



*The Society of Directors of
Municipal Recreation of Ontario*



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NOTE FROM EDITOR:

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This is our last Newsletter of the current year. I wish to thank everyone who contributed to making the News and in that same sense being the correspondents that helped make the Editions of this year possible.

Once again, we have tried to print as much news as possible on a variety of subjects and topics. Through your letters to the editor, we hope that some information has been exchanged over the past year pertinent to concerns raised.

Special topics in this Newsletter include:

The New Career of Don Garvie

The TRIC program (no pun intended)

and two special areas of information on the Annual Training Institute.

I did have the opportunity to attend a meeting arranged by O.R.C.L. at York University, Saturday, October 20, 1973, at which time several Research Project Papers were presented. It was a most interesting session.

Anyone interested in obtaining information on the 1973 Recreation and Leisure Research, contact:-

Ontario Research Council on Leisure,
c/o Fred W. Martin, Ed.D.,
University of Waterloo, (see article on TRIC)
Waterloo, Ontario.

Many other interesting community programs are also included in this edition -

READ ON.....

SEE YOU AT S.D.M.R.O. INSTITUTE & ANNUAL MEETING!

Editor - George.

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ANNUAL TRAINING INSTITUTE

THURSDAY & FRIDAY

NOVEMBER 15 & 16

GENEVA PARK

1973

TRAINING &
EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Gerry Ginsberg
Don Shave
Don Shay
Sid Armatage,
Chairman.

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- If you have lost your application, or forgotten to mail it in, for this year's Institute, get on it right away!

.....Editor.

Send to:-

Mr. Sid Armatage,
Barrie Parks & Rec.
Commission,
142 John Street,
BARRIE, Ontario.

TRAINING INSTITUTE PROGRAM CHOICES:

TOPIC NO. 1 - FACILITY PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT:

An in-depth study on recreation facilities and how one determines the needs, placement, fund-raising, architects expectations from directors, technical details, understanding plans, drawings, tenders, inspections. This group will also be discussing "What do planners expect from Directors or their Boards or Council", "What effect will Regional Government have on planning and who should plan parks, playgrounds, recreation areas, etc."

RESOURCE PERSON: DICK WATTS AND WALTER KEHM

Both men are employed with Project Planning Associates Limited, Dick Watts as a Senior Planner and Walter Kehm as Chief Landscape Architect. Each brings an excellent personal background to this session. Dick's principal responsibilities have been related to social analysis and human resource development. Dick is also a past-president of the S.D.M.R.O. Walter Kehm is involved with regional studies, planning for recreation, studies in urban landscape, as well as design and execution of landscape work.

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TOPIC NO. 2 - DEALING WITH THE IDENTITY SOCIETY - A KEY TO UNDERSTANDING:

An in-depth workshop on learning the techniques for providing the people with which we deal with a feeling of worth. It will involve participation on the part of the workshop so that they might experience the opportunity of utilizing these techniques during the two day session. The basic concept involved is that we must be involved with people.

RESOURCE PERSON: JIM MONTAGNES

Director and Vice-President for the Institute for Reality Therapy, 'Eastern Canada', a foundation for the advancement of the behavioural sciences. He is also director of vocational, recreational and volunteer services for the Mental Health Centre, Penetanguishene, Ontario.

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TOPIC NO. 3 - SHARED DECISION MAKING:

The learning objectives of the workshop -

- a) To increase the understanding of the Shared Decision-making process as a tool in the planning of leisure.
- b) To explore specific techniques and approaches in this work.

In meeting these objectives, we will explore some theoretical models of the Shared Decision-making process and examine their relationship to actual projects which have taken place. We will explore a variety of resources that have been found helpful in the implementation of the Shared Decision-making process.

RESOURCE PERSONS: ALLAN ARGENT & JOHN BARRETT

Allan has had experience as a Regional Consultant with the Sports & Recreation Branch as well as eight years experience in Municipal Recreation. John is presently Regional Consultant with the Sport & Recreation Branch. His past work experience includes working for the Y.M.C.A. as well as experience in Municipal Recreation.

