.savourvaughan.com
May	3-4	Four Winds Kite Festival	www.kortright.org
June	17	Concerts in The Park	www.vaughan.ca
July	1	Canada Day Concert and BBQ	www.vaughan.ca
	8,22,29	Concerts in The Park	www.vaughan.ca
	19-20	Maple Italian Festival	www.vaughan.ca
August	2-3	Woodbridge Italian Festival	www.lospecchio.com
	12	Concerts in The Park	www.vaughan.ca
	TBA	MapleFest	www.maplefest.ca
September	6	42nd BinderTwine	www.BinderTwine.ca
	20	32nd Thornhill Village Festival	www.thornhillhistoric.org
October	11-13	161st Woodbridge Fall Fair	www.woodbridgefair.com
	20-31	Savour Vaughan	www.savourvaughan.com
November	TBA	SantaFest	www.santafestinmaple.com
	TBA	Kleinburg -Tree Lighting & Carols	www.kleinburgvillage.com
December	1-31	WinterLights Celebration	www.vaughan.ca

For most current information on 2008 Festivals and Events in Vaughan visit www.vaughan.ca/tourism. Click on festivals and events.

Calendar of Events

Enjoy the rides, competitions, games and cotton candy at Canada's largest four-day fall fair. Search for a bargain at the country's largest street sale. Celebrate the earth at the Windfall Ecology Festival. Whatever your passion or pleasure, York Region has an event for you.

Plan some fun



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Events in 2008

In All Seasons...

ASK Studio Tour King & Festival

April 26, 27 & July 5-13
Various Locations
www.artsocietyking.ca

Nobleton Victoria Day Fair

Monday, May 19
Nobleton, Ontario
www.nobletonfair.com

Schomberg Fair

May 22-25
Schomberg Fairgrounds
www.schombergfair.com

Kettleby Fair

Saturday September 6
Tyrwhitt Park, Kettleby, Ontario
www.village.kettleby.on.ca

A Main Street Christmas

Saturday, December 6
Schomberg, Ontario
www.schomberg.ca

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For more information visit:
www.king.ca or kingchamber.ca
info@kingchamber.ca
Tel: 905-939-7468

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Festivals & Events

2008 Dudley Hewitt Cup Central Canada Jr. A Hockey Championship

April 22-26
www.newmarkethurricanes.com 905-836-0511
Ray Twinney Recreation Complex, 100 Eagle St. W., Newmarket
Newmarket Hurricanes Jr. A Hockey Club

158th Schomberg Agricultural Spring Fair

May 22-25
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www.schombergfair.com

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Doors Open Whitchurch-Stouffville

June 7
14732 Woodbine Avenue, Whitchurch-Stouffville 905-727-8954
www.doorsopenws.ca Toll Free: 1-888-290-0337

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Windfall Ecology Festival

June 7-8
Fairy Lake Park, Newmarket, ON 905-303-3411 • 1-866-280-4431
www.windfallcentre.com • email: info@windfallcentre.ca
A celebration of sustainable living, a gathering place for people of all ages to learn new ways to walk softly upon the earth.

11th Annual Newmarket Fairy Lake Artisans Festival

June 14-15
www.northnewmarketlions.ca 905-895-5193
Presented by: North Newmarket Lions Foundation and the Town of Newmarket. 11th annual Fairy Lake Artisans Festival June 14-15, 10 am - 5 pm.

Polo for Heart

June 20-22
13401 Leslie Street, Richmond Hill 905-505-0088
www.poloforheart.org Fax: 416-477-6897
Three day Nations Cup Polo Tournament, with money raised going to the Heart and Stroke Foundation. Open 11 am to 4 pm

The Stouffville Strawberry Festival

June 25-29
Lebovic Leisure Centre, Stouffville, ON 905-642-3779
www.strawberryfestival.ca • email: strawberryfestival@rogers.ca
Something for everyone. Entertainment, contests, parade, great food, open market with 100 vendors, carnival and July 1st Fireworks. Complete details at www.strawberryfestival.ca.

Sutton Fair & Horse Show

Aug. 7-10
Fairpark Lane Box 460, Sutton, ON 905-722-3165
www.suttonfair.com • email: fair@ils.net
Horse & livestock shows, Conklin midway, demolition derby, agricultural displays, Georgina Idol competition, horse racing derby, harness horse racing and much more.

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Mar 14	St Patrick's Day & Easter Event
May 5	Holland River Clean-up
May 5	Newmarket Volunteer BBQ
July 1	Kanata Summer Festival & Fireworks
July 2 - Aug 20	Music in the Park (Wednesdays)
July 6 - Aug 17	Music in the Park (Sundays)
July 8 - Aug 26	Kids in the Square (Tuesdays)
July 12-19	Fiddlefest Concert & Competition
Aug 7-28	Moonlight Movies (Thursdays)
Aug 16	Garlic is Great Festival
Aug 20-23	Jazz & Blues Festival
Sept 20	Doors Open Newmarket
Sept 20	Art Fest on Main
Sept 20	Kre8ive Kidz Festival
Oct 19	Princess and Pirate Party
Nov 15	Santa Claus Parade
Dec 12-31	Festival of Lights
Dec 21 - 24	Live Nativity Pageant
Dec 31	Tim Hortons First Night

► For more information and locations, call 905-895-5193 or visit our website at www.newmarket.ca and click on [Events]

Festivals & Events

Peter Gzowski Festival of Stories at the Learning Centre for Georgina

Aug. 17

Georgina Pioneer Village
26557 Civic Centre Road, Keswick
905-476-4305
Fax: 905-476-7492
www.festivalofstories.ca • email: festivalofstories@hotmail.com
Celebrate the joy of reading and storytelling at this family event with authors, entertainers, free books, crafts, and more!! FREE ADMISSION- Aug. 17th, 11:00 am 4:00 pm



Town of Newmarket

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Sept. 6 - 7

Seneca College, King City Campus, King City, ON
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www.kingfestmusic.com

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Doors Open Newmarket 2008

Sept. 20

134 Main St., S., Newmarket, ON
905-953-5314
www.newmarket.ca • email: elmanmuseum@rogers.com
Sat. Sept. 20, 10 am - 4 pm Doors Open Ontario is a program of the Ontario Heritage Trust in cooperation with the Town of Newmarket.



