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Announcements

CONGRATULATIONS to Irene Brayne of Oakville, and Marian Featherstone of Milton, who were the proud winners of the Halton Hills Quilters' Guild raffle, drawn November 28th, 2011.

CRAFT SALE

Blue Heron Woodworks CHRISTMAS CLEARANCE SALE

Saturday December 17th from 10:00am-5:00pm
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Bring a truck take it with you!
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BIRTHS

A Girl!

MARSHALL BINKS
Andrew Marshall and Sarah Binks are thrilled to announce the birth of their first child, a daughter. Adelaide Kathryn Binks Marshall, was born on August 13th, 2011 at the Peterborough Regional Health Centre weighing 7 lbs 8 oz. Norma and Mike Marshall are delighted to have a second granddaughter. Adelaide is the welcomed first granddaughter for Janet Binks and David Binks of Melbourne Australia. She is also welcomed by Aunt Kathryn, Uncle Andy and cousins Justin and Julia of Aberdeen Scotland and Aunt Zoe, Uncle Trent and baby cousin Jacob of Melbourne Australia.

A Boy!

TIMMONS
Big sister Brooke Timmons is excited to announce the arrival of her baby brother Callum Luc Timmons. He was born on November 29th, 2011 at Georgetown Hospital weighing in at 6lbs, 9 ounces. Proud parents Jeff and Tina Timmons, along with grandparents Pat Timmons and Dave McNeilly, Dan Timmons and Rick and Pierrette Quenneville of Azilda, ON would like to thank Dr. Paul and Debbie Zeni, Dr. Fiel and all obstetricians, day surgery and O.R. staff for their exceptional care.

A Girl!

McGARRELL
Brett, Kim, and big sister, Bree are thrilled to announce the birth of their precious little girl, Madelyn Jean. Madelyn was born on November 4th, 2011 and weighed 8lbs 5oz. Proud grandparents are Matt and Jean Brown, Brenda McGarrell and Tom Maricic, Bill and Catherine McGarrell and great grandmother, Doris Brett. Madelyn is also welcomed by several aunts, uncles, and cousins. Thank you to Dr. Rajasingham and all the nurses at M.D.H. for their exceptional care.

A Girl!

TAYLOR
Ryan and Cynthia (nee Brown) are thrilled to announce the birth of their first child Scarlet Jean Taylor on Tuesday November 8th, 2011 at 9:21pm in Georgetown hospital, weighing 8lbs, 15 oz. Ecstatic grandparents are Matt and Jean Brown, Brett and Kim Taylor. Proud aunts and uncles are Kim and Brett McGarrell, John and Mary King, Tyler and Chelsey Taylor. Thank you to Dr. Fiel and the many wonderful nurses at Georgetown hospital.

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DEATHS

BRYANT, John Phillips
May 24th, 1929 - December 14th, 2011

John passed away peacefully from a stroke on December 14th, 2011. He is survived by his loving wife of 55 years, Marjorie; his daughter Sarah and her husband Mark Burrows and their children, Bryce, Christian and Thomas of Georgetown; and his daughter Leslie and her husband Jeffrey Steinberg, and their children Hilary and Andrew of Toronto. He is fondly remembered by his many nieces and nephews in the U.K., Australia, USA, India and beyond; brother William and his wife Eileen in Spain; sister Anne and husband Jeff in Australia. He is predeceased by his sister Josie in the UK.

John Phillips Bryant was born May 24th, 1929 in Bedford, England where he spent his formative years during the Depression and World War 2 leaving him with a marked appreciation for all things military. He especially loved the pipes and drums. After finishing his military service, John ever the adventurer, immigrated to Canada. He landed in Toronto on the same day as Hurricane Hazel and often remarked that he wondered at the time if he had chosen a new land that rained more than England.

