

Outlook on Halton Hills

In the hills

Store robbed on Main St.

A white male fled on foot following a 10:30 p.m. robbery at the Georgetown General Store Wednesday. A male armed with a stick and knife with his face covered by a black ski mask entered the convenience store at 110 Main St. and demanded money from the female clerk. He then fled on foot with approximately \$285. The thief is described as a white male between 16 and 20 with dark eyes. He is between 150 and 160 pounds and stands between 5'8" and 5'9".

If anyone has information they can contact the Halton Hills Regional Police Criminal Investigation Bureau at 878-5511, ext. 416.

Single parent?

Are you a single parent interested in attending family activities, discussions, card nights or dances? Well, the Brampton Parents without Partners is holding an information meeting on Monday, March 28 at 7 p.m. The information meeting, which is being held at the Bramalea Civic Centre, will be followed by a general meeting at 8 p.m. A guest speaker has been arranged for both of the two meetings. For more information, please call either Irene at 456-7351 or Collette at 456-2982.

Euchre evening

Come and join in for an evening of Euchre, March 18 at 7:30 p.m. at the Optimist Hall, on Highway 7, one mile north of Georgetown. Admission is \$3 and \$2 for seniors. Refreshments and prizes are offered. Transportation is available, call 877-4569.

Scholarships

Graduating students in Halton have the opportunity to win one of 10 entrance awards to the University of Guelph, worth \$18,000 each. The prestigious President's Scholarships recognize outstanding academic and leadership ability. School principals are now making nominations (due April 1) for this year's awards.

The first 10 recipients of the awards are studying arts, science and agriculture at the University of Guelph. Jenny Bowe, a graduate of Peterborough Collegiate in Ontario, and Sean Morrissy, a graduate of Fredericton High School in New Brunswick, are typical of this group of exceptional students.

Jenny, an arts student, is a member of the governing council of her residence, has worked backstage on two plays and will be visiting high schools as a student ambassador for the University of Guelph. Sean, who is studying biology, finds time to volunteer on the recreation staff of a local home for the aged, act in a student production and volunteer at the university's wild bird clinic. Both are enthusiastic members of a volleyball team made up of the President's Scholarship recipients.

Further information on the President's Scholarships is available from Garry Davidson, Assistant Registrar, Awards, University of Guelph, 519-824-4120, ext. 8796.



Bird-watcher
Ulrich Watermann is seen here with his Golden Eagle and Peregrine Falcon. Mr. Watermann was a head table guest of the 3rd Acton Scout parent-son banquet Feb. 23 held at the Legion Hall. (Photo by Jean Layman)

Halton Big Brothers screened, interviewed

By ROSE STARRATT
WANTED!

Males over the age of eighteen with good morals, who have at least four hours a week to spare and feel that they have something to share with a boy between the ages of six and sixteen.

These are the only prerequisites to becoming a Big Brother. Big Brothers come from all walks of life and social background. They don't have to be rich, single or athletic, some of the misconceptions people hold.

These special men are needed by Little Brothers who also come from every social background. Their interests are as varied as any cross-section of this age group. The only common factor these boys share with each other is that they come from father-absent homes.

It is important to note that this is not a judgement of the fathers or an attempt of the Big Brother to become the father figure. Big Brothers are exactly what the name implies, a Big Brother, a role model, someone who has a shared interest and can spend time with a Little Brother.

All men who apply to be a Big Brother are screened and interviewed. Upon acceptance, they are matched with a boy who will share his in-

terests and benefit from the relationship.

The Big Brother agency organizes activities throughout the year for matched pairs and unmatched Little Brothers to participate in. These include a Christmas party, tobogganing at Bronte Provincial Park, sailing and a family picnic where families of the Big and Little Brothers get a chance to meet and have fun.

Big and Little Brothers also plan activities with each other such as a movie, walks in the park, a game of catch, hiking or visiting a museum. Several establishments will let the Little Brother in for free when accompanied by his Big Brother.

The relationship is a two-way street. Not only is the match therapeutic for the Little Brother in that it helps him deal with his sense of father loss, but it gives the Big Brother a sense of pride in that he helps to build and strengthen, to help a boy achieve his full potential. Often, these relationships last a lifetime.

If you are one of these special men or feel that you know one who would be an excellent Big Brother, phone the Big Brother office at 845-6456 or 876-4756 for more information.

There are about 30 unmatched Little Brothers who need your companionship.

Feb. 28 Scout parade to remember founders

By JEAN LAYMAN
Outlook Special

The annual 2nd Georgetown Scout Parade was held the morning of Feb. 28 at the St. George's Anglican Church to remember Lord and Lady Baden-Powell's birthday. Rev. Tom Kingston welcomed the Scouting members to the service.

Cub Mitchell Dodd read the 1st reading, Genesis 17:1-10, 15-19. The second reading was by Assistant Cubmaster Jim Collier, Mark 8:31-38.

Rev. Tom Kingston offered the story of Abraham and Sarah. Rev. Kingston also told of his Cub and Scout days in Chatham which he will always remember.

Lay reader Tom Parry instructed Cub Philip Elliott for the 3rd Stage of the Religion In Life award. Mr. Parry presented the coveted badge and certificate to Philip during the service.

Assistant Cubmaster Jim Collier and Venturer Advisor Brian Collier took up the offering and Venturer Advisor Brent Collier read the Litany of Thanksgiving.

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