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The Halton Hills Child Care Centre recently celebrated its grand opening at a new location on Mountainview Road South. On hand for the festivities are (from left) Halton Director of Children's Services Sandy Palinski, Centre Director Conny Paton, Mayor Rick Bonnette and board chair William McCombe.

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Halton Hills Child Care Centre has made itself at home in south Georgetown.

On July 8, the non-profit organization officially relocated from its longtime location on Park Avenue to a plaza on Mountainview Road South. The larger space has made way for an increase in the number of licensed child care spaces provided from 108 to 114.

'We're excited to not only relocate to a new home, but also expand and offer more to the community." said the centre's board chair, William McCombe. "Our day-to-day programming is really what makes the centre great."

Halton Hills Child Care Centre has been operating in the community for 33 years and is governed by a volunteer board of directors.

With some of the staff members being there for the past three decades, the children and their parents are bound to see a familiar face, giving the centre a homey feel, McCombe.

The facility offers playbased programming for infants, toddlers and preschool-age children, along

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with before and after school care. A full-time cook prepares fresh meals daily for the youngsters.

While the centre was a mainstay in the Park Avenue community, director Conny Paton said the families she and her staff provide care for have been very supportive of the move, with some of the preschoolers channeling their excitement into packing boxes.

"They (the parents) all said it doesn't matter where you go, we're coming with you," she said. "We strive to build those really good relationships."



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