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For any further information required, please contact:- The Chairman of the Training and Education Committee, Mr. Sid Armatage, Barrie Parks & Recreation Commission, 142 John St.,
BARRIE, Ontario.

SPECIAL ARTICLES:

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FROM: SPORTS AND RECREATION BRANCH, MINISTRY OF COMMUNITY & SOCIAL SERVICES. Alma Venables.

"RETIRING DON GARVIE STARTS NEW CAREER"

"Almost a hundred recreationists, former and fellow co-workers from across Ontario met recently to honour Don Garvie on the eve of his retirement from government service.

Don was one of the original members of the Community Programmes Division of the Department of Education (now Sports and Recreation Branch, Ministry of Community and Social Services) joining in 1947.

In 1968 he became superintendent, community programs section. In 1972 when the branch was transferred to the Ministry of Community and Social Services, Don remained with Education as a community education officer.

His accomplishments in the field of recreation and community services are impressive. The effort and dedication he has shown in helping others improve and enjoy the quality of life has seldom been equalled.

He was administrative director of the Ontario Craft Foundation and was responsible for organizing the Ontario Craft Foundation School of Design at Port Credit.

He designed the first community school workers program in co-operation with Mohawk College of Applied Arts and Technology. He was school trustee in the Town of Dundas, a board member of Spencer Creek Conservation Authority; an elder and trustee of Knox Presbyterian Church, and past president of Dundas Valley Curling Club.

Don now starts a new career at Mohawk College of Applied Arts and Technology. In the Social Services Department he will be managing a course for community school co-ordinators, establishing a community education centre and teaching recreation philosophy, recreation legislation and community analysis."

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THE FOLLOWING ARTICLE APPEARED ON PAGES 7-8 OF THE AUGUST/SEPTEMBER ISSUE (1972-8) OF THE UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO COMPUTING CENTRE NEWSLETTER:

"COMPUTER PROJECTS ON CAMPUS - TRIC"

by L. McCaul, with the co-operation of F.W. Martin,
Department of Recreation.

"The capability of a computer to store and access large quantities of data, and the relative ease with which it can be made to sort and list this data, has made it a useful tool for information retrieval systems. One example on campus of a large data bank of bibliographic material is Dr. Fred W. Martin's project called "The Therapeutic Recreation Information Centre". TRIC is a literature and document acquisition, storage retrieval, and dissemination centre for information concerning recreation and leisure service for disabled and disadvantaged persons. Originally based at Columbia University, TRIC moved to Waterloo when Dr. Martin joined the Department of Recreation this summer.

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ARTICLE CALLED "COMPUTER PROJECTS ON CAMPUS - TRIC" (contd.)

"The creation of such large data banks of information is a difficult and lengthy undertaking. The TRIC data base, for instance, was developed from a systematic search of selected information sources for the period 1965 through 1971 and has been updated on a regular basis since then. Published and unpublished articles, books, conference proceedings, project reports and other materials were identified, located, acquired, abstracted, and indexed. The citations and abstracts were then keypunched in formats that would allow the data to be accessed in FORTRAN IV fixed-field format or the variable length strings of SNOBOL4. The data base citations and abstracts were indexed employing keywords and key phrases directly from the titles and abstracts. The TRIC programmes are written in FORTRAN. Dr. Martin has gone to considerable effort to design and optimize TRIC to minimize its operating costs.

The work put into the planning, organization and formulation of a good information retrieval system rewards its users with a great saving of reference research time. TRIC has been in successful use for the past year by educators, professionals, students, practitioners and others seeking therapeutic recreation service information. Potential users of TRIC need only send a request to Dr. Martin indicating the problem or research area, a paragraph describing the information needs, and from two to five subject terms to be referenced. For example, the following requests may clarify the request procedure:

- (i) Request: List sports programs for mentally retarded children in municipal recreation programs.

TRIC Formulation: mental retardation, children, sports, municipal recreation.

- (ii) Request: List articles on mental retardation published in the Therapeutic Recreation Journal during 1970.

TRIC formulation: mental retardation, Therapeutic Recreation Journal, 1970.

