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#### Wards 1, 2 Winter road reports available

The Ontario Ministry of Transportation's Winter Road Reporting Service for the public went into operation Monday.

The Road Information Centre at ·Toronto and the ministry's offices throughout the province have up-todate information on the condition of

all provincial and secondary highways, 24 hours a day. Information on winter road conditions may be obtained around the clock by telephoning 1-800-268-1376, or 1-800-268-1387 in the 416 Area

Code: or 1-800-265-5407 in the 519



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## Commercial/Industrial Lot Levy Study

The Regional Municipality of Halton has undertaken a study to investigate the viability and appropriateness of charging a lot levy to all new commercial and industrial developments in Halton Region. This charge would be paid by the developer prior to construction.

The complete study and proposed amounts are available to any interested party by calling Gary Scandlan, Regional Finance Department, at the numbers set out below, Extension 359. Regional Council invites comments on this study by January 17,

Burlington/Oakville/Milton Halton Hills/Georgetown Halton Hills/Acton

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David J. Varley Regional Clerk



#### Tallying up

The two new councillors for Ward 2, rural Hulton IIllis, confer as election results come in at Alcott Arena. There was less than 200 votes difference between overall ward win- the other seat. (Herald photo)

ner Robert Heaton, (left) and Don McQueen, who picked up 1,534 vales. All Spence (right) was 89 votes behind Mr. Heaton at 1,627, to take

## Scotsdale Farm is back in picture for board

The Halton Board of Education will negotiate for at least "shared" access to Scotsdale Farm near Ballinafad.

In a 10-6 vote, Board trustees opted to amend a motion put forward by Acton trustee Arlene Bruce. Trustee Bruce appealed to Board members to enter into negotiations with the Ontario Heritage Foundation before the Dufferin-Peel Separate Board gains exclusive access to Scotsdale's facilities.

"Scotsdale Farm is, what you might say, on the auction block at the present time. If you pass up Scotsdale at this time, a year hence we may be sorrowfully wishing we had such a facility," she said.

Trustee Bruce's recommendation brought before trustees Thursday night asked for the Halton Board to be "major user" of the 540-acre area with a "working farm," streams. trees and waterfalls.

But trustees objected to Halton's exclusive use, especially in light of Dufferin-Peel's "vigorous" negotiations with the OHF.

Georgetown Board trustee Dick Howitt said "another look" at Scotsdale is necessary, and said "perhaps we could discuss sharing the facilities with other boards."

Trustee Howitt was formerly on record as opposing a deal with the OHF for Scotsdale because it would be "too costly" if the Halton Board were to manage and maintain the farm. The six trustees who voted against

negotiations for Scotsdale, which could cost the Board up to \$81,000 according to Board staff member Sue Amos, said Halton already has "terrific" outdoor education facilities. "We don't have to go and spend

huge chunks of dollars," said Buriington trustee Peter Abbott. Our programs are "tailored to Halton Region," he said. And other trustees rejected the financial commitment of Scotsdale.

"We have so many other pressing needs in this system. I can't justify this kind of spending to taxpayers." said Burlington trustee Diane Filman. In a presentation by Ms. Amos, the

Board was told of two alternatives for use of Scotsdale. Alternative One would cost a total of \$81,000 and would include the addition of two portables, two washrooms, hydro and water power installations, a

### Peel Panto presents

The Peel Panto Players will present Mother Goose at the Lester B. Pearson Theatre at 150 Central Park Drive in Bramalea.

Presentation dates are Nov. 25, 26, and 27, and Dec. 1, 2, 3, and 4. For more information on tickets and times call 793-4600

small parking area and yearly management costs of \$15,000.

Alternative Two, as presented to the Board, would see the OHF providing \$140,000 in capital funding to be paid with interest during a 20year lease period. The first year, the Halton Board would pay \$36,000, the second year, about \$34,000

But Pauline Laing, Superintendent of Curriculum Services said the suggested funding has not been negotiated by the Board but is "a suggested starting point."

At an October board meeting, Mrs. Bruce asked trustees to waive the rules to enter into "immediate" negotiations for Scotsdale Farm with the OHF. Her motion was rejected. Thursday night, Burlington trustee Dave Coons offered an amendment to Mrs Bruce's recommendation.

