

THE WEAVERS HOUSE



OFFICIAL OPENING

Halton Hills Coun. Roy Booth officially opens the new Weaver's House on Mill Street, Thursday. Helping with the ribbon-cutting ceremony is proprietor Maria Jennings. The Weaver House is located in a tasteful building which has a New England motif. Ms. Jennings said the move into the new shop is "definitely" part of the improvement of the downtown core of Georgetown.

Acton Fall Fair runs all this weekend

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Herald staff writer

For the first time in its 65-year history Acton Fall Fair will run its cattle show on two separate days.

Beef cattle will be exhibited on Saturday but the dairy competition will be held on Sunday to avoid conflicting with other nearby fairs, says Acton Agricultural Society president Russell Murray.

Both Brampton and Fergus fairs will be held on this weekend and the Acton directors feel that some competitors would not show if it meant missing the Jersey Regional Show which will be held at Brampton fair, or the Black and White Show which will be held at the Fergus fair.

By moving the dairy classes exhibitors could attend the other fairs on Saturday and still come to Acton on Sunday, Mr. Murray said.

Friday evening's entertainment will feature East Wind, the band on Furry Farm, and special guests. They will present a one and a half to two hour country and western show, he said.

Stu Holloway from CJOY-KLIA-FM radio stations in Guelph will be emcee.

The Miss Acton Fair contest will be judged during the evening's program. At the time of the interview Mr. Murray said there were only three contestants entered but he expects upwards of a dozen entrants by today (Wednesday) when the contest closes.

Judges for the contest will be Jim Perry of Headline Hunters, Norma Pirday from Global's \$128,000 Question, Mark Leahy, Halton assistant agricultural representative and maybe Toronto Sun columnist Paul Rilmstead.

Mr. Rilmstead had not been able to confirm that he could come to the fair at the time of the interview, but Mr. Murray said the directors were still hoping that he could fit it into his schedule.

A cat show Saturday morning at the Spot-in-the-Park tent will be a new event this year. This is not aimed at the purebred lover, Mr. Murray says.

"This will be a chance for the neighborhood kids to bring in the family cat."

Interested prospective competitors can contact fair board secretary John Rowe for further information.

The Saturday evening dance will feature the Garrisons from Guelph. This is the first time the group has played in the area, Mr. Murray says. They are a rock band. Admission is \$5 per person and the dance runs from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Sunday's festivities start at noon with the dairy show, a horse pull, a tractor pull, and sit down dinner in the Spot-in-the-Park.

The old time fiddlers' contest will run through the after-

noon in the arena. The winners of the Lady Directors' Awards for the six classes of events displayed in the arena will be announced during the contest and the trophies presented to the winners.

Mr. Murray says the fair board sent entry forms to old-time fiddle associations around the area inviting members to enter the competition but so far the board can make no predictions as to how many competitors will be in the contest.

Competitors will play three selections, each three minutes in length, he said. There will also be an open class. Interested people can call Bryan Hammond (853-0015) or John Rowe (853-1496) for further information.

Mr. Murray says that the board members hope to gain what they lost last year and cover this year's expenses. He says the board had financial problems last year but blames them on poor weather conditions that weekend.

GIRL GUIDES REGISTRATION

Throughout September registration will be held for Georgetown East Guide and Brownie packs.

Register Sept. 19 for the 2nd Brownie Pack and the 10th Brownie Pack at St. Andrew's Church from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

Register Sept. 20 for the 7th and 13th Brownie Pack at Centennial school from 6:30 to 8 p.m. for the 7th Pack and from 7 to 8:30 p.m. for the 13th Pack.

Register Sept. 20 for the 9th Brownie Pack at Centennial School from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

Register Sept. 21 for the 5th and 11th Brownie Pack at Centennial school from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

Register for Girl Guides on Sept. 19 at Kennedy school from 7 to 9 p.m.

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Board approves expanded French course

Students now in Grade 3 classrooms in Halton Hills will be studying French for 40 minutes a day when they get to Grade 4 next year.

Halton board of education Thursday approved an expanded French core program in elementary schools despite opposition from some trustees and warnings by staff that some parents won't like it. The program will advance one grade each year until Grade 8.

If by Jan. 13, the board can determine that there is sufficient interest in early and late (grade 1 and Grade 7) immersion classes, development and implementation of those classes will take place in time for the 1978 school year.

French is now taught in Grade 6 to 8 for 20 minutes a day.

The cost of the expanded core program to the board is expected to be about \$87,000 in 1979 and rise to \$103,000 by 1980, Bruce Mather, superintendent of program said. That figure includes program writing costs of about \$4,000 a year, he added. The ministry of

education will give the board money for the program to encourage French as a second language for English-speaking students.

The ministry will also fund up to \$1,000, a French learning centre in one room of elementary schools that can be devoted to French instruction. This grant is available immediately for a room at Centennial Middle School in Georgetown and McKenzie-Smith Middle school in Acton.