The replies to these requests would be a printout of all articles which were indexed by the terms in the TRIC formulation. As would be expected, the more limiting the descriptors employed in a search, the fewer the number of citations and abstracts retrieved.

There are numerous applications for a computer-based information storage and retrieval centre for the field of therapeutic recreation service. A recent survey identified at least 80 colleges and universities in the United States and Canada offering coursework in therapeutic recreation service. TRIC can be used to assist the preparation of course bibliographies by educators offering these courses, students engaged in term projects, as well as for surveys of the literature for master's theses and doctoral dissertations. Presently, information requests are handled by the Therapeutic Recreation Centre without charge; however, users are requested to provide a brief evaluation of the relevance of the material retrieved in relation to the information request. This is to assist Dr. Martin in his ongoing evaluation of the TRIC system."

Information requests should be directed to:- Mr. Fred W. Martin,
Assistant Professor, Department of Recreation,
University of Waterloo, Waterloo, Ontario.

NEWS BRIEFS:
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Township of Saltfleet, Recreation and Parks - by G. Ginsberg:

Regional Government is on its way: Regional Elections held October 1st. New municipality, Town of Stoney Creek composed of Township of Saltfleet and Town of Stoney Creek comes into effect January 1st.

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FROM: George Coulson, Asst. Director of Recreation for County of Simcoe:

"REGIONAL SPORTS DEVELOPMENT"

"Mr. Bob Baker of Elmvale has recently been hired as Sports Co-ordinator to aid in the development of all sports in the County of Simcoe. Mr. Baker is working until the end of March 1974 out of the Simcoe County Recreation Office on a grant provided by the Sports & Recreation Branch of the Province of Ontario.

Bob will be attempting to identify the existing sports organizations, record key contact personnel and discover the needs of organizations for training programs and other aid. He will work with groups to co-ordinate and arrange for training programs, meetings and conferences as the needs are established."

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O.A.M.R. RESOURCES - JUNE BRAATEN:

A new bibliography is now available re printed resources, films, slides, tapes on recreation programs for the retarded. For a copy, write to June Braaten, Advisor Recreation & Camping, The Ontario Association for the Mentally Retarded, 1376 Bayview Ave., Toronto, Ontario, M4G 3A3 (Phone: (416) 483-4348). Recent additions to manuals on *Creative Drama, *Creative Dance, a Photography Hobby, *Music, art, arts and crafts.

(* A 1/2" audio-visual tape is available to go with these manuals.)

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THERAPEUTIC RECREATION INTEREST GROUP - FROM P.R.G. NEWSLETTER JUNE '73.

The newly-elected chairman for the Therapeutic Recreation Interest Group is Pat White of the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto. Rather than having monthly meetings, the group will convene as special needs arise. More focus will be put upon specific programs such as Workshops and Participation in Guild Luncheon Meetings. TRIG will continue to provide an information service as in the past year when representatives spoke to student groups and as conference delegates.

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NEWS BRIEFS (continued):

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Extract from mid-year Report of S.W.O.R.D. - received from Mr. Paton:

"The Directors of Recreation of this area met with the co-ordinators of the Opportunities for Youth Program and the Youth-in-Action Program. The purpose of this meeting was to obtain communication between the Directors and the persons who have been assigned projects in their communities. The Directors felt that there should be a closer liaison with the different agencies providing programs in the communities."

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"NEW PUBLICATIONS - SOCIAL GERONTOLOGY" ...Excerpt from Memorandum 24-73
Office on Aging - Communication.

1. "Developing Day Care for Older People" by Helen Padula -
N.C.O.A., Washington D.C.
1972

This is a useful booklet. Write:-

The National Council on Aging Inc.,
1828L Street N.W.,
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20036

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2. For those working in Centres and for those dealing with Community Outreach Programs for older people -

A Canadian book "COOKING FOR ONE" by Norah Mannion Wilmot;
Published by J.J. Douglas Ltd.,
3645 McKechnie Drive,
West Vancouver, B.C.

