

FINDING HOPE: John Payne of Brampton (left) and Ioekda Potzel both like the look of the items at the North Halton Kitten Rescue group's garage sale at the Limehouse Memorial Hall. Monies raised will fund a kitten rescue program.

- Ted Tyler photo

# Regional Chair pleased with provincial promise not to proceed with Niagara GTA Corridor decision

Halton Regional Chair Gary Carr is pleased that the Honourable Kathleen Wynne, Ontario Minister of Transportation has promised that the Province will not proceed with the Niagara to GTA Corridor through Burlington. For the past several months, Halton Region and the City of Burlington have been working together to lobby against the highway. In February, Regional Chair Gary Carr and Burlington Mayor Rick Goldring met with the Honourable Rick Bartolucci, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing who supported the Region's view that the Niagara to GTA

Corridor did not belong in the Halton Region Official Plan.

"I am very pleased with Minister Wynne's promise," said Regional Chair Gary Carr. "I would like to acknowledge Minister Wynne, Minister Bartolucci, MPP Ted McMeekin and Mayor Goldring for their efforts in resolving this issue. Together we have protected the Niagara Escarpment and our natural heritage for future generations to enjoy."

On July 19 Halton Region released an advocacy document, A Strong Halton for a Strong Ontario – Partners for the Future, prepared in advance of the October 6 provincial election. In that document, the Region asked the next Provincial government to work with Halton to explore alternative highway routes that do not impact significant features like the Niagara Escarpment and prime

agricultural land.

"Today's announcement is a result of the combined efforts of many individuals, community groups and organizations. Working together we are making Halton a better place to live, work, raise a family and retire," said Chair Carr.



### Appointments to the Trails and Cycling Advisory Committee

The Council for the Corporation of the Town of Halton Hills invites applications from members of the public who are interested in serving on the Trails and Cycling Advisory Committee.

#### APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

- · Must be a resident of the Town of Halton Hills.
- · Over the age of 18 years.
- Not employed by the Corporation of the Town of Halton Hills.
- This position will be for a term which will expire in December 2014

### Trails and Cycling Advisory Committee – 1 Cycling Focused Position Available

- Formerly the Trails Advisory Committee, recently expanded by Council approval to incorporate the Cycling Master Plan
- The Committee is being expanded to incorporate new members who can provide a perspective and focus on Cycling in Halton Hills
- consists of citizen members from the business, industry, education, and recreation sector
- to act as an advisory committee to provide advice and input to the Town of Halton Hills on matters relating to the design, construction and funding of trail and cycling systems
- identify issues that impact trails and cycling development in Halton Hills
- bring forward ideas for developing and maintaining trail and cycling systems
- act as a sounding board in response to issues and initiatives
- determine appropriate action to deal with issues and initiatives
- · quarterly meetings

#### APPLICATION PROCESS

- submit an application form which can be obtained on the Town's website at <a href="http://www.haltonhills.ca/committees/pdf/volunteers-application.pdf">http://www.haltonhills.ca/committees/pdf/volunteers-application.pdf</a>
- submit your application by 4:30 p.m. on Friday August 12, 2011 to:

Ashley Mancuso

Council and Committee Services Coordinator 1 Halton Hills Drive,

Halton Hills, ON, L7G 5G2 (905) 873-2601 x 2333

Fax - 905-873-1431

Email: ashleym@haltonhills.ca

If you have any inquiries or if you wish to receive additional information about a committee please contact Ashley Mancuso at (905)873-2601 ext. 2333 or <a href="mailto:ashleym@haltonhills.ca">ashleym@haltonhills.ca</a>.

Interviews will take place in August 2011 and the selection committee will make recommendations for appointments to Council.

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## Woman accosted in Norval

Halton Police are appealing to the public for information relating to an assault on a 19 year old Mississauga woman on Saturday, July 23 in the area of Winston Churchill Blvd. and 10 Sideroad, just south of the town of Norval.

The woman was walking south on Winston Churchill after leaving Nashville North, a local entertainment establishment, at around 11:30 p.m. She was approached by three males who made sexual demands, grabbed her



On Tuesday, July 19 at 8:08am fire crews responded to an alarm activation at St. Joseph Catholic School at 147 Mill Street West in Acton. Dust from concrete cutting operations activated a detector in a nearby corridor. No other concerns were identified.

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A fire alarm activation Wednesday, July 20 at 9:01pm was received from the flour mill on 62 Mill Street West in Acton which resulted from a problem with the sprinkler system. The Service Agent had been contacted and was responding immediately.

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Crews responded to a Carbon monoxide detector activation at Doctor Moore Court on Thursday, July 21 at 2:28am. No readings were found but Staff identified a faulty smoke alarm while on site. A "loaner" smoke alarm was installed until the occupant replaces the faulty device.

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Dust from construction is being blamed for a fire alarm activation at McKenzie-Smith Bennett School at 69 Acton Boulevard on Friday, July 22 at 11:26am. A thorough check of the school was conducted to ensure no other problems existed.

## Acton Physiotherapy Centre 10 Eastern Ave, Unit 103 Acton ON

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519-853-1800

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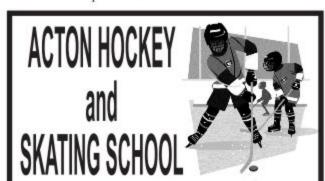
The victim lost her purse and cellphone during a brief struggle with the males. She ran south on Winston Churchill where she was assisted by a passing motorist who called police.

The three suspects are described as: 1) Male - white,

by the back of her dress ripping it as she escaped their

The three suspects are described as: 1) Male - white, and very tall, 6'3" - 6'6", skinny, wearing a solid red toque and dark clothing. 2) Male - between 5-6' tall, possibly dark skinned, wearing a dark hoody and dark clothing. 3) Was not seen by the victim, but was heard. Voice described as youthful.

The Halton Regional Police Service continues to investigate this incident. Any person with relevant information is asked to contact the Child Abuse and Sexual Assault Bureau at (905) 465-8970 or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS (8477). For information, useful links and tips on Personal Safety, the community is encouraged to access the Halton Police website at www.haltonpolice.ca.



Registration For Ages 4 to 9 years AT ACTON ARENA

# Sat., August 20 9 am until full

For more information contact Mark Duval 519-855-6572 or JIM JAMES 905-877-8339