



Clothing in

The Mountainview Baptist Church in Georgetown held its Free Clothing Day Saturday afternoon at the church and there was such a selection that if you wanted to you could get lost. And that's exactly what organizer Laura Ellison and her son A.J. jokingly did Saturday. (Herald photo)

In the hills

Many moons

The Halton Hills Libraries present Many Moons, a presentation by the Purple Dragon Puppet Troupe on March 13 at 10:30 a.m. at the Georgetown Branch Library. The Purple Dragon Puppet Troupe consists of four talented people who combine the use of hand puppets, body puppets, marionettes and masks to tell the award-winning story of Many Moons. Children under five years old must be accompanied by an adult. Tickets are \$2 in advance.

For more information call 873-2681.

Euchre lunch

Peel South District Women's Institute is holding a euchre and bridge luncheon at the Blue Flame Room, 950 Burnhamthorpe Road March 6 at 12:30 p.m.

Tickets are \$3 at the door.

Lipsinc contest

The Halton Hills Recreation Department is holding an airband-lip sinc event Wednesday, March 7 from 7-9 p.m. at Ecole du Sacre Coeur on Maple Avenue in Georgetown.

The contest will be held in the gym. For more information drop into the recreation and parks department at the Halton Hills Civic Centre or call 873-2600.

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Taxpayers face 10.3% hike

Halton taxpayers could be facing a \$61.72 increase to their 1990 tax bill if Regional council approves the recommended 1990 operating tax-supported budget during a vote today (Wednesday).

If Halton's proposed tax-supported budget, which calls for a 10.3 per cent increase, is approved, the average Halton household will pay almost \$660 for all Regional services this year.

The Regional tax bill is made up of three components: the tax-supported budget for Regional services (such as police, health and public works); water and sewage rates; and the solid waste disposal budget.

The tax-supported budget calls for the average household to pay just over \$270 this year for Regional services - a \$26 or 10.7 per cent increase over 1989.

But households in Halton Hills are not recognized by the Region as average. Georgetown and Acton residents will see their costs for Regional services increase by 12.5 per cent. The 1.8 per cent difference is due to a special levy for several Credit Valley Conservation Authority capital projects that only pertain to Halton Hills, and a formula determining assessment, said the Region's treasurer, Joe Rinaldo.

Regional services are expected to cost almost \$100 million, said Mr. Rinaldo. The tax-supported budget represents about 60 per cent of the total tax bill.

The Region's director for budgets, Dave Birkett, said staff was confined in its ability to control the budget. He explained that 4.2 per cent of the 10.7 per cent in-

crease results from several provincial programs being offloaded on to the municipalities last year and in 1990. And since the inflation rate is about 6 per cent, Mr. Birkett said, "there wasn't much room for flexibility."

Provincially initiated programs introduced to the municipalities last year affecting the 1990 operating budget total just over \$1 million. Unemployment insurance and payments to the Ontario Health Insurance Plan represent the largest of this total adding \$470,000 to the budget.

New programs introduced this year by the province total just \$1.7 million. The largest expense is \$260,000 for court security.

But the Region did cut just over \$91,000 from the operating budget during the last two months. Most of the cuts were made in the area of administration.

Regional council has already approved increases to water and sewage rates of 4.3 and 7.3 per cent respectively over last year. The water rate will increase by \$6 from \$139 last year to \$145 in 1990. The sewage rate will increase by \$12 from \$168 to \$180.

