

Does your community-based project need funding assistance?

The Halton Healthy Community Fund is accepting funding proposals for 2008.

The Halton Healthy Community Fund is made up of a group of partners that come together to fund worthwhile, community-based projects that make Halton a healthier community.

To find out more, join us at an information session on:

**Thursday, January 17, 2008
6:30 to 8:00 pm
Halton Hills Civic Centre
Council Chambers
1 Halton Hills Drive
Halton Hills (Georgetown)**

Information will also be presented on:

- Town of Halton Hills Municipal Assistance Program
- The Trillium Foundation



Healthy Community Funders of Halton

To register for this session, please call 905-873-2601, x2261 or email michelleh@haltonhills.ca.

To obtain a copy of the 2008 Funding Guidelines, call 905-825-6000 x2502 or toll free at 1-866-442-5866. Copies can also be obtained at www.halton.ca/scs/financialassistance/funding.



Santa Barbera's restaurant opens

Santa Barbera's Rotisserie Chicken and Steak Sandwiches recently opened at its 136 Guelph St. location as Halton Hills Mayor Rick Bonnette cut the ribbon. Santa Barbera's offers all sorts of chicken dishes like wings, sandwiches and combos, as well as other meat dishes. In addition to take-out, they also cater events. The family-owned business is open 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 11 a.m. to late night Friday, Saturday and 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday. On hand for the official opening were (from left) Michelle and Tommy Branco, Mayor Rick Bonnette, Maria Couto, Halton Hills Ward 3 Councillor Dave Kentner, Maggio and Brian Brogan.

Photo by Ted Brown

Gamble for a good cause

Have fun at Casino Rama on Sunday, Feb 3, for a good cause—the Terra Cotta Community Centre. Pickup will be at 10 a.m. in Terra Cotta. Cost is \$10 and includes bus and buffet dinner.

All proceeds to rebuilding the historic community hall built 1862. Please call Ted Webb, 905-877-7737 before January 25 to reserve your seats. Limited seats.

Boat-skilled volunteers wanted

Volunteers needed, especially those with boatbuilding experience! Mahogany Harbour is a kids-at-risk charity based on boatbuilding and restoration of antique watercraft—currently two Shepherd boats at the Glen Williams Boatshop. For more information on how you can get involved contact Paul Gazdik at 905-702-1757 or at pgazdik@cogeco.ca. More info at www.mahoganyharbour.org.



IT'S NOT TOO LATE!

The deadline for **THE BABY HONOUR ROLL** has been extended to Friday, January 4 - 5pm.

Your baby's photo will appear in the January 9th edition of

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