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BIRTHS

REITSMA/McHUGH – Ted and Karen are proud and happy to announce the safe arrival of their son, Brandon William, born August 27, 1996, at McMaster Hospital, weighing 7 lb., 3 oz. Proud grandparents are John and June McHugh and Tees Reitsma of the Hague, Holland.

DEATHS

ALBADA, Samuel. Passed away suddenly at Port Perry, Ont. on Wednesday, Sept. 4, 1996, Sam Albada, in his 67th year. Beloved husband of Gwen (Andrews) of Stayner. Father of Bruce and Anne Andrews of Georgetown, Keith and Barb Andrews, and Bob and Willie Andrews, of Acton. Brother of Leffert and Rinkje, Bauke and Sjoerdje, Grace and Clarence, Rein and Jo, Willem and Hannie, Hendrik, Joltje and Wotke and Marie. Grandfather to six. Visitation was held at the Watts Funeral Home, Stayner Chapel in Stayner on Saturday from 7 to 9 pm and Sunday from 2 to 4 pm and 7 to 9 pm. The funeral service was conducted by Pastor Walt DeRuiter in the Christian Reform Church, Poplar Sideroad, in Collingwood on Monday, Sept. 9 at 11 am. Interment Fairview Cemetery, Acton. In memory of Sam, donations may be made to the Heart and Stroke Foundation through the funeral home, (705)428-2207.

BRADSHAW, Lillian Winnifred. Passed away peacefully at the Allendale Home, Milton, on September 6, 1996 in her 85th year. Lillian, beloved wife of the late James Bradshaw of Acton. Dear mother of Peggy and her husband Garry DeBruyn. Loving grandmother of Colleen and her husband David Tooth, Marilyn and her husband John Miller, and Lori and her husband Denis Kirton. Lilly will be

missed by her great-grandchildren, Casey, Ian, Kyle, Blair, Kody and Kendra. Friends were received at the Shoemaker Funeral Home, 55 Mill St. E., Acton, on Sunday, Sept. 8 from 2 to 4 pm and 7 to 9 pm. Prayers of the Holy Rosary were held Sunday evening at 9 pm. Mass of Christian Burial took place at St. Joseph's Church, Acton, at 11 am on Monday, Sept. 9, 1996. Burial Fairview Cemetery, Acton. As expressions of sympathy, donations may be made to the charity of your choice.

JOHNSTON, Sheila Eleanor. Suddenly on Thursday, Sept. 5, 1996 at home in the arms of her beloved husband Vic. Dearly loved mother of Wendy of B.C., Scott and his wife Toni also of B.C., and Ken and his wife Lisa of Mississauga. Dear grandmother of Holly and Heather, Beau, Myles, Karli and Michael. Sheila is survived by her brother Kenneth Lightbottom and his family in Australia. Friends were received at the Shoemaker Funeral Home, 55 Mill St. E., Acton, on Saturday, Sept. 7 from noon until 2 pm and 5 pm until service time in the funeral home at 7 pm, with the Rev. J. Mark Tiller officiating. Cremation to follow. As expressions of sympathy, donations may be made to the Canadian Cancer Society.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of a dear husband, father and grandfather, who passed away Sept. 14, 1995.
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COMING EVENTS

Sept. 11 to Sept. 30, Monday to Friday – 8:30 am to 4 pm: The Recreation and Parks department has numerous lost and found items that were left at our summer programs. All items will be kept at the department until Sept. 30. After this date everything will be donated to various organizations. If your child is missing something, there is a chance we may have it. To enquire about lost items, please phone 873-2600, ext. 262.

Sept. 11, Wednesday – 7:30 pm: The Esquering Historical Society will meet at Knox Church on Main Street South in Georgetown. Former EHS president and author, John McDonald, returns to give an overview of the families he researched for his new book, *Halton Sketches Revisited*.

Sept. 12, Thursday – 7 to 9 pm: The first meeting of the season of the Acton Arthritis Bluebird Club will be held at the ASSIC office on Willow Street. The topic for discussion will be "Coping with Arthritis – What is the one thing that has helped you the most?" New members are welcome. Call Pauline at 853-4940 for more information.

Sept. 14, Fridays – 2 to 4 pm. The Halton Rape Crisis Centre invites women of all cultures to join them for their Drop-in. At this friendly

gathering women share ideas and information pertaining to women. Female volunteers who speak more than one language are needed. Training is provided to help non-English speaking victims of sexual violence. For more info call, (905)825-3622.

Sept. 15, Sunday, 1 to 5 pm: Congratulations are extended to Lisa Keith, who recently received her doctorate in psychology from the University of Windsor. An open house will be held to honor the AHS grad, at St. Alban's Parish Hall, Acton.