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225 East Beaver Creek Road, Richmond Hill, ON
www.richmondhill.ca • email: events@richmondhill.ca
Come and experience Richmond Hill. From hiking, biking, swimming and canoeing to skating, golfing, dining, shopping and the arts. We have an activity to meet everyone's needs.



Markham Fair

Oct. 2-5

www.markhamfair.ca
905-642-3247
Farm animals, midway rides and games, fireworks, live entertainment, demolition derby and family fun!



161st Woodbridge Fall Fair

Oct. 11-13

Woodbridge Fairgrounds, Woodbridge, ON
905-265-1782
www.woodbridgefair.com • email: woodbridgefair@yahoo.com
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Mar. 31 - Apr. 11, Oct. 20-31

15 Bunting Drive, Woodbridge, ON
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Vaughans Restaurant Week! A spotlight on Vaughan's cultural diversity through its wide range of fine dining restaurant choices.



A Main Street Christmas

Dec. 6

Schomberg, ON
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www.schomberg.ca • email: info@schomberg.ca
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For more Festivals & Events visit yorktourism.com

Fairs, Festivals & Shows

East Gwillimbury Artists' Show & Sale 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Apr. 26-27	42nd Kleinburg Binder Twine Festival Sept. 6
Schomberg Agricultural Fair May 22-25	2nd Annual Festival of India Canadian Museum of Hindu Civilization Sept. 13-14
Windfall Ecology Festival Fairy Lake Park June 7 - 8	Kre8tive Kidz Festival Sept. 20
Polo for Heart Gormley Polo Centre June 20 - 22	Markham Fair Oct. 2 - 5
Stouffville Strawberry Festival June 25-29 - July 1	Unionville Heritage & Big Band Festival Sept. 1
Sutton Fair & Horse Show Aug. 7-10	East Gwillimbury Artists' Show & Sale 10 am to 5 pm Nov. 1 - 2
Garlic Festival, Newmarket Aug. 16	A Main Street Christmas Schomberg Dec. 6
Kettleby Fair Tyrwhitt Park Sept. 6	

Arts & Studio Tours

ASK Studio Tour King & Festival Apr. 26 - 27 July 5 - 13
Georgina Studio Tour Sept. 28 - 29
2008 Studio Tour & Art Sale Richmond Hill Oct. 18 - 19
The Heintzman House Auxiliary Craft Show & Sale Nov. 8 - 9

Exhibitions

Gandhara & Indus Civilizations Canadian Museum of Hindu Civilization Jan. 1 - Dec. 1
Fast Forward-Through a Childs Eyes Whitchurch-Stouffville Museum May 16 - Sept. 12
Classical dance forms of India Canadian Museum of Hindu Civilization May 25 - Aug. 31
35th Annual Antique Classic Car Show Whitchurch-Stouffville Museum Aug. 10 Rain date: Aug. 17
Theatre Shakuntala - dance based on tale from epic Mahabharata July 12 Vaughan City Play House Theatre

Music

Markham Village Music Festival June 20 - 21
Unionville Celtic Festival Day July 13
Markham Jazz Festival Aug. 15 - 18

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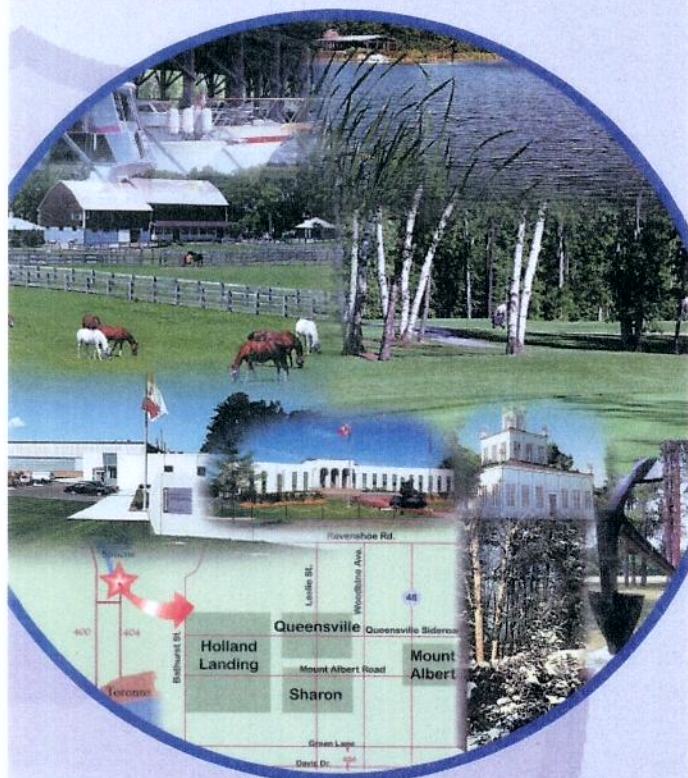
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905-953-5314 www.DoorsOpenOntario.on.ca
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Town of East Gwillimbury

