'Between rodents, ants and temperatures, we're desperate.'

Holy Cross parent Karen Power... see story pg.1

The way we were



Watson's Grocery Store

Pictured here around 1900, is Watson's Grocery Store. Located at 511 Guelph Street in Norval, the property later became Ken's Lunch and most recently a flower shop and artist studio.

Photo: Courtesy of the Esquesing Historical Society Information: Heritage Halton Hills

From our readers

CLASSIC **VICTORY**

Abigail Cordingley of Acton won the Champion title in the 2' Hunter Classic horse show this past weekend at the Milton Fall Fair. She was riding Polar Express owned by Vanbrook Equestrian (Milton).

Got a photo you want to share?

Email: jmcghie@theifp.ca.



Get out and enjoy the **Hungry Hollow trails**

How many of you have experienced a walk on the Hungry Hollow Trail system?

Be sure to get out during the fall and enjoy the more than 300 acres of picturesque trails that make up the

system. We have also recently installed a new pedestrian bridge to help with your hike. You can also check out the Limehouse Kilns and trails.

These are just two of the jewels we have in Halton Hills for passive recre-

United Way of Halton Hills funds 21 local social service agencies, which provides programs and

services to people of all ages in our

The United Way has served the Halton Hills area for more than 25 years and we rely heavily on donations from individuals, local businesses and workplace campaigns. Anyone who works outside of Halton Hills and who donates to a United Way workplace campaign can designate their donation to come back to our community.

Try to attend an upcoming fundraising event being held on November 23, the annual Holiday House Tour, from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Every dollar designated to United Way of Halton Hills stays in Halton Hills!

Be sure to mark Saturday, Oct. 26 on your calendar for the third annual Mayor's Mardi Gras Masquerade Ball, being held at the Acton Town

All proceeds will be donated to the Georgetown Hospital Foundation and the Stay At Home and Play

arena campaign. For more information please, contact Nancy Surette at S 905-873-2601 ext. 2340 or email nancys@haltonhills.ca. Last year's event ^{\omega} sold out, so get your tickets early!

> Congratulations to the following Halton Hills Chamber of Commerce 2013 business Achievement Awards:

> Entrepreneur of the Year: Michael Carter, Carter Farm Market

> Employee of the Year: Grant Harris, Town of Halton Hills

Business of the Year: Tomas Kase, Canadian

Green Award: Bill Mel-

nik, BRC

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BONNETTE

Welcome to Senior Pastor James Seward- Maple Avenue Baptist Church

Congratulations to:

Edible Delights, Gardinia Floral and Event Accessories, Silvercreek Café and Espresso Bar, Sunnyview Dental, The Sewing Café and White Rabbit Books on their recent grand openings.

Congratulations also to: Ron Birell, Acton Citizen of the Year Award winner, and the Acton and Georgetown Fall Fairs

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