Sept. 15, Sunday – 10 am: Do you have a vintage or 'graffiti' car you want to take on one last run before you put it away for the winter? You might be interested in

The Graffiti Cruisers, that's the unofficial name of this fledgling car club. They're meeting at the Firestone-Bridgestone centre in Moore Park Plaza (Georgetown) and will be touring through Acton, Erin, Georgetown, winding up for wings 'n suds at Bracky's. All graffiti cars welcome. Register at Firestone before Sept. 15. Inquire at 877-5119.

Sept. 15, Sunday – 1 to 5 pm: The Guelph Pipe Band presents the 4th Annual Scottish Festival at the Colonel John McCrae Canadian Legion, 919 York Road in Guelph. There will be food including Scottish square sausage, Scotch pies, hot dogs and hamburgers. Parking and admission is free; donations to the food bank are welcome.

Sept. 16, Monday: Halton North MPP Ted Chudleigh will host his first annual charity golf tournament at North Halton Golf and Country Club with proceeds going to benefit the Milton, Acton and Georgetown Seniors' Centres. The cost is \$133.75 (inc. GST) for golf, golf cart and dinner. For dinner only, the cost is \$37.45 (inc. GST). For more information please contact Graeme Goebelle at 877-5155.

Sept. 18, Wednesday – 8 pm: Join the Rockwood Gardening Club at the Rockwood Town Hall, as they learn about planting fall bulbs. Guest speaker is Peter Olsen, Royal City Nursery.

Sept. 19, Thursday – 5 to 8:30 pm: The Town of Acton will be holding its quarterly Red Cross Blood Donor Clinic at the Acton Legion Hall. Please bring your donor card or your photo ID. Eligible donors are between 17 and 70. Please take a few moments to give the gift of life. Call Joe, 853-4686 or Julia, 853-4896 if you have questions.

Sept. 19, Thursday – 7 to 9:30 pm: The Alzheimer Society of Guelph-Wellington is holding their annual general meeting at Homewood Health Centre lecture theatre in Guelph. This meeting will feature Dr. J.B. Orange – specialist in communication with the memory impaired. For more information, please phone 836-7672.

Sept. 20, 21 and 22, Friday, Saturday and Sunday: Don't miss the Acton Fall Fair! Rides, shows, competitions, displays – loads of fun for all. Due to the bad weather for the Georgetown Fall Fair, and in the spirit of the community, the Acton fair will honour unused Georgetown tickets. Simply turn them in at the fair gate and enjoy a fun-filled day as our guest.

Sept. 21, Saturday – 2 to 4 pm:

Parents who home school or who are considering home schooling are invited to attend an information session at the Georgetown public library. Demonstrations, exhibits and handouts will be available, as well as two home school practitioners who will answer your questions. There will also be detailed tours of the library, to enhance your visits. Call to register, 873-2691.

Sept. 21 and 22, Saturday and Sunday: The Canadian Red Cross is offering emergency first aid courses including CPR on Sept. 21 and the full standard first aid course on Sept. 21 and 22. Courses will be held at the Bennett Health Care Centre. To inquire about course content or fees, please call the Red Cross office at 877-5233.

Sept. 22, Sunday – 2 pm: The Halton-Peel Branch of the Ontario Genealogical Society regular meeting will be at the Chinguacousy Branch Library, lower level, 150 Central Park Drive in Brampton. Guest speaker will be Colin Chapman, an eminent British genealogist from England. His topic: Federation of Family History Societies of England. Visitors are welcome. For further details, call: L. Knight, (905)878-4645; J. Ruddle, (905)877-2803; R. Cooper (905)838-3142.

Sept. 24, Tuesday: The Double Jeopardy Peer Support Program is looking for women to act as peer supporters to other women living in the Acton and Georgetown area. Peer supporters are women trained to provide support in a one-on-one relationship to women living in stressful situations. A 30-hour training program is scheduled to begin Sept. 24. For more information or to receive a peer supporter application form, please call Susan Coyne at (905)847-6174.

Sept. 26 to Nov. 28, Thursdays – 7 to 10 pm: Volunteer training for the VON Hospice Program runs one evening a week. If you are interested in a very rewarding and worthwhile volunteer position, visiting and supporting a terminally ill client in his/her home for two to three hours per week, please call Linda Shaver collect, at 0-905-827-8800.

Sept. 30, Monday – 2 pm: Pharmacists Bill Yundt and Gary Barton are holding an information session for seniors at the Prospect Park Arena, to discuss "Drugs and Benefits." What services do local pharmacies offer? What are the differences between generic and name-brand drugs? What drugs are covered now, under the new government legislation? Here's your chance to have your questions answered. Call ASSIC, 853-3310 for more information.

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