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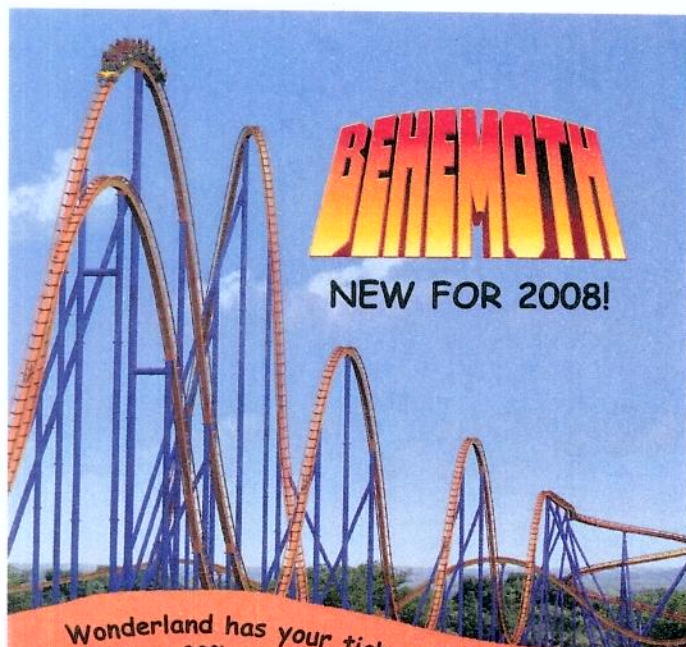
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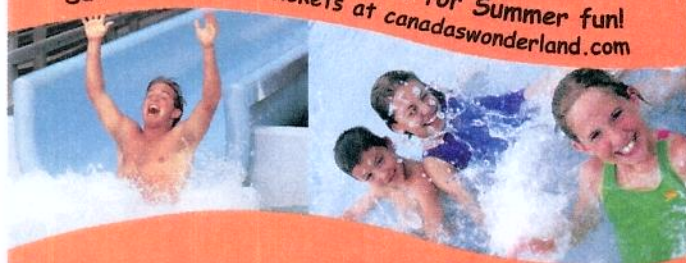




