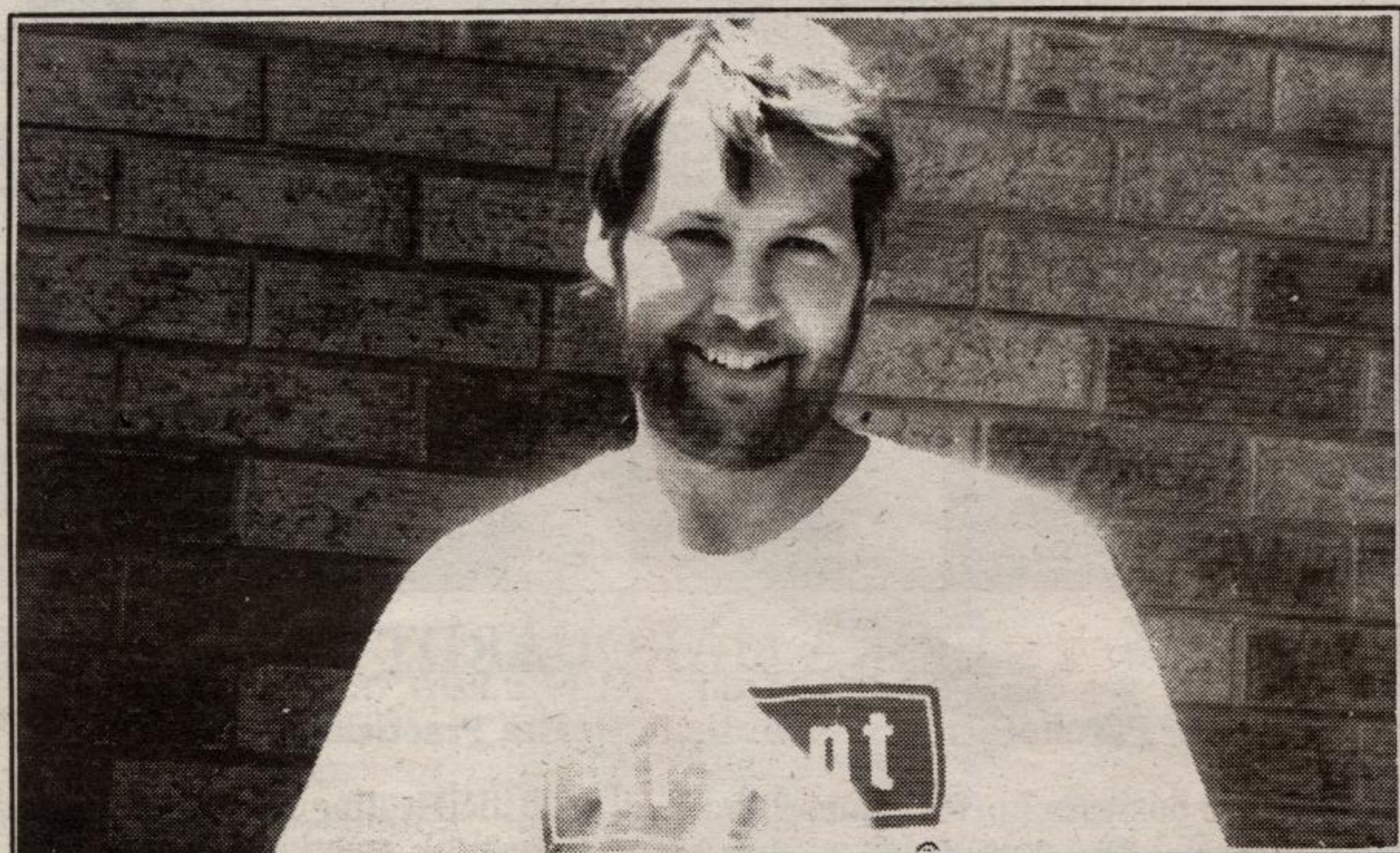


Saluting Home Based Businesses!

Enterprising • Achieving • Working Hard to Serve You!



Complete Renovations

Paul Alexander • 853-5163
4 Birchway Place, Acton

I just moved to Acton during that long winter in January of 1996, but didn't come from too far away – just 20 minutes away, over in Guelph where I had lived for eight years.

It was there that I started building my business as a carpenter/contractor. I have been in the renovation trade for 18 years, starting right after finishing high school in Oakville, where I grew up.

I worked for various kitchen, bathroom and renovation companies for many years gaining experience. In 1990, I went on my own.

"ONE MAN SHOW," "NO JOB TOO SMALL. JUST CALL PAUL."

By working alone I find I can keep my overhead and rates low, giving me a good list of repeat customers.

I'm glad I moved to Acton. I find the people here very friendly.

P.S. Estimates are always free!



Leesa's Finishing Touch

Leesa Ervin • 853-5916
Arthur Street, Acton (By appointment)

Hi, I'm Leesa of "Leesa's Finishing Touch." I would like to introduce myself to Acton, Rockwood and the surrounding area. I have lived in Acton for three years. Some of you may have seen me at the arena as a skating instructor. But off the ice, I have been doing nail services, waxing and pedicures to family members, friends and referrals.

I have felt there was a need in the area for these services rather than having to drive out of town. Why a home business? Low overhead, the services offered could be lower in cost, and more personalized service.

Remember, first impressions are very important. So why not give yourself that "Finishing Touch" with one or more of these services:

- Fibreglass nail extensions • Fibreglass nail wraps
- Hand painted nail art • Manicures • Pedicures • Waxing

Any special occasions coming up? I also carry (and items can be ordered) selected fine afghans, coffees, crafts and giftware. Themes are my speciality.



Bev Gray & Associates

853-2214

Bev Gray & Associates began in 1992 with an offer to design a 106-lot subdivision. The offer came from one of the now "Associates," who has a full time teaching job but does freelance work as well. (Yes, there really are Associates outside the family!) I am a designer of custom homes, working from a "high-tec" Home Office! The latest is computer aided drafting equipment, which along with fax and modem make the whole thing possible. The area we cover is unlimited in that I have actually designed a renovation for a house in Port Bruce which I never saw. The owners say when asked "how did she do it?", answer "She listens well." I pride myself on looking after detail. My favourite projects are the challenging ones, especially older homes that need a face-lift or renovation. In addition to new homes and additions, I also do Fire Safety Plans, Fire Code for in-law suites and Minor Variances. I would be more than pleased to assist you with your next project.



Peter Beaton, owner of Beaton Roofing with foreman Keith Pettliere working on The Teak Barn.

Beaton & Co. Roofing

Peter Beaton • 856-9784

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Beaton Roofing is based in Rockwood and serves Halton Hills, Wellington County and surrounding areas.

Beaton Roofing provides a variety of services including residential roofing, industrial roofing and maintenance of industrial buildings.

Beaton Roofing provides free consultations to find the best solution to the customer's roofing needs.

Much of our business comes from referrals, especially in the small towns such as Acton, Rockwood and Milton.

We take pride in the quality of our work and the knowledge that the customer is satisfied.

Beaton Roofing is a reputable business that has been in operation for 13 years and Peter personally has 25 years of experience, especially with industrial roofing systems.