

Stars come out for Earth Hour

Come for a free family star gazing event.

Cosmic Connections will present a fun, energetic, interactive and informative astronomy presentation on **Saturday, March 29**, 6:30-8:30 p.m. at St. Joseph Catholic School, 147 Mill St. W., Acton. This popular event begins with a presentation in the gymnasium and finishes outside with star gazing through high-powered telescopes.

Due to limited seating please register by contacting the Town of Halton Hills Office of Sustainability at 905-873-2601, ext 2290 or by emailing jennifers@haltonhills.ca



NOTICE OF PASSING OF HERITAGE DESIGNATION BY-LAW

TAKE NOTICE that the Council for the Corporation of the Town of Halton Hills passed By-law No. 2014-0015 on the seventeenth day of March, 2014, to officially designate Devereaux House located at 11494 Trafalgar Road (Esquesing), under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act.

Further information relating to this designation can be viewed at the Corporate Services Department, Civic Centre, 1 Halton Hills Drive, Halton Hills during regular business hours. Devereaux House is on the Heritage Register. The Heritage Register can be viewed on the town website: <http://www.haltonhills.ca/heritage/index.php>

If you have any comments or questions, please contact Ashley Mancuso, Records/FOI Coordinator, Corporate Services – Clerks Division, at 905-873-2601, ext. 2356 or ashleym@haltonhills.ca

DATED at the Town of Halton Hills this 27th day of March, 2014.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE UNDER THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT AND IN THE MATTER OF the lands in the Town of Halton Hills known municipally as 401 Draper Street, Norval, Town of Halton Hills and legally described as Lots 3 and 4 North of Guelph Street, Plan Norval, Town of Halton Hills, Regional Municipality of Halton,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town of Halton Hills intends to designate The Forbes House (formerly the British Hotel) under Section 29(1), Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter 0.8.

Description of the Property:

The Forbes House at 401 Draper Street, Norval, is an excellent example of an early village home that reflects a vernacular interpretation of Georgian-style architecture. It is a three bay, two storey frame structure with a side gable roof and a small gabled front porch. The horizontal lap siding may cover original log construction. While many original features remain, the interior may have been renovated in the 1920s or 30s as evidenced by the unusual placement of the stairs and a square newel

post. The claw foot tub, kitchen sink and bead board wainscot also reflect that era.

Statement of Cultural Heritage Value or Interest:

This building is of cultural heritage value as an excellent example of a simple village home in the early to mid-nineteenth century. As one of the oldest structures in the Hamlet of Norval it contributes to the historical streetscape of the village and is important in maintaining the historical context of other landmark properties on Draper Street. As the former British Hotel, it points to the importance of Norval as a stopover for the nineteenth Century traveller using the Toronto-Guelph Road.

Description of Heritage Attributes

- A construction date of Circa 1840
- Used as a hotel from circa 1857 until circa 1888, a stopover on the Toronto-Guelph Road
- Association with the Forster family (owned 1853-1857 by the grandparents of renowned Canadian portraitist and Norval native, J. W. L. Forster)
- Association with Major (Dr.) Armitage Lytton Forbes, loved and respected Norval resident, who served with the Royal Army Medical Corps in WWI and WWII
- Excellent example of a plain, 2 storey, 3 bay vernacular village home
- Shallow side-gable roof with shingled gable ends and prominent eaves returns
- One original 6 over 6 window (North elevation, upstairs)
- Wooden lap siding and original rear entrance door
- A Norval landmark, that is one of the oldest structures in the village proper

Further information respecting the proposed designation is available for viewing at the Corporate Services Customer Service Counter – Civic Centre, 1 Halton Hills Drive, Halton Hills, during regular business hours. Refer to the Forbes House Designation Report (PDS-2014-0008) for the description of heritage attributes, site analysis and historical background.

Any person may, by April 28, 2014, (within 30 days after the date of the publication of this notice) serve written notice of objection to the proposed designation with Corporate Services – Clerks, together with a statement for the objection and all relevant facts.

Dated at the Town of Halton Hills this 27th day of March 2014.

