

DEATH

**CRIPPS Leonard John
WWII Veteran**

Leonard John Cripps passed away on Saturday, January 26, 2013, at the Bennett Health Care Centre, Georgetown, in his 88th year. Loving son of the late Darwin and Nellie Cripps. Survived by sisters Doris Bingham of Georgetown, ON and Ruth Morrow of Kelvington, SK. and pre-deceased by Lyle Cripps, Mary Lemon, Mina Cripps and Ivy Winter. Family and friends gathered at the Blue Springs Funeral Home, Acton, Wednesday, January 30, 2013, from noon until 2 p.m. Leonard's memorial service was 2 p.m. in the funeral home chapel. Spring Interment, Everton Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations to the Georgetown Hopsital Foundation, The Bennett Centre or a charity of choice were greatly received.

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**McDowall: Anne Moira
1936 - 2013**

Passed away after a brief illness at Toronto, Thursday, January 24th, 2013, in her 77th year. Anne was the beloved wife of Andrew (2003) and will be missed by Rory, Katrina, Jonathan, family and friends. An avid gardener, Anne enjoyed travel, art and volunteering at the Acton Food Share. A gathering of family and friends will be held on Saturday, February 2nd from 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. at the MacKinnon Family Funeral Home, 55 Mill Street East, Acton In lieu of flowers, remembrances to the Acton Food Share P.O. Box 74, Acton, ON, L7J 2M2 would be appreciated by the family. On-line condolences may be made at

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IN MEMORIAM

BURT Judy

In loving memory of a dear sister, sister-in-law, aunt and great aunt, who left us one year ago February 4, 2012.

*Sad was the parting, no one can tell
So sudden on earth the sorrow fell,
The blow was hard, the shock severe,
To part with one we loved so dear
Dearer still as the year departs*

Your memory lives within our hearts
Sharon and George, Marlene,
Barb and Charlie, Don and Jean
and families

LAING May

In loving memory of May Laing, much loved mother, mother-in-law, grandmother and great-grandmother who left us February 1, 2009.

*If remembering brings you closer,
Then you never went away,
For our thoughts of you are with us
Each and every day.*

*There will always be a heartache,
And many silent tears,
But precious are the memories
Of the days when you were here.*
Forever in our hearts,
Bill & Carol, Paul & Irene,
Don & Shirely & Families

WEDGE Clifford

In Loving memory of Clifford Wedge, Husband, father, son, brother, grandfather who left us on Feb 01, 2004.

*Those we love don't go away,
They walk beside us every day.*
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Your family

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POLICE/FIRE

FALSE ALARM
Repairs to fix an air leak in a sprinkler system at a Commerce Crescent building caused accidental alarm activation at 8:57 on Friday morning.

ILLEGAL FIRE DOUSED
Acton firefighters extinguished two fires in the area of 25 Side Road and the Nassagaweya/Esquering Town Line at 3:38 last Thursday afternoon. Reported as a possible trailer or small shed fire, they found workers burning two separate piles of debris, without the required Burn Permit.

ALARM ACTIVATION?
Despite the sound of alarms ringing outside a Rachlin Drive residence at 4:13 last Wednesday afternoon, firefighters found no sign of any trouble when they checked the perimeter and peered through the windows of the unoccupied house.

A citizen who went into the fire station reported hearing the alarms ringing.

Fraud trends spark police caution

A recent surge in fraud occurrences prompted Halton police to again caution the public about responding to such offers, emails or scams.

Two continuing trends worth highlighting include: Emergency scams

This scenario preys on the emotions of the elderly who get a phone call from an individual purporting to be their grandchild and in some form of distress. The reason varies and could include being involved in a car accident or requiring money for bail. The caller will elicit pertinent personal information from the unsuspecting victim who will eventually be asked to wire money through a money transfer company.

Internet scams
Malicious software – Victims get a call from an individual said to represent a software firm. The individual will attempt to have their software installed on your computer so access can be gained to files, personal banking records and passwords.

Phishing – This scam solely involves getting the victim to hand over their personal and banking details. The email sent may well appear authentic, however genuine government organizations and financial institutions would never expect you to send your personal information in such a format.

Education is the best defence to avoid being victimized, and residents are encouraged to visit the Canadian Anti-Fraud Centre website at www.antifraudcentre.ca and/or the Competition Bureau's Information Centre at www.competitionbureau.gc.ca

Additional tips to avoiding online frauds and scams can be found on our website at www.haltonpolice.ca under the Criminal Investigation – "Fraud" tab.

Food, fun and prizes

From the maple syrup, to the braised beef, to sweet chili heat – there were some interesting flavours for judges to taste from the five entrants in the second annual chili cook-off on Sunday at the Acton BIA winter carnival.

The savoury chili – dubbed Sweet Heat – from Tanners Pub and Grill earned top marks from judges Gerri Kentner and Lori Geysel. Tanners owner Andrea Clark said the chili would be on special all this week at the Acton restaurant.

The tasty chili entered by Angela Tremblay of Angie's Kitchen earned second place from the judges, and also won the People's Choice award in voting – Tremblay refused to divulge the three "secret spices" that made her dish the clear crowd favourite among the entries. The chili entered by Roxy Coffee – the winner last year – placed third.

Food played a large role in Sunday's carnival fun at the Acton Town Hall Centre. Earlier in the day, parents of Acton Air Cadets hosted a pancake breakfast – serving 132 people who enjoyed the sausage, flapjacks and strong coffee to kick off the day's festivities.

There were also some very happy prize winners at the carnival's closing ceremonies – BIA manager Josey Bonnette won \$107 in a 50/50 draw, and Mayor Rick Bonnette's skill at frozen mini-putt won him 10 golf passes on the nine-hole course at Blue Springs and an eye glasses care kit.

Tanners employee Linda LaRose cleaned up in the raffle – her purchase of \$40 worth of raffle tickets earned her hundreds in prizes – and repeated calls to "sit down" as her name was repeatedly called during the raffle of several thousand dollars worth of prizes, generously donated by 50 Acton businesses.

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