Peteypalooza seeks support

Organizers of the second annual Peteypalooza fundraiser for cancer are seeking support for the event that will take place on Saturday, March 15, 7 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Acton Legion.

The event features live music from The Bodyshop Boys, Scarecrow and Three Strung Up. There will be a raffle table, a 50/50 draw, door prizes, photo booth and a light buffet. Tickets are \$15 at the door or can be purchased in advance at Tanner's Pub & Grill, Acton Home Hardware or Pete's Auto Paint.

Initially a private event, Peteypalooza, named after Pete Hargrave of Pete's Auto Paint, started in July of 2009. Last year the first public event was held at the Acton Legion. It was a huge success and raised \$10,000 for local cancer initiatives. To date, the Peteypalooza Crew has raised over \$12,750 for cancer.

This year, the event is dedicated to Caroline Seads. In February of 2009, Seads was diagnosed with breast cancer



CAROLINE SEADS

while pregnant with her second child. She was told that they were inducing her because she would need to start treatment the following week. That year she underwent chemo and radiation and a double bi-lateral mastectomy, all at the age of 25.

On February 21, 2012, Seads lost her battle with cancer at the age of 28, leaving behind her boys, Dawson, 5 and Ryder, 3. During her last days, Seads set up a trust for her boys and asked the



Peteypalooza Crew to keep it in the minds of those looking to help. Donations can be made at any time to The Wilson-Seads Trust at CIBC bank in Acton.

This year, the crew will donate all the proceeds from Petevpalooza 2014 to CAShh (Cancer Assistance Services of Halton Hills - www.cancerassistance.org.)

This non-profit organization relies on the support of events like Peteypalooza, as they do not receive government funding. If you are interested in making a monetary donation to CAShh you can do so online or come out and support this event.

For more details email peteypalooza2014@gmail.



Scrabbling for a win

Literacy North Halton Adult Learning Centre held its first Scrabble Tournament on Family Literacy Day, January 27, at the Georgetown Library. Sponsored by Maple Lodge Farms, and supported by a dedicated group of players who collected pledges, it was a great fun evening enjoyed by all. Thank you to prize sponsors, Indigo Books, Georgetown Thai Restaurant, Lily Thai Restaurant, Yo Yo Japanese Restaurant, and Latitude Food & Drink, as well as Terra Cotta Cookies and the Mississauga Scrabble Club. Also thanks to the countless local businesses that allowed LNH to post a flyer to promote the event. All proceeds go to support adult learning programs in Georgetown, Milton and Acton. Above Cindy Mitchell (left), the eventual winner, plays with Joanne Woollacott, with David Stone in the background. For more information or to get involved in next year's event, visit www. Inhadultlearningcentre.ca.



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