

### Extinguisher theft

St. George's Anglican Church reported the theft of two fire extinguishers with an estimated value of \$120 sometime Friday. The extinguishers were located in the kitchen area of the Georgetown church.

### Hit & run motorist

A hit and run accident has been reported to Halton regional police involving an unknown vehicle and a 1979 Thunderbird. The Thunderbird received approximately \$1,400 in damages while it was parked in the rear of Johnson Real Estate in Acton on Thursday.

### Two rifles stolen

The theft of two rifles from a farmhouse on the Third Line in Halton Hills has been reported to Halton regional police. The guns, which are worth about \$200, were taken within the last two weeks and there was no sign of forced entry in the incident.

### Lucky winner

By KAY WILSON  
Herald Correspondent  
NORVAL - Congratulations to Brian Batstone of RRI Norval. He was the lucky winner of \$5,000 at the \$100 a plate dinner sponsored by the Streetsville Lions Club Friday night. The dinner was held at the Hansa Club in Brampton.

### Y spring courses

Turn over a new leaf for spring! Enrol in one of the many courses the Georgetown Y offers - morning-evening fitness classes, aquatics, martial arts, babysitters' training and many pre-school activities. For further information call the Y at 877-6163.

### Spring getting closer

By MRS. JOHN BELLEBOODY  
Herald Correspondent  
ASHGROVE - Now we are into the month of March, that wild and blustery time when winter gives us some last blasts of stormy weather before leaving us. The bright spot in this month is the 21st when spring arrives. I love the winter's ice and snow and the cold March winds that blow, and even April's rain that pours. Unless, of course, I'm out of doors.

### Brochure change

Acton's March Break Program will be offered at one location only (not two as previously advertised). The program will be held at the Acton Y from Monday - Friday from 9 - 4. It's going to be a lot of fun with sports and games, and crafts and movies - so sign up now! Register at the Recreation Office - 40 Mill Street East, Acton or 25 James Street, Georgetown. For more information call 877-5185 ext. 250.

### Program registration

Registration for spring and summer recreation department programs (pre-school playshop, fitness, rollerskating, etc) will begin March 11. Mail-in registration will be accepted for these programs, or drop into the recreation and parks office in Acton - 40 Mill Street East, or in Georgetown - 25 James Street. For information call 877-5185, ext. 260.

### Get well wishes

By KAY WILSON  
Herald Correspondent  
NORVAL - Get well wishes to Spencer Wilson of Ninth Line. He's a patient in Peel Memorial Hospital following surgery. Don't forget there's Norval Women's Institute euchre tonight (Wednesday) at Webb's Flowers. The action starts at 8 p.m. with prizes and snacks. Admission is \$1.50.



**CULTURE CORNER**  
Jette van der Melden (right) shows two youngsters how to do a craft at the Multicultural Night held Friday at the Georgetown Y. Jette was dressed in clothing from the Netherlands.

## March Break Monster Mash

The Halton Hills Public Libraries are holding a Monster Mash March 12-16. March 12 at 12 o'clock bring your lunch to either the Acton or Georgetown Libraries and listen to scary but monstrously good stories for an hour. No registration is required. March 13 at 7 p.m. attend a Monsterfest Filmfest at the Georgetown Library. We will be showing the Redroom Riddle and the Mummy's Tomb. No registration is required. March 14 at 12 o'clock bring your lunch and 'munch to the movies' at either the Acton or Georgetown Libraries. No registration is required. On March 15 both the Acton and Georgetown Libraries will be holding Monster Craft programs. Come and make a monster mask and a monster T-shirt. Children must register in advance. All monster enthusiasts are invited to create their own creature and enter our monster making contest. Monsters should be between six inches and six feet in height. Bring your monster to either the Acton or Georgetown Libraries on or before Friday March 15 at 5 p.m. Judging will take place Saturday March 16 at 3 p.m.

For more information about programs call either the Acton Library at 853-0301 or the Georgetown Library at 877-2601.



