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Dad's got the moves

At last Thursday's wrap-up performance of Halton Hills Recreation and Parks Summer Dance and Cheerleading Camp, camper Melissa Carter, 11, pulled dad Cory onto the floor to dance to *Time Warp* from *The Rocky Horror Picture Show*.

Photo by Ted Brown

Town to prepare several budget scenarios

By CYNTHIA GAMBLE
Staff Writer

Town staff will have some extra work to do in this election year when preparing the 2011 budget.

At the kick-off of the 2011 budget preparations Monday night, Halton Hills council voted to add an additional amendment directing financial staff to prepare budget scenarios with 6, 5, 4 and 3 per cent increases. That's to go along with the already 7.1 per cent operating budget increase proposed by Town staff.

Town Treasurer Ed DeSousa presented a preliminary budget projecting a \$30.1 million operating budget that included a 7.1 per cent increase (or \$25 per \$100,000 of home assessment). The Town's lowest assessment growth in 10 years and plans to build at least three ice surfaces in the next four years factored into the math, said DeSousa.

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Crash claims life of Acton truck driver

By LISA TALLYN
Staff Writer

A two-truck collision northeast of Guelph Monday morning has claimed the life of an Acton man.

Melvin Rolfe, 46, was pronounced dead at the scene of the crash at the in-

tersection of Wellington Rd. 124 and Wellington Road 26, south of Ospringe Wellington OPP reported Tuesday. A post mortem was to be held Tuesday.

Police say about 11:07 a.m. a 2001 Ford 550 dump truck driven by Rolfe

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