

Friday, Sept. 7

Friday night euchre: resumes 7 p.m. at the Georgetown Legion. Entry: \$2.



Acton Legion euchre: every Friday night, 7:15-9:45 p.m. at the Acton Legion, 15 Wright Ave. Everyone is welcome. Come out and meet others for a good time. Admission \$2.

Adult computer course: Adults would you like to learn to use a computer? The Adult Learning Centre offers a 10-week basic skills workshop for those seeking employment. Small registration fee. Part-time. Info: 905-873-2200, www.literacynh.org

Georgetown Fall Fair will be returning for the 166th year, Sept. 7-9. Come enjoy all the fun and excitement that the fall fair has to offer at the Georgetown Fairgrounds. Info: 905-873-6157 or www.georgetownfallfair.ca

The Baby Bunch: meets first and third Friday of each month, 2-3:30 p.m. at St. Alban's in Alban House, 537 Main St., Glen Williams. This is a drop-in parent and child interactive social group, open to the community,

with the focus on children, age 2 and under; older siblings are welcome. Info: 905-877-8323.

Nordic Pole Walking: Mondays and Fridays 10-11 a.m. in Prospect Park, Acton. Bring toonie for Acton Foodshare food bank or Acton Agricultural Society. Led by certified Nordixx Pole Walking instructor Ginger Quinn, 905-691-9122. Sponsored by GEM Health Care Services www.gemhealthcare.com

Saturday, Sept. 8

Halton Hills Christian Home-schoolers Open House: Come learn about all the great things in store for homeschool group this year at an Open House in Cedarvale Park, corner of Main St. and Maple Ave. Meet at the playground, anytime between 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Rain date: HHCH first monthly meeting. Info: hhch@cogeco.ca



Paws to Read: 10-11 a.m. Anne from Therapeutic Paws of Canada and her friend Kola, a junior champion Shiloh Shepherd will visit the Acton Branch Library and children will read to Kola who is specially trained to sit quietly and listen. Info: 519-853-0301.

Community Calendar

Studio 2 for Yoga and Wellness free class: 10 a.m. Nia class on the lawn at Knox Presbyterian Church, Main St. S., Georgetown. Celebrate your free spirit with dance moves, martial arts and yoga in the Nia tradition. Donations can be made to Knox Presbyterian Church for use of the space. No registration required, just show up barefoot and fancy-free!

20th anniversary fashion show: Lisa Rogers from City Line will be hosting a fashion show, 12 p.m. in the Centre Court at the Georgetown Market Place to celebrate its 20th anniversary. Prizes to be won.

Hungry Man Breakfast: on the second Saturday of every month, 8-11 a.m. at the Georgetown Legion, 127 Mill St. Adults \$6, children under 12, \$3.

Men's Toonie Breakfast: All men are invited every second Saturday of the month (September to June), 8:30-9:30 a.m. at Bethel Church, 365 Queen St. E., Acton. Enjoy an hour of



good fellowship over a breakfast of coffee, toast and eggs. Info: 519-853-2121, www.acton-crc.com.

North Halton Kitten Rescue kitten adoption: to approved homes, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Pet Valu, 235 Guelph St. Georgetown. Adoption fee of \$160 includes: spay/neuter, first vaccinations, parasite treatment, microchip and a bag of food. Kittens for adoption can be previewed at www.NHKR.ca or call Barb 905-873-8547.

Georgetown Little Theatre Youth Company meets Saturdays at the GLT Studio for ages of 10 and 18, 1 p.m. at 33 Stewarttown Rd. Their first event will be face painting at the fair. Info: www.georgetownlittletheatre.ca or leave a message, 905-877-3422.

Nordic Pole Walking: Saturdays, 9-10 a.m. at Creature Comfort Co., 92 Main St. S. Bring toonie for CASHh or UCHS. Info: Ginger, 905-691-9122.

Bid euchre and euchre: 7 p.m. every Saturday at the Georgetown Seniors Centre, 318 Guelph St. Cost: \$3.

