

The way we were



When coffee houses were the rage...

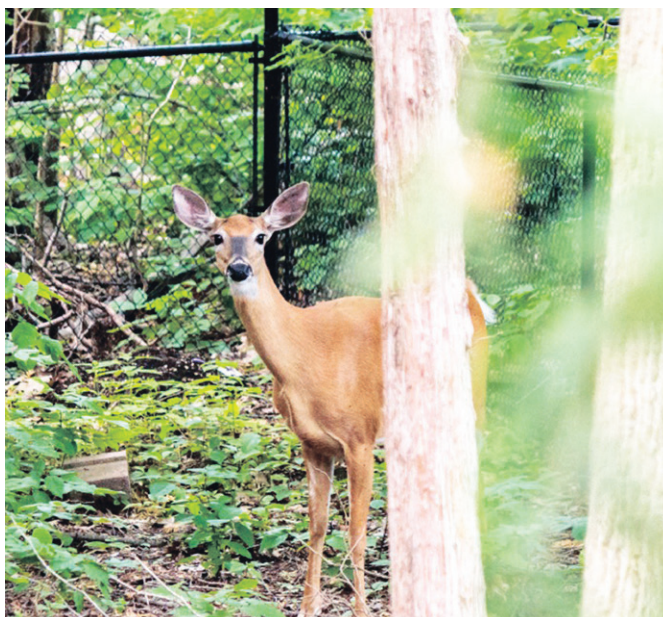
Remember when boys' hair styles were longer than girls and coffee houses were all the rage. Really have things changed so much since this photo was taken in 1974?

Independent file photo

From our readers

PICTURE THIS

Reader Michael Halsall of Harold St. managed to snap photos of a doe and her two fawns who have taken up residence in the bush between the Old Armoury and Harold Street in Georgetown.



Got a photo you want to share?

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One-of-a-kind Community Covenant promotes support for veterans

Last month, the Town of Halton Hills launched Community Covenant for veterans and their families. It is the only one in Ontario, and the second one in all of Canada. This event promoted the importance of supporting our veterans and use as an example for other municipalities in Ontario and throughout Canada to follow. Through the development of a Community Covenant, the Town of Halton Hills showcased partnerships, organizations, programs, and services within our community supporting veterans and their families. It was a powerful ceremony. It was an honour to have various guest speakers and once again I thank them for being part of this truly one of a kind event. Supt. Rick Penney from the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, Corporal Robin Schavo, Lieutenant Colonel William Adcock, Corporal Phyllis Bunn and Private Shell Lawr.



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The GTA West Transportation Corridor Planning Environmental Assessment is under way. This could be a minimum five-year study by MTO to connect a highway to the 401/407 interchange. As a result, 6,000 acres of land from the Eighth Line to Winston Churchill Blvd. are frozen. This is unfair to property owners to have to sit in limbo with so much uncertainty. I have written the Minister of Transportation to have a meeting to discuss this issue. This highway is NOT to be confused with the 4-3 highway that we defeated a few years ago.

Congratulations to MPP Ted Ar-

nott on his recent re-election.

A big thank you to all of the volunteers who made Canada Day a huge success in Acton and Glen Williams. Congratulations to Skytree Smith, named "Glen Williams 2014 Citizen of the Year".

If you've been listening to the news, you'll know that small communities in Ontario have had tornadoes rip through their towns. It's important to all of us to be prepared for an emergency. As we saw last

December, having an emergency kit is very important during these times. Make sure everyone in your family knows what to do before, during and after an emergency. Have your cell phone charged and cash on hand. Stock these six basics in your home: water, food, first aid supplies, tools & supplies, clothing & bedding, and

special items. Keep them in a waterproof backpack or duffel bag in case of an evacuation and make sure everyone knows where to find it.

Congratulations to:

- Purity Life on celebrating their 30th Anniversary
- Tech Tire on their grand opening in Georgetown
- Brooks Heating & Air on their grand re-opening in Georgetown

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