

# Halton Hills residents invited to join walk

Halton Hills residents have the opportunity to join a Native protest as the Freedom for Nitassinan Peace Walkers to pass through the own Thanksgiving weekend.

Approximately 20 Natives will walk through Georgetown and Acton as part of their 800 kilometre trek to a rally at the Department of Defence in Ottawa.

They are protesting low-level North Atlantic Treaty Organiza-

tion (NATO) bomber testing over their Labrador Innu homeland.

Approximately 18,000 flights cross over the land disrupting human and animal life. The number of flights are expected to double over the next year.

A group of Ontario walkers, who left Windsor on Sept. 23, will join the Innu walkers on their protest march.

Ontario participants will arrive

in Acton on Oct. 8 from Guelph on Highway 7 and will stay the night at Trinity United Church. They are scheduled to arrive in Georgetown the next afternoon and will speak to classes at Centennial Middle School.

A group from Windsor, which left Sept. 23, will join the Innu peace walkers.

The public is invited to join the protesters at a potluck dinner at St. John's United Church at 6 p.m. Later that evening the protesters will conduct an information session.

"They're going to discuss their non-violent means of confrontation," said Karn Wigston, St. John's Christian education minister and local march organizer.

"The walk is following in the tradition of Ghandi," said Mrs. Wigston. She explained that when someone walks through another's community it is expected the community will share concerns.

"It's a chance for us to get to know the people who are marching and their concerns," she said.

Anyone is welcome to participate in the march or in discussions with the Innu marchers.

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## Home Post Scripts

By Glenda Hughes

I guess, we like most professions, take a lot for granted, when it comes to assuming that the general public understands what we are talking about, and what our "jargon" means. Over the years, I have been quite aware of this in real estate, and find I sometimes oversimplify, rather than have people misunderstand me. However, I came across the use of a term the other day, that I instantly recognized as being a term that most people would not understand, unless they lived with a real estate sales agent or had asked about the term before. The word that could give you a lot of trouble, is "Board". We, in real estate, use the term freely, and we all understand it within the system, but I would hazard a guess that most of the general public don't have a clue about how this word can affect them.

In Georgetown and Acton, and surrounding area, our real estate "Board" is the Brampton Board. This means that all listings that are put on the MLS system, with a Board Member, will appear in our MLS books. However, if by chance, you have chosen an agent that works, say for the Toronto Board, your home will not appear in our books. Is this a problem? You bet it is. You see, homes that are not in our MLS books, more often than not, can get overlooked by our local sales reps, and then that home will not get shown. You lose all that exposure to your local reps, by not having a local rep put your home on the market. So, an important question to ask your sales rep of choice is, "What Board are you on?" Providing that you get the right answer you are OK, but if you hear another Board mentioned, you could be in for a nasty surprise. We boarder on several other Boards up here, one being the Milton-Oakville Board, the Mississauga Board, and the Guelph Board. Now, if you hear a statement like, "I can interboard your listing," then you had better check this out. Just where is the placement in the book, of your listing, when it is interboarded. Is it in the same section, as all the other listings, that would be your neighbours homes, that are on the local board; or is it in a special section that is just for "interboarding". If it is in a different section - stop right there and consider if you are doing the right thing. Homes listed in a different section, rarely get the studied glances that you would get if in the regular section. In my own case, I can tell you that I have looked at our "Out Of Board" section, about twice in the past year, and that was only because I was bored.

Now, after I tell you all this, I am about to confuse you a little, by letting you know that there is underway, at present, a new system that will let some Boards co-operate with each other with their listings, but this is far from ALL Boards, and it is still in the early stages of organizing it. So, to be sure you understand what is happening with the listing of your home, be sure to ask the appropriate questions - and be sure you get the right answers before you sign on the dotted line. In this market, you need all the help you can get with getting your home sold.

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## Learning Disabled presentation

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