### LEGION LINES

By LLOYD HOUNSELL  
Herald Special  
I am pleased to announce that the Branch won the 1st prize in their category of the District Bulletin competition, for our issue of the "Summit". Congratulations to all those concerned with the publishing, and to the contributor for this success. Another meeting for those interested in going to Plymouth for their Memorial Day Ceremonies, will be held March 17 at 1 p.m. Don't forget to put your name on the list, which is on the Notice Board. The Initiation team has a practice session taking place in the Branch at 2 p.m. March 10. Coming this month is a Rock and Roll Dance taking place March 23. Tickets from the Stewards. In the Zone Darts Competition, Ron Scarlett and Brian Beaumont qualified to advance to the District Darts Doubles being held on March 16th. Congratulations and all the best. Yvonne Lorusso and Chuck Tutty won the Shuffleboard House Trophy on March 2nd. The winners of the Roast Shoot (Darts), held on March 2nd were, Sid Nichols; Joe Fry; Jean Horley; Sarah Richards and Bill Simpson. CA DRAW - The draw for the car will take place on Friday, March 8th, only paid up members will be eligible. Winners, Feb. 28. No. 145 - Tom James, No. 100 - Murray Henley; No. 131 - Rick Appleyard; No. 170 - Jeanie Cairns; No. 452 - Gord Andrews; No. 185 - Jim Watson. EUCHRE - Winners March 1st, ladies. 1st prize - Sally Caldwell; 2nd prize Yvonne Lorusso; Booby - Marrt Crawford. MEN 1st prize - Mike. 2nd Prize - Ken. Booby - Norm Ward.



James Grieve from the board of commissioners of police, checks out the 'Survivor 8' which is a new computer Halton Regional Police Force obtained through a \$7,500 donation from the Clivian Club of Oakville. President of the club Bill Wotherspoon looks on at a presentation made last week.

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### YMCA March Break Adventure Club

Fun-filled programs daily from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. for children ages 6-12 during March Break.

Mon., Mar. 11: Pioneer games at Halton Regional Museum. Ice Skating in afternoon.  
Tues., Mar. 12: Super Sports Day.  
Wed., Mar. 13: Theatre Day.  
Thurs., Mar. 14: Sugaring-off party at Mountsberg Park.  
Fri., Mar. 15: Movies and Roller Skating.  
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## Drug Awareness Week

# Don't tell your kid he's a bum: expert

By ALAN CASSMAN  
Herald Special  
Norman Panzica challenged a large adult audience to examine their methods of parenting in their efforts to save their children from drug addiction. He talked about teenage drug abuse at the Georgetown District High School last Wednesday night. Underlining a compassionate and often controversial discussion was an appeal to parents to become more responsible role models.

Mr. Panzica asserts that parents who maintain well-stocked medicine cabinets and introduce their children

Mr. Panzica is a consultant to the Council on Drug Abuse in Toronto, the Ontario Association of Chiefs of Police, the Surgeon General, and the National Defense.



He has written numerous articles for several magazines and law journals including the Journal of Drug Education and the Criminal Law Quarterly, and he is the author of the highly regarded "Your Teen and Drugs: a parent's handbook on drug abuse".

"How many times have you said at the dinner table that all politicians are crooked or that teachers stop working at 3 o'clock and sleep all summer?" Mr. Panzica asked. "You must remember that every time you blame the cop for your parking ticket you are cutting down knowledge of logical consequence." Children are effectively "spitting in the eye" of authority with parental consent and according to Mr. Panzica statistics have proven that this increasing disrespect correlates directly to a higher frequency of drug use.

"Isn't it a little irrational to raise your kids to think that taking pills is fun, that taking pills is good for you, that taking pills solves problems and then you bring him to me when they are 15 years old and say 'please sir, make them, stop taking pills?'" he said.

When Mr. Panzica maintains that there is no such thing as a "hard" drug or "soft" drug and warns of the dangerous implications of such terms, he speaks from experience and with moral purpose. In his view, "Whenever anyone talks about a drug being innocuous or harmless he is betraying massive ignorance. A drug changes you. If it can change you it can kill you."

### Repairs cost \$35,000

It makes sense to get your winter coat dry cleaned in the summer, when you're not going to be needing it. Using the same logic, town engineer Bob Austin would like to repair the town's non-winter maintenance equipment now, so they'll be ready for use come springtime. Monday night, Mr. Austin asked for \$35,000 to fix up three pieces of machinery. The first is a 1974 Warner Swayze Gradall which has a problem in the action of the boom, digging bucket, associated hydraulics and packings.

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## Contract settled with RC teachers

The possibility of a strike by Halton separate school teachers has been averted following a tentative agreement last Wednesday. Salary negotiations committee chairman Bill Hawken said negotiating teams have managed to come to a compromise on most of the 53 issues, four of which were said to be considered important by teachers. Time for class preparation, just cause for discipline and benefit plans were among those issues. Separate school teachers had turned down what was termed the board's final offer by a 93 per cent margin about two weeks ago. Ratification of the settlement is expected to take place sometime after the spring break at which time further details of the agreement will become available.

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