\$2.50

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FACILITIES:

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Barrie Parks & Recreation Commission - Sid Armatage:

We have just recently completed installation of mercury-vapour floodlight system at a Softball Park. The City purchased the materials (lights, standards, fencing, wire) and a local Ball League did the installation saving the City approx. \$8 - 10,000. This brings the number of lighted softball diamonds in the City to three.

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Brantford Bd. of Park Management & Recreation Commission - Eric Finkelstein.

Lions Park Recreation Centre: North Park Twin Arena: North Park Olympic size pool - same as Westminster Pool, B.C. (still in construction).

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FACILITIES (continued)
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Burlington - Dept. of Recreation Services, submitted by Tony Dojcak:

Skyway Arena: Design and construction cost \$307,285.00.
Completion date is January 1974.

Burlington Centennial Pool - Adjacent to Lord Elgin High School,
construction cost \$642,872.00.
Completion date is April 1974.

New Offices: Temporary new offices, 440 Elizabeth Street.
Mail still received at Town Hall, 426 Brant St.

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Ingersoll - Noroxel Zone - from C. Johnston:

(Under Recreation Dept. control:) Outdoor Pool, 7 Playgrounds.
Utilize schools, arenas, etc.

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Nepean Parks and Recreation Dept. - submitted by Gail Brown:

The Nepean Sportsplex is proceeding to have a curling rink with 10 sheets, 4 squash courts, exercise rooms and meeting rooms added to its present facilities; plans also call for the addition of a gymnasium. A lounge and dining area will also add to the complex.

Nepean is also developing 50 acres of riverfront property into a recreation area.

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Orangeville Parks & Recreation Dept. - by Bill McCaig:

Sports Complex - Arena Pool - Banquet Room - Presently adding an additional arena on to the present set up. Outdoor Pool - Lighted Tennis Courts (2) - Lighted Ball Diamonds (2).

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Owen Sound Recreation Dept. - Clarence Christie:

Contracts have been let for second ice surface with work scheduled to start next week. Ice should be available January 1st, 1974.

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Pickering Parks & Recreation Dept. - D.E. Bass:

"OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE NEW ICE PAD AT THE DON BEER SPORTS ARENA
HELD OCTOBER 12, 1973:

The new ice pad at the Don Beer Sports Arena will be a facility that will effectively serve the expanding hockey, figure skating and ringette programs of the Township.

It is a well designed building with many features that will be appreciated by those involved in the development of our worthwhile winter activities.

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NEW PROGRAMS and SPECIAL EVENTS:

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Barrie Parks & Recreation Commission - Sid Armatage:

We have hired a community school worker, Miss Peggy Hall, to help in the added work load resulting from our L.I.P. project in the winter of 1973. Six neighbourhood groups were established and are now operating using local elementary schools as community centres. A special agreement has been signed by the Parks & Recreation Commission with the Simcoe County Board of Education allowing for free use of school facilities seven days a week by the community groups.

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Brantford Bd. of Park Management & Recreation Commission -

submitted by Eric Finkelstein:

In the New Year, Brantford will be the site for the "Bell Centennial Celebrations" (Inventor of the telephone - Graham Bell). The Recreation Commission is planning special programs for the whole year:-

amateur sports events, arts & crafts (to mention some of them)

Brantford is hosting the O.M.R.A. convention in May 1974.

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Community & Social Services - Recreation Branch - J.F. Gray:

Ontario Games, Canada Games, Sports Awards, Recreation Education, Communications, etc.

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Ingersoll - by C. Johnston:

(1) Cheese & Wine Festival (2) Festival of the Arts

(3) Christmas events.

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Orangeville Parks & Recreation Dept. - Bill McCaig:

SNO-BRR-FEST - Friday, Saturday, Sunday, February 1, 2 and 3, 1974.

FIGURE SKATING CARNIVAL - Last weekend in March - planned tentatively.

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Owen Sound Recreation Dept. - Clarence Christie:

January 11 - 20, 1974 - OWEN SOUND WINTER CARNIVAL.