"If our staff feel this strongly (about Scotsdale) there must be good reason," he said. He suggested another report be presented to the Board. "I don't think we've entirely done our homework."

Despite the amendment, some trustees remained opposed to Scotsdale negotiations. Burlington trustee Noel Cooper said trustee Bruce was giving the Board a "sales pitch, I can't support this (motion),"

And Burlington trustee Peter Abbott said because he doesn't want to "duplicate" services in Halton, be would not support a Scotsdale negotiation "in any way, shape or

form." In support of Scotsdale, trustees Marg Bullock (Burlington), Patty Wilcox (Oakville) and Bob Clarke (Milton), said they would agree to sharing the facilities with other school boards.

The Board will enter negotiations with the OHF and will return results to trustees for review. More in depth information will be provided for trustees at a later date, according to Board chairman Pat Hillhouse



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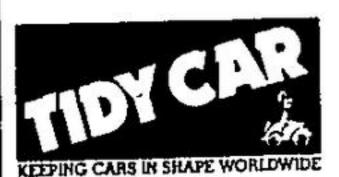
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## Career fashions highlighted

Women in careers will be highlighted at Fashlon Works, being held at Georgetown District High School tonight (Wednesday, Nov. 18)

at 7 p.m. The fashion show will feature the latest in practical womenswear for all types of careers. Lary Day Blues will provide all the garments, which will include brand names from Mexx, Hollywood, Tanglers, and others

Lazy Day Blues, along with GDHS' Marketing Education Club of

Canada Association (MECCA) are hosting the event. Admission is \$3 each and there will be refreshments and a draw for a \$100 gift certificate from Lazy Day Blues.

Several other stores are also getting involved with the show, including Up, Up and Away Balloons, which is constructing an archway of balloons for the stage

Tickets to Fashion Works are available from Lazy Day Blues, Up. Up and Away, and Victoria Lane.

# In the hills

#### **Bright Kids**

The Halton Chapter of the Association for Bright Children will host a Halton Discovery Centre Thursday, Nev. 24 at 7:30 p.m. at the East Education Centre, 1257 Sedgewick Cresc., Oakville.

Guest speakers will be Susan Bourne, resource support; and Barb Irving, discovery centre teacher.

The discovery centre provides opportunities for the students to focus on use of higher level knowledge and skills, increase awareness of various forms of communication, and encourage self-directed learning and a feeling of self-worth. For more information, call 335 5082, or 681-2761

#### Winners named

The winners of the Trip of the Month Raffle sponsored by the Optimist Club and TWG Travel Inc. of Georgetown have been announced.

Wade Cox of Bramalea, holding Ticket No. 21, won the first prize of a \$1,500 travel voucher valid for any travel facilities through TWG. Second prize of \$120 was won by Diana Anderson of Mississauga, who held Ticket No. 191.

The next Trip of the Month Raf-

## New lights

fle will be on Dec. 13.

The new stoplight system for the intersection of Guelph Street and Delrex Boulevard are scheduled to

go into use this week. An official says the lights will be activated during the middle of this week. They will be set in a "flashing" mode for one day and then will be activated for traffic control the following day.

#### Solo dance

The Brampton Solo Parents Associated Non-Profit Organization is hosting a Christmas Dance on Friday, Dec 9, from 8:30 p.m.

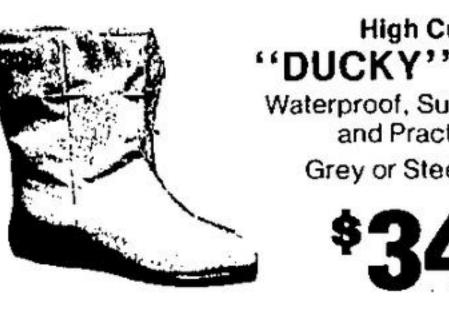
A deejay will provide entertainment and there will be a buffet as

well as door prizes. The dance is being held at the Peel Junior Farmers Building, 43 Elliott St., Brampton. For further information, call 877-8094, or 452-0348.



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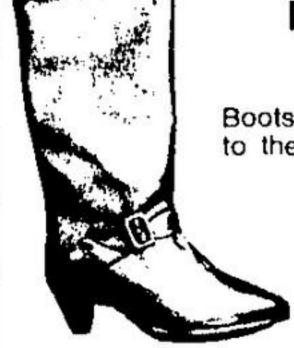
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