



# GDHS Students Tour Paris Zurich, Madrid, London

by Larry Broadfield and Larry Bushey

The mid-winter break means more than just another holiday to 74 GDHS students and five teachers. These lucky few are travelling around different overseas European cities.

A number of months ago, students were approached by various organizations as to whether they would be interested in taking part in one of several trips abroad. The cost of these trips to the students and their accompanying chaperones were very little in comparison with most holiday tours. It must be stressed, however, that these trips are for the purpose of seeing the sights and not for comfort. The students will not be staying in plush luxury hotels.

**PARIS STRIKE**  
The first trip to depart was the Paris tour. They left Georgetown by bus at 5.00 p.m. on Thursday, March 15.

According to their schedule, they arrived at Brussels airport due to a strike in Paris. In their tour, they visited the Notre Dame Cathedral, toured places of interest in Paris, cruised along the Seine River, toured the Eiffel Tower, Palace at Versailles and Fontainebleau and shopped for a day in Paris.

The students in Paris are headed by Miss K. Mulrooney and Mrs. H. Arnold, French teachers in GDHS.

The students in France are: Cathy Bourgoyne, Larry Bushey, Brian Butler, Brenda Fisher, Lorraine Harrison, Peter Hope Wendy King, Cathy Krowchuk, Patrick MacCarthy, Doris Marshal, Dave McDonald, Stuart McDonald, Mike Pollock, Kim Redmond, Kim Reynolds, Denys Rouselle, Elaine Sealer, and Wendy Worrall.

**IN SWISS ALPS**

The next group to leave the school are commonly known around the school as the Zermatt-trippers. They left Georgetown on Friday at 3.30 to fly to Zurich, Switzerland.

Their week was spent skiing in Zermatt in the Swiss Alps. The group leaders are Miss K. Percival and Mr. B. Varty. The 27 students on this trip are: Chris Ball, Dave Blight,

Jill Blight, Cheryl Breen, Steve Burns, Wendy Butchart, Diane Cousins, Jean Currie, Ted Darcie, Murray Gallant, Benny Jappes, Gloria Hildebrandt, Marsha Hogan, Shirley Levers, Jennifer Linton, Ian Long, Andy Macdonald, Nancy McNeil, Denise Milne, Chris Milne, Sue Milne, Leslie Mitchell, Randy Pope, Kim Schenk, Dean Smith, Gavin Strachan and Sue White.

**TO SPAIN**  
The third group to leave Georgetown joined a group from Acton to travel to Madrid, Spain. Under Mr. Black, of Acton, they toured Madrid and the palaces in that city, flew to Malaga and toured that city. A visit to North Africa and a bull fight were also on their schedule.

The 9 GDHS students in Spain are: Janet Carswell, Jackie Clark, Mary Gudgeon, Gord Hunter, Gary Judd, Jack Langedyk, Drew Markham, Debbie Mossop and Ed Pearce.

The fourth and last group to leave Georgetown was bound for London, England. The group of senior students under Stan Hall, a geography teacher in GDHS toured London and studied the urban development of the city, touring the famous landmarks and studying the way of life in London. Sight-seeing will be included to such places as Piccadilly Circus, Trafalgar Square, Westminster Abbey, Hyde Park, Covent Garden Market and Greenwich.

The 19 mature students in England are: Gerald Anderson, Steve Graham, Catherine Heller, Bonnie Henderson, John Henderson, Terri Knight, Catherine McGrath, Lois Mills, Bruce Niven, Dennis Norton, Jeff Pantling, Linda Pruter, Denise Reynolds, Linda Robertson, Dorothy Russell, Glenda Scarrow, Paul Scott, Judy White and Chris Woodcock.

The touring students will arrive at Malton on Sunday and will be ready to begin school at the end of winter break.

**"CHARLIE BROWN"**  
On Tuesday, March 13, a troupe of performers from Sheridan College in Brampton and Oakville came to GDHS to present "You're A Good Man

Charlie Brown". This is a light musical comedy based on the Peanuts comic strip. The production was entirely handled by The Sheridan College Music Theatre Department.

