Bruce Trail hike: Level 1, 7-8 km Forks of the Credit loop hike. We will visit the Kettle Lakes, ruins and wide open spaces. Depart at 10 a.m. from the Georgetown Market Place parking lot between Zellers and the grey medical building. Bring water, snacks and lunch. There will be a stop in Erin after the hike for refreshments and/or ice cream. Leader: Maureen, 905-873-9757 mosmith@cogeco.ca

Ballinafad United Church 134th Anniversary: 11 a.m. Special music by the St. Andrews Presbyterian Praise Team from Arthur. A social time will follow. All are welcome.

Norval pit-STOP Community Lawn Sale: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at 10231 Old Pine Crest Rd. Antiques, collectibles, and more.

Georgetown

Bach Chorale spring concert: featuring Mozart. Performance 2:30 p.m. at Holy Cross Catholic Church, 14400 Argyll Rd., Georges \$30. Info: www.

town. Tickets \$30. Info: www. georgetownbachchorale.com

CONE (Coalition on the Niagara Escarpment) Escarpment Celebration Day: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Terra Cotta Conservation Area, 14452 Winston Churchill Blvd. Prizes, hikes, live bird demos and presentations by environmentalists. Info: http://tinyurl. com/8xvmy6o or call 416-804-4250.

Halton Region Walk for Muscular Dystrophy: at Coronation Park in Oakville. Participant registration begins at 10 a.m. and the walk, wheel and roll begins at 11 a.m. To take part in the Halton Region Walk for Muscular Dystrophy or for more information, please visit www.muscle.ca/walk.

Monday, May 7 Nassagaweya Presbyterian Church W.A. lunch and euchre: 12 noon. Lots of prizes. Everyone welcome. Tickets: 905-878-6151.

Prayer Purls: Bring your knitting projects to the Prayer Purl meetings and knit together with other women in the lower hall 7-8:30 p.m. at Norval United Church, 486 Guelph St. Info: 905-877-6122; www.norvalunited.ca.

Tuesday, May 8

Peel North Branch of the Retired Women Teachers of Ontario meeting: 10:15 a.m. in North Bramalea United Church, 363 Howden Blvd., Brampton. All retired women teachers welcome. RSVP to Karin 905-796-2146.

Cabin Fever Busters: Free drop-in play group for parents and caregivers with kids from birth to 5, Tuesdays 10 a.m. to 12 p.m at



Georgetown Community Church, 271 Mountainview Rd. S. Info: 905-877-1374.

Summer Sports Camp registration: August 20-24th for girls and boys ages 6-13 yrs. Register at Georgetown Community Church Tuesdays until May 29, 6:30-8:30 p.m. or call 905-877-1374.

HOPE (Halton Organization for Pride and Education): offers a Halton Hills "Colouring Outside the Lines" Youth Group for all LG-BTTTIQQAA youth ages 14 to 24, 7-9 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month. The group provides different activities of interest to youth, as well as time to chat. For meeting location: info@haltonpride.org.

Wednesday, May 9

Esquesing History Society: meets 7:30 p.m. (7 p.m. refreshments) at Knox Church, Main St. S. in Georgetown. Topic: A Titanic Tragedy -- Donald Zaldin and Barbara Rusch return to tell

of the wonders of RMS Titanic which sank a century ago. Their commemorative Titanic cruise will add an exciting touch to the presentation. Free admission.

Bruce Trail hike: Level 1, 5-6 km loop hike on local trails. Depart at 9:30 a.m. from the Georgetown Market Place parking lot between Zellers and the grey medical building. Bring water and snacks. Lunch at a local eatery after the hike. Leader: Maureen, 905-873-9757 mosmith@cogeco.ca

Mood Disorders Association of Ontario and Equilibrium-Georgetown: present a public education event on Bipolar Disorder Discovery Series: Facts, Insights & Perspectives with Dr. David Koczerginski MD FRCPC Chief of Psychiatry and Mental Health Director, Mental Health and Addictions at William Osler Health System, 7-9 p.m. North Bramalea United Church 363 Howden Blvd., Brampton. Admission is free! RSVP by Friday, May 4 to: ingridm@mooddisorders.ca Call 1-888-486-8236 ext. 238.

Thursday, May 10

Halton Hands in Motion Knitting and Crocheting Guild: 7 to 9 p.m. at the Georgetown Seniors Centre. Visitors welcome.

Ballinafad Hall Board euchre: is held 7:30 p.m. at the Ballinafad Community Centre. Cost is \$3/player. Light lunch.

More at www.theifp.ca/ whats-on/events

Halton Camera Exchange donates \$1,400 for arena campaign

Georgetown Minor Hockey Association president Carson Mininch (left) accepted a cheque for \$1,400 from Halton Camera Exchange owners Alex and Kathy Docker. The money was raised during the end of December when the Stanley Cup visited Halton Hills. Docker took photos of families with the Cup, and donated half the proceeds to GMHA, which in turn will be donating it to the Halton Hills arena fund.

Photo by Ted Brown

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CVC and CH to host joint gala

The Conservation Halton Foundation (CHF) and the Credit Valley Conservation Foundation (CVCF) are hosting their 7th Annual Conservation Gala Dinner and Auction on Wednesday, May 9.

The gala will raise funds for local environmental initiatives and takes place at Rattlesnake Point Golf and Country Club at 5407 Regional Road 25 in Milton.

Proceeds from the 2012 Conservation Gala will support Credit Valley Conservation's Conservation Youth Corps (CYC) program that allows high school students to help the environment by planting trees, constructing habitat and maintaining trails and Conservation Halton's Mountsberg Raptor Centre that provides care and shelter for 30 native hawks, owls and eagles.

Last year the gala raised more than \$105,000 toward valuable conservation projects and initiatives of both organizations. In just six years the local community has helped raise more than \$600,000 in support of the two Foundations' work to protect and enhance the natural environment for present and future generations.

"We are appreciative of the people in our communities who generously support the Conservation Gala, which helps fund so many environmental projects, and creates awareness of the need to support such initiatives," said Lisa Penny, CHF Chair.

Tickets for the Gala are \$125 each, with tables of 10 for \$1,200. A partial tax receipt is provided. Tickets are available by contacting:

• Terri LeRoux, Executive Director Credit Valley Conservation Foundation, (905) 670-1615 x424, tleroux@creditvalleyca.ca

• Brian Hobbs, Director, Development, Conservation Halton Foundation (905) 336-1158 x255 bhobbs@hrca.on.ca



Prosperity One donates \$5,000 to Skills Olympics

At the Halton Region Skills Olympics at Georgetown District High School, Prosperity One staffers made a presentation, donating \$5,000 to the Halton Skills Olympics. On hand for the presentation were (from left) Prosperity One representatives Rodrigo Albrecht, Samantha Dixon, CEO Mike Shepherd, and Ontario Credit Union Charitable Foundation executive director Tony Niessen, Barb Finan and Dave Lewis of Halton District School Board, Tara Thorp of Halton Learning Foundation and Greg Burns of Halton Catholic District School Board.

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