

HALC-Acton holds successful annual general meeting

By Julie Conroy

Hillsview Active Living Centre- Acton

The AGM was well attended. Six members were elected to the Board of Directors. Sylvia Mitchell will now take on the office of President and Dave Maloney will be Past President. The Treasurer will be Maureen Harvey, Program committee chair Jane McAllister, Membership committee chair Louise Marjerrison and Reception chair Pat English.

Following the next board meeting the five newly elected members will be appointed to various chairs.

In attendance were Halton Hills Mayor

Rick Bonnette, Councillors Ted Brown and Michael Albano, Commissioner of Recreation and Parks Warren Harris, Manager of Recreation Services Samantha Kleinschmidt, and facility supervisor of the Acton Arena Aaron Mathews. Mayor Rick brought greetings from the town and complimented us on the high amount of volunteer hours generated over the past year beating last year's number. In 2015 it was 5,600 hours and 2016, 8,200 hours. Without the many volunteers we could not achieve the various programs offered.

If anyone wishes a copy of the agenda and report for 2016 meeting there are copies available at the reception desk.

I would be remiss if I didn't mention the hard work of the nomination committee comprising of Heather Beaumont and Bev Jones, which made electing new directors a very easy task.

Do you find that the print is getting smaller in the books you enjoy reading? We now have a collection of large print books for your enjoyment. All we ask is that you return them after reading them.

On Thursday afternoon while playing Bid Euchre Doug Brown, Frances Hogenbirk and Cheryl Savage each had a mooner.

Dianna Cote won the February Pedicure compliments of Dorri Bland of the Downtown Spa, Georgetown and Mary Smith won the March draw. These draws take place monthly to celebrate member's birthdays during each month. Now you have the chance to win many prizes as Marj McDonough has the penny table set up with some wonderful prizes. The winners will be drawn at the May Mother's Day Luncheon on Saturday May 13.

Don't forget the Centre will be closed on Friday, April 14 and Monday, April 17 for the Easter holidays.

Enjoy breakfast and movie with HALC-Georgetown

By Florence Riehl

Hillsview Active Living Centre-Georgetown

Looking for a fun activity at the Centre? Why not come out on a Monday or Friday morning at 9 a.m. to try your skill at Carpet Bowling? If you are hesitating to take part because you don't know how to play, not to fret. The members are always eager to help you learn.

Friday Flap Jacks & Flick will be an Easter Breakfast, tomorrow, April 7. Breakfast is served at 10 a.m. and the movie *Miracles From Heaven* is shown at 11 a.m. Good food! Good friends! Good conversation.

Another year has passed by and once more it is time for our Annual General Meeting on Thursday, April 13 at 1 p.m. Please show your interest in the affairs of your Centre by coming out to show your support and to learn what your Board of Directors have done on your behalf. It is your Meeting Place. It should be your concern.

St. Roch School will be back on Thursday, April 20 to serve lunch. Tickets are on sale now.

Having problems with your iPad? Come out the fourth Thursday of each month at

9:30 a.m. and Greg, our iPad instructor, will probably have the answer.

As this goes to press they tell me there are only two spots remaining for the Conversational Spanish classes to begin on April 21. Hurry in and sign up.

You have received your invitation to the Volunteer Lunch to be held at the Gellert Community Centre on Tuesday, April 25. You are asked to R.S.V.P. to Heather. If you are a volunteer and have not received your invitation please contact Heather at 905-873-2601 ext. 2282.

You have been asking and I can tell you now that tickets are on sale for our Annual Spring Fashion Show on Monday, May 8 and once more featuring the latest fashions of Northern Reflections and Alia Tan Jay.

Blue Jays Baseball season has begun and we are going to join in the fun at Rogers Centre on Saturday, Aug. 12. Seats are in Section 130, rows 34-39. This trip is open to anyone interested in an afternoon of fun.

Call me to book your place at 905-873-0050 or 905-873-1210.

Your Centre will be closed for Good Friday, April 14 and for Easter Monday, April 17.

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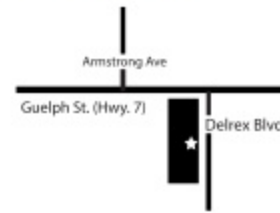
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