

# Need for arenas is 'pressing'

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Halton Hills Mayor Rick Bonnette is an ex-officio member of the team.

Hooper and Poulstrup are confident that the campaign will reach its \$2 million objective.

"As we approach businesses, corporations, individuals and many others to explain this pressing need in Halton Hills, we are confident that financial support will follow in a significant manner," the group stated in a press release

The overall cost of the expansions is \$29.2 million. The majority of funding is coming from the Town of Halton Hills and through increased user fees from the HHAUG. However, an additional \$2 million is required from the community at large to meet the full cost.

"This is not just about ice; it is about providing Halton Hills residents of all ages with increased recreational and community space to meet the growing demand," said Lewis.

Both facilities are operating beyond full capacity requiring many residents, teams and programs to go "out of town" for the space they need.

Construction on two new additional ice surfaces has begun at Mold-Masters SportsPlex and this project will be completed in the fall 2013.



Stay Home and Play in Halton Hills Campaign co-chairs Bob Hooper (left) and Finn Poulstrup (right) flank honorary chair Bryan Lewis. Submitted photo

The Acton Arena and Community Centre expansion, which will see an additional ice pad added, will begin in mid-spring 2013 with completion scheduled for the fall of 2014.

The campaign will be approaching corporations, small businesses, individuals, charitable foundations, service clubs and associations and the community at large. The active phase of the campaign has just begun and will continue through September 2013.

## Kids to gather at Credit/Beaver Sts. for parade

Due to incorrect information supplied to *The Independent & Free Press*, the wrong location where kids are to gather prior to Sunday's Glen Williams Canada Day parade was printed in the Canada Day in the Glen advertisement June 21 and June 26.

The correct location is the corner of Beaver and Credit Streets.

Kids are encouraged to decorate their bicycles and gather at this corner prior to the start of parade at noon.

Because the July 1 holiday fell on Sunday, *The Independent & Free Press* office will be closed Monday, July 2 so staff can enjoy the holiday weekend.

The Tuesday, July 3 edition was printed earlier than usual (Friday, June 29) therefore Canada Day coverage of events in Glen Williams and Acton will appear in the Thursday, July 5 edition of this newspaper.

We wish all our readers a safe and happy Canada Day weekend.



## LONG WEEKEND FORECAST...

Halton Hills HIGH	FRI.	SAT.	SUN.	MON.
FEELS LIKE	31° 38°	32° 39°	31° 37°	28° 34°



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long weekend!

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Yoyo Japanese Restaurant 357 Guelph St., (beside Ford dealership)

# ACTON

Wed., July 4th & 18th, 12:30 - 3:00 pm  
The Olde Hide House (Eastern & Mill)

25 LB. BOX  
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## TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE

July, 2012 - September, 2012

22 Side Road between Highway 7 and Sixth Line

The Town of Halton Hills Infrastructure Services Department is advising of the temporary closure of 22 Side Road between Highway 7 and the Sixth Line. The closure location will be at the existing culvert structure, half way between Highway 7 and the Sixth Line. The closure will commence from Tuesday, July 3, 2012 until mid September, 2012.



The closure is required to expedite the reconstruction of this road culvert.

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## WISHING EVERYONE A SAFE AND HAPPY HOLIDAY WEEKEND!

**LONG WEEKEND HOURS OF OPERATION**

Friday, June 29	7 am - 6 pm
Saturday, June 30	8 am - 4 pm
Sunday, July 1	Closed
Monday, July 2	Closed

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