



HOOP FINALISTS! The Acton "Redmen Alumni" team of, from left, John Kwiatkowski, George Gidman, Bob Little and Paul Nolan made it to the final game of the Kitchener 3-on-3 Streetball tournament on the weekend. The Acton squad lost its only game of the tourney to a Mississauga team. Acton students Stephanie Adams, Rebecca Austin, Eleni Halis and Kelly Holmes competed in another division, winning one of three contests. (Tracy Brundle photo)

NEWS SHORTS

Thieves target unlocked cars

The rash of thefts from vehicles continued on the weekend as a thief removed lottery tickets and a cheque from an unlocked vehicle parked on Victoria Avenue in Acton sometime between Saturday and Monday morning.

The cheque was later found, torn into pieces, on the front lawn of the residence.

There are no suspects at present but police continue to investigate.

On Monday Halton Police issued another reminder to lock car doors when unoccupied. Police also are urging Actonites to reports any suspicious activity near parked vehicles in their neighbourhoods.

Little paper that flew

A Mill Street convenience store reportedly had 10 copies of Toronto Sun stolen from its property between 2 and 8 am last Thursday morning.

Police say that the newspapers were later found scattered around the downtown area.

There are no suspects.

Un-Canadian conduct

Two Canadian flags were stolen from a Mill Street restaurant overnight last Thursday. Police report that there are no suspects in the crime, but they are investigating.

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QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"He was never mean to anyone and worked hard all his life. He was a good man."

— Betty Hardie, Tinnie Masales' niece, Page 9

DID YOU KNOW?

Because of a reflex action, a rattlesnake can bite you up to a half hour after it's dead.

Christian musicians will rock here

Special to the Acton Tanner
Why should the devil have all the good music?

"He doesn't!" says Chad Ballantyne, youth pastor of Acton Baptist Church. And he'll prove it this Saturday at 8 pm, as the Acton Baptist Church hosts the Christian Rock Band "Megiddo."

"If you like good music and the explosive sound of today's Christian Rock, this concert is a must for you. In today's world of negativity, Megiddo breaks through with a positive message of light and hope," says the youth worker.

The Acton Baptist Church hired Ballantyne as part of their effort to

introduce the love of Jesus Christ to the teens of our town.

"Many people say that the youth of today are tomorrow's future, but this church believes they can make a difference in the world now," says Ballantyne.

For the past four months Ballantyne has opened up his apartment, above Andy's Restaurant, to Acton's youth—an open house he's named "Kickback."

"Music is one of the greatest influences in a teenager's life. A medium where values, standards, and even fashion is determined. In a recent survey 90 per cent of Canadian young people say that

listening to music is the most important activity in their lives.

"With so many discouraging messages being taught through today's music, it really is refreshing to listen to a Christian band like Megiddo.

"Too many people think that Christian music is dull and boring and that all we sing is hymns. But that is not true and all—our music equals if not surpasses the talent and energy of today's most popular musicians."

The band consists of four young musicians from the Barrie area.

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Teens injured in crash

Two area residents are in hospital after they were involved in an auto crash north of town last Wednesday.

Eighteen-year-old Travis Mitchell of Acton and driver Beverly Amiro, 19, of Milton, were travelling westbound on County Rd. 50 when their 1991 Plymouth was hit by a truck

driven by Acton's Giovanni Civiero, 55. Both teens were taken by ambulance to Georgetown Hospital with undetermined injuries.

Civiero was uninjured while his GMC truck sustained moderate damage. The Amiro car was severely damaged in the accident.



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