

"And here we have these people saying, please, don't do anything, and here we are trying to ram \$1 million down their throat."  
Councillor Norm Elliott on residents of Wildwood Road who opposed reconstruction of the road. From Jan. 21 paper.

"Hey, we're here; we've come alive."  
New Block Parents Committee Chairperson Bonnie Guise after the Acton and Georgetown Block Parents joined forces to give the program a boost.

"Last year we planted flowers up there, but they kind of died from the smoke."  
GDHS student council President Debbie Pentecost talking about the school courtyard after smoking was banned from the smoking area courtyard, and the school Feb. 11.

"My first reaction was panic, then, maybe it's just a rumor, then, how are we going to handle it?"  
Mayor Russ Miller reacted to the possibility of a private firm operating a dump in the Acton quarry Feb. 18.

"I couldn't believe it. This came as a total surprise. I still have to let it sink in."  
Georgetown Girls Pipe Band Pipe Major Virginia Hulme on being chosen the Georgetown Citizen of the Year Feb. 25.

"I'm sorry then, I don't have the time today to change my mind."  
Regional Councillor Pam Sheldon on a proposal by City of Burlington lawyer Michael McQuaid to name the Milton landfill site as Halton's preferred site. From March 4 paper.

"If we knuckled under to that kind of request the employees would be running the business."  
ECF Metal Fabricators Ltd. Vice-President Irene Saunders commented on a threat by 12 employees to walk off the job unless their pay period was not changed from every two weeks to every week. From March 18 paper.

"I'm so angry, I'm shaking."  
Town Councillor Pam Sheldon's reaction to the decision by the Halton Board of Education's refusal to fund a Steeplechase at Georgetown District High School March 11.

"She borrowed one cent from me to scratch it with, and I haven't got it back yet."  
Bill Watt remembered he gave his wife Eva a penny to scratch a Scratch and Win lottery ticket which was a \$10,000 winner. From March 23 paper.

"Indian claims to property owned by the Town of Halton Hills will prevent the municipality from building a new town hall."  
From an April 1 story which said the Silver Creek Indian band would demand compensation for the 29 acre site. The April Fools Day story proved to be unfounded.

"It's like the Academy Awards for amateur theatre."  
Globe Theatre member Lois Fraser commented on the success of the Globe Theatre and the Georgetown Little Theatre at the annual THEA awards. From April 8 paper.

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**ANNOUNCEMENT**

The Herald is pleased to announce the hiring of Cheryl Moulder as a reporter in the editorial department. Ms. Moulder, 22, is a graduate of the Conestoga College School of Journalism.  
She comes to The Herald from the Moose Jaw Times-Herald where she handled general assignment reporting. A native of Elmira, Ms. Moulder will be responsible for police, fire and education reporting along with feature writing and general assignments.

Halton Hills wasn't informed of an impending proposal to put a dump in the Acton quarry. From May 6 newspaper.

"The only good thing about a boat is it doesn't depreciate like a car."  
Karla Rattenbury made that observation after her family completed a ten year long vigil to build their own boat. From May 13 paper.

"Our (provincial) driving test is a joke. Eighty-five per cent of the accidents are caused by driver error."  
Newspaper automotive columnist Jim Kenzie criticized the driving test in a May 20 story.

"The fact that there is no accountability on the part of the board to the public scares me."  
Dr. Jack Ford support group spokesman Paul McDougall talked about the procedures and policies of the Georgetown Hospital Board May 27.

"I consider it to be an enormous mistake. I did it on the advice that I don't consider good advice."  
Shieldings Inc. spokesman Terrence Goddall commented on his decision to talk to Milton Mayor Gordon Krantz about the possibility of a dump in the Acton quarry. From June 3 paper.

"I think most parents would be happy to pick up their kid and talk about it later."  
Students Against Drunk Driving member Theresa Gale urged parents to sign a Contract For Life. From June 17 paper.

"This is one party you won't want to miss."  
From a June 17 editorial urging people to return to the Georgetown District High School for the Centennial Reunion.

"I don't believe that smokers have rights. They are not doing anything to help us."  
Town Councillor Pam Johnston discussed the possibility of controlling smoking in public places in a June 24 story.

