

Community Update

An Oakville Beaver Feature Contact Wilma Blokhuis: 845-3824 Ext 250 Fax: 337-5567

Caring crisis line volunteers will be at **Distress Centre Oakville** throughout the holidays to listen to anyone who is feeling lonely, despondent or overwhelmed by the 'festive' season or just in need of a friendly ear. All calls are confidential, no appointments necessary, no fees, and no need to leave home or give your name. Call 849-4541 any time.

TAB may be looking for you. Were you a graduate or teacher of Thomas A. Blakelock for the years 1987, 1988, 1989 & 1990? On May 6th, 2000, don't miss the "blast from the past" party of the year. Make sure you are on our invitation list and contact us with your full address and phone number at tabreunion@hotmail.com or phone Sekey 416-820-9597.

MONDAY DECEMBER 27

Bruce Trail Association has **Lakeside Hikes** for fun and fitness with the Bronte Bunch every Monday. Meet at Coach & Four, back door, 7:15 p.m. Bring flashlights. Walk at own pace. Call 827-8768.

TUESDAY DECEMBER 28

Half Hour to Health, Keys to Living Life Fully for the New Millennium, 6:45 p.m., Chiropractic First, 2318 Lakeshore Rd. W., Ste. 1. Call 827-2444.

WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 29

Madcap Millie's Marvelous Millennium Mix-up, Central Library, 2:30 p.m., and Woodside Library, 7 p.m. Join Madcap Millie and her friends for the ultimate Millennium celebration, music & merriment, stories, and games, for whole family. Family admission: \$5 - proceeds to the Oakville Public Library's Reach Out and Read program.

YMCA Coffee House, at Y, 410 Rebecca

St., 8 p.m. Millennium celebration with a live band. Admission: donation at the door.

Canceled - Oakville Millennium 2000 Big Band Era, dinner and dance, Dec. 29th, at Oakville Royal Canadian Legion.

Seniors' Spectacular Variety Show, Oakville Centre for the Performing Arts, 7 p.m. Talented group of performers (age 50+) from Sir John Colborne Centre and Oakville Seniors Centre present exciting evening of entertainment. Tickets, \$5, at Oakville Centre box office, 815-2021.

Millennium Walk, Dec. 29th and 30th, starts from Oakville Royal Canadian Legion, Church and Navy, 11 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. A conducted tour of Lakeshore Road East from Navy Street to Trafalgar Road with Oakville Historical Society. Learn about the historical heritage of the older buildings that have survived to the Millennium. Each walk limited to 25 persons. Complimentary tickets available at the Oakville Seniors Centre and Sir John Colborne Seniors Centre.

Tour of the Military Museum and Lunch, Dec. 29th and 30th, Oakville Royal Canadian Legion, Church and Navy, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Enjoy soup and sandwich for \$3.00 per person.

A Seniors' Art Show, Dec. 29th, 30th, and 31st, at Oakville Art Society, 560 Bronte Rd., and Sir John Colborne Recreation Centre, Third Line and Lakeshore, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Works in mixed media by over 40 artists.

Oakville Strutters are back. Fun fitness walks, downtown to Gairloch Gardens and back, 60 to 90-minute walk. Cafe/pub visit afterwards. Meet at Oakville Central Library main doors, Lakeshore and Navy,

7:15 p.m. Call Patti Crichton, 338-2751.

Wednesday Evening Fun Runs, for beginner and veteran runners, meets 7 p.m., at The Running Company, 118 Thomas St. Free. Call 815-1952.

THURSDAY DECEMBER 30

Children's entertainer **Fred Penner**, Oakville Centre for the Performing Arts, 11 a.m. and 3 p.m., dynamic live performance for the kids. Juno award-winning family entertainer mixes his music with comedic routines. Tickets, \$16 each, available at Oakville Centre box office, 815-2021.

Madcap Millie's Marvelous Millennium Mix-up, Glen Abbey Library, 10:30 a.m., and White Oaks Library, 2:30 p.m. Join Madcap Millie and her friends for the ultimate Millennium celebration, music & merriment, stories, and games, for whole family. Family admission: \$5 - proceeds to the Oakville Public Library's Reach Out and Read program.

Storytelling - Bring the kids to children's old-fashioned storytelling, Bronte Mall, Lakeshore and Bronte, 12: to 5 p.m., **Millennium Pilgrim**, Walton United Church, Lakeshore and Bronte, 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., **Native Story Tellers & Historians**, and Sovereign House, 7 West River, 12 to 5 p.m., **New Oakville Ghost Stories**.