The lighting, stage set-up, orchestration, make-up, publicity and, of course, acting were all done by the troupe. The performance began at 9.30 a.m. and ended at 11.00 a.m. It cost \$1.00 for the students to be admitted and between 400 and 500 students came to see it.

The cast was the same as the characters in Peanuts. Danny Pawlick played Charlie Brown, Gary McLeod was Snoopy, Mary Trainor was Lucy, Patti was played by Judith Smit and Mary Picot. Linus was played by Kevin Kingston and Gary

Ostrom was Schroeder.

They were dressed in the costume of young children and performed on a stage of Tinker Toy blocks. The music was very good and it was enjoyed greatly by all of the students and teachers who went to see it.

**BASKETBALL**  
The Georgetown Senior Basketball team deserves congratulations, even though they lost the Halton County Championships on Friday, March 2 to the Nelson team from Burlington. Having won all games in the series, our team was up against Nelson, who had won 60 consecutive games. It was a two game-total point series, with the first game in GDHS.

Our team won the first game with a breath-taking score of 7-36. The teams were their best and GDHS had only one foul by Blair Dunlop. After this game came Friday's game which we lost 67 to 69, losing the championship by one point.

Credit must be given to Mr. Dan Patterson, the coach, who narrowly missed coaching them to the All-Ontario Championship, and to the hard-fighting team members. Perhaps next year we can win the championships.

**CONGRATULATIONS**  
Finally, the editors of High School Insights would like to congratulate history teachers Mrs. Vera Darcie and Mr. J. Linney who were married on Friday.



Sue Milne, Chris Ball and Ted Darcie board bus for the airport and a flight to Switzerland.



An excited busload of Georgetown high school students are all set to head for Europe.

## Norval Many Had Irish Luck At Institute Euchre

Unit Two of Norval United Church Women entertained their husbands at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Moffatt on Wednesday evening, March 14. Seven tables played euchre and one table played crokinole. Winners of the euchre were - High score for the men, Albert Enman and Roy Laidlaw, and low prize was won by Alan Burke. High for the ladies were - Mrs. Lois Reid and Mrs. Ada Enman and low was Mrs. Lenore Laidlaw.

Mrs. Earl Wilson presided for a short business meeting with the main item being plans for the 'Luncheon is Served' to be held in the church on Friday, April 6.

A pot luck lunch ended the enjoyable evening.

Unit One of Norval United Church Women met at the home of Mrs. Dan Wey on Thursday afternoon, March 15 with Mrs. Murray Laird presiding.

The St. Patrick's Day Luncheon and Euchre held at the home of Mrs. Jack May on Saturday afternoon March 17 by the Norval Women's Institute proved to be a successful and very enjoyable day. The president Mrs. Graydon Chester welcomed the guests after which the W.I. served a delicious luncheon.

Following the luncheon 18 tables enjoyed playing euchre, with the winners being Mrs. Ola

family. This was followed by a discussion and ideas from all present on the subject.

An interesting report was given on the Peel-Dufferin Presbyterian held in Orangeville recently. A letter was read from Dr. Phillips, a missionary in Malawi, Africa, who is home on furlough at the present time taking a university course in Toronto.

Mrs. Lawrence may read a letter from a former old time resident of Norval, Eva Green. She had purchased a chicken marked Maple Lodge Farms, Norval, which brought back memories of her school days in Norval so she wrote to Mrs. May mentioning many of the old time families she remembered.

Mrs. Percy Laidlaw and Mrs. Ed McLean assisted the hostess in serving lunch and a social time was enjoyed.

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Robin, Georgetown, and Mrs. Jack Miller, Streetsville. Low prizes were won by Mrs. Bob Lindsey and Mrs. Spencer Wilson.

Among those winning some of the many other prizes were - 'the oldest lady present', Mrs. Henry Clarridge, Brampton; 'Spot prize', Mrs. George Woods, Brampton; 'Travelling prize', Mrs. G. Hamilton, Streetsville; 'Score card lucky

draw' Mrs. Lloyd Davison, R.R.2, Georgetown; 'Lady from the farthest away', Mrs. Norton, Silvercreek; 'First guest to arrive', Mrs. Clare Wilson, Georgetown.

Due to the heavy snow storm and drifting roads that started in the early afternoon the euchre game ended a little early as most were anxious to get home before the roads became too bad.