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Peterborough Recreation Committee - Ken Robinson, R.D.M.R:

"The organization of a PARTICIPATION - PETERBOROUGH program is gathering considerable momentum. Particularly gratifying is the strength of the sub-committees, particularly the media group. The industrial sector is indicating strong support and shortly all school principals will be addressed by Russ Kisby, National Co-ordinator, Participation. The movement has already commenced on up-grading in the elementary school physical education program. Related to Participation are enquiries which have commenced as to the feasibility of utilizing part of the Trent Canal System for outdoor winter skating.

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NEW PROGRAMS and SPECIAL EVENTS (continued):

Pickering Parks & Recreation Dept. - D.E. Bass:

"DUNBARTON INDOOR SWIMMING POOL - COME OUT! HAVE FUN! BE PHYSICALLY FIT!"

Physical fitness is as important to the development of your mind and body as eating and sleeping. Too many of us ignore the need to consider the types of programs that will enable us to have healthy bodies. Many people forget that swimming is one of the very best physical fitness activities available and when you consider the enjoyment that swimming can also provide, each of us should look seriously at the types of programs listed related to swimming, such as - open swim periods, family swim periods, learn to swim, men's and women's physical fitness programs and the Dunbarton Fitness Club."

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FROM: George Coulson, Asst. Director of Recreation for the County of
Simcoe:

"The 5TH ANNUAL SENIOR CITIZENS' CONFERENCE AND LUNCHEON is being held on Saturday, October 27, 1973, commencing at 9.30 a.m. at Georgian College of Applied Arts and Technology, 401 Duckworth St., Barrie. This Conference is being conducted by the County of Simcoe Recreation Service in co-operation with the Senior Citizens' Advisory Committee (Zone 11) executive of Simcoe County.

The program, which is open to delegates of Senior Citizens' Clubs and Homes for the Aged in the Simcoe County area, will include a report of the Advisory Committee program for 1973.

THE THEME OF THE CONFERENCE IS "ACCOMPLISHMENT '73 - WHAT FOR '74?"

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Woodstock Recreation Services - Eleanor Blake, R.D.M.R:

All Fall programs have full registrations. Co-operation with Y's, Library and Bd. of Education to co-sponsor programs and offer maximum classes with best facilities and at lowest cost.

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TRAINING PROGRAMS:

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Township of Saltfleet Recreation & Parks - by G. Ginsberg:

R.A.W.C.O. to be holding fall seminar on October 31st - re Creative and Adventure Playgrounds at Plainsman Restaurant, Hwy. #5, Waterdown. 9.30 starting time. ALL INTERESTED WELCOME!!

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Ingersoll - Noroxel Zone - C. Johnston:

Zone playground leaders course: (participation in)

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TRAINING PROGRAMS (contd.)

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Re: S.D.M.R.O. TRAINING INSTITUTE (letter received with application information):

"On behalf of the Executive and members of the Training & Education Committee, I am pleased to enclose an institute brochure (buff), accommodation and application form (pink) for the Society Training Institute and Annual Meeting - November 14 - 17, 1973.

1) Institute Topics:

Please note that members are invited to pre-register in a particular topic by Friday, November 2, 1973. Any registration after that date, will carry a five dollar (\$5.00) late fee. Each topic has a limited registration and you are urged to send your cheque and form now. Kindly also indicate your second choice.

You will be involved in an in-depth seminar for four periods (morning - afternoon: Thursday, morning - afternoon: Friday).

The Institute commences at 9.00 a.m. on Thursday, November 15, 1973.

2) Room Accommodation & Meals: (Pink form):

Kindly complete and return this form with your Institute registration form. Please pay this invoice on arrival at Geneva. The extra cost of the Saturday Banquet is included in your daily registration fee.

3) Social Evenings:

A special reception will be held on Wednesday evening at 9.00 p.m., November 14, 1973, to welcome all members. The reception will be hosted by the Niagara Region Professional Recreation Society. On Friday evening, the annual Toy Tiger Wine & Cheese party will be held.

4) Special Wednesday Evening Program: 7.00 p.m. - 9.00 p.m.

Various government agencies concerned with grants to special groups and agencies such as L.I.P., Youth-in-Action, Opportunities for Youth and New Horizons will be in attendance. This session will provide you with an explanation of the program as well as a chance to ask questions or pass comments.

