

Bits & Pieces of Acton News

• **Farm to Paw announced** last month, that January 7th was the final day their Acton store would be open for business.

While management made the difficult decision to close the 14 Main Street South location, they assure existing customers that they will continue to serve at nearby Farm to Paw locations in Erin and Guelph. Orders can be made by phone or online, and products will be delivered to the customer's door.

• **The Acton Food Share** is continuing to look for donations from the community as the need for non-perishable food continues to grow.

The most needed items that the Food Share is looking for includes: Jam, juices, instant coffee, cooking oil, chunky soup, small cans of soup, jello, canned tomatoes, canned pasta with or without meat, hot cereal (i.e. oatmeal).

Donations can be made by dropping off at bins at Giant Tiger, No Frills and Sobeys, or on Tuesdays at the Food Share. For more information, you can call the Acton Food Share at 519-853-0457 or visit actonfoodshare.com.

• **The 'I Love Acton' heart-shaped sculpture** in Downtown Acton was temporarily removed. On January 17th, after 3 months of being in the Mill-Main Parkette, the sculpture was taken down as it did not meet the Town of Halton Hills' safety requirements, according to the Downtown Acton BIA.

Catherine McLeod, Manager of Culture and Equity, Diversity and Inclusion said, "While the installation of the 'I Love Acton' metal sculpture was well intended, the Town was not consulted prior to installation. An engineer contracted by the Downtown Acton BIA determined that the piece as it had been installed was unsafe and recommended that it be removed and if it was to be reinstalled, the installation would need to be designed by a licensed professional."

The heart was designed by local metal artist Doris Treleaven and donated by Acton Optical owner Nancy Wilkes, as a gift to the DABIA. Both the BIA and the Town assure residents that the required base and attachments will be constructed so that it can be reinstalled in the Parkette.



DSD - Dollar Stretcher Daze

HELIUM BALLOONS

HUGE PARTY SECTION

HOME DECOR

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