

Ann's Cartage has been movers here for 25 years

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Ann's Cartage and Piano Movers is heading towards their 25th anniversary of being a local provider of household furniture and office equipment, specializing in piano moving.

Owner Peter Marrows joined the company in 1979 and went on to purchase the company from the original owners in 1988. Since then, Ann's Cartage has expanded and become a family business. Peter works with his brother Robert, packaging and material supplies are handled by his sister, Alison and mother Joyce. Peter's father, Tony handles the legal and accounting aspects of the business, and the office duties are shared by Peter and his wife Jeanette.

One aspect of the company that sets them apart from all others is the pride they take in their work and their customers, says Marrows. They do the little extras that people appreciate and as an added touch, when a customer brings in a piano, the manufacture and serial number are entered into the computer and a history as well as the age of the piano is printed out and given to the customer, explains Marrows. These are interesting facts to know, he says, adding that along with this information, a booklet is given that provides tips to maintain and move your piano, what to look for when buying a new one, and much more.

Since Ann's Cartage is a local family business, they are able to be on call seven days a week, and

because they are located in Halton Hills, customers have the advantage of quick service.

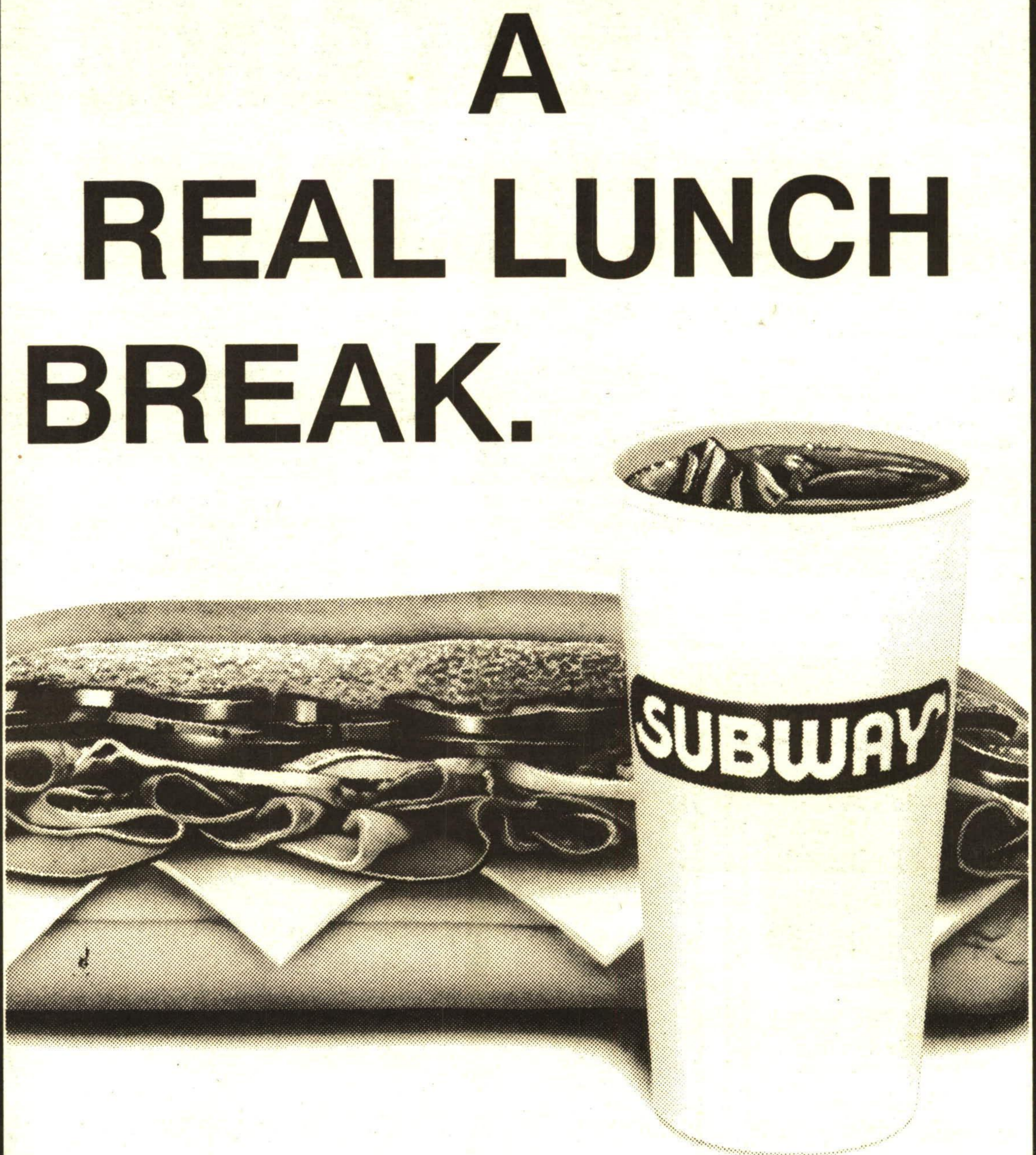
Ann's Cartage now works with an international trucking company loading their trucks for any destination anywhere in North America. This moving company is fully licensed and insured within the province of Ontario.