5) Thursday evening there will be presentations by Society Members of their fellowship papers. Those who will be making a presentation and their topics are:-

Don Shay	-	Community Music Program
Ross Ventrecek	-	Capital Assistance Grants for Community Centres.
Pete Krystalowich	-	Lapidary
Doug Paton	-	20-year Study
Blayne Rennick	-	Administrative Guide for Recreation
Jim Maxwell	-	Personnel

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TRAINING PROGRAMS (contd):
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Re: S.D.M.R.O. Training Institute - (letter continued):

- 6) Annual meeting commences Friday, November 16, 1973, at 3.30 p.m. On Friday evening there will be an opportunity for the membership to meet in discussion groups to discuss some of the following topics - Association of Municipalities of Ontario, Ontario Municipal Recreation Association, Bill 240, Bill 200, Swim Regulations, Task Force on Utilization of Educational Facilities, ethics.

This is the one and only mailing you will receive. May I suggest you return your forms now. Your cheque must accompany the Institute registration form. Remember the late fee of \$5.00 after the November 2nd deadline.

Kindest regards from our Committee and Executive.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) Sid Armatage.

Sid Armatage, Chairman,
Training & Education Committee."

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The Ont. Asscn. for the Mentally Retarded - Ms. June Braaten,
Advisor on Recreation & Camping:

The O.A.M.R. Recreation Committee has suggested to volunteer local association Recreation Committees that they invite the local municipal Recreation Director or one of his staff to be a member of their committee in a consultant capacity. They need help in planning, and assessing community resources.

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Community & Social Services, Recreation Branch - J.F. Gray:
Many labs and conferences.

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Owen Sound Recreation Dept: - Clarence Christie:

Hockey Coaches Clinic - Level I : October 10, 1973 - 7.00 p.m.

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WHO'S $\hat{H}\hat{O}\hat{O}$ IN THE ZOO ?!!
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GEORGETOWN RECREATION & PARKS DEPT - W.D. COLLISON:

The Georgetown Recreation & Parks Dept. has appointed Mr. Glen Gray to the position of Program Co-ordinator for the Department.

Glen is a recent graduate of Mohawk College and previously worked with the Hamilton Recreation Department full and part-time for six years before attending Mohawk.

BURLINGTON DEPT. OF RECREATION SERVICES - TONY DOJCAK:

New Staff Appointments:

Tony Dojcek	- Deputy Director of Recreation Services
Jim Olmstead	- Superintendent of Programs
Art Mushlian	- Superintendent of Facilities
Ian Ledingham	- Superintendent of Parks
Les Miller	- Program Supervisor
Ross Stephen	- Design Technician
Don Kenny	- Parks Foreman

NEPEAN PARKS & RECREATION DEPT. - GAIL BROWN:

DAVE HARTLEY from Burlington, Ontario, has joined the staff (Sept. 17th) as the new Program Supervisor of Youth Activities. Dave is a graduate of Waterloo Lutheran University.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR:

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From Barrie Parks & Recreation Commission - Sid Armatage:

" Could we have a list of Fellowship papers which have been completed to date?"

From E. Blake, R.D.M.R., Woodstock:

Request for articles in the newsletter concerning "co-operation and communication - the lifeline to successful programs."

From C. Johnston - Ingersoll Recreation Dept:

Ms. Johnston requests "now information on where recreation is at, new programs, new concepts."

Also more information requested on "sociological and psychological effects of recreation."

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR (contd):

From Eric Finkelstein, Brantford:

A request asking for "Anything dealing with adventure? Junk Playgrounds".

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From Mr. J.F. Gray, Ont. Min. of Community & Social Services,
Recreation Branch:

Information requested re "S.D.M.R.O. - O.R.S. 'one for two'. What is happening to bring the two together?"

Also concerning "the role of the Municipal Recreation Committee".

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From Clarence Christie of the Owen Sound Recreation Dept:

Mr. Christie would like to see "articles on new programmes or resources" in the Newsletter.

He also requested more information on "amalgamation of Departments, both pro and con about problems encountered."