Acton Trunk Sale: Saturday mornings in the Hide House parking lot, 49 Eastern Ave. Info: www.downtownacton.ca.

Georgetown Farmers Mar-

ket: every Saturday, 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Main St. S. Info: www.downtowngeorgetown.com or 905-873-4970.

Sunday, Sept. 9

Rally Sunday Worship Service: 10 a.m. at St. Andrew's United Church, 89 Mountainview Rd. S. Georgetown. Theme: The Importance of Community. Nursery, children and youth programs. Free BBQ and activities for the kids. Register for Sunday School and other programs. Info: 905-877-4482 or www.standrewsuc.ca

Bruce Trail hike: Level 1, 8 km carpool hike to Hilton Falls. Depart at 10 a.m. from the the small, separate south parking lot of the Georgetown Professional Arts building, 99 Sinclair Ave. Bring water and snacks. Leader: Heinz, 905-877-3298.

Nassagaweya Presbyterian Church corn roast: 5:30-7:30 p.m. Info: 905-876-3322 or www.nassagaweya.com.

Willow Park Ecology Centre Maintenance Day: 9 a.m. to noon or 1-4 p.m. by removing invasive species, trail maintenance, clean-up or measuring and identifying trees. Suitable for all ages, and suitable for volunteer hour requirements. Info/ to register: www.willowparkecology.ca

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Earn Four Dollars Cash by completing the Following Survey

If you were offered one of the following, what would you choose? (check only one)

- Wealth:** enough to buy anything you want
- Health:** the perfect body
- The Perfect Relationship:** someone you would want to live with forever
- Fame:** you could be anyone you want
- Immortality:** live forever in peace and contentment.

If you chose one of the first four, then you need read no further. You can redeem this survey for four dollars until Sept. 30, 2012, at Sally's Viet-Thai Restaurant, across from Dominion Park on Guelph Street, Georgetown. Note that this offer is limited to the first 500 participants, sixteen years of age or older, who submit their response using this ad. You must appear in person to redeem the survey and there is only one redemption per person.

If you chose the last one, then you still get the four dollars, but there is one more question:

- *Why do you believe in immortality?*

Science is not very helpful in answering this question because it only deals with the five senses. However, throughout history there have been men like *Lao Tzu*, *Buddha*, *Mohamed* and *Jesus (the Christ)* who claimed to know realities beyond the five senses. Here is what they believed.

Lao Tzu (Taoism): Eternal life is achieved through a process of building a spiritual body (the Shen) which can transcend space and time. Upon death the Shen returns to the Toa, the driving force and source behind all that exists.

Buddha (Buddhism): Absolute truth is an illusion. Reality is defined by personal experience. Upon death one is reborn into a new life form (animal, plant, insect, etc.) or enters *nirvana*, and escapes the wheel of birth and rebirth forever. Buddha called his path to enlightenment (or nirvana) "the Middle Way" because it avoids the extremes of affluence and asceticism, both of which can cause suffering.

Mohammed (Islam) There is a direct relation between conduct on earth and the life beyond. The afterlife will be one of reward and punishment which is commensurate with earthly conduct. A Day will come when God will resurrect and gather the first and the last of His creation and judge everyone justly. People will enter their final abode, Hell or Paradise. In this life we sometimes see the pious suffer and the impious enjoy. All shall be judged one day and justice will be served.

Jesus Christ (Christianity): Eternal life is a free gift from God through his son Jesus Christ. For God so loved the world that He gave his only begotten son, that whosoever believes on him shall not perish but have eternal life.

So, ... what evidence did these men provide for life after death? This is where your journey begins. In other words, you will have to answer this question for yourself.

The answer is more than religion. It determines your world view and how you define yourself. It is a *personal choice*, so you don't want follow the crowd. Hopefully it is also an *intelligent choice*, meaning, you have researched the facts and know why you believe what you believe.

The greatest prison is the mind