





Weather for Oakville, ON

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Snow blows into Oakville creating havoc on the roads

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Knuckles as white as the snow covered roadways, nervous motorists gripped their steering wheels tight on Wednesday's commute as the region experienced its first major snowfall of the season.

The Ontario Provincial Police responded to approximately 450 accident calls on highways around the Greater Toronto Area between 2 p.m. and the late evening.

Halton police were also kept busy with 153 accident calls, 67 of those in Oakville alone, from early afternoon through to 9:45 a.m. on Thursday.

Most of the calls to police were for minor collisions caused by slick roadways as anywhere from four to eight centimetres fell in the Golden Horseshoe area, according to Environment Canada.

“It was basically like a New Year's Eve where you constantly have people on hold. When you go to the airport instead of taking an hour, it was taking us three hours.”

Linnaea Hutton
Oakville United Taxi dispatcher

Oakville's Erla Poschmann and her dog Lara try to stay warm while enjoying a walk at Bronte Harbour in the wake of Wednesday's snow, which arrived approximately a month before the winter season officially begins. While the arrival of the winter wonderland caused havoc for commuters, it did not even come close to packing the punch felt in Buffalo where there were reports of six feet of snow — a year's worth falling in just a few days — with a potential for three more feet to follow.

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