

Welcome to the 2nd Annual



Father's Day in Halton Hills

**We're counting down & inviting you to**

the second annual Big DADDY Festival – to celebrate Dads of all ages on Father's Day Weekend! This year's Festival kicks off in Downtown Georgetown on Friday June 17th, and runs through to Sunday June 19th – with events also taking place in Glen Williams, Willow Park Ecology Centre in Norval and Prospect Park in Acton!

The Big DADDY Festival is fast becoming a signature event in Halton Hills, bringing together an exciting array of cultural, sporting, and artistic events that give Dads and their families an opportunity to discover and explore the amazing and diverse resources of our community, and a chance to spend time together, start new traditions and create lasting memories!

The Festival has something for everyone, with a sidewalk sale, live bands - including Jordan John and the Blues Angels, street buskers, and dancers on Friday evening in Downtown

**ACTON, GEORGETOWN, GLEN WILLIAMS, NORVAL**



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**June 17-19, 2011**

[www.bigdaddyfestival.ca](http://www.bigdaddyfestival.ca)

Dance at a Street Concert, Make Art at the Williams Mill, Drive a Mighty Machine, Do a Random Act of Kindness, Join a Native Drum Circle, Win a Scavenger Hunt and so much more!

Sponsored by the Town of Halton Hills

Pay tribute to your DAD on THURSDAY, JUNE 16th.  
Your PHOTO & MESSAGE 2"x3" in colour! ONLY \$30 + HST!

Book in ASAP or by June 15th.

Call Amy Sykes 905-873-0301 or email [asykes@theifp.ca](mailto:asykes@theifp.ca)

**15 more sleeps!**

Georgetown, with the non-stop entertainment continuing through Saturday. Acton's Random Acts of Kindness week culminates with a family picnic at Prospect Park - enjoy face painting, yummy food, mighty machines and the Acton Idol Contest. Sunday is Big DADDY Day in Glen Williams, with the Williams Mill hosting demonstrations and interactive workshops incorporating glass blowing, painting, and clay wheel throwing and carving. Other Glen activities include: a Strawberry Shortcake tea at St. Albans, walking tours, St. John's Service by the Credit, 57th annual Cemetery Memorial Service & lunch, as well as an antique boat display and Kids Paint-a-Boat hosted by the Beaumont Mill. Activities at the Willow Park Ecology Centre embrace a Native Drum Circle, Drum Making, Scavenger Hunt, Painting & Racing "Little Paddlers", and a "Paddle to the Sea" Canoe race for the adventurous.

Come and spend the day or the weekend, and make some great memories with your Dad! For detailed event information visit: [www.bigdaddyfestival.ca](http://www.bigdaddyfestival.ca), or look out for our event brochure around town!

**Volunteers are still needed and most welcome at all event locations – to volunteer, please contact Beatrice Sharkey at 416-575-1232 [sharkey@look.ca](mailto:sharkey@look.ca).**

# HIEC honours two local businesses

Skilled trades employers were honoured, students were recognized and scholarships presented as the Halton Industry Education Council (HIEC) hosted the 11th annual Halton Apprenticeship Advisory Council's (HAAC) Honour Roll Awards recently at the Burlington Convention Centre.

The HAAC Honour Roll Awards recognized five outstanding employers who are making a difference in Halton by promoting skilled trades. The winners included two Georgetown employers in the 50 Employees or Less category:

- Luma Brothers Automotive & Truck Repairs Inc.
- Red Lemon Hair Salon

Over the last 11 years, more than 60 companies have been recognized at the Honour Roll Awards for their dedication to promoting skilled trades excellence in Halton Region. These awards play an important role in Halton, encouraging companies to provide education and training to young people interested in careers in the skilled trades.

HIEC is a not-for-profit organization, a joint venture among industry, education and community partners in the Halton Region. HIEC's goal is to enhance career education and create the



Red Lemon Hair Salon owner Vince Ruso (left) and Al Tantalco of Luma Brothers Automotive & Truck Repairs accept their awards from the Halton Apprenticeship Advisory Council.

best opportunities for youth. To learn more please visit: [www.hiec.on.ca](http://www.hiec.on.ca), [www.schooltocareer.ca](http://www.schooltocareer.ca), [www.apprenticesearch.com](http://www.apprenticesearch.com), [www.futureforcehalton.ca](http://www.futureforcehalton.ca) and [www.EmployerRegistry.ca](http://www.EmployerRegistry.ca).

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