



ON-STAGE! Acton's Rec and Parks Theatre Campers gather for a photo after a dress rehearsal for their performance of *The Playoff* on Thursday at the high school. Front row, from left: Scott Redford, Thomas Somerville, Ani Byrne, Brittany Barnes, Andrew Miller, Stephanie McDonnell and Sabrina Fread. Second row: Lesley Stoneham, Vince Zmija, Drew Clipperton, Corey Wilson and Shannon Tunney. Third row: Bryony Flynn, Mark Pawlak, Caitlin Lichty and Kristina Galvin. Fourth row: leaders Geoff Johansson, Sam Simmons, Stephen Flynn and Nicole Lee. (Doug Harrison photo)

Construction delayed for Fair

A scheduling change means much-needed repairs to roads near Prospect Park will not interfere with the 85th edition of the Acton Fall

Fair next month.

Although the proposed water main and sewer replacement and road work was to have begun by

now, it was delayed until next week on Lake Avenue and will be wrapped up before the fair.

Following the fair in mid-September, work will begin on Knox Street and Park Avenue.

When Halton Region planned to reconstruct existing waste water mains and water mains on Knox, Park, Lake and River Street, the Town decided to piggyback on the project and install new storm sewers at the same time.

The Town's cost for the project is \$245,862.

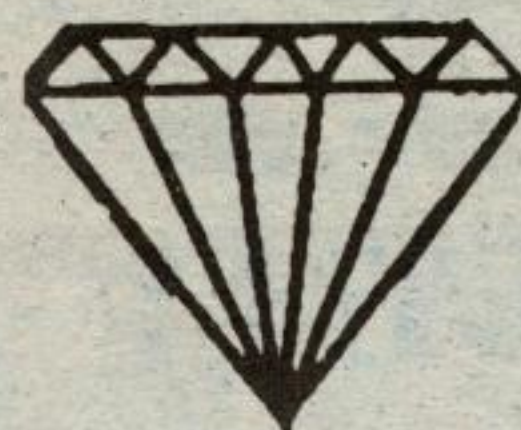
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NEWS SHORTS

Break-in thwarted by couple

Police were called after an alleged assault at Mill Street and Bower Avenue on Sunday at 4am.

A man and woman were walking near the intersection when they observed someone looking into the store window at Entertainment Tonite on Mill Street.

Apparently the young man yelled to the thug, advising him the store was closed. The suspect then approached the couple, shoving the woman. The girl's boyfriend shoved back, and the suspect produced a pipe, striking the man in the leg.

The two victims left the scene, but the suspect followed them to a George Street residence, when he fled on foot.

Police believe the suspect may have been attempting a break-in when his plans were thwarted. They are looking for a 20 to 30-year-old white male, 5' 7" tall and 130 to 140 lbs. He has long dark hair and a mustache and was wearing blue jeans, black gloves and a T-shirt with a Nazareth logo.

Sleepy Sunday? Not!

Sunday was a busy day for local police officers along Mill Street. Staff at the Red Dog Cafe called police around 9:30 pm after eight patrons, six male and two female, left the Mill Street restaurant. The group had smashed glasses and salt and pepper shakers on the road in front of the eatery upon leaving.

Police were called to the Station Hotel after an attempted break-in on Sunday as well. Someone unsuccessfully attempted to enter the side door of the hotel around 2 am.

Police are investigating the incidents.

Man charged with impaired

A simple parking complaint turned into an impaired driving charge for a 38-year-old Georgetown man Thursday at 10 pm.

The man, who was driving a 1983 Buick, was stopped by police in the Acton IGA parking lot for a minor parking infraction. His behaviour raised suspicions of police, and he was charged with impaired driving and blowing over 80.

He will appear in court Oct. 16.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Closing Mill Street was a great idea. Business was up about 50 per cent from what it's normally been."

— Judy MacDonald, Mill Street business owner, Page 5

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