

Annual Garden Contest!

Acton and area residents, if you are proud of your green thumb why not enter the Acton Horticultural Society's garden contest. If you know someone else who has the touch get them interested, the contest is open to everyone. We'd love to come and see your gardens.

Entry deadline is Friday, July 9. Gardens to be judged in mid to late July. Awards will be presented to the winners at the Society's meeting in September.

Reply To: Acton Horticultural Society
c/o 174 Longfield Road, Acton L7J 2K4

Categories — Please check your garden type:

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| Rural Garden — flowers | <input type="checkbox"/> | Urban Lawn, Flowers Garden | <input type="checkbox"/> |
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Lots to do this weekend

Come on brain, get thinking! Tis Monday night and you've got to get a column in tonight for Wednesday's paper. Let's see now, what have you come up with? Ah, yes ...

I wish I could be more than one person this weekend as there's so much going on. On Saturday, there's the Acton Citizens' Band Garage Sale and the Seniors' Centre Bake Sale at the Old Fire Hall; the Senior's Safety Fair at the Halton Regional Centre from 10 to 4 pm; a garage sale and bake sale at St. Alban's Anglican Church and a puppet show at the Acton Baptist Church. Sure is a busy weekend.

I'll be bringing some baking for

Seniors Scene

With Pat Giguere



the Seniors' Centre Bake Sale early on Saturday morning before taking off for Bronte. If any of you want to donate to the Seniors sale there will be some of the committee at the Fire Hall Friday night to accept any donations between 7 and 9 pm, or give me a call at 853-2738 and I'll come around and pick up any goodies you have.

Almost fell off my chair the other day when I heard the news that they want to put in a shower and a bedroom at the cost of thousands

for the PM while he's up in the air. They've got air in their heads instead of brains to even think of such a thing.

We're supposed to pull in our belts so they can save some money towards paying off the deficit. Give me a break!

When he gets off the plane you may be sure the hotel he stays in is the very best and it's all on our money. He sure isn't deprived.

Sneaky, sneaky, sneaky — that's what the Great Wayne G. is. It came out on the news tonight that all those rumours that have been going around that he might be leaving the L.A. Kings were just rumours so that he will get more money to stay on.

Funny you can take a dislike to a person, but you know I have never liked the guy. The Great What? Will watch the fourth game tonight in the Stanley Cup Playoffs and I guess you know who I'll be cheering for — believe me, it will not be for his team. Got a big bang out of it the night he scored on his own team — that was neat.

Don't forget the Seniors' Picnic in the Park on Thursday, June 17 at noon.

Hammy rescued from furnace pipe at M.Z.

M.Z. BENNETT NEWS

BY LUCAS GREEN

This has been Track and Field Week at M.Z. Bennett.

The girls did track events all morning and field events all afternoon. The boys did vice versa. The track events were 60m sprint, 80m sprint, 100m sprint, 200m run, 400m run, boys relays, girls relays and mixed relays. The field events were target toss, long jump, ball throw and high jump. Each student got a participation ribbon plus first, second and thirds.

Mr. Shrubole's class are having a safety rodeo. Mrs. Mattell's and Miss Dunnet's classes are finished bugs. Miss Lawson's class is finished bugs and is starting a reading centre. Mr. Mashinter's class hamster "Hammy" was rescued from in the furnace pipe by Mrs. Spencer! She was wounded in the line of duty! Fortunately she doesn't need a cast.

Mrs. Graham's class is researching Africa and still doing Novel Study. On Thursday, June 10 the whole school is going to the Zoo. Each class is researching animals from different countries.

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Women and crimeproofing
Ontario is among the safest places in the world to live, work and play. To help make it even safer, this checklist has been compiled. Following these suggestions won't eliminate crime entirely, but it will help you reduce the opportunity for others to commit a crime against you.

- It is dangerous to hitch-hike. Once trapped inside the car, it is difficult to call for assistance.
- Try to not walk alone at night. Use a bus or taxi. If you must walk, be alert, avoid dark or isolated areas and walk out in the open, out from walls, alleys, doorways, pillars, etc.
- Inform others when and where you're going and check in with them when you reach your destination.
- Walk on the side of the street opposite where cars are parked.
- Have your key ready as you approach the house.
- Walk on the side of the street that is best lit.
- If you suspect you are being followed while on foot, cross the street, or walk on the road. Head immediately to the nearest well-lit or populated area. If people are within hearing distance, turn to the person and say in a loud voice "stop following me." Contact police immediately. Go to a house, store or flag down a taxi to call police.

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