

TAKING IT TO THE STREETS



Halton Hills Fire Chief Bill Cunningham peers through a row of the Georgetown Girls' Pipe Band during the Firefighters' Third Annual Church Parade on Sunday. The parade marched from St. George's Anglican Church to the Georgetown Post Office after a church service.

**Sexual abuse:
Badgley committee
to meet the public**

Herald Staff
According to Dr. Robin Badgley and a nine member committee, one in three males and one in three females have been victims of unwanted sexual acts and four in 100 young females have been raped.

The committee, which was appointed by the Federal Ministers of Justice and Health and Welfare, was asked to conduct a national fact finding study of sexual offences against children and to recommend how victims could be better protected by the law and helping services.

Dr. Robin Badgley will be at Lester B. Pearson

High School on Oct. 29 at 7:30 p.m. to speak to the public in Halton about his committee's efforts to examine the offence of child sexual abuse. The school is located on Headon Road in Burlington.

A panel of local professional people representing the fields of justice, treatment of children and their families, child welfare, education and the community at large will be asking Dr. Badgley questions and commenting on the results of the study. The public is invited to join in.

Other findings in the report say that one in

four assailants of sexually abused children is a family member and 99 in 100 assailants are male.

The 1300 page report underscores the need for the provision of services for the assistance and care of sexually abused children and concludes that these crimes happen extensively.

Calling law and public services inadequate the majority of recommendations centre on amendments to the Criminal Code in regards to how the court handles the testimony of a child and how the sentences for offenders can be strengthened.

Their lost time...

Sheridan strike

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to the school, and computer classes can still use the equipment, but you're not going to get too far on your own, and what if the machine breaks down? Nobody's there to fix it," Margaret said.

Rivy said none of his teachers gave extra work before the strike, and that he doesn't have much to do except wait.

"It's kind of a bummer for them to do that to us," Rivy said. "I've been out of school for two years; now that I go back, they hit me with a silly strike."

Juergen Hack, 22, and his brother Andreas, 19, of Georgetown aren't

going to just wait for the strike to end. The two have been hustling for jobs - to make a few dollars until classes start again.

"I have a job interview today, at a sheet metal shop I used to work at," Juergen said Thursday.

Juergen is a second year mechanical engineering technology student at Brampton's Sheridan College. His brother is in the first year of a law and security course.

Already, Andreas has found work at a Georgetown company where his mom is a supervisor.

"We may not get out

until June 19, when the high school and university students are out," Juergen said. "It won't give us enough time to make money for next year's tuition."

His courses are heavy, and lots of homework is the usual fare, however, Juergen said his teachers weren't expecting to be on strike and didn't give much homework.

"All I can do now is read ahead and try what I can, but the stuff we learn, you can't really learn out of a book. You have to have somebody teaching you," Juergen said.

He said he's getting together with five classmates to study ahead.

**Fewer deer stations
for Halton hunters**

**By ANI FEDERIAN
Herald Staff**

Instead of two check stations in Halton during next month's four day Ministry of Natural Resources deer hunt, there'll only be one check station this year.

The Georgetown station is being done away with, and instead, one in Milton will be open, at the Halton Sportsmen Club on Steeles Avenue.

Milton regional Council Bill Johnson voiced strong disapproval over another deer hunt taking place.

"The controlled deer hunt is now becoming an annual event," he complained. "Originally it was a three day hunt and it's now become a four day hunt Nov. 5-8 and we're not asked to comment, we're being told."

As the deer hunt is controlled by the Game and Fish Act, regional council hasn't the authority to restrict hunting.

Coun. Johnson complained about there being only one reporting station in the region.

"Surely we don't expect those people to drive another 15 miles to Steeles to report their kills," he said.

Natural Resources staff obtain biological information through the reported kills, compiling deer population estimates.

Halton Hills Mayor Russ Miller said that the Halton Agricultural Advisory Committee, of which he is a member, supports the deer hunt 100 per cent.

"People are losing up to three acres per crop. When the deer popula-

tion is down and they're not suffering these losses, they'll be the first ones to tell us," Mayor Miller said.

Coun. Ann Mulvale said the planning and public works committee recommended the hunt because of the concerns of the region's agricultural community.

Burlington Coun. Joan Little said she was concerned that fawns are being killed by farmers who have the right to hunt on their property.

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Ken Howatt is the head caretaker with the Etobicoke Board of Education and one of the founding members and secretary of the Georgetown Model Railroad Club.

His involvement with model railroads came at the age of 7 when a neighbor introduced him to the hobby. Over the past eleven years with the club Mr. Howatt has had a variety of duties including three years as the first president.

With ten active members meeting twice weekly the club would welcome new members. An interest in model trains is the only prerequisite in joining.

Mr. Howatt's model railroad includes about 20 locomotives, 100 assorted cars and an 18 by 10 foot track layout.

Favorite Music: Country and Western.
Favorite TV Show: Hockey.
Favorite Year: "1965, the year I got married."
Favorite Vacation Place: "Nova Scotia and the eastern provinces."
Hobbies: Model railways and photography.

What do you hope to be doing ten years from now? "Same as I'm doing right now I guess."

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