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Halton Hills Christmas Day and New Year's Day Household waste collection notice

Please note collection day changes.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Dec 20	21	22	Areas A, B & C No change	24	Christmas Day 25	Area D Collection moves 26
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Dec 27	28	29	Areas A, B & C No change	31	New Years Day January 1	Area D Collection moves 2

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

Garbage tag exemption

Areas A and B: Your first garbage collection day after Christmas Day (December 25) will not require garbage tags; however, the **six garbage bag/can limit applies**. Visit halton.ca/waste for more information.



Christmas tree collection

Areas A and B:

Place Christmas trees at the curb for collection on Wednesday, January 13 and 20, 2021.

There is no tree collection for **areas C & D**.



Halton Waste Management Site

Closed

Friday, December 25, 2020
Friday, January 1, 2021

Regular Operating Hours

Monday to Saturday | 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
5400 Regional Road 25, Milton

Waste collection calendar

Never miss your waste collection day again! Visit halton.ca/waste to find your waste collection day and to:

- sign up for weekly email or phone call waste collection reminders;
- download your waste collection calendar to your personal iCal, Google Calendar or Microsoft Outlook calendar; or
- print your own copy of the collection calendar.

The new 2021 Halton Region Guide & Waste Collection Calendar will be distributed to all houses in December 2020.

Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays

On behalf of Halton Regional Council and staff, I would like to wish you a wonderful holiday season! Although this year looks much different than others, I hope you enjoy your holidays with members of your household and virtual celebrations with family and friends. Essential Regional services will remain available over the holidays. While most Regional facilities remain closed due to COVID-19, those that have reopened will be closed from 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, December 23 until 8:30 a.m. on Monday, January 4.

For assistance, please visit halton.ca, use our OneHalton mobile app or call 311. Merry Christmas and happy New Year!



Gary Carr
Regional Chair

Meetings at Halton Region

Regional Council meetings are taking place through web conferencing until further notice. Videos will be posted to halton.ca.



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

OPINION

GREAT SHOWING ENJOYED FOR REMEMBRANCE CONTEST



DAVID MALONY
Column

GOOD LUCK TO WINNERS WHO MOVED ON TO ZONE LEVEL, WRITES DAVID MALONY

We had a great response from the schools for our Remembrance and poster contest.

We thank the staff and students for their efforts. We appreciated the work done by the kindergarten students. Due to the circumstances this year, we will not have an awards ceremony. The certificates and prize monies will be sent to the schools to be given to winning students. The schools will announce the winning entries at the school level.

First place entries have gone on to be judged at the zone level. We wish those students good luck. Chairman Billy Mathers extends his thanks to all the volunteers who took part in this year's Poppy Campaign. Despite the restrictions placed upon us, we managed to raise almost \$13,000.

Though this is down considerably from the usual \$20,000 that we have averaged over the past five years, we still consider this a

success under the circumstances. We are especially grateful to 'Sweet Molly's' for their extra help in not only the fundraising, but in matching the funds raised on their premises.

The ongoing work to our beer cooler is well under way, and should be completed by early January. So, when we are finally given permission to open, then it will feel like we have a new bar.

The executive, and their families, extend their wishes to all our membership for a very Merry Christmas and happy holidays. We hope to see you all soon, in the coming year.

This message is from Branch 197 President Wes Kutasienski:

The past nine months have been exceedingly difficult for our branch and its members. If I have not done so already, I would like to thank our officers, our executive members and our volunteers for their patience, understanding and efforts.

David Malony is the public relations officer for the Acton Legion, Branch 197. He can be reached at rclbr197@cogeco.net.

NEWS

HALTON PUBLIC BOARD TO CONDUCT STUDENT CENSUS

On Tuesday, Jan. 12, 2021 the Halton District School Board will be hosting information sessions about the board's student census.

Beginning in late January, the board will be conducting a voluntary student census, which will confidentially gather data about students' identities, such as their first language, ethnic and racial background, religion, gender identity and, for older students, sexual orientation.

Students will also share their perceptions of school climate,

sense of belonging and experiences with bullying.

Sessions will be virtual and offered in American Sign Language, Arabic, French, Hindi, Simplified Chinese, Spanish, Punjabi and Urdu.

Sessions will also be available for Indigenous communities.

Individuals are asked to register for the specific session they wish to attend using a form at <https://bit.ly/InfoRegisterHDSB> and indicate a choice between two time slots: 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. or 6 to 7 p.m.

The registration form also provides an opportunity to submit questions before the information session.

A Google Meet link will be sent to participants who pre-register for the sessions.