

# at General Wolfe



BILL ROTTER waters plants. He is among the students taking a course in horticulture.



CAROLYN MacDONALD stocks a shelf in the store run by the merchandising class. Most courses provide students with first hand experience.

## Students want to show what they can do

Open house at most high schools or elementary schools features the work of the students but at General Wolfe High School the annual upon house is a happening.

Attracting from 2,000 to 4,000 each year, the event takes endless hours of work and preparation. Reporter Bob Burttt visited the school on the day of the open house.

Where else can you have prime ribs of beef, green beans and Palm William with all the trimmings in a dining room by host or hostess — all for \$5.?

The meal is prepared and served by students in restaurant management. The bake sale is an annual hit. Led by a Swiss baker, the students bake and sell piles of baked goods.

The meal and baked goods are sold at a slight profit and the proceeds are turned over to Wolfe Enterprises to help offset field trips, dance bands and the host of other activities in which the school population is engaged.

A retail store, day care centre, auto repair shop, welding shop and a host of other shops and classrooms put projects they've worked on during the year on show.

As one teacher explained, the students want to show they can do something. They don't have to be pushed to put on a false showing.

General Wolfe High School is one of two vocational high schools in the region and it serves north Halton as well as the Oakville area.

Feature  
by  
Bob Burttt



STUDENTS IN BOB STONE'S small engines class worked for months to build this garden tractor.



PATSY LAKEY prepares a sign for a bake sale held recently in connection with the school open house project.



HEATHER WALLACE gets things in ship shape in the day care centre. Students run a day care centre at the school three half days a week.