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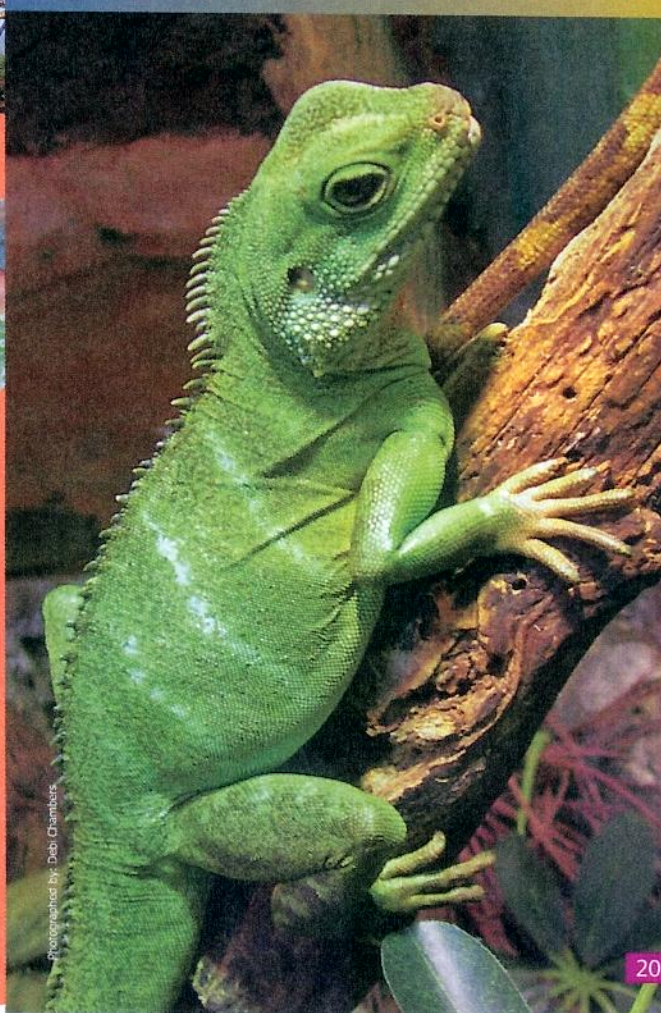
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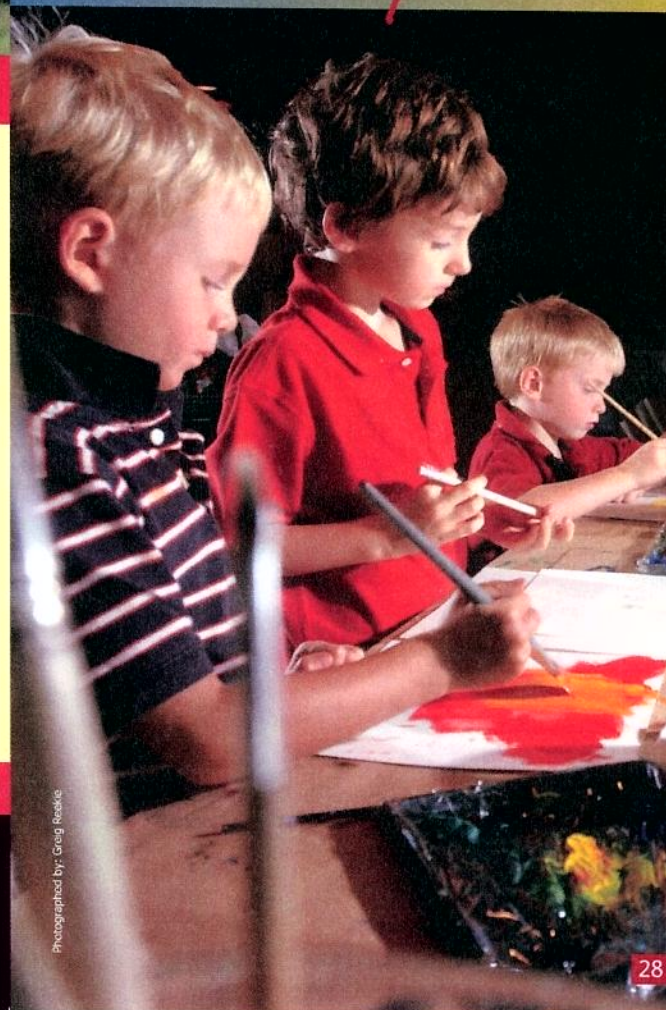
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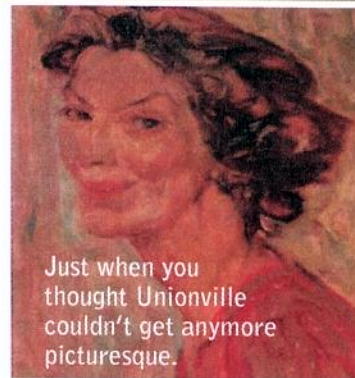
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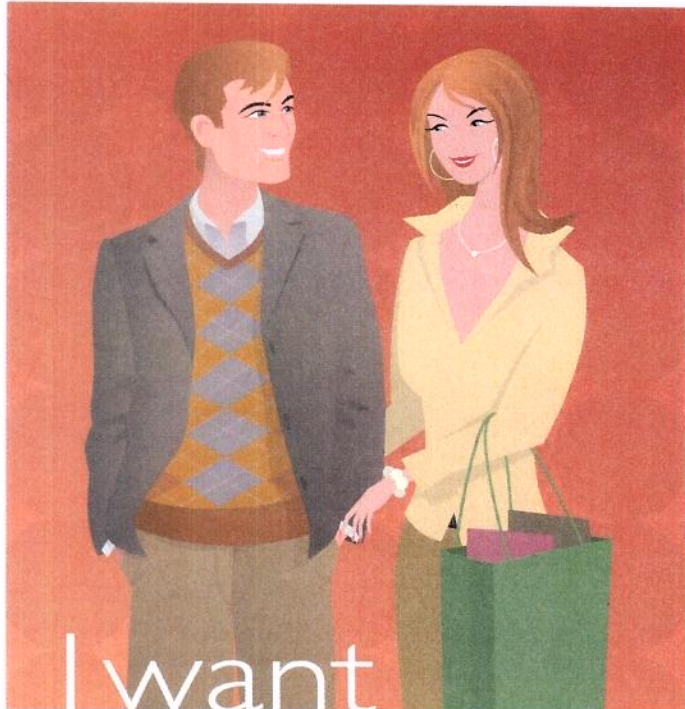
