

# Teen Outlook

## Exploding Fountain floods Grade 13 Hall with water

Last week ended in a rather bizarre way when a freak flood filled the Grade 13 hall with water. The culprit was an exploding water fountain, which was immediately removed from school premises.

May 20, the Student Council election presentations were held. Just before the candidates' speeches, the Jazz Band and Jazz Choir put on a terrific performance singing such tunes as "I've Got You Under My Skin" outstanding were the vocal talents of soloists Chris Barrager and Holly Verhaegen.



### GDHS report

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Usually the results of voting are available on the same day as elections. However, the competition between the candidates this year was so close that results were not available at press time. Running for Student Council President are Charlie Gibbs and Lisa Walters. Both have served on the council for three years. In his speech, Charlie mentioned that he would like to see the council act as a liaison between teachers and students on such issues like smoking and walking in the halls. As well, he wants to have many theme dances and at least one concert and video road show - and perhaps the return of the (in) famous juke box. Candidate number two, Lisa Walters, emphasized the need to obtain and distribute student funds more efficiently. She would also like to see an increase in social events, like dances and concerts.

Vicki Hughes has already been selected Senior Vice-President because she was the only one running for the position. The job of Treasurer will go either to Jennifer Becker or Cary Gardiner. Bonnie Clark is running against Sarah Gurr for Secretary and Tammie Davidson and Kim Lavallee are competing for Junior Vice-President. Good Luck to all candidates!

Bonjour! Le leçon pour aujourd'hui est le club français! No.

### GDHS run/walk

The Third Annual Georgetown District High School Run/Walk will go as scheduled on May 27.

Town Council approved the use of town roads for the event Monday following a request by GDHS vice principal Joe Bray.

The walk will start at the high school at 9 a.m. then travel west on Maple Avenue to Main Street, north on Main Street to Park Avenue then east on Park Avenue to Mill Street. The run/walkers will then head west on Mill Street sidewalk to Main Street, south on Main Street to Maple Avenue and east on Maple Avenue to the high school finishing at approximately 9:45 a.m.

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## Flickering lights and smoke at AHS



### AHS report

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It was so exciting at AHS on Wednesday! Lights were going off and on, the smell of smoke surrounded the office and student services, the fire department was called...but it was a false alarm. A ballast had blown in the ceiling, causing a terrible smell to come through the air conditioner. But now all is well at Acton High.

Speaking of burning...actually, the ladies in the cafeteria are great cooks, and the heavenly aromas of beef stroganoff, lasagna, bacon burgers and, of course french fries are always accompanied by a smile. Faye Sherk, Daphne Knapman and Marlene Kempton have seen students come and go in the years they've worked, and really enjoy their jobs.

Mrs Sherk pointed out that the students here are "french-fry crazy" and the seniors are better eaters than the juniors.

A lot of students probably don't realize it, but the cafe is independently run. Besides being here at 7 a.m. to bake, the ladies also cater to special functions, donate funds for special causes, buy new drapes and blinds for the cafe, and pay for the new weight room equipment.

The ladies are also giving each and every student a ticket for a free hamburger, drink and doughnut. Thank-you ladies.

The great lip-sinc contest played for a packed audience Wednesday. The Outers sponsored the contest to raise money for coming trips and

equipment maintenance, and to help pay for the canoe that was stolen (who would steal a canoe?).

The contest featured six bands. Slayer came close. Bands came and went, but the winners came last. Rick "yup" Salo and Viral "howdy" Chandra stole the show with their rendition of "Thank God I'm a Country Boy" by John Denver. I should tell you that this contest was a battle between two bands, and the winner was decided by a skill testing question. Never mind the question, or the answer.

The Outers pulled in "wads of

dough" and the winners received \$25 for their efforts. The group leaves for their trip to Algonquin Park on Friday (that's today). The group isn't allowed to light a campfire due to the forest fire warnings. Little does the group realize that campfires scare bears away...

The band is having an appreciation night for all those people who supported their trip to Florida. Guests will view slides from the trip, and hopefully they'll play a song or two.

### TOP TEN MOVIE RENTALS

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| 1 <sup>st</sup> Top Gun           | 6 <sup>th</sup> Howard The Duck    |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> Cobra             | 7 <sup>th</sup> Police Academy III |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> Maximum Overdrive | 8 <sup>th</sup> The Money Pit      |
| 4 <sup>th</sup> Manhattan Project | 9 <sup>th</sup> Murphy's Law       |
| 5 <sup>th</sup> Raw Deal          | 10 <sup>th</sup> Delta Force       |



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