

## Greenery meeting is Wed.

A "Facade Improvements" meeting is planned by the Acton BIA for Wednesday, Nov. 16 at 8 pm. The meeting, at Dan Dolliver's office on Mill Street, is a final step before plans for downtown greenery nodes can be taken to Town staff and council for approval.

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## Zone meeting Sunday

### LEGION LADIES NEWS

The November meeting of the Acton Legion Ladies Auxiliary was held last Thursday in the auditorium.

After the colours were deposited, the charter was draped in memory of our late comrade, Ann Richards.

A good attendance of 26 came out to greet Zone Commander Ethel Eastwood, and her deputy, Sheila Hicks.

After our recess and payment of dues, our sports officer, Janice Green, reported on the successful Social Euchre, held Oct. 29th. Janice also congratulated the bowling team of Lucy Synnot, Gail Robb, Annamarie Lowen, Delia McIntyre, Peg Harris and Pat Peterson in qualifying to go on to District bowling in Ingersol on Nov. 26. Good luck girls!

Eva Cutting, our banquet convenor, will be in need of servers during the busy Christmas season. Lots of banquets and parties on the calendar.

Also on the theme of Christmas our social convenor, Lily Higgins, is planning our Christmas outing. This year it will be Chinese! A bus at 6:30 pm at the Legion will take us to the Buffet King in Guelph. If you would like to come along, give Lily a call (853-2906). Sounds like fun!

With the business finished, President Lucy Synnot turned the meeting over to our guest. During Ethel's address she stressed the need for new members in all auxiliaries. She encouraged us to come to the Zone meeting in Georgetown this Sunday. The Zone Commander concluded with the reading of a timely and moving poem titled "Tears of Blood."

## School Sub Day to help United Way

### M.Z. BENNETT NEWS

BY SHANNON DA SILVA & ROBYN DEFOREST

Rain! Rain! Rain! Thank heavens it's not snow yet!!

M.Z. has been a busy place as usual. Halloween brought Power Rangers, witches, monsters, vampires, princesses, ballerinas, hippies, goblins, animals, clowns and pirates. The whole school paraded through M.Z. and McKenzie-Smith schools. Everyone had fun.

We had our monthly assembly last week. Gordon Smith received the Principal's Award for learning. Mrs. Curry's Kindergarten handed Apples, our school mascot, over to Ms. Dunnet's class. The Grade 4/5 classes sang "We Belong" at the assembly. It was a good song for Remembrance Day.

Kindergartens had a successful Halloween party with apple bobbing and scary stories. They had a visit from a clown who made balloon animals. They went to Mountsbury to see how plants and animals get ready for winter.

The Grade 1/2's are still busy exploring under the ground. They are starting to learn addition and subtraction.

Mrs. Bannerman's class and Mrs. Spencer's class had a visit from Mrs. Andrews, President of Halton Women Teachers' Federation, to help them learn about exploring bones. They enjoyed all the information that Mrs. Andrews had to teach them.

The Grade 4/5 classes had a successful Bridge Strength Testing celebration last Wednesday. After designing and building bridges, parents were invited to watch our strength testing. Everyone became very excited during the testing, wondering who would end up having the strongest bridge.

Mrs. Graham's class made word problem books for class. Everyone got to stay one night until 7 pm to learn more about computers. Mrs. Graham bought pizza and pop for dinner. Four or five people stayed at one time.

In Mr. Waitson's class the students started showing their true selves as witches, pirates, gorillas and clowns. They are anxious to get started at mystery stories.

Mr. Fisher's class has been reading about monsters and finishing up bridges also.

Our reporters for *The Tanner* interviewed Mr. Fisher this week. He came here from Martin Street School in Milton. He taught Grades 3/4 and also Grade 2. He has one son named Tom who is in Grade 9. His wife also teaches Grade 3 at George Kennedy school. His hobbies are making model buildings from toys or wood. He loves to collect books of all kinds.

Next week we have a "Sub Day" and all proceeds will go to help the "United Way." Aren't we a grand bunch of helpers.

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All other schools missed their deadlines this week.

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