Ashley Mancuso, Records/FOI Coordinator, The Corporation of the Town of Halton Hills, 1 Halton Hills Drive, Halton Hills, ON L7G 5G2.

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Learn about fish in the Credit

Fish of the Credit River is the topic of the Tuesday, April 8 meeting 29 of the Halton/North Peel Naturalist Club when club member Michelle Gorrie will talk about the fascinating fish that inhabit the watershed, at the monthly meeting of the club, 7:30 p.m. at St. Alban’s Church Hall, 537 Main St., Glen Williams. Admission is free.

•The IFP • Halton Hills, Thursday, March 27, 2014

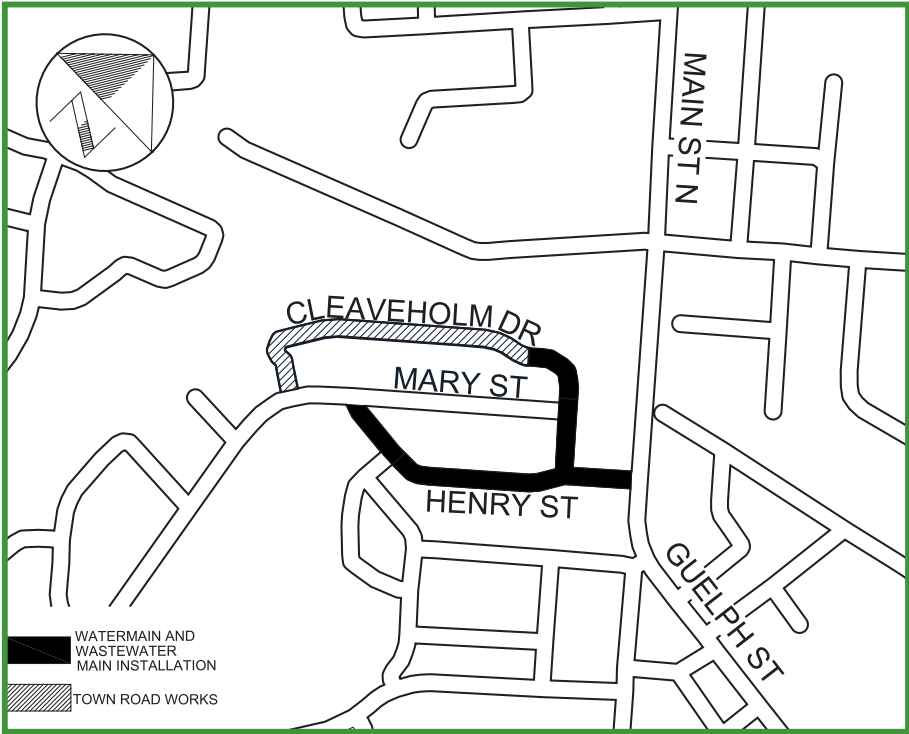


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Notice of Construction

Watermain and Wastewater Main Installation on Henry Street and Cleaveholm Drive

Town of Halton Hills (Georgetown) PR-2915



Contract Number: S-2915-14
Scheduled Start Date: April 2014
Scheduled Completion Date: July 2014
Project Manager: Mark Bajor
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Join Halton for Earth Hour

Halton Region is committed to sustainability by minimizing the impact our operations and services have on the environment. On **Saturday, March 29**, Halton will join communities around the world to celebrate Earth Hour. Starting at 8:30 p.m., lights and non-essential electrical equipment at Regional facilities will be turned off for one hour to demonstrate the Region’s commitment to fighting climate change. Join us and show the world your commitment to the environment by turning out your lights during Earth Hour. To learn more about Halton’s sustainability initiatives, visit www.halton.ca/sustainability.



Gary Carr
Regional Chair

Meetings at Halton Region

1151 Bronte Rd., Oakville L6M 3L1

April 8 9:30 a.m. Health & Social Services Cmte.
April 9 9:30 a.m. Planning & Public Works Cmte.

April 9 1:30 p.m. Admin & Finance Cmte.
April 16 9:30 a.m. Regional Council

Meetings can be viewed at www.halton.ca/meetings.

Please contact us as soon as possible if you have any accessibility needs at Halton Region events or meetings.

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