They will move anything from one appliance to a one room apartment, to the other extreme of a large home or commercial business. They also supply a complete line of packing supplies like picture boxes, wardrobe boxes, packing paper and other types of packing supplies, all available to the public.

The office is open seven days a week, 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. for orders or for making appointments. The office phone number is 877-6183.

Have your say

The Royal Commission on Learning is holding public hearings in Ontario to hear submissions from groups and individuals, including youths in and out of school, parents, directors of education, teachers and teachers' associations and community groups. While the commission will not be in Halton Hills, it will make a stop in Guelph at Our Lady of Lourdes School, 54 Westmount Rd. Nov. 3. Presentations can be made 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., 2-5 p.m. and 7-10 p.m. People who are interested in making a presentation are asked to contact the commission at 1-800-565-0861.



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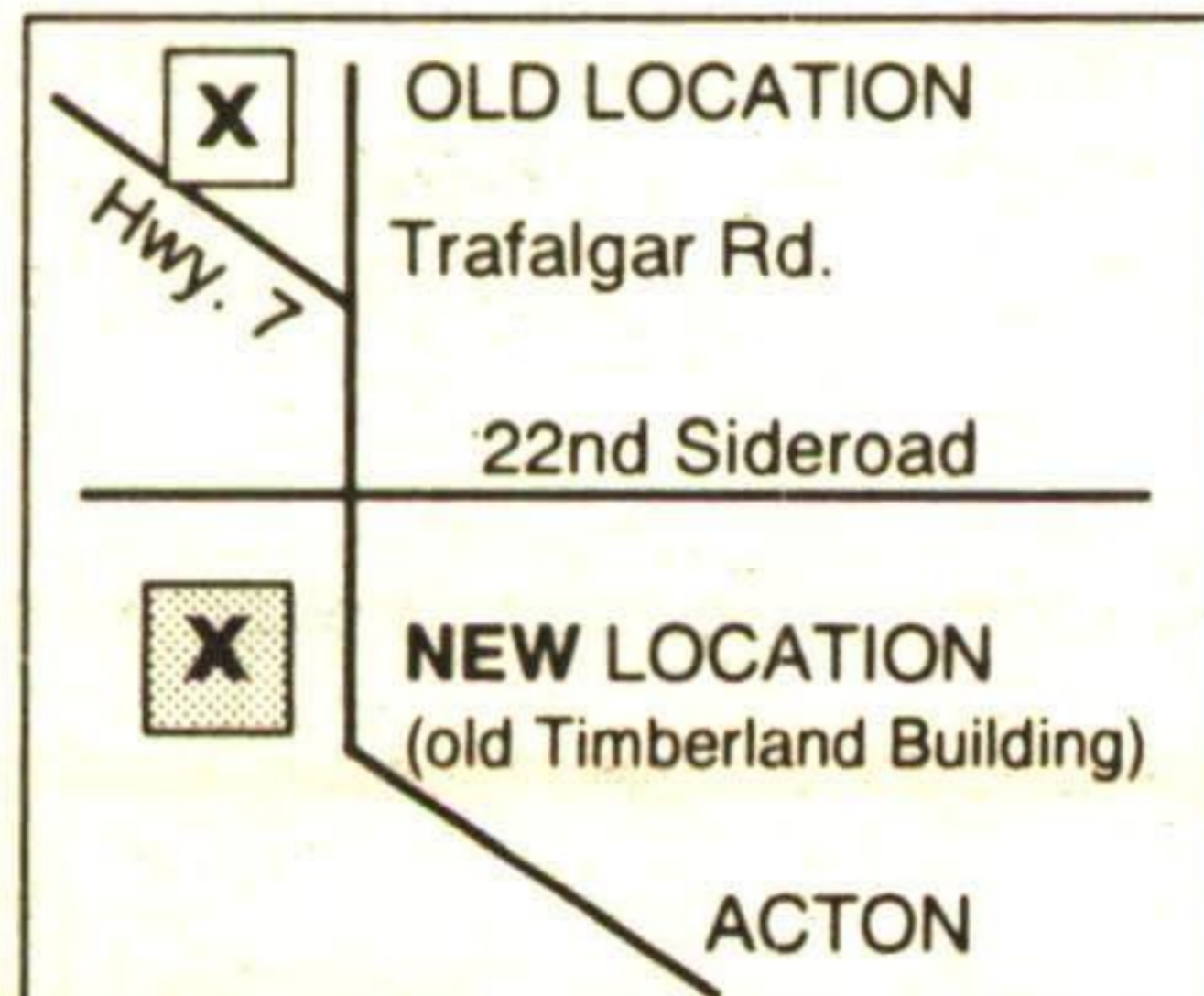
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