



ICE CREAM TREAT! Little Daniel Peregrine tastes an ice cream sundae with help from his dad, David, at the Christian Reformed Church's recent party to signal the end of the Daily Vacation Bible School. Daniel's brother, Brynley, waited patiently for him to finish his sundae. (Eve Martin photo)

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NEWS SHORTS

New legislation applauded

Halton-Peel MP Julian Reed last week applauded "some badly-needed legislation" which recently passed into law.

Reed said he approved of "an urgent bill to do with self-intoxication or the defence of extreme drunkenness. Defendants now will be prohibited from claiming that they were too drunk to know what they were doing."

The MP also commented on the new DNA testing bill, which recently received Royal Assent. The law will give police the right to forcibly obtain a DNA sample, providing that there is enough evidence to justify issuing a warrant.

Reed said that "DNA should be as common as fingerprinting. It is certainly more reliable and has the ability to protect the innocent as well as convict the guilty."

More theft, vandalism

Three incidents of vandalism and theft were reported by police over the past week.

Residents of a duplex on Mill Street East returned home Sunday to find the glass door and frame of their home broken. The vandalism occurred sometime between Friday and Sunday and damage is estimated at \$200.

The tenant of a Young Street apartment reported the theft of a Zenith television and remote control, between 2:30 and 6:30 pm last Friday. The set is valued at \$1,000.

Some time between last Monday and Wednesday a set of hydraulic jaws was stolen from the yard at Queen's Tire.

The jaws are attached to a boom or crane and are used for lifting heavy material. They have a value of \$4,000.

False alarm!

An alarm activation brought Acton firefighters to a Commerce Crescent business on Saturday at 6:30 pm, but fortunately it turned out to be a false alarm.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Kids are the best people. They're nice, kind, not prejudiced, cooperative and willing."

— Darrell Bridge, camp counsellor, Page 5

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