"I hope people will still express an interest and come out next year and won't disappear into the wood-work."  
David Blaney, a supporter of open Hospital Board meetings, commented on the results of a vote in which all the new board candidates were defeated. From June 30 story.

"Quite simply, amazing."  
A headline in the Herald July 8 summed up the feeling of more than 3,000 people who attended the Georgetown District High School reunion from July 3-5.

"I've been in business for some time now. In making decisions I felt I was making meaningful contributions to the community. I didn't feel that was part of my contribution as a Liberal back-bencher."  
Liberal MPP Don Knight explained the reasons why he chose not to run in the upcoming provincial election in a July 8 story.

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"God knows what would have happened if we hadn't been here."  
Mrs. Andrew Kavanaugh discovered a fire in her neighbor's home on Academy Road in Georgetown and called the fire department Aug. 26. Mrs. Kavanaugh and neighbors woke up the sleeping tenant in the home in time to get him to safety. From Sept. 2 paper.

"After the '71 election on Halloween night... we lost that night... the next day my kid got beat up in the schoolyard for being a dirty rotten Liberal."  
New Halton North MPP Walt Elliot recalled the days when being a Liberal wasn't popular at his victory speech at the Acton Legion election night, Sept. 10.

"We sure won't have to work out an accord with them this time."  
Liberal MPP quipped at the large

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**The year in quotes**

a provincial review of Halton Region. The paper severely criticized regional government. From July 15 paper.

"I suspect that the noise in the election is everybody's but Peterson's."  
Local Conservative executive member Ted Hilton said the Premier isn't indicating an election is imminent in a July 22 story.

"I'm sure he's just trying to swing some mud around."  
Liberal candidate for the Halton North nomination Joe Hewitt dented claims by Conservative Jim Sheldon he was a card carrying Conservative who was jumping on the Liberal bandwagon. From July 29 paper.

"It sounds like a report card system when you put stars beside those who contribute more than other people."  
Regional Chairman Pete Pomeroy denounced Burlington Mayor Roly Bird's practice of keeping track of councillors' remarks. From Aug. 5 paper.

"I've stood on a podium like this. You feel like your guts are ripped out. You go away and you put the pieces back together."  
Liberal candidate Walt Elliot consoled the other candidates after winning the Liberal nomination for the new Halton North riding Aug. 7.

"There is a possibility that we may not have a place to put our garbage for two years."  
Milton Mayor Gordon Krantz commented on Halton's looming garbage crisis when regional councillors found out the Burlington Landfill site was scheduled to close in February. From Aug. 19 paper.

"I don't know why people, and sophisticated people, think there's a free lunch in this world because there isn't."  
Better Business Bureau President Paul Tuz said "there ain't no bargain" in an Aug. 25 story about a Georgetown resident who was caught in a holiday scam from a U.S. firm.

"The approval of an untendered contract for services of this magnitude within confidential minutes... certainly does not appear correct and honest and in my opinion is unprecedented."  
Real Estate Manager Finn Poustrup charged that councillors improperly awarded services to Stephen Saxe to sell 15 lots on

majority the Liberals received in the Sept. 10 election that his party won't have to make any deals with the NDP to remain in power. From Sept. 16 paper.

"I am not amused."  
Replied Coun. Pam Sheldon to a comment, quoted in a Burlington paper, by Mayor Russ Miller that went: "It was a tough win; pigs aren't attracted to me. I have five of them on council." The Mayor was referring to a hog calling contest which he won. From Sept. 23 paper.

"If your kid is having a birthday party and you want to invite somebody across the street, you mail the letter in Georgetown, it goes to Gateway and then comes back to Georgetown to be delivered."  
Joe Paonessa, vice-president of the local Canadian Union of Postal Workers, explained why the new postal system takes at least one day longer because of an extra step. From Sept. 30 paper.

"We feel that we have the right to choose our lifestyle. We feel that we shouldn't be forced to change our lifestyle because of development in Halton Hills."  
Willow Trailer Park resident Roger Perryman appealed to council for help in finding another site for the park. From Oct. 7 paper.

