# Art in the park

Andrew DeBoer of Georgetown displays his wood montage at the Art in the Park show at Cedervale Park July 4. Many local artists and some from surrounding areas displayed their crafts at the Art in the Park show

Saturday. Good weather and crowds attending the high school reunion provided a good turnout for the one day event. (Herald photo)

## Dairy Princess conducts milk quiz

Ontario Dairy Princess competition

at the C.N.E. A letter was read from

the Brampton West twin branch of

Carleton Siding in P.E.I. and printed information was shown. There will

be future correspondence between

the two branches.

Hy KAY WILSON Herald Special

NORVAL— The public relations meeting of the Brampton West Womens Institute was held June 9 at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Isobelle Mc-Clure. The president Isobel McKay opened the meeting with the poem "June". Secretary Isobel Fraser recorded the minutes.

Angela Leslie, Dairy Princess of Peel, spoke to the members about her year as Dairy Princess and con-ducted a quiz on dairy products:

Wilma Archdeacon thanked Angela and wished her well in the

Insurance company

gets green light.

### The roll call, a thought about water emphasized that water was important to us in many ways, phsically, financially and emotionally. Isobelle McClure told how water

has played a vital roll in every aspect of life in Canada, from the time of the first inhabitants. The great lakes were the water

highway, which was used to transportate the first exports of pelts, for shipments to Europe.

The Sweetwater Seas, as they were called by the early explorers, have been a valuable asset exonomically. We benefit from them, but also abuse them to our own detri-

Recently all levels of government have realized the problem and have been able to improve the quality of water. It is the responsibility of every citizen, young and old alike, to assist in preserving this essential and valuable resource.

### United Church closed for July

NORVAL - Norval United Church will be closed for the month of July while Rev, Walter and Marg Ridley are on holidays. Members be attending Norval

Presbyterian or the church of their

Get well wishes to Cambell Sinclair of Georgetown who is a pa-tient in Toronto General Hospital.

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### Guelph Street.

Dunlop Insurance have been given the green light by the Ontario Municipal Board to move into 500

The OMB made the decision official June 26 after giving verbal approval to the rezoning application at the May 25 hearing.

The owners of Art's Photographic Centre, located at 504 Guelph Street, took their complaints of lack of park-ing on Arthur Street to the OMB.

Art Jakobson and his wife questioned whether parking spaces on the Dunlop Insurance property will be enough to accommodate customer and employee needs.

Town Planning Director Ian Keith said engineers have determined the parking problems can be resolved.

The land will be rezoned to allow

commercial use of the house which was previously zoned residential.

Another friendly mainstay of the

Brass Thimble is Scarlet - a five-

year-old black Labrador who oc-

### Brass Thimble takes on new flavor

The Brass Thimble country crafts store has given the thumbs up to expanding in its Terra Cotta location.

Owner Marilyn Laugesen is busy rearranging her store and putting the finishing touches on a small addition in order to display pinery products, limited edition prints and watercolors.

The additions will add new dimension to the Brass Thimble which already sells prints, pottery, glass sculptures, duck decoys, hobby horses and a host of other unique

The biggest venture is the limited edition prints, Mrs Laugesen said. Featured artists include Liz

Lesperance, John Petrella, Jim Majury and Georgetown's own Shirley Deaville. She hopes to include works from Terra Cotta artists Elsie and Glenda Norgrove.

Mrs. Laugesen came upon the pine furniture by accident. She acquired a pine washboard one day and it happened to sell very quickly so she decided to try a variety of pinery products and it took off from there.
"They like the country pine look,"

she sald, "Original pine antiques are very costly and a lot of people prefer to have reproductions because snapped up quickly. they're getting new wood."

"I don't go to the gift stores and just buy stuff. I have a lot of people that I was the first store they ever

cupies the back of the store and wags his tail at customers coming through the door. "He's part of the store," Mrs. Laugesen said. But Mrs. Laugesen also gets in on-

Brass Thimble.

the act making some specialized crafts herself. She makes popular items like welcome mats, hobby horses and clown dolls which get

Running a country craft store like the Brass Thimble can be quite time consuming, Mrs. Laugesen said. "I'm pretty well on the go from the supplied," Mrs. Laugesen said of the crack of dawn onwards," she said.

### Spot checks nab unwary drivers

Police spot checks resulted in 267 charges Halton wide in the month of

Of that number 237 were Highway Traffic Act charges and 30 fell into the category various other charges, There were 24 arrests resulting from spot checks and every driver given a breath test in Halton in May was charged with impaired driving. There were 20 impaired driving charges laid as a result of spot checks in Halton in May, Eight of those were laid in District 1 (Halton Hills and Milton).

Halton police stopped 1,639 cars in May and on top of all those charges 293 warnings were issued.

In District 1 752 cars were stopped and 122 warnings were given out. There were 58 Highway Traffic Act charges and eight arrests resulting from the spot check program in District 1 in May. Eight people failed

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the breath test after being stopped

by a spot check. So far this year Halton Regional Police have stopped 11,385 cars, issued 1,692 warnings, fold 1,208 charges under the Highway Traffic act, laid 141 other charges, arrested 94 people and 49 people have been given breath tests - all 49 were

charged with impaired. Five people have refused the breath test so far this year.

He's apart of the store - Marilyn Laugesen and her dog Scarlet are get-

ting along just fine at the Brass Thimble country craft store in Terra Cotta. The Brass Thimble has now begun selling limited edition prints and plnery products like the wash stand on Mrs, Laugesen's left. She also makes hobbyhorses like the one clutched in her hands here. (Herald



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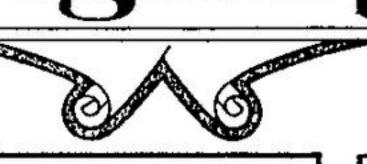
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