

Acton High hosts Speakers' Series

Norbert Georget, an internationally known speaker, paramedic and student motivator will be this year's keynote speaker at Acton High School's Eighth Annual Speakers' Series.

Georget has an impressive following, having spoken about his positive life techniques to over half a million students in over 900 high schools and colleges across Canada and throughout the United States.

He is frequently on radio and television talk shows and has been featured in numerous newspapers across the country.

Georget is the founder of the Saskatchewan Ambulance Student Awareness Program, a program offering counselling and prevention services to students, parents, teachers and professionals.

The presentation will include such important and timely issues as peer pressure, family roles, driving, alcohol and parent-teen relations.

Georget will be speaking to stu-

dents at Acton High School on Tuesday, May 3 in the afternoon and to parents and community members in the evening.

The presentation is scheduled to run from 7:30 to 9 pm. Tickets

cost \$3 and are available from Judy Auty at Acton High School (853-2920).

For more information, readers can contact Ken Ellis or Dave Jones at the High School.

General meeting on May 9

LEGION NEWS

There were four tables of bridge and 16 and a half tables of euchre in the games room last Wednesday and Thursday. The winners were: Lil Cook, Ward Hamilton and Mabel Barkman for bridge with Dick Clement, Jay Noonan, H. Wedge, Marguerite Atkinson, Edythe Clement and Uke Zajak for euchre.

On Friday the Annual Zone Social was held at the Branch and about 450 members from the 11 Branches in the Zone danced and socialized till 1 am. It was great to see the young members selling tickets, tending bar and cleaning

up. As far as I could tell they were all children or grandchildren of members. Sure makes the future of the Branch look pretty rosy with all these young volunteers.

There was a good turnout for the meat draw on Saturday afternoon and the winners were: Ivan Kilby, Helen Stewart, Ross Rolfe (2), Al Robinson, Shorty, Neil Miller, George McPhail, Donelda Ferguson, Jim Phillips, Gloria Dunn, Pam Reynolds, John Arnold, Bob Reynolds. Lucky Bev Mattocks won the big roast.

Coming Events: Regular bridge, euchre and the meat draw on Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons.

Special Events: As you mark up your calendar or diary for May make note of the General Meeting and election of officers on May 9. Tickets, at \$5 per person for supper, are available from your Bar Stewards. The General Meeting and election of officers will be held after the meal.

So if you are on a diet or can't make it for supper, you can still come to the auditorium at 8 pm and help elect your new executive.

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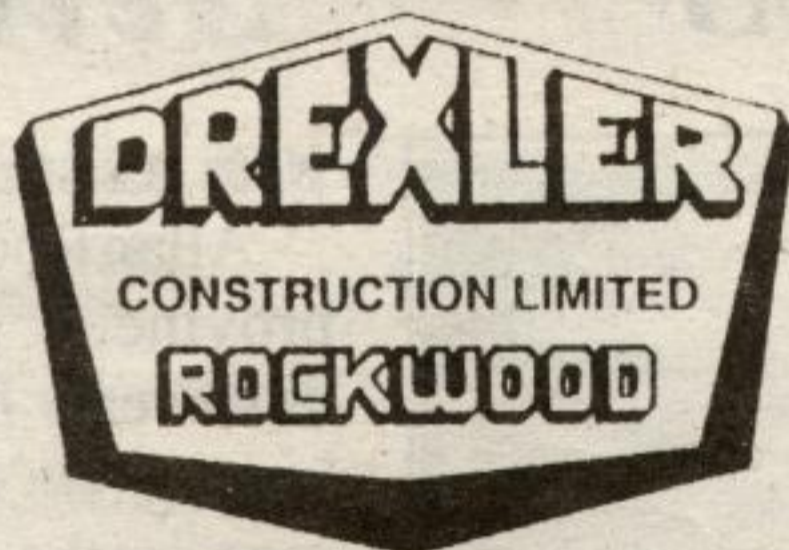
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McKenzie-Smith students Melissa Williams, Shamus McGuire and Ryan Little performed an area clean-up around the school on Thursday to mark Earth Day. (Photo by Doug Harrison)



St. Joseph's students were busy Thursday picking up garbage as part of Earth Day. From left are Myles Johnston, Shane Haslam and Sarah Vitale. (Photo by Doug Harrison)



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May Green Ribbon month

Monday night Town Council named May as Green Ribbon of Hope Campaign month at the request of Ontario Child Find. May 25 will also be recognized as National Missing Children's Day.

During May community members will be asked to wear a green ribbon in an attempt to increase awareness of the serious issue of missing children in Canada.

In 1993 alone there were 55,908

reports of missing children in Canada. Although the majority were runaways, some 407 were victims of parental abduction, while another 61 were the victims of stranger abduction.

The Green Ribbon of Hope Campaign was originated by the students of Holy Cross Secondary School in St. Catharines, following the abduction and murder of Kristen French.

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