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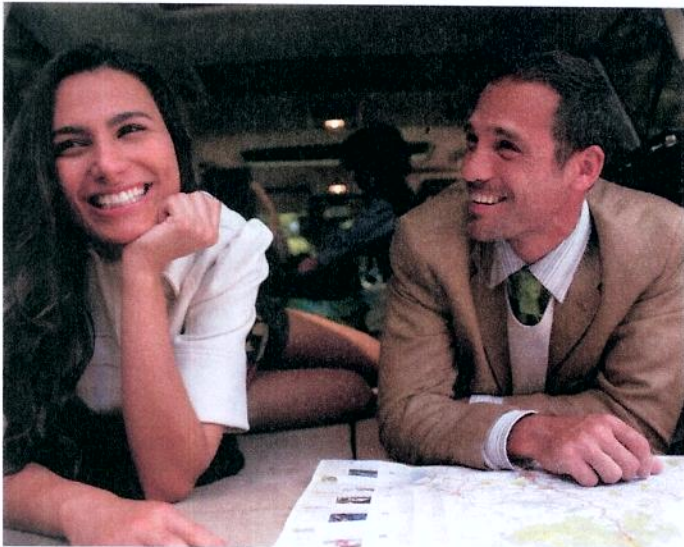
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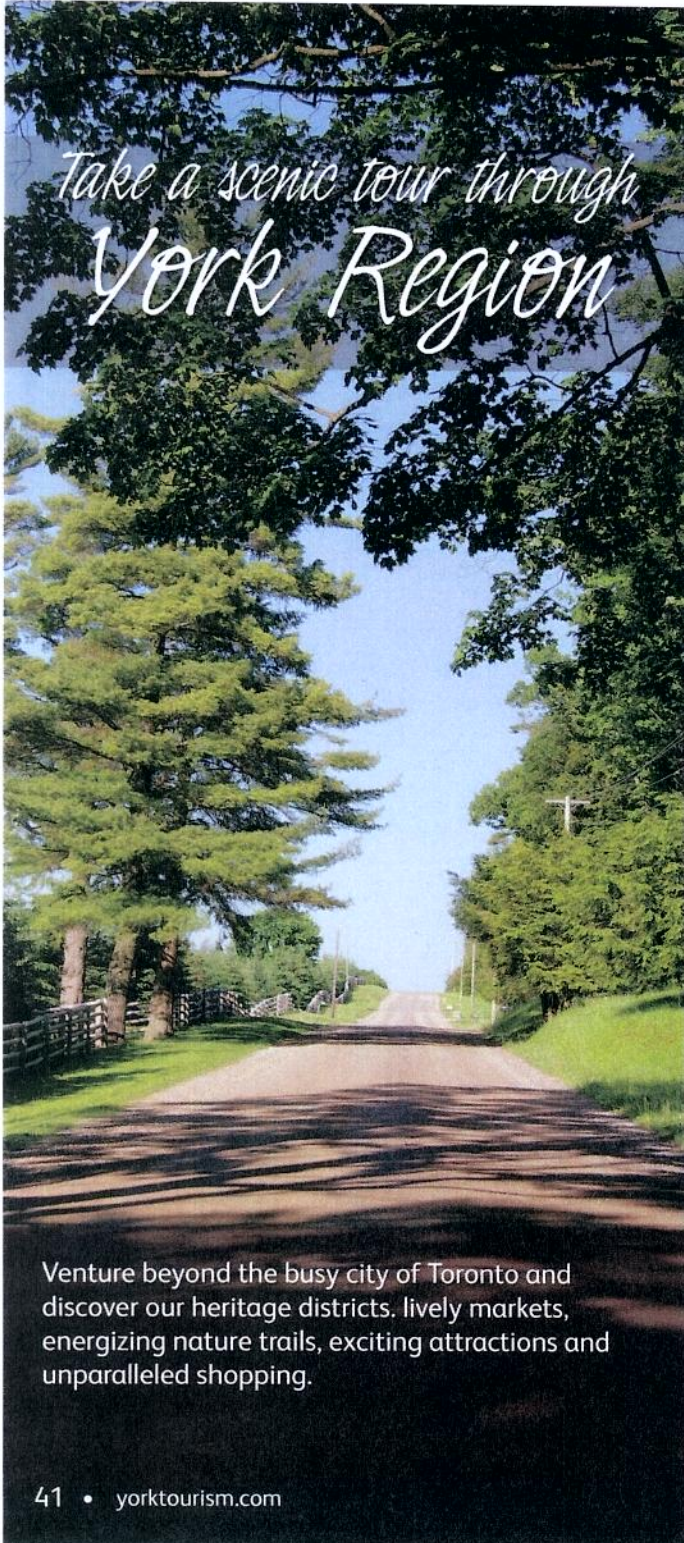
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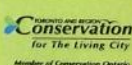
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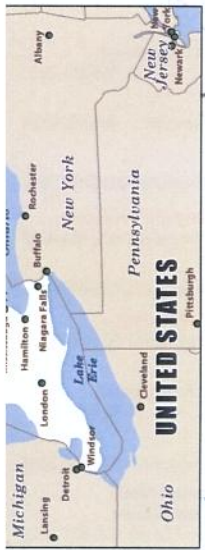