Marjorie followed in 1955 and they were married in February 1956. He and Marjorie lived for a time in Toronto with their MG-A., eventually settling in the village of Greenwood, Ontario to raise their two daughters, Sarah and Leslie, and their menagerie of pets. John and Marjorie moved to Georgetown in 1996 to be closer to their family.

John was formally trained in the UK as a dental technician. A typical immigrant, John sailed to Montreal in what he described as a "leaky old troop ship", landing in Canada with 25 quid in his pocket and a trunk on his back. He tried his hand at many things to earn a living in his adopted land. (He was fired from the bargain basement at Simpson for selling the president's golf clubs that were in for repair.) Eventually, he landed a position with Highland Creek Sand and Gravel and rose from the scale man to the sales manager, selling aggregates for most of his career and becoming an expert in pit reclamation.

John embraced typical Canadian pastimes and became a camper, canoeist, figure skating and accomplished skier. He loved all things athletic, playing rugby for the Toronto Wanderers and working to build the Fletchers' Fields Rugby Club in Markham. He was whitewater canoeing at 60 and skiing with his grandchildren at 70. He passed on his love of fire-works to them as well.

Throughout his life John was always ready to lend a hand for projects in the community or a new roof in the family. He and Marjorie were constantly fixing older homes- it was part of their life together and there were always tools on the kitchen table. He loved his carpentry and furniture building, his clocks and lamps, and his antiques. He would not miss a Formula 1 race and loved British motor car events.

John was a proud Canadian with a sense of humour that is uniquely British, often including the dress-up box at many parties. His humour was at its best with his diaspora of British friends and particularly in his playful antics with his grandchildren with whom he spent a lot of time. John lived a long and eventual life; the occasional tangle with the old lawnmower, wheelbarrow or ladder sent him to the hospital but never kept him from a party.

John was a thoughtful and level-headed advisor, who was always there to listen and who would never betray a confidence. He was a good man and will be sorely missed.

A funeral service in his honour will be held at St. George's Anglican Church, Georgetown on Monday, December 19th at 1:00 pm., followed by a reception at 7 Park Avenue, Georgetown. In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to The Scott Mission or The Princess Margaret Hospital Foundation. To send expressions of sympathy visit

www.jsjonesandsonfuneralhome.com

VALADE, Mary (nee Dowzer)
Passed away peacefully, with her family by her side, on Tuesday December 13th, 2011 at Extencicare Halton Hills. Mary, at the age of 79, beloved wife of Reg Valade for the past 60 years. Loving mother of Stephen Valade (Lillian), Kim Valade (the late Henry Wyciszkiwicz), Michelle Pyne (Dale), Dianne Dewasha (Ray) and Melissa Mifsud. Grandmother of Lisa, Michael, Ryan, Amy, Spencer, Emily, Brittany, Jeremy, Jacob and Devyn and great-grandmother of Nolan, Olivia and Madelyn. Survived by her brother Murray and predeceased by her brothers Bill and Kelvin. Friends will be received at the J.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home, 11582 Trafalgar Road, north of Maple Avenue, Georgetown 905-877-3631 on Sunday December 18th, from 2-4 and 7-9 pm. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at Holy Cross Catholic Church, 14400 Argyle Road, Georgetown on Monday December 19th, 2011 at 10:00 am. Cremation to follow. In memory, contributions to the Alzheimer Foundation would be appreciated. To send expressions of sympathy visit www.jsjonesandsonfuneralhome.com

McDONALD, William "Bill"
Peacefully in the presence of his family, on Friday December 9th, 2011 at the Oakville Trafalgar Memorial Hospital. Bill, in his 83rd year, beloved husband of May for the past 57 years. Loving father of Stuart and his wife Martha and Janice. Cherished grandfather of Robert, Heather, Allison and Emily. Bill will be sadly missed by his family and friends. A private memorial service was held at the J.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home, Georgetown 905-877-3631. Cremation has taken place. In memory contributions to the Georgetown Hospital Foundation would be appreciated. To send expressions of sympathy visit www.jsjonesandsonfuneralhome.com

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