Mr. Mather said the expansion of the core program could take place with only "minimal" increase in staff. The board currently has 37 itinerant French teachers and projects a need of 48 by 1980 and beyond.

Resident French teachers from within the school staff allocation will be assigned in September, 1978, to teach Grade 6, 7 and 8 French in K to 8, middle and senior schools.

All Grade 4 and 5 classes and Grade 6 classes in K to 6 schools will be taught by itinerant teachers provided from the education area staff allocation.

Trustees were split on sup-

port of the program and the key issue passed by a 9-7 vote. Those opposing it cited increased costs, inability of the core curriculum program to be shaved any more to make time for French at the expense of English and mathematics and a poor rate of high school students carrying on with stu-

dy of the language. Those in favor of the expanded French program offered that a second language increases mastery of the native tongue, generally improves a student's work in all subjects and is a requirement in the country today as well as the world.

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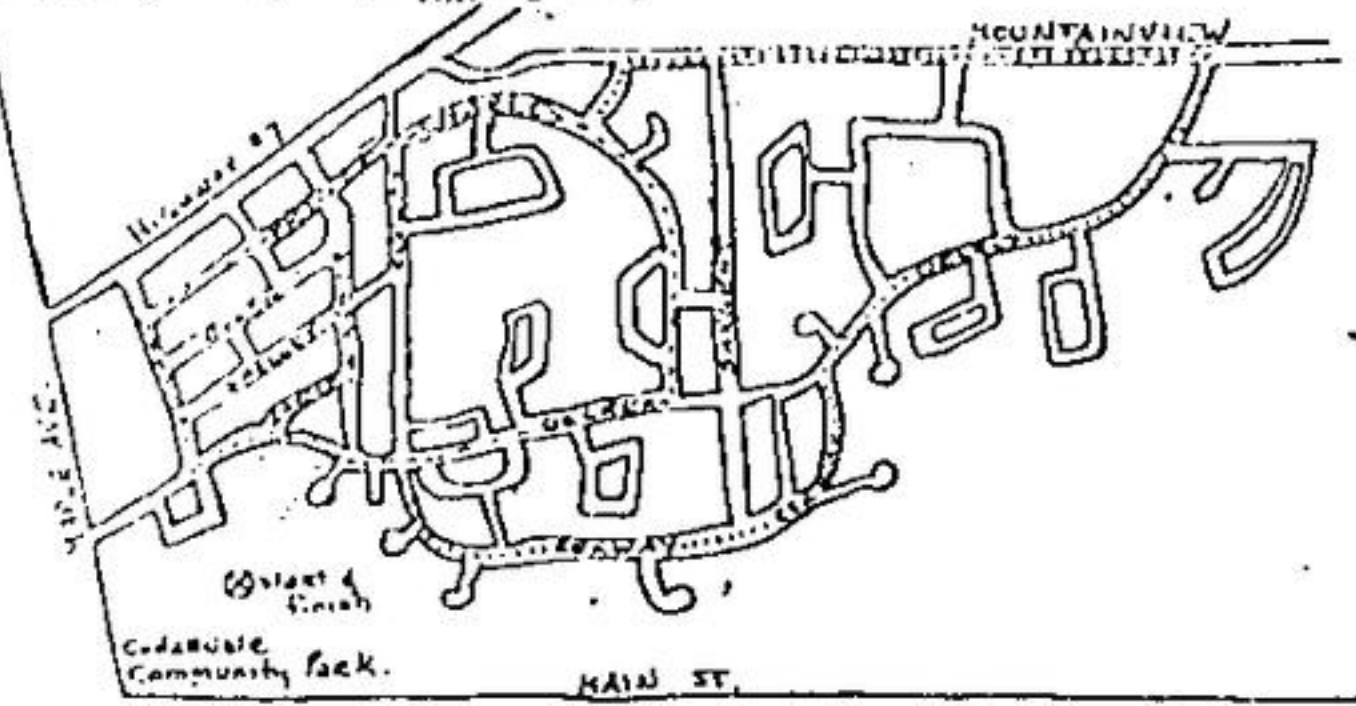
One, two, and five mile foot races starting from Cedarvale Community Park at 1 pm are scheduled during the afternoon for all residents over 10 years of age in Halton Hills. Everyone is welcome to participate whether young or old, male or female, experienced or inexperienced.

Registration for the races will be held Monday, September 26th from 7:00-9:00 pm and Tuesday, September 27th from 8:30 pm - 4:30 pm in the hall at the Gordon Atcott Memorial Recreation Complex.

ENTRY FEE:

\$2.00 per race (under 20 years)
\$2.00 per race (20 years and over)
- or register prior to the race at double the above mentioned fee.

The following is a map of the race routes for those interested in practicing or watching the races in progress and cooperation from residents and motorists using this area from 1:00 - 5:00 pm would be appreciated. Bring your family! Bring your friends! Jog, get into shape or just support your fellow Halton Hillfest!!!



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