## Values program to begin soon

fection, respect, wisdom, responsibility, influence and well-being are soon to be taught as part of the Halton school curriculum. At a special meeting of the Halton Board of Education Thursday in Oakville the program was introduced and explanatory teaching sessions were given.

In the development stage for the past three years, the program will integrate guideposts and standards of values traditions and equally into the teaching of any given subject. It is used for children between six and 12 years of

Dr. John Meyer, research denomination in Ontario has director for the program, explained the program "is consistent and congruent with our six universal values, particularly the value category of affection which focusses on loving relation-

Religious values leader Ken Campbell as interfering with the traditional

Values concepts such as af-ection, respect, wisdom, res-education with its basic and didn't discuss values with moral absolutes, Dr. Meyer their peers." replied "It is not a stage of limited principle.'

"In our schema we would place a heavy emphasis on religious values under the context of responsibility and respect," Dr. Meyer said. "The learner will be responsive to religious authority and respectful of those and others' religious values and value systems."

"Every major religious given support to the program developed here," he said.

Trustees' support School trustees unanimously support the values education program. Bill Lawson of Milton said, "Our life would be better if people accepted the conse-Criticized by Renaissance quence of their actions. The people today who are causing and School Council. President trouble in this country were

replied "It is not a stage of simply doing one's own thing based on some particular and the program. "This is what I want my child taught," he told the 125 parents and

> Dr. Meyer assured the trustees the program is intended to "permeate the atmosphere. One of the reasons for the

> gap between children and adults is, we haven't looked at this idea of values in the

> Part of life Trustee Rev. Garry Morton of Burlington said "Morality can't be taught but it can be caught. This program is to be an integral part of an ongoing activity of the school. It's got to be part of the practicality of what's going on in the kids' lives."

Values Education is supported by the Halton Home Mrs. Hill said the council is

impressed with the concepts developed by Dr. Meyer and his staff. "We accept the need for this program," she told dealing with values education must have a thorough knowledge of the philosophy of the exercised to make sure that

this is followed." "It is essential that it is understood that the purpose of Values Education is, to teach students how to evaluate a situation where a value here Friday judgment is required," she said. "We must use the pro-gram to reinforce the human values accepted in our society, honesty, respect,

Area superintendents and principals will be responsible for the implementation of the program with attention paid to the response from the community. During the fall of this year and into 1977 one-half day programs will be presented to teachers to outline the use of required materials.

Board chairman Judy Alexander said it will take two years before the program will be integrated into the the board. "Any teacher junior grades in Halton. "The individual schools will keep the parents informed," she said. "As the program program and care must be evolves, findings will be brought to the board."

## Grad day

About a dozen former Acton High School students are slated to return to the school Friday to participate in Grad Day '75-'76.

More grads are expected to turn out for the annual event. Grads share with grade 12 and 13 students their experiences in post-secondary education or in the working

Grad Day starts at 12:30 p.m. and goes until the end of the school day. The guldance department is sponsoring the

Bennett

news

by Denise Paton

and Sherry Halladay

students are having a greaser

day, a chicken dinner and a

dance from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.

successfully last Friday.
The school had a doubles

badminton tournament and

the winners were: for grade 8

girls Kathy Ewart and Janet

Ager, grade 8 boys Howie Hatt and Luciano Deperi, and grade 7 boys Martin Collectin

The school is starting to

form baseball teams. Grade 5

and 6 boys are coached by

Mr. Murphy and Miss Pallett. Grade 5 and 6 girls are coached by Miss Pallett and

Mr. Bradshaw. The grade 7

and 8 girls are coached by Mrs. Woods and the grade 7 and 8 boys by Mr. Zanatta.

The 8A boys are making

box lunches for the girls to bid

on, on May 11 to help raise

money for our Ottawa trip.

eights are leaving for their trip to Ottawa. They will be

staying at Carleton Univer-

On May 15 there will be a

car wash for 99 cents and

baked goods will be sold dur-

ing the car wash. There will

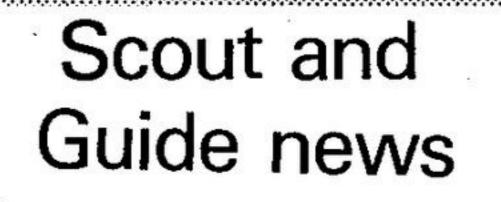
also be a White Elephant

May 18 is the day the grade

and Andy Ellerby.

The Hot Dog day went

Tomorrow the grade 7 and 8



GIRL GUIDES AND Brownies sold all their

cookies this year and one of their first customers

Saturday was Mrs. Doris Browne, centre. Mrs.

