## "Join the celebration" at the Acton Fall Fair

BY ERIC BALKIND

The town will be a busy place on the weekend of Sept. 18, 19 and 20 when the Acton Agricultural Society presents its' 79th annual fair. The fair's committee is headed up by President George Henderson and he is confident that this year's event will include something for everybody — including you!

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Gates open on Friday Sept. 18 and this, of course, will be Education Day and all schools are invited to attend free of charge. It's a great opportunity for students to visit one of the best agricultural fairs in Ontario.

Many youngsters will be anxious to look for their own work, which will be on display in the schools section together with the usual fine crafts and hobbies. Young eyes will searching anxiously for those red, white and blue ribbons which are awarded to the tops in each class.

The Heavy Horse Pull goes at 6.30 p.m. and later in the evening is the Miss Acton Fair Queen Contest.

On Saturday, gates open at 9 a.m. The big parade starts at noon from McKenzie-Smith school and will feature our own Acton Citizen's Band together with a host of

colourful entries. Watch for it!

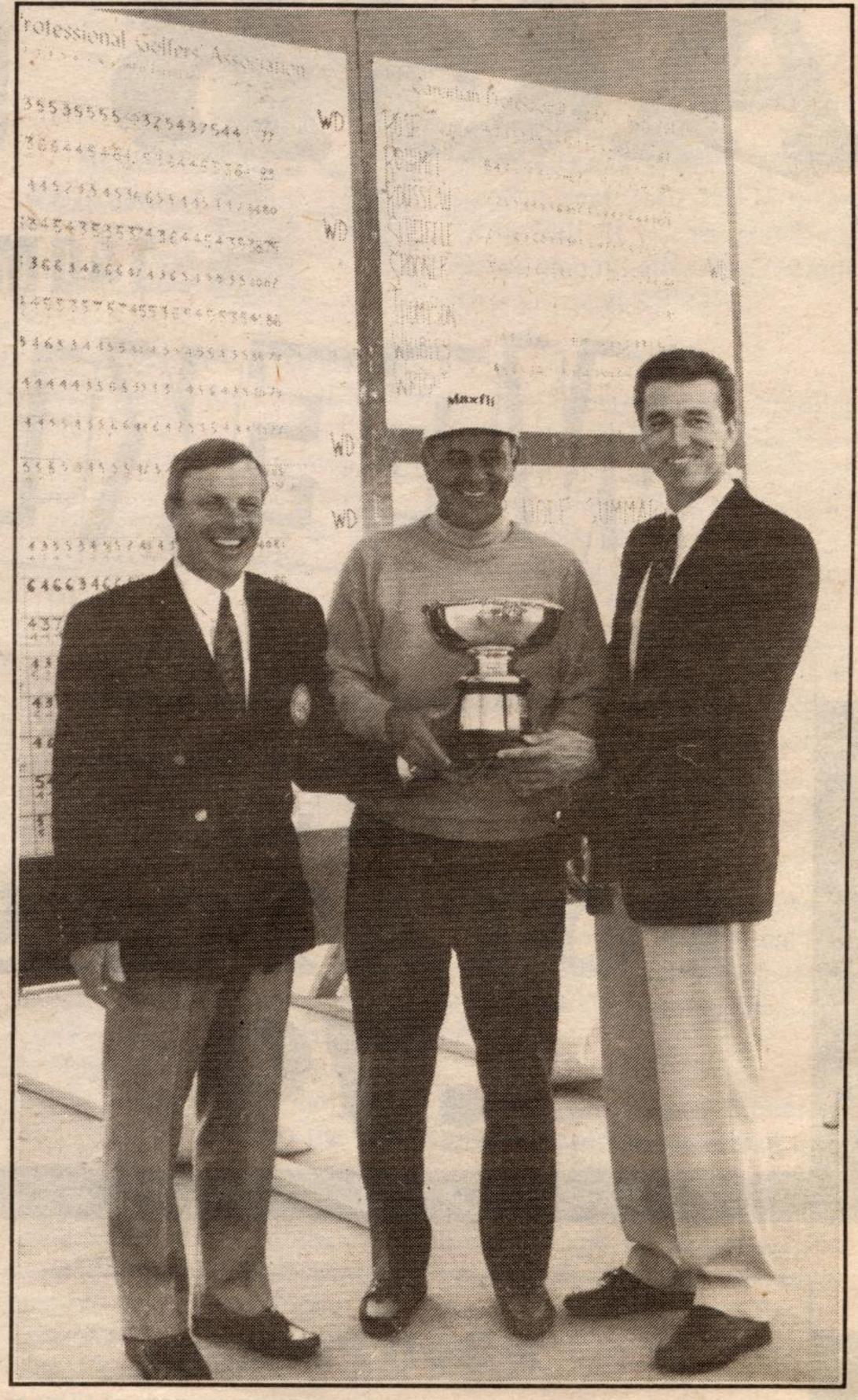
If you've always been envious of those truck drivers in the truck pull (which takes place at 8.30 p.m. in the evening) be sure to enter in one of this year's new events — the Lawn and Garden Tractor Pull. Don't wait - start tuning your machines up now.

Gates open on Sunday at noon and you can catch the antique tractor pull, the pet show, the English and Western horse shows and any number of toprate events. By the way, entries are needed in yet another new event — the remote control cars and boat races; these may be your best chance of experiencing the bigtime. Get your entry in today.

One of the most popular events - the sheepdog demonstration, will be running on both Saturday and Sunday. If you've never seen these amazing dogs at work make a point of watching them this time round.

Parking at the fair will be limited to Disabled only but you can leave your chariot anywhere in town and ride into the grounds courtesy of Tyler Transport. All you have to do is stop the bus and get on board. How's that for service?

Watch for more news about the Fair in the next Tanner!



Bob Rose (centre), winner of the Transamerica C.P.G.A. Seniors Championship, held Aug. 26 - 29 at Blue Springs, accepts his well-earned reward fromPaul Batho (right) of Transamerica. On hand also to congratulate Bob is Ian Clark of the C.P.G.A. (Jim Warrington photo)

# FALL FAIR COMPETITION

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#### REQUIREMENTS

• Single girls 16 years of age and over

 Must live in the Acton, Rockwood, Eden Mills, Limehouse or Ballinafad areas and/or attend Acton District High School

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### Sidewalk shovelling to become mandatory

Acton residents and merchants will unsafe for handicapped people to Place, Mayor Millersaid the Town eventually be forced to shovel their sidewalks following a local handicapped man's successful appeal to the Ontario Human Rights.

Former Georgetown resident

get around in the winter because the Town did not adequately clear sidewalks.

Although the O.H.R.C. decision only affects sidewalks in the Neil Brookbanks argued it was area of the Georgetown Market

will eventually approve a bylaw forcing residents and businesses to shovel their sidewalks. Town Council earlier rejected such a bylaw because it would have been too costly to enforce.

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