

# Acton honours the Glorious Dead



**LEST WE FORGET:** The voices of Acton students from St. Joseph Catholic School (left) and Robert Little Schools (right) rang out with songs and poems for peace and understanding during Monday's Remembrance Day service at the Acton Cenotaph. - Frances Learment photo

*I'm gonna be a Fireman someday.*

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## Two Cenotaph services

*Cenotaph service involve prayer, song, poems and the laying of wreaths*

With heartfelt songs and a poem, Acton school children honoured veterans, some who made the supreme sacrifice, at a cold, wet Remembrance Day service at the Acton Cenotaph at 11 a.m. on Monday, November 11.

Approximately 100 students from St. Joseph Catholic and Robert Little Public schools joined a small crowd in the pelting rain and whipping wind for a service that included a Colour Party

from the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 197, Typhoon Squadron Cadets on guard, and the haunting last Post and Reveille played by Acton Citizen Band Master George Eliott.

Legion member Mac MacKenzie read a poem written by a serviceman's wife, who asked *Did You Thank a Vet Today?* Mackenzie also read the names of the Glorious Dead - the 43 Acton men, some really just

boys, who did not come home and whose names will live for evermore, chiselled into the face of the Acton Cenotaph.

The Reverend Brian Galligan of St. Alban the Martyr Church told the students that they live in peace and freedom today because of the brave actions of people who left their children behind to go to war. "We must never ever forget those who made that sacrifice, who left their own children so you would be able to live in this wonderful country of Canada"...he said.

Once by one, various groups and organizations placed memorial wreaths on the Cenotaph, joining those laid at a well-attended ceremony on Saturday.

Father Robert Hetu of St. Joseph Catholic Church read from the Letter from St. Paul. "We heard how God gave up his only son to free us from sin. In a very similar way, men and women have given up their lives for us, that we would have freedom here in Canada."

## TOWN OF HALTON HILLS

### OVERNIGHT PARKING RESTRICTION

Uniform Traffic Control By-law No. 84-1 prohibits parking:  
2:00 A.M. - 6:00 A.M. (Daily)  
November 15, 2013 to April 15, 2014

Applies to all streets under the jurisdiction of the Town of Halton Hills, unless authorized signs indicating otherwise are specifically posted. Motorists are reminded that By-law No. 84-1 also prohibits the parking of a vehicle on all Town or Regional Roads for longer than 5 (five) consecutive hours at any single location, unless otherwise specifically posted.

On-street parking hinders snow clearing and other road maintenance operations. Your co-operation is requested. Please comply with the requirements of this By-law.

**AUTHORITIES MAY HAVE VEHICLES TICKETED OR TOWED AWAY AT THE OWNER'S EXPENSE.**

Motorists should note that Town By-Law Enforcement Officers will be on patrol through the duration of the parking restriction period and will ticket and/or have the offending vehicle removed.

#### Snow Removal

The placing or pushing of snow or ice onto roadways or cleared sidewalks will obstruct or encumber vehicular and pedestrian traffic. Do not push snow across roadways because the trail of snow does turn to ice. The Town's Obstruction, Encumbering or Fouling of Highways By-law No. 90-68 prohibits such action.

**AUTHORITIES MAY HAVE SNOW AND ICE REMOVED AT THE PROPERTY OWNER'S EXPENSE**

Improper snow and ice clearing can be a serious hazard to motorists and pedestrians. Your co-operation is requested. Please comply with the requirements of this By-law.

The winter season will soon be upon us. Be alert for snow plows and stay back at least 15 meters behind the trucks. Please avoid parking on streets during snowstorms to assist Public Works staff with winter control.

Infrastructure Services Department—Public Works Division 905-873-2601 ext. 2603

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