Browne bought several boxes from this group of

The Girl Guides from the Evans, Nadine Ewart, Lynn 2nd Acton Company have Gordon, Connie McCristall, been very busy lately. Cap- Cindy Pettibone, Carrie Rodtain Jean Vaughan and Lieu- uck. Lisa Thomas, Marie-tenants Shirley Duncan and Louise Turnbull. Roberta Trotter presented badges recently to the follow- nder.

ing girls: Baker-Theresa Conroy, Dianne Wilson. Cook-Ruth Alexander, Lisa Thomas,

Theresa Conroy, Dianne Wil-

Laundress-Ruth Alexa-

Skater-Andree Charlesbois, Donna Evans, Nadine Ewart, Connie McCristall,

Little House Emblem (reon.

Horsewoman-Cindy Petti
(4) badges in this category)--

A Kingham Hill resident was assaulted by a group of . account closed.
youths near his home last The police for skull as a result of the attack.

An 18k gold diamond ring tool box last week. The box was reported stolen during which contained tools valued the week. Police are investi-

An Acton man reported a pellet gun was fired at his front window breaking the window and a screen.

Acton police are also investigating three cases of fraud after two cheques were returned stamped N.S.F. and one was returned marked

The police force also laid week. He received a cut on his six liquor charges and one for causing a disturbance.



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Hoare, Connie McCristall, Lisa Thomas, Jaye

Gerth, Dianne Wilson and Christine Hoare. All

135 cartons of cookies were sold.

Daring thief steals tools

A daring thief stole a metal

at about \$250, was stolen from

the locked car of an Acton

The car was parked beside the Acton office of the Halton

Regional Police and was

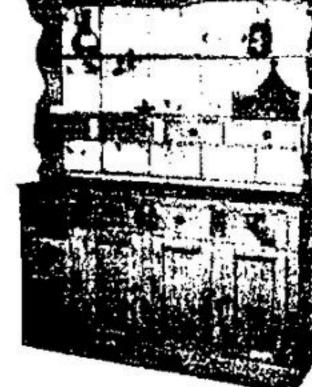
apparently broken into about

11 p.m. April 24, while the

police officer.

officer was on duty.

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LEARNING FROM TEACHERS, chairman of the Board of Education for Halton Region Judy Alexander joined a team along with other teachers and parents Thursday night at Queen Elizabeth Park School in Oakville. The new Values Education Program was the focal point of a special board meeting and teachers divided the over 100 spectators into groups to explain the program further.

### Named to Guelph lab, heads poultry work

ologist at the Guelph Veterinary Services Laboratory, it was announced this week by R. G. Bennett, deputy minister of the Ontario Ministry of his pre-university education

Agriculture and Food. Dr. Julian is the brother of Acton. His wife is the former Jean Kirby who taught kindergarten in Acton some years

Consultative work sultative services as the Ministry poultry pathology specialist to the poultry industry in the field of poultry health and management and will co-ordinate and supervise the poultry and furbearing animal programs at the Guelph laboratory.

provide specialized services set up a diagnostic laborato poultrymen across the pro- tory. On his return from Ibavince, to the professional dan in August, 1966, he staff in the ministry's Veter-inary Services Branch, and to veterinary practitioners, Dr. year 1973-74, Dr. Julian ob-Julian will also supervise the tained his Diploma in Path-

province.

Brampton native Dr. Julian was raised in the Brampton area and obtained at this location. He received his D.V.M. degree from the University of Guelph, in 1952.

Following graduation, Dr. Julian practiced for one year in the Woodbridge area and then for 312 years in Kenora. Dr. Julian will provide con- He then joined the Veterinary Services Laboratory at Kemptville and in 1961 was appointed head of the Veterinary Services Laboratory at

While located at Brighton, Dr. Julina took a one-year leave and went to Ibadan, he Guelph laboratory. Nigeria, where he taught at the University of Ibadan and

Dr. R. J. Julian has been Ontario Hatchery Supply ology at the OVC, University appointed veterinary path- Flock Program across the of Guelph.

Dr. Julian has represented the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food on various committees dealing with animal and poultry disease control. He is also the agricultural representative on the Mrs. Norman Turner, R.R. 2 Ontario Veterinary College, Ontario Council of Health.

#### Winner

The winner of the May 2 50-50 draw at the Sacred Heart, Rockwood, St. Peter's, Oustic, is Joe Tavares, 35 Lynd Ave., Toronto.

#### Robert Little News

By Merie McNabb

The Canadian Fitness Award events should be finishing up this week. The events done were standing broad jump, 50 and 300 yard dash, flexed arm hang, situps and shuttle run. The awards that will be carned are bronze, silver, gold and the Award of Excellence.

The T-shirts sold rapidly and the grade eights would like to thank everyone who ordered them. There was a total of 449 shirts sold.

All the choirs are busy preparing for the music festival

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