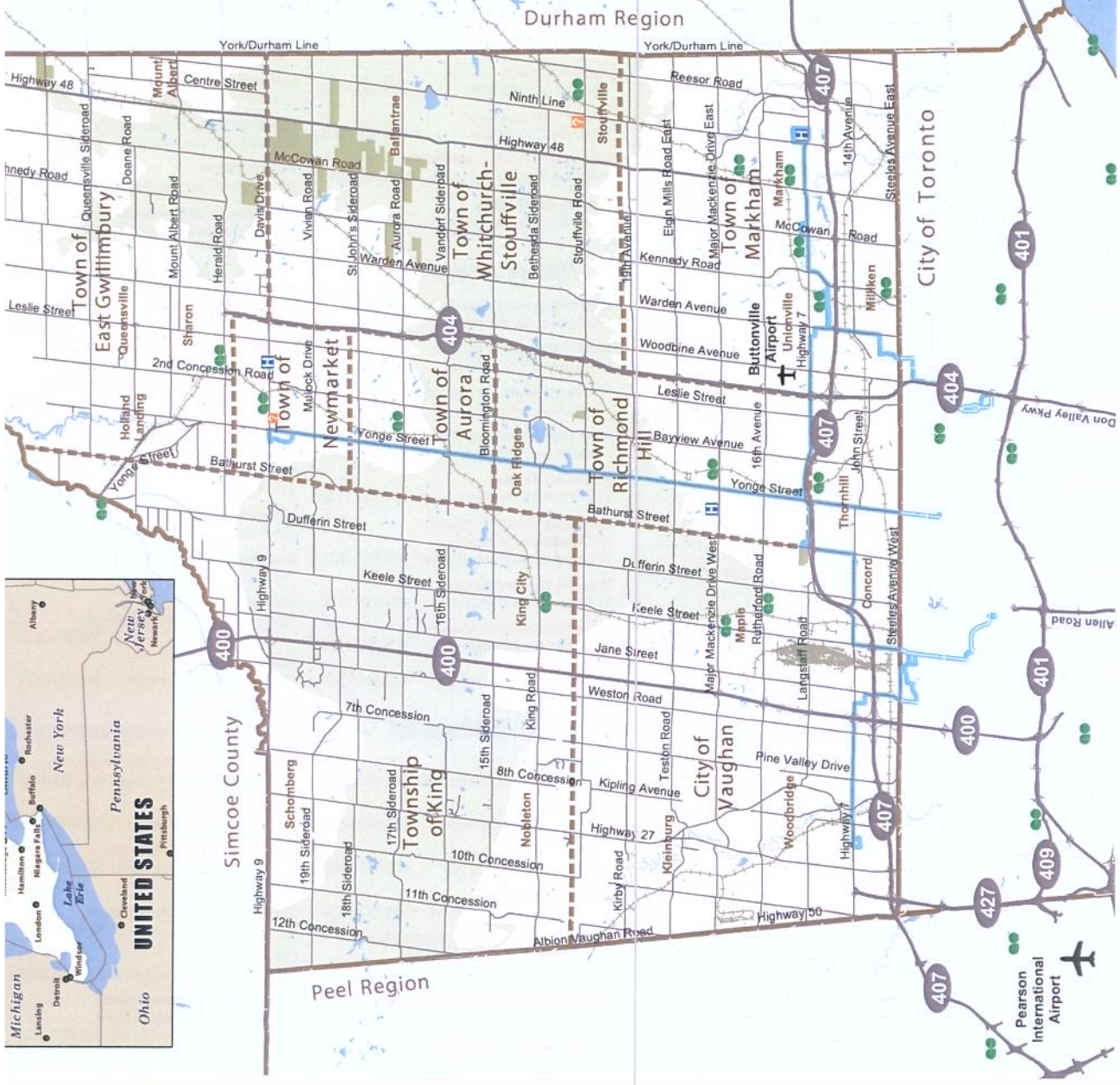
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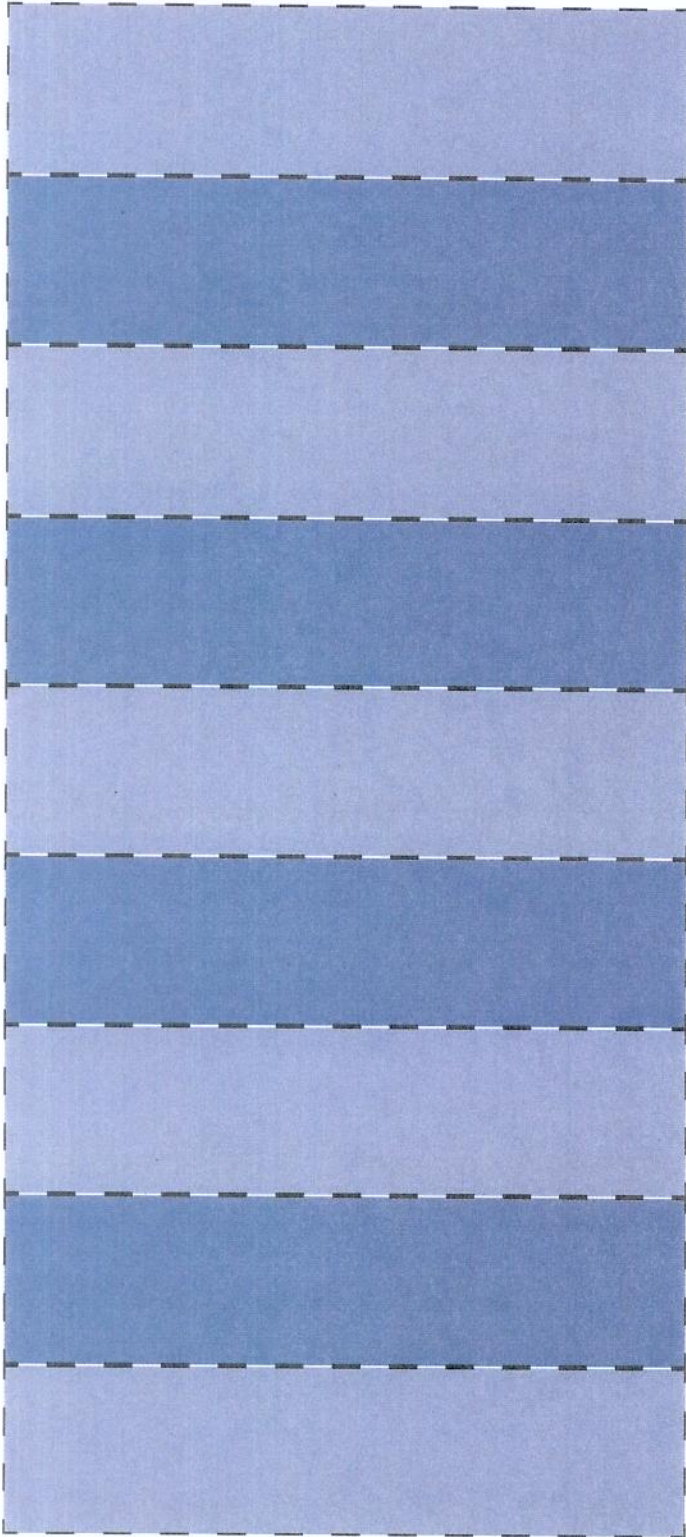
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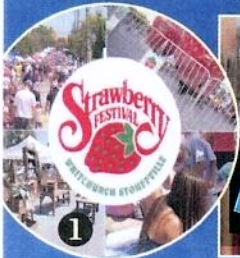
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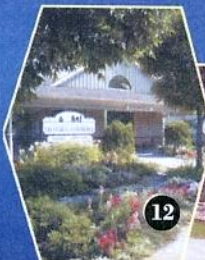
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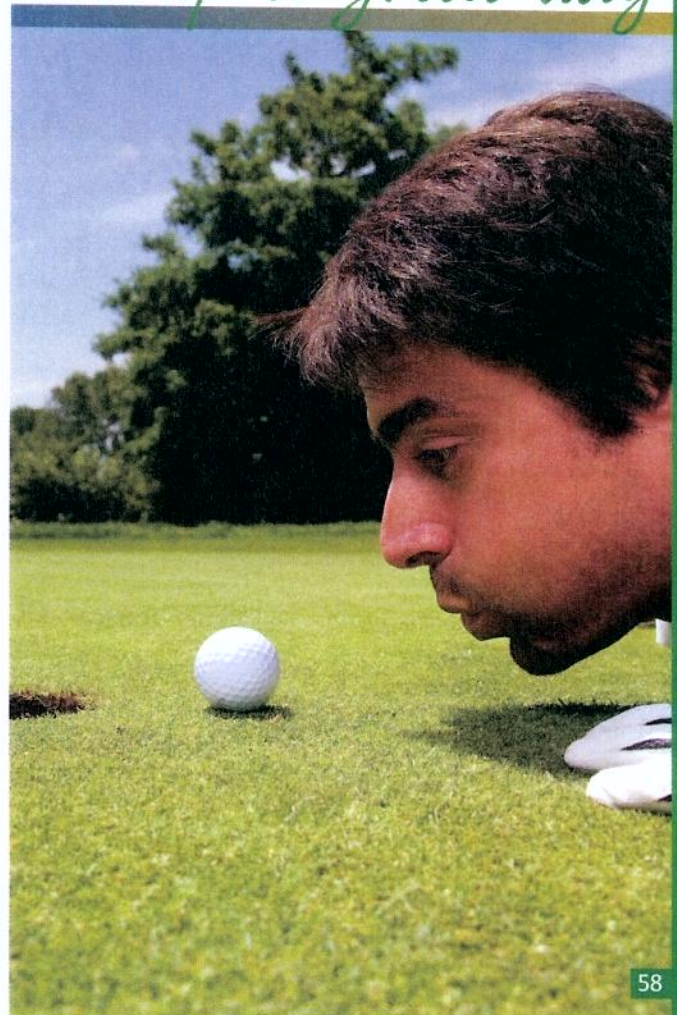