The March 14 meeting of the Norval Junior Women's Institute was held at the home of Heather and Mary Lyn Hyatt. The following executive was elected: president, Gwen Brander; vice-president, Dale Cordingley; secretary, Jean Miller; treasurer, Jane Miller; public relations, Mary Lyn Hyatt.

What is the Junior Women's Institute? JWIO is an organization of young women single or married, who have reached the age of 14 years. It consists of local branches with a provincial organization. The organization is non-partisan, non-sectarian, and non-racial.

The spring meeting of the Junior Women's Institute is to be held at Fulton, Ontario, March 31.

**O'Connor Presses For Clear Statement**

FROM THE OTTAWA BUREAU OF THE HERALD

The federal government was pressed this week to make a clear statement on its continuing trade talks with the United States.

Terry O'Connor (PC-Halton) asked industry, trade and commerce minister Allister Gillespie if he would make a statement outlining what was being discussed in the negotiations with the U.S. and what Canada's position was on the matters under discussion.

Gillespie replied that he had nothing to add to statements he has made in the Commons over a long period in respect to the on-going and continuing nature of the trade talks.

**WISE ATTITUDE**

O'Connor noted that Gillespie had indicated several times that he was not prepared to make Canada's bargaining positions public and he agreed this was a wise attitude. But he asked if the minister would make a full statement to the house setting out Canada's immediate and long term objectives without revealing the exact nature of the bargaining points in order that some of the confusion surrounding things like the auto pact might be cleared up.

"I think that some of the confusion which has surrounded the auto pact in the last few days has been cleared up", the minister responded.

Following the Institute meeting at the joint meeting of the Norval Junior Farmers the guest speaker was Mrs. Lawrence May who showed slides and gave a travel talk on her recent tour of British Columbia, the Yukon, and the Northwest Territories.

The Junior W.I. welcomes new members.

---Mrs. Ed McLean

Two Permits For Pools

Permits for building projects worth \$38,193 were issued by the Georgetown Building Department during the first two months of 1973.

Permits for building totalling \$14,793 were issued in February including two for swimming pools.

Lap belts only, work well up to 45 or 50 m.p.h. - though even at 35 m.p.h. your head may be thrown forward to hit part of the car. But when a shoulder belt is added, drivers seem to become almost invulnerable. As this is written, no lap-shoulder-belt wearer is known to have been killed in any accident while travelling at up to 60 m.p.h. Pamela Norton, Miss Park Toyota demonstrates the use of the lap-shoulder belt in a TOYOTA CELICA ST. PARK TOYOTA on Hwy 7 in Georgetown has a complete line of TOYOTAS equipped with the latest safety features.



## Nassagaweya Endorses Aims of Anti-Dumpers

Once the city of Toronto starts dumping its garbage in neighboring Esqueping Township quarries, "Nassagaweya will be next, and who knows who after that?" William A. Johnson told members of Nassagaweya Township Council at their meeting Monday.

Johnson is an officer in GUARD - Group United Against Rural Dumping - which is opposed to the Metro Toronto proposal to ship bales of treated garbage to the Indusmin quarry south of Acton.

Councillors did not hesitate to endorse the aims of GUARD and promise support in the group's endeavours. "Don't worry, we share your concern," Reeve Mrs. Anne MacArthur told Johnson.

**DEVALUE PROPERTY**  
Johnson told council GUARD feels that even if the bales of garbage are harmless, as quarry officials have promised, they will still devalue neighboring properties. "Let Toronto keep them, we don't want them," he said.

Reeve MacArthur suggested Nassagaweya Township Council should check its own official plan to make sure it

would prohibit dumping of garbage, and change it if it doesn't.

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### 23 In Mishaps

Sixteen motor vehicle collisions involving 23 vehicles were investigated during the past reporting period of North Halton OPP. Seven of the collisions involved personal injury to 10 people while the rest involved only property damage totalling \$17,000.

**ANNUAL MEETING**  
GEORGETOWN & DISTRICT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION  
will be held in the HOSPITAL CAFETERIA at 8.30 p.m. on **THURSDAY, MARCH 29th, 1973**  
HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS and 1973 MEMBERS ARE URGED TO ATTEND  
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