

Taking the challenge

TAKING THE CHALLENGE: The Pepsi Challenge came to Georgetown last week. Operating outside the A and P store, Julia Brown and Darren Lediard challenged customers to a Pepsi-Coke taste test.

Results were then fed into two small computer terminals at the desk. Above, Mike Egerton (left) and Todd Prucyk (right) take the test. (Herald photo)



SPICED PEACHES

Makes 7 Quart Jars

Ingredients:

12 cups sugar 8 cups vinegar

7 cinnamon sticks 2 tablespoons whole cloves 1 tablespoon whole allspice 16 pounds medium-size peaches

Method:

1. In a large, heavy stainless steel or enamel saucepan, combine the sugar, vinegar, cinnamon, cloves and allspice and bring to a boil. Simmer 30 minutes.

2. Wash and peel peaches and immediately drop them into cold salted water to prevent discolouring. 3. Add a few peaches at a time to the boiling syrup, just enough to

pack two jars at a time. Cook peaches for 5 minutes and remove them to clean quart jars with a slotted spoon.

4. When all the peaches have been cooked and packed, add one cinnamon stock to each jar and pour in the boiling syrup to within 1/2 inch of the top of the jar. Cap according to the manufacturer's directions and process in a hot water bath for 20 minutes.

Rollog Beat

Jewellery theft

Approximately \$200 in jewellery was taken from a Maple Avenue townhouse between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday. Police say a rear patio door of the home was pried open with a trailer axle found in the yard. The culprits entered the upstairs of home and ransacked dresser drawers in the master bedroom. After removing several items from a jewellery chest, the culprits began checking other bedrooms. However, VCR's and stereos were left untouched.

Watch stolen

A black \$100 Casio watch was reported stolen from the Acton public indoor swimming pool on Tuesday. The watch was taken between 2 to 4 p.m. from a changeroom locker.

Beer cases removed.

Police are asking for information involving the theft of 25 cases of empty beer bottles from a Maple Avenue residence between Wednesday at 8:45 a.m. and 5 p.m. Police say culprits entered an unlocked garage door of the residence and removed approximately 25 cases of empty beer bottles. An employee of the Guelph Street beer store gave police a description of a man who returned about 25 cases of empty beer bottles at 10:30 a.m. that morning. The employee described the man as wearing a black concert T-shirt, sunglasses, had feathered shoulder length brown hair, black jeans and a tatoo on his right arm. Anyone who could provide information is asked to contact Det. Sgt. Eacrett at Halton Regional Police C.I.B. or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-668-5511.

Norval residents to discuss post office

A community meeting to discuss possible closure of the Norval Post Office has been scheduled for this coming Wednesday, 5-7 p.m. at St. Paul's Anglican Church in Norval.

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