Acton Fall Fair Parade winners thrill crowds lining route through town



FIRST PLACE: The Leathertown Lassies/Red Hat ladies captured the top prize in the Acton Fall Fair parade contest. - Ted Tyler photos



NO FLOAT: Even without a float, the energy and smooth moves of members of Acton's TDI - Total Dance Innovations - earned them a tie for third place in the parade contest.



SECOND PLACE: Dressed as various type of fruit - in honour of the Fair theme "Ontario Fruits - The Fruits of Our Labour" - members of the Acton Agricultural Society's Homecraft division, and their float, garnered second place.



RIDE ON: All smiles, Acton's Sydney Weaver rode her trusty steed to a thirdplace tie, with Total Dance Innovations, in the Fall Fair parade.



THREE-WAY TIE: Students who volunteered during the Fair's Education Day on Friday shared third prize in the parade contest with Total Dance Innovations.



Celebrating International Year of Forests

The United Nations has declared 2011 the International Year of Forests (IYF). This year's theme, Forests for People, is intended to raise awareness about forest conservation, sustainable management, and sustainable development of all types of forests.



Halton's Regional Forests

Halton Region owns and manages over 665 hectares of forests in 14 separate tracts in Milton and Halton Hills. Several forests tracts are part of the Niagara Escarpment World Biosphere Reserve. Our Regional Forests provide rich and diverse habitat for a number of rare species and play a critical role in maintaining the health of our natural environment.

Forest Hike

A Forest Hike of the Regional Forests will be held on October 1st and will be led by Halton's Regional Forester. The Hike will start at 1 p.m. and conclude at 4:30 p.m. There is no cost for this event. Registration is required as space is limited. To register and get details dial 311 or (905)-825-6000 by September 27, 2011.

> Learn more about IYF and Halton's Regional Forests online at www.halton.ca/RegionalForests.

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