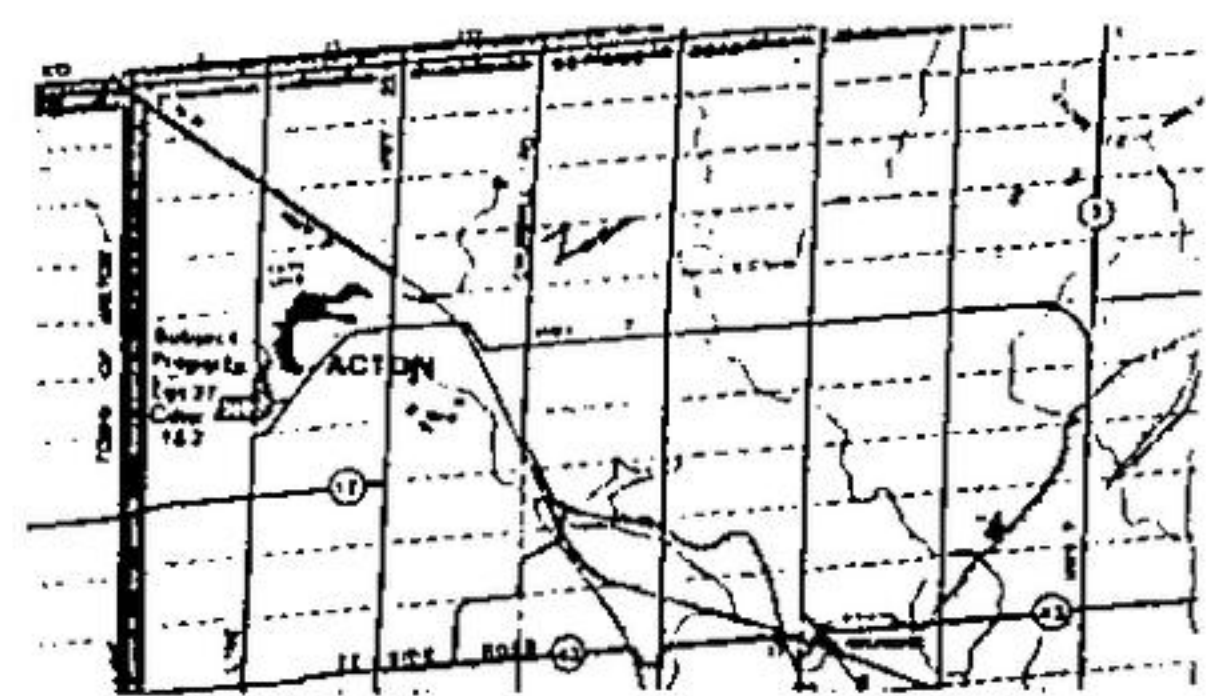
Council has also approved a solid waste disposal budget that calls for a 38.6 per cent increase from \$44 in 1989 to \$61 this year. This expense is expected to decrease in 1992 when Halton is expected to open its Regional dump site in Milton.



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COURTESY NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING
WARD 2/FIRST LINE



Council for the Town of Halton Hills will conduct a Public Meeting to examine and discuss proposed amendments to the Halton Hills Official Plan and Zoning By-law 74-51 to permit a plan of subdivision consisting of 15 estate lots.

The 13.95 hectare (34.47 acre) property is located on the west side of the Firts Line, between Highway No. 7 and Regional Road No. 12, and is described as Part of Lot 27, Concessions 1 and 2, Town of Halton Hills (Esqueusing).

Further information is available in the planning Department.

ALL INTERESTED CITIZENS ARE WELCOME

Time: 7:15 p.m.
Date: Tuesday, March 13, 1990
Location: Council Chamber
Halton Hills Civic Centre
1 Halton Hills Drive
Halton Hills (Georgetown)

File No.: H-89-11

AD. NO. 1214

Ralph Nader speaks

Those interested in hearing well-known citizen's crusader Ralph Nader speak will get a chance at the University of Guelph at noon March 7.

Mr. Nader will speak on Citizen Action in the '90s.

Admission to the lecture at Peter Clark Hall is \$2 for students and \$4 for adults.

Choristers sing

The Milton Choristers will perform an Easter concert at St. Paul's United Church in Milton at 7 p.m. March 25.

The performance will include Haydn's Lord Nelson Mass and Durusle's Requiem.

Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$8 for seniors and students. Tickets can be purchased at the door or by calling Karen Davidson at 878-8133.

St. Paul's Church is located on Main Street in Milton.

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COURTESY NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING
WARD 1/ACTON



Council for the Town of Halton Hills will conduct a PUBLIC MEETING to amend Zoning By-law 1358 to incorporate modifications and add another lot (Lot 23) for a single-family home within an existing 20 lot draft approved Plan of Subdivision. The revisions include a modification of Block 22 (Open Space Block) by adding a portion of the Block to the rear yard of the abutting residential lots (Lots 12-20).

The subdivision is located within the east end of the Acton Urban Area on the west side of Churchill Road immediately south of the Acton Curling Club.

Further information is available in the Planning Department.

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Time: 7:20 p.m.
Date: Tuesday, March 13, 1990
Location: Council Chambers
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1 Halton Hills Drive
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File No.: E-78-140
Ad. No. 1220



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WARD 2/FIRST LINE



Council for the Town of Halton Hills will conduct a Public Meeting to examine and discuss proposed amendments to the Halton Hills Official Plan and Zoning By-law 74-51 to permit a plan of subdivision consisting of 19 estate lots.

The 14.23 hectare (35.16 acre) property is located on the west side of the Firts Line, between Highway No. 7 and Regional Road No. 12, and is described as Part of Lots 28 and 29, Concession 1, Town of Halton Hills (Esqueusing).

Further information is available in the Planning Department.

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Date: Tuesday, March 13, 1990
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File No.: H-89-10

AD. NO. 1215