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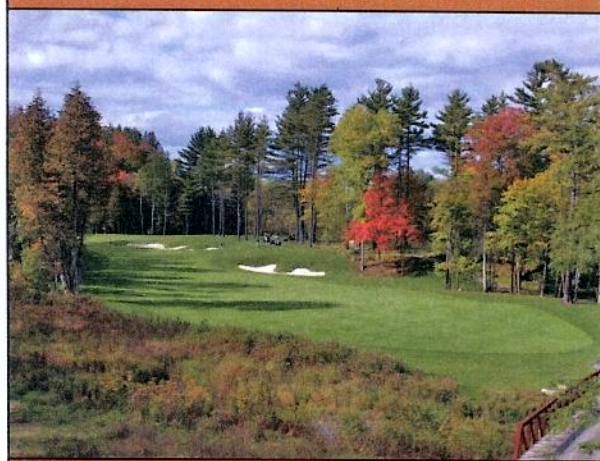
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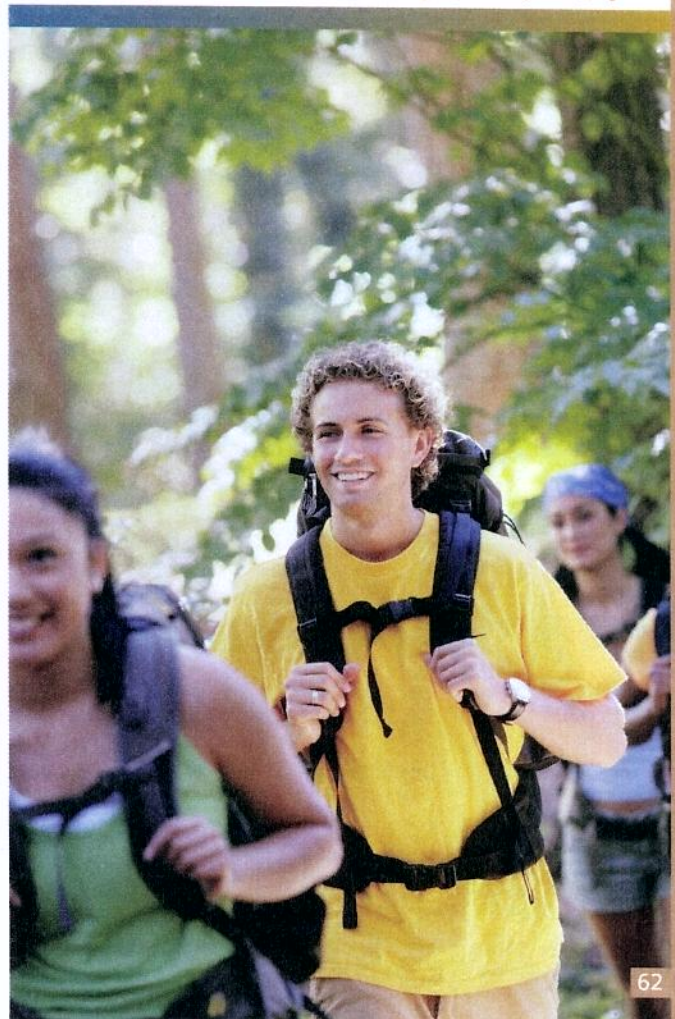
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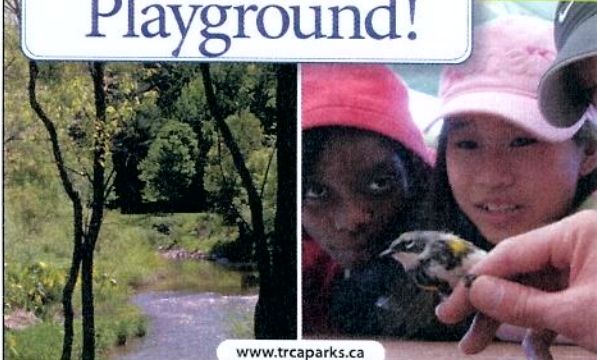
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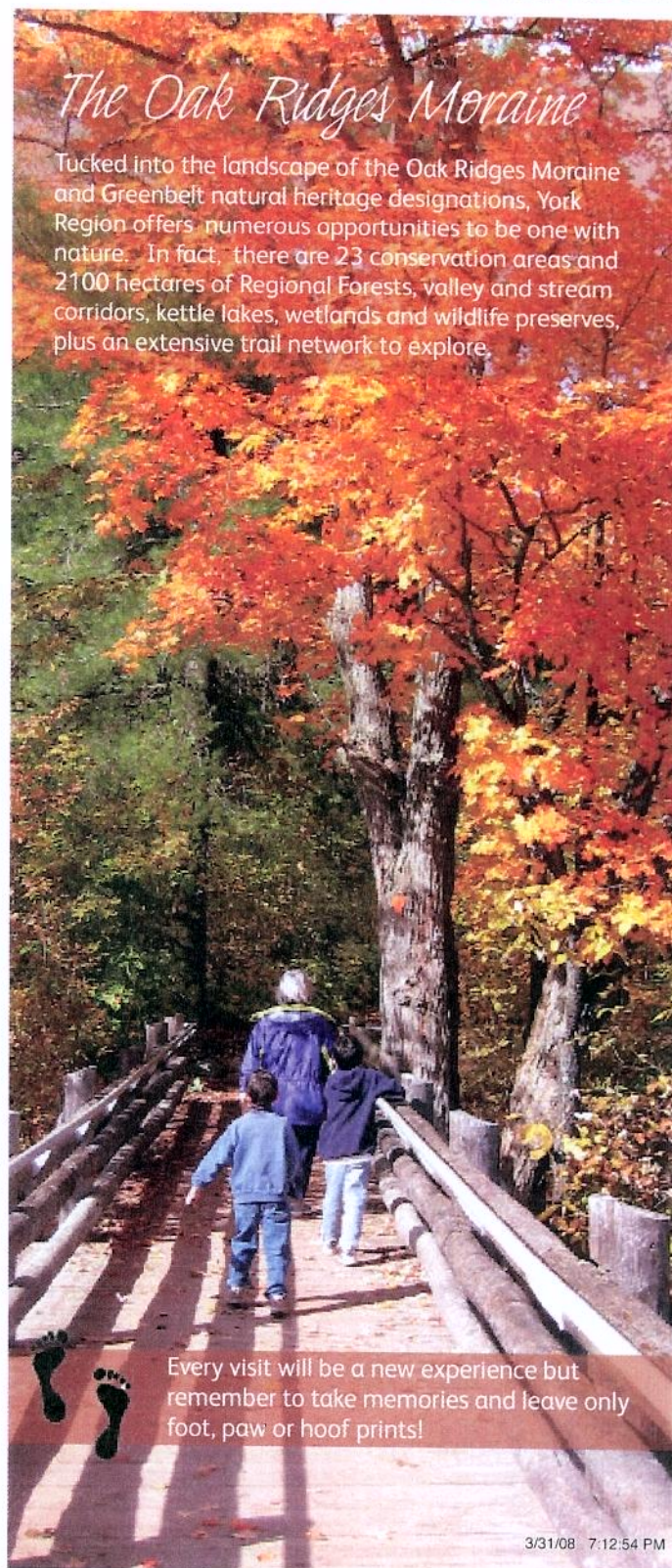