"It's discrimination. We have to fight for our rights. If teachers can, we should be able to smoke inside the school."  
GDHS student Julie Van Alphen commented on the student protest Oct. 16 in which about 300 students blocked off Highway 7 for over an hour demanding the return of their smoking area.

"We're going to throw away for sure \$2.8 million - possibly \$8 or \$10 million."  
Milton Mayor Gordon Krantz disagreed with the Region's decision to open up a new transfer station in Burlington to export Halton's waste. From Oct. 28 paper.

"(Dr. Ford) is an absolutely first class operator. He is technically the best I have worked with (in obstetrics and gynecology)."  
Dr. Adriane Hobart, a general surgeon who assisted Dr. Ford on some operations praised him in the first day of Dr. Ford's case before the Ontario Hospital Appeals Board. From Oct. 21 paper.

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Princess Anne Drive. From Nov. 4 paper.

North York Mayor Mel Lastman at a Chamber of Commerce dinner recalled how a Montreal magazine dubbed him the greatest salesman in the country.

"I'll be darned if I'll refute that title."

"I really get the feeling that you're more interested in covering (yourselves) than you are about safety."

Committee About Safe Traffic President Murray Brownridge urged truckers to be more careful when driving, at a town Pits and Quarries committee meeting. From Nov. 18 paper.

A single sentence explanation on why council decided to fire Administrative Clerk Joe Simon Nov. 23 read:

"Council recognized that the relationship with the administrator clerk had broken down."

"This is one element in a pattern... of unfairness on the part of the

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hospital for the purposes of gaining a tactical advantage."

Dr. Jack Ford's lawyer Gavin MacKenzie claimed the Georgetown Hospital lawyer's attempt to introduce 19 new cases into the hearings was unfair. From Dec. 9 paper.

"You know who your friends are when you need them."

Gerry Kentner commented on all the help offered by friends when their business, Kentner's Social Catering, was damaged by flames in a Dec. 10 fire.

"They even make you feel as though you're a person again."

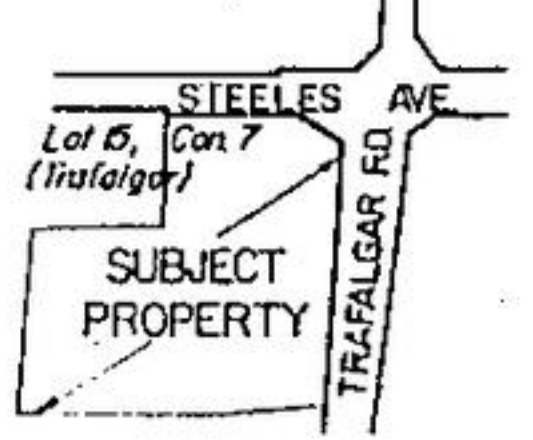
Mary Franks congratulated the nursing staff of the Georgetown District Memorial Hospital for their work in helping her son Paul who was injured in a car accident.

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**COURTESY NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING**  
**WARD 2**  
(Steeles Avenue/Trafalgar Road)



General Committee of the Town of Halton Hills will conduct a Public Meeting to examine and discuss a proposed amendment to the former Town of Oakville By-law 1965-136 to permit the rezoning of a property described as Part of Lot 15, Concession 7 (former Town of Oakville) for a gas bar, donut shop and farmers market. The subject property is situated on the southwest corner of Steeles Avenue and Trafalgar Road.

Time: 7:00 p.m.  
Date: January 4, 1988  
Location: Halton Hills Administration Building, Trafalgar Road

Further information is available in the Planning Department.

ALL INTERESTED CITIZENS ARE WELCOME  
Bruce D. MacLean, B.A., M.C.I.P.  
Deputy Planning Director

**PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENTION**

**TO CHANGE STREET NAME OF CINDY PLACE TO CINDY DRIVE**  
NOTICE is hereby given that the Council for the Corporation of the Town of Halton Hills intends to pass a By-law to change the name of that street which is presently known as Cindy Place to Cindy Drive. The street is located in Glen Williams and lies to the north of Wildwood Road.

The Council or a Committee of Council will hear any person who claims that they will be adversely affected by by-law and who applies to be heard at a meeting to be held in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Offices on Trafalgar Road on the 11th day of January, 1988 at the hour of 7:00 o'clock.

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