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Copy of letter received from Mr. A. Wayne Taylor, Membership Recruitment
Chairman (30 Queen St. West, P.O. Box 963, CAMBRIDGE, Ontario)
dated October 5, 1973:

"TO: MEMBERS OF THE S.D.M.R.O.:

Dear Member: I apologize for the insult of a non-personal form letter, both in this instance, and my previous communication with you.

I trust you have had an opportunity to follow up the list of contacts attached to your last letter, with at least a telephone call. There is no question, that the contact information should have been sent to you sooner, and again I must apologize in this regard.

However, follow through and follow up is important, and perhaps we'll see results with an increase in membership in 1974.

Your time and assistance given to me, on behalf of the S.D.M.R.O., is greatly appreciated."

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Letter from Mr. R. Fein, Co-ordinator, Recreation Leadership Program,
Centennial College of Applied Arts & Technology,
(651 Warden Avenue, Scarborough, Ont. M1L 3Z6 - Phone:694-3241)
dated September 6, 1973:

"CENTENNIAL COLLEGE is offering a Diploma Course in Recreation Leadership through extension for those who are currently employed in the recreation field.

The courses can be offered both during the day, evening and weekends according to the needs of the Continuing Education student.

For those who are interested in post-diploma courses, many are listed in Centennial's "Night Out" magazine which may be obtained by calling 694-3345.

For further information about the Diploma in Recreation through extension, phone or write Ron Fein, 694-3241, Ext. 280 or 651 Warden Ave., Scarborough, Ontario."

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CURLING ANYONE?

GARY STONER has informed us that the
ANNUAL ONTARIO RECREATION PROVINCIAL
CURLING BONSPIEL
is scheduled for DECEMBER 5, 1973.

It will be held at the Barrie Curling Club,
Barrie, Ontario.

The maximum number of rinks which can be
accommodated is 28.

The event will be open to all Recreation
Staff Committee members, Members of Council,
and Provincial Government Recreation Staff.

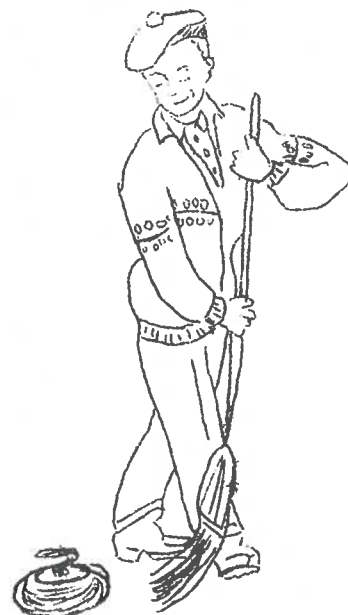
(Previous Bonspiels in this series have been noted more for improving the attitude of participation rather than being aimed at improving the sport of Curling!! ...Ed.)

Details are now being completed for this special event for "Sports".
Owing to the location of this year's event, it is anticipated that a number of teams from the Northern part of the Province will probably be participating.

For further details, write - phone - or visit:-

Gary Stoner,
c/o Barrie Parks & Recreation Commission,
142 John Street, BARRIE, Ontario.

(Telephone: 728-5002)



OBSERVATIONS, THOUGHTS, etc.

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*Thoughts received at the recent O.R.C.O.L. meeting, at York
University, October 20, 1973:-*

Considerations for planning for/with others ---

- (a) "We do know what we don't like"*
- (b) "We're not sure what we do want"*
- (c) "Help us! Not tell us!"*

YOUR MEDICAL VIEW:-

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"Ulcers are the result of mountain climbing over molehills."

YOUR SPORT VIEW:-

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*"When I was 40, my doctor advised me that a man in his forties
shouldn't play tennis. I heeded his advice carefully and could
hardly wait until I reached 50 to start....."*

A VIEW BY GEORGE:- (YOUR "GEORGIAN" VIEW)

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*"We need not worry about the world beyond; it will still be there
when we arrive....."*

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SIMCOE COUNTY
RECREATION SERVICE
COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
BARRIE, ONTARIO

Miss M. Phillips, RDMR,
Executive Director,
995 Memorial Avenue,
THUNDER BAY, Ontario