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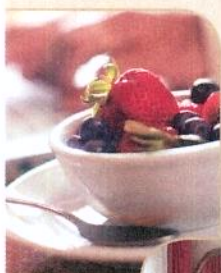
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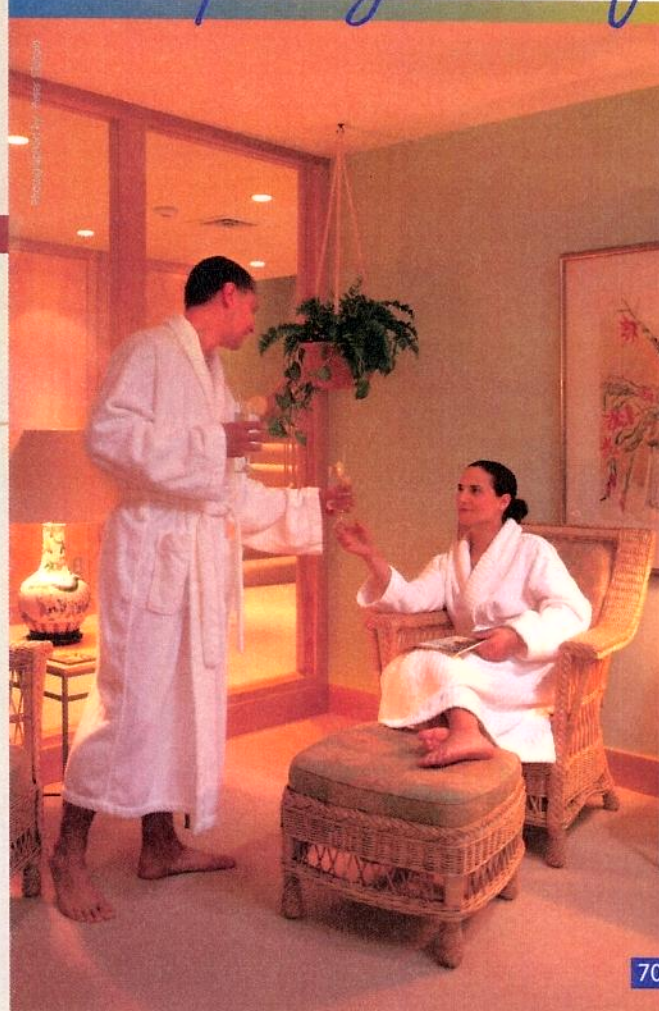
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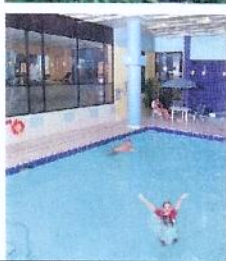
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