

dear susanne..

Dear Susanne:

My son is dating a girl who is separated from her husband, but not divorced. She has two children who are in nursery school and one will be starting kindergarten in September. She has been after my son to move into her place, and live with them on a permanent basis. I met her, and frankly I don't like her. She is loud, not well educated and very bossy. My son is in his third year university and we have been helping him with his tuition. He has been working this summer and making a good salary, but he had planned to go back to school and get his degree. He has a brilliant future, and apart from my feelings about this girl, I hate to see his career jeopardized. I have tried talking to him but get nowhere, and my husband is so disgusted he won't even talk to my son any more. What can I tell my son to make him see that moving in with this girl will ruin his future?

Worried Mother.

Dear Worried:

You can't stop your son from doing what he wants to do, but you can point out to him that he is not financially responsible yet. Tell him that if he moves in with the girl you will not provide him with any financial help. Despite his infatuation, if his future career is important to him he will want to finish university before he adopts a ready-made family. Whether you like the girl your son chooses or not is unimportant. What is important is your son's future. If he decides that he can do without your help, wish him well. But don't shut your door in his face. He'll probably want to open it after he faces the responsibilities many married men have found difficult to bear.

Dear Susanne:

I'm at my wits end to know how to cope with my mother-in-law. She lives nearby, and is always dropping in to visit. I have two young children, so I'm home most of the time. She is a pleasant enough person, but she is forever coming in to the house (she has her own key) and then she follows me from room to room talking about what she has been doing, asking me questions about the children, telling me what to do, etc. I could scream sometimes. I don't want to tell her anything to make her mad, and I would like to stay on good terms with her. But really, this is too much. Do you have any ideas for me?

Trapped

Dear Trapped:

First of all, you asked for it when you gave your mother-in-law a key to your house. That was an invitation, and she accepted it. Why not make a point of extending a special invitation to her for one or two special days a week, and set aside an hour or two for each visit. Then tell her you have plans for the rest of the day. She should get the picture. If she drops in uninvited, greet her pleasantly but with a disappointed air and say that you were just getting ready to go out, or receive guests or rest or anything else you feel you want to do. You might add that you think you were not managing your time properly and have decided to set up a schedule so that you can accomplish more during the week. You have included her in this schedule, and she will be most welcome when you have time to have her drop in for a visit.

Forest Glen



Georgina Sterling
625-7034

Are you interested in winning a basket of summer cheer? — then buy a ticket from any player in the Forest Glen Ladies softball league or call Georgina Sterling at 625-7034.

Tickets are three for \$1. and are being sold to support the proposed community complex for Ward 3.

Then come out on Sunday July 23 at 4 p.m. to Fleetwood Park (east of Dixie on Burnhamthorpe) to see the Forest Glen All Star team play Mississauga town councillors. Bobo the Clown will entertain you if town council can't.

Celebrity guests have been invited and refreshments will be available.

WEEDS WIN

Well they did it again at Havenwood Park. Wednesday evening M and C Fashions beat Sew Tell with the final score of 9-6. On the other diamond an upset occurred with Guaranteed Weed turning the tables to overcome Fieldgate Shell.

The winless Weeds celebrated their victory at the home of coach Ken Hartness. Barb Hartness served wine punch with strawberries and pizza.

The big day for the Fosters on Havenwood was July 15. Doug and Shirley attended their son Doug's marriage to Pat McBratey of Brampton, in the Christ Anglican Church.

The ceremony began at Christ Church and continued with a reception at Brampton Curling Club.

Maid of honour was Terry Wajs and the best man was Ted Robinson. Other attendants were Debbie Foster, the groom's sister, Susan Foster a cousin and Lynne McBratey, the bride's sister.

Tom McBratey the bride's brother, Daniel McDonald and Brian Cameron were ushers. Kim Foster and Harry Singer were the junior attendants.

The girls were all in pale green and little Kim wore apricot.

The newlyweds will reside in Bramalea.

Applewood



Judy Carder
822-6417

The Mississauga Football League, sponsored by the Parks and Recreation Department, will hold two football schools — July 31 through Aug. 5 and Aug. 7 through Aug. 12 — for boys, 9 to 14 years old, weighing between 65 and 140 pounds. The schools will be held at Huron Park Recreation Centre daily from 9 a.m. to noon. Fee for the six sessions is \$15.

Gary Ewart, a teacher at

Applewood Heights Secondary School, will supervise the clinics, assisted by Ken Rysdale and Mike McMahon, also teachers at Applewood Heights and Grant McKee, formerly of the Toronto Argonauts from Gordon Graydon Secondary School.

The purpose of the school is to teach the fundamentals of football with emphasis on passing, kicking, blocking and tackling. Gary Ewart stressed that the coaches hope to improve the calibre of football played by younger boys which would ultimately improve high school football. Both offensive and defensive play will be taught. The school will provide helmets, shoulder pads and pants; each boy must provide his own shorts, sweater and running shoes.

Registration forms are available at the town hall, 1 City Centre. Deadline for registration is Friday, July 28. For more information contact Ian Scott, supervisor of athletics for the Town of Mississauga, at 279-7600, extension 267.

Lakeview



Gwen Clark
277-9336

The Dixie Plaza recently held two contests: one for Miss Dixie Plaza and one for the best musical group. Miss Dixie Plaza for 1972 is 19 year old Carol Robichaud. Carol is a graduate of Gordon Graydon Secondary School and hopes to become a nurse.

At present she is employed as a saleslady at the Young Canada Shop in the Dixie Plaza. Debbie Van-Horne was first runner-up and Donna Sawicki was second runner-up.

The Madison Street Walkers won the best musical group award. Their prize is a three hour recording session with a well known recording firm.

Senior citizens in the Cooksville, Port Credit and Lakeview areas interested in a social afternoon during the summer months should call Mrs. L. Dickson, 277-9313, for further information.

MUSIC

The following programs in the forum at Ontario Place are free to senior citizens. Wednesday, July 19 at 8 p.m., music from films, Louis Applebaum conductor. July 21 at 8 p.m., the Toronto Symphony No. 5, Victor Feldbrill conductor. July 21 at 8 p.m., Catherine McKinnon and Friends. July 22 at 12, 2 and 4 p.m., the Scarborough Optimists Brass Band. July 23 at 7:30 p.m., the Toronto Symphony No. 7, Boris Brott conductor. At 12, 2 and 4 p.m. also on the 23rd, the Durham Girls Trumpet Band. July 25 at 8 p.m., the Toronto Symphony No. 8, Arthur Fiedler conductor. July 26 at 8 p.m., A

Salute to Gershwin.

CONGRATULATIONS Linda and Ken Ginn, East Avenue, on the birth of their fourth child, a son and future baseball player. Ken is the present first vice president of the Lakeview Lyndwood Baseball Association.

ANNIVERSARY Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Meeker, East Avenue, will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary Tuesday, July 25 at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Linc Barber, 930 Goodwin Rd. with an open house from 2 to 6 p.m. Friends are invited to drop in and visit with the Meekers.

Mr. and Mrs. Meeker were married in Medicine Hat, Alta., and have lived in Lakeview for 42 years.

Meeker celebrated his 89th birthday at his nursing home in Cooksville, July 11. He is looking forward to being home for his anniversary.

NURSERY

Registrations are now being accepted for the fall session at Lyndwood Nursery School. To register your child or for further information phone Marie Masson, 278-7992.

COOPERATION

The Lyndwood and Lakeview United Churches will be joining together throughout the summer for Sunday morning worship services. During July, services are being held at 10 a.m. at Lyndwood United Church.

During the month of August, services will be held at Lakeview United Church at 11 a.m. Rev. Gordon Apps will officiate at these services.

COMBINATION

The Christian and Missionary Alliance Churches from Sheridan Park, Clarkson and Lakeview will combine Sunday evening services during the months of July and August at the Lakeview Alliance Tabernacle.

Sunday morning services and Sunday school at Lakeview Alliance Tabernacle will be taken by five Ontario Bible College graduates. Sunday School throughout the summer should be particularly interesting for the youngsters since all five young men play musical instruments.

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CONCERTS

All seniors are invited to attend a series of concerts at the Forum at Ontario Place. Seniors are asked to present proof of age when they enter.

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CLINIC

Blood is urgently needed — there is now a definite shortage of blood in the blood banks in the greater Toronto area. In our area, the next blood donor clinic will be

held at St. Dominic's Catholic Church, corner of Cawthra Road and Atwater, Monday, July 24 from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m.

Babysitting will be provided for children of all ages.

The clinic will then be at the Clarkson Research Centre on North Sheridan Road, August 4 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. No babysitting is available.

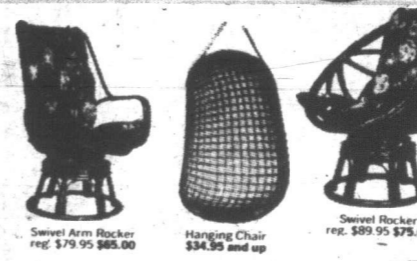
Mrs. McNamara, executive secretary of the South Peel Red Cross, says that donors are especially needed in the summertime, since so many of the regular donors are away.

All donations would be appreciated and regular donors, donors who contribute blood at least twice a year, would do a lot to help solve the shortage.

There are regular residential clinics at six month intervals — the Red Cross blood clinic will be back at St. Dominic's Church in January.

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