

How to use a fire extinguisher

Do you have a fire extinguisher in your home? And as importantly, do you know how to use one? If a situation ever arises where a fire extinguisher is required, homeowners can use the simple acronym PASS to guide them in

- how to use it properly, as follows:
- **Pull:** The first step is to pull the pin. This will allow you to squeeze the handle.
 - **Aim:** Aim the nozzle at the base of the fire.
 - **Squeeze:** Squeeze the handle to spray. You have about 30 seconds, so make it count.
 - **Sweep:** While spraying, move

(or sweep) back and forth, aiming at the base of the fire. Be aware that you cannot use an extinguisher for a large fire. This tool simply does not have the power to put it out. Rather, an extinguisher is meant for putting out and controlling smaller fires before they develop into a larger and more dangerous one.

“Always place fire extinguishers in areas where they are easily accessible,” says Wayne Ross, an insurance expert with Aviva Canada. “Put them in locations where a risk of a fire is the greatest.” More detailed information is available from your insurance broker or at AvivaCanada.com.
www.newscanada.com



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Please contact us as soon as possible if you have any accessibility needs at Halton Region events or meetings.



Halton Hills Thanksgiving Household Waste Collection Notice

Please Note Collection Day Changes

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Thanksgiving October 13	14	15	16	17	18
		Area 1, 3, 4, 5 Collection Moves		Area 2 Collection Moves	

Due to the Thanksgiving holiday, household waste collection services the week of October 13 will take place the day after your regular collection day.

Please place your waste at the curb by 7 a.m. on your scheduled holiday collection day.

Find your waste collection day at Halton.ca/wastecalendar

Special Waste Drop-off Day

Saturday, October 25, 2014

9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Mohawk Racetrack (Parking Lot), 9430 Guelph Line, Campbellville

To make the recycling of household hazardous waste and electronics more convenient to residents, Halton Region will be holding a Special Waste Drop-off Day. Visit Halton.ca for more information.

Halton Waste Management Site

will be closed Monday, October 13, 2014

Regular Operating Hours

Open Monday to Saturday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

5400 Regional Road 25, Milton

Thanksgiving Tips



Blue Box

- Aluminum foil & trays
- Aluminum food & pop cans
- Boxed beverage containers
- Plastic bottles
- Plastic plates & cups



GreenCart

- Turkey, including bones (wrap tightly in newspaper)
- Buns & stuffing
- Vegetables
- Paper plates & cups



Garbage

- Plastic cutlery
- “Compostable” plastic cups & cutlery
- Styrofoam
- Plastic wrap



Calling all job seekers!

Halton Region is hosting its annual job fair on Wednesday, October 15 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Burlington Convention Centre (1120 Burloak Drive). The job fair is open to the public and will include over 30 employers from across Halton. The job fair is one of the many ways our Employment Halton service helps people in Halton connect with employers in our community. Come prepared, dress for success and bring your résumé. To learn more visit Halton.ca/employmenthalton.