### **BIRTHS**

HARDING - Shawn and Debbie. along with big brother Thomas and big sister Ashleigh, are pleased to announce the birth of Quinn Michael John. He was born on October 26, 1996 at 11:23 pm at Milton District Hospital. He weighed 7 lb. 8 oz. Proud grandparents are Marjorie and Richard Bartels and Madeline and Frank Harding (all of Acton). Special thanks to Grandma, Auntie Kathy, Uncle Frank, Dr. King, Dr. Glen Hunter, and nurses Denise

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and June for the support and spe-

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cial care at the hospital.

### **DEATHS**

PETRUSHEVSKY, Vasyl John. At Guelph General Hospital on Wednesday, December 11, 1996. Vasyl Petrushevsky, in his 70th year. Beloved husband of Marg (Morrison) Petrushevsky of R.R. 2, Acton. Loved father of Ivan of Newmarket, Diana Sheridan of Sarnia, Kathy Vritsios of Acton, Julie MacKay and Michael both of Cranbrook, B.C., Paul of Dutton, David of Toronto, Alex of Guelph. Dear step-father of Jessica Kuehnappel of Georgetown, Julia Langford of Elora, and Nelson Hannah of Guelph. Sadly missed by his 19 grandchildren. Bill was an active member and past president of the Royal City Lions Club. A Lions Club service was held last Thursday evening at 8 pm. Friends called at the Gilchrist Chapel-McIntyre & Wilkie Funeral Home, (1 Delhi St., Guelph) from 2 to 4 pm and 7 to 9 pm last Thursday. Funeral service was held in the Chapel on Friday, December 13th at 11 am. Interment Fairview Cemetery, Acton. Memorial contributions to the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Ontario or the Canadian Diabetes Association would be appreciated.

## IN MