

NEW HIGH SCHOOL FEATURES UNIQUE TEACHING LAYOUTS

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The Halton District School Board held an official groundbreaking ceremony yesterday (Nov. 27) for the new Milton southwest high school, located at 1410 Bronte St. S. (between Louis St. Laurent and Britannia Road). At an October board meeting, Halton District School Board (HDSB) trustees approved the undertaking of a boundary review for the new Milton SW No. 1 high school to address the growth occurring in southwest Milton.

The boundary review will alleviate enrolment pressure at other Milton high schools and accommodate new development within the community.

The school, which is anticipated to open in fall 2021, has a construction budget

of \$37.6 million.

HDSB has awarded the architectural tender to Hosack and Associates Architects Inc. of Mississauga, and the construction contract to Everstrong Construction of Georgetown. The three-storey accessible school will feature 21st-century teaching layouts, air conditioning with individual classroom controls, triple gym, bus lay-by and a student drop-off area. It will also have a Community Pathways Program hub, which will accommodate two classrooms with a common kitchen area and sensory room.

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WOMAN SERIOUSLY INJURED AFTER CRASH INVOLVING CEMENT TRUCK

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A 42-year-old woman suffered serious injuries after a crash involving a car and cement truck last week.

The collision occurred on Nipissing Road near Thompson Road South just before 4 p.m. Nov. 20.

Milton firefighters also responded as part of the cement truck impaled the vehicle, leaving the Milton woman driving the Volkswagen Jetta trapped and requiring extrication.

The driver was extricated after being stuck for some 30 minutes.

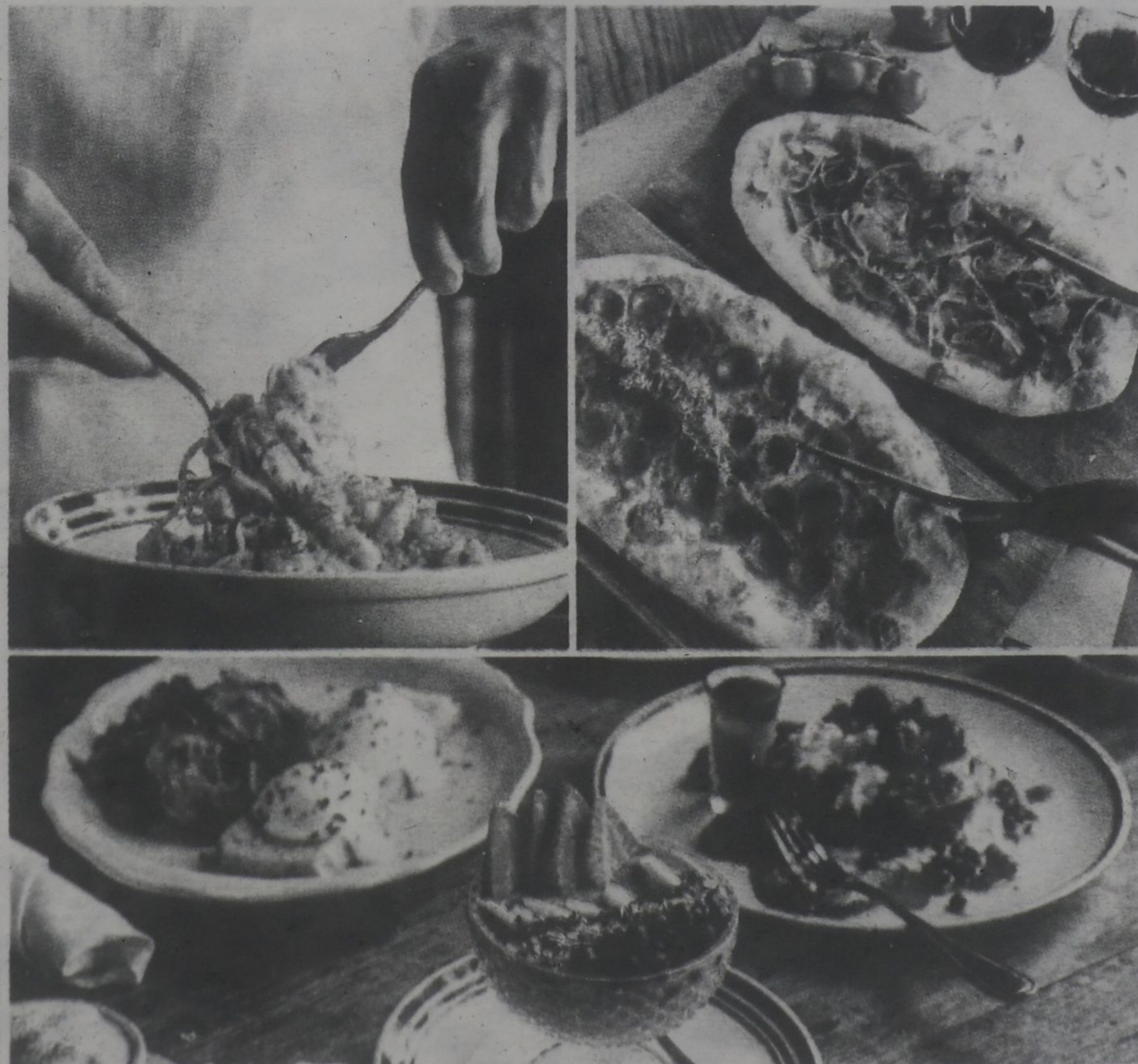
Her passenger, a 15-year-old boy, received minor injuries and was treated at the scene, while a Halton police officer was injured during the extrication and is receiving treatment in hospital. Staff Sgt. Paul Davies said in a news release Wednesday night

Anyone with information can call police at 905-825-4747.

Or call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477.



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Halton Regional Police are investigating a serious crash on Nipissing Road in Milton Wednesday (Nov. 20) that has left a driver with severe injuries.



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