

Halton Hills Outlook

Community Calendar

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JULY 17—From 11:45 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. the Halton Farm Festival will be a day of fun for the entire family of the Halton Agricultural Museum in Milton. The event will celebrate the centennial of the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food. Lunch starts at noon with pioneer games for children and a tug of war beginning at 1:00 p.m. OMAF Deputy Minister Clayton Switzer will present awards to Halton residents at 1:30 and the fashion show of period costumes begins at 1:45. The farmer olympics will begin at 2:45 p.m. Tickets are available by calling 878-2341.

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It was follow the leader last week at Prospect Park as these local youngsters engaged in a caterpillar race as part of the Halton Hills rec department's Crazy Olympics. It's a good bet these same kids cooled off after their activity with a quick dip in Fairy Lake. (Herald photo)

Metro Foster Parents dispute may hurt Halton CAS

Foster parents dropping out of the adoption system in Metro could have a negative impact on Halton, said Executive Director of Halton's Children's Aid Society, Ron Coupland.

"Because Toronto is losing its foster care (over funding disputes) regular kids are being placed in more expensive settings, settings we would normally use for very difficult children," said Mr. Coupland.

Increases announced July 4 by Minister of Community and Social Services John Sweeney promised

Metro Toronto more money but the Toronto foster parents don't feel it's adequate.

"We are sympathetic to them. It probably costs the average foster parent a substantial amount of money to support a child. It does cost to foster, and we don't think it should," said Mr. Coupland.

The July 4 paper offered Toronto foster parents an increase of an average 6.8 per cent, bringing the daily rate per child up to \$23.69. In Halton, the rate will be \$16.93 as of January 1, said Mr. Coupland.

The heart of the money dispute is outlined in the February pamphlet released by the Ontario Association of Children's Aid Societies. The pamphlet compares the 1987 daily average of \$21.62 for foster parent care to the \$41.60 - \$48.80 for a comparable program in the Ministry of Community and Social Services.

And the lack of funding has impact on Halton and Metro Toronto. "If substantial resources are not forthcoming, the society foster care system will become extinct and will

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