Cider and Cookies - Enjoy the taste of yesteryear at Sovereign House, 7 West River, hot cider and cookies, 12 to 5 p.m.

Lunch at Walton United Church - Enjoy an 1800's style lunch, 12 to 1 p.m.

Multicultural Mosaic - Celebrate the diversity of Oakville at the Bronte Mall, Lakeshore and Bronte. The Multicultural Mosaic will host a variety of countries and

their traditions.

Annual Holiday Art Show - Discover the beauty of 50 of Oakville's artists, at Sir John Colborne Centre, Lakeshore and Third Line, and at the Oakville Arts Society on Bronte near Speers.

Interactive Art Studio for children, 12 to 5 p.m., at the Oakville Arts Society, Bronte near Speers.

NEW YEAR'S EVE

Sphere Clown Band, Oakville Centre for the Performing Arts, 11 a.m. New Year's Eve party just for the kids, complete with hats, noisemakers, children's champagne and treats. Tickets \$7 each at Oakville Centre box office, 815-2021.

Service of Praise and Celebration, Knox Presbyterian Church, Dunn and Lakeshore, 5:30 p.m. At 7 p.m., Knox throws on the switch and illuminates the exterior of heritage church building and Memorial Garden.

Ring of the Bells and Service, St. Jude's Anglican Church, William and Thomas, 11:15 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. St. Jude's will usher in the New Millennium with songs from its Bell Tower. Dan Tregunno, head bell ringer at the church, will choreograph a chime of nine bells. Not only will you be able to hear them throughout Oakville, this is your chance to step up into the tower and see for yourself. Everyone is invited to climb the spiral staircase to the tower for a first hand look between 11:15 p.m. and 12:30 a.m. These bells were cast in 1906 at the Whitechapel Bell Foundry in London, England. The heaviest bell, known as the tenor, is four feet in diameter and weighs just under one ton. This bell is rung by hand and swings in a full 360 degrees.

The other eight bells are in decreasingly smaller sizes, the smallest of which is approximately 600 pounds. On New Year's Eve, the tenor bell will be rung on its own for about twenty minutes to half an hour leading up to midnight. St. Jude's will also ring the bells New Year's Day at 12 noon.

Walk of Honour, 6:30 p.m., all children are invited to join 'walk of honour' Meet at the parking lot behind the Oakville Royal Canadian Legion, Church and Navy, 6:15 p.m.. Children are asked to shine their beacons as they walk to the Towne Square with Veterans and cadets.

Marieve Herington, a student at St. Mildred's Lightbourn School will begin the evening's entertainment, Towne Square, 6:45 p.m.

Millennium Ceremonies, Towne Square, 6:50 p.m., with Jim Paulson of CHWO AM 1250 Radio, and **O Canada** with Marieve Herington; **Millennium Eve Entertainment for Kids**, Towne Square, 7 p.m. to 10 p.m., with Juggler Igor Aristov, Subtonic Monks Cycle, Star Seed Reader.

Children's Millennium Countdown, at 7 p.m. Oakville - 12 midnight Greenwich Meantime. This countdown will begin with the unveiling of the new Millennium Heritage Clock.

Oakville Christian School Children's Choir, Towne Square, 7:15 p.m.

Ernie G, Towne Square, 8 p.m. Ernie G is an entertainer who has traveled across Canada and throughout Europe. He is a prolific songwriter with a strong honest voice, performing Latin to Pop Rock.

Illusionist - Bishwambhar Dass, Towne Square, 8:45 p.m., sleight-of-hand magic to large-scale illusions.

Father Mark

Curtis, Towne Square, 9:30 p.m. Curtis composes and performs music that touches hearts of thousands. During the past 20 years, his performances have raised funds for charities across Canada.

Millennium

Towne Choir, Towne Square, 10:30 p.m., combined group of singers from the Oakville churches - Calvary Baptist, Evangel Pentecostal, Glen Abbey Community, Hope-dale Presbyterian, Mary Mother of God Munn's United, Oakville Christian Centre, River Oaks Community, St. Cuthbert's and St. John's United.

FabFour - A Tribute to the Beatles, Town Square, 11 p.m.

Midnight Millennium Countdown, Towne Square, 11:55 p.m., Auld Lang Syne by Guy Lombardo's Royal Canadians. **Fab Four** continues at 12:15 a.m.

Oakville Single/Social Dance New Year's Eve Dance with dinner, Oakville Royal Canadian Legion, Normandy Room, Church and Navy, 8:30 to 12:30 p.m. Cash door prizes and refreshments. Dress code. Tickets, \$53 each, Call 842-1327 or 845-6271, or at Legion bar.

SATURDAY JANUARY 1

Bronte Beached Whales and group from the Coach & Four Pub in Bronte plunge into the water 10:45 a.m. at Bronte Beach for Halton Women's Place. Raffle tickets, \$2 each, to win Labatt's bar fridge, at Coach & Fur, Chaps Bronte, Chaps Dorval, Chaps Fairview (in Burlington), The Cop Shop (Bronte and Speers) and at Monaghan's on Trafalgar Road.

15th annual **World Vision Polar Bear Dip**, east end of Coronation Park. Registration is from 1:15 p.m. to 1:45 p.m., plunge at 2 p.m. sharp. Proceeds to World Vision's water project in Malawi. Registration is a minimum \$20 donation. Call Trent, Todd or Anna at 1-800-COURAGE.

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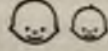
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Milestones



NEW ARRIALS



BIRTHDAY



MARRIAGE



LITTLEST LEAF FAN!!

BALL - James and Karen (nee Hill) are thrilled to announce the arrival of their first child.

♥♥Curtis James♥♥

born Tuesday December 14, 1999, weighing 9 lbs. 8 ozs. Proud Grandparents are Robert and Jacqueline Hill, of Penticton, BC. and James and Sandra Ball of Huntington Beach, California. Special thanks to Dr. Mittler and the wonderful staff at OTMH especially Fran Gordon, Maggie Hanham, Carolyn Buckland, Dr. Morrow and Dr. Krejcová.

IT'S A BOY!

Harche - Timothy and Joni are excited to announce the birth of

♥♥Nathan Joseph George♥♥

a brother for his big sister Amanda. He arrived quickly on September 28th., at 1:14 pm, weighing 7 lbs. 13 ozs. Proud grandparents are Gail and Leno Cauduro of Oakville and Margaret Harche of Sudbury. Special thanks to Dr. Inkster, Hilda (R.N.) and the staff at the Special Care Nursery.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY ED!



Love Nikki, Matt and Emily

Congratulations!



To Jennifer Jane, daughter of Charles and Wendy Boole of Ottawa and Stephen Nicholas, son of Mary and the late E.C. (Lefty) Tsakrekos of Oakville, on the occasion of their marriage which was celebrated in Ottawa on June 19, 1999. Jenn and Steve reside in Edmonton, Alberta.

Best Wishes for much happiness, always!

Congratulations Dominic & Lisa Caputi! August 21/99



Mr & Mrs Antonio Caputi and Mr & Mrs Manuel Freitas would like to congratulate their son Dominic and their daughter Lisa on their marriage which was celebrated in Oakville on August 21, 1999

We wish you a lifetime of love and happiness!



NEW ARRIALS



MARRIAGE

ITS A BOY!!

KILPATRICK - Ken and Innes are pleased to announce the arrival of their second son

♥♥Jeremy Ewan James♥♥

on December 2, 1999 at 8:20 p.m. weighing 8lbs. 11 1/2 ozs. A brother for Kenny. Proud grandparents are Kenneth and Lillian Kilpatrick and Ron and Joan Clodd. Thanks to Dr. Andrighetti and the L&D staff at OTMH.

IT'S A BOY!

CIACCIA - Dennis and Mary (nee Germano) and big brothers Matthew and Anthony are thrilled to announce the arrival of their bundle of joy:

♥♥Daniel Dennis♥♥

born on December 6, 1999 at 8:02 p.m. weighing 9 lbs. 10 ozs. Special thanks to Dr. Morrow, nurses Rena and Sharon for a safe delivery and Dr. Kunica for his ongoing care.

LACHAPELLE/MELLON - Brett and Lisa are proud to announce the arrival of their first child

♥♥ Spencer James ♥♥

8 pounds and a bit, on Monday, December 13, 1999. Grandparents are Jim Lachapelle and Betty Lachapelle, Brian Mellon and Marilyn Clarke. Uncle Jim, Aunt Nicole, Uncle Adam and Uncle Craig are polishing up the baby set.

I AM A GRANDMOTHER!!

Sheilagh Tidbury welcomes into the world her granddaughter

♥♥Nicola Elizabeth♥♥

born December 15th, weighing in at 6 lbs. 8 ozs. Delighted parents are Andrew and Pamela Tidbury. Proud great grandmother is Madge Hougham, of Bowburn England.

Wilson - Sidney

Moir Wilson of Lanark Scotland and **David Sidney** of Ottawa at Lanark Registry office on Tuesday, 7 December 1999. Reception followed at Cartland Bridge Hotel. Heartfelt thanks to Mr. and Mrs. A.B. Wilson of Lanark. Missed were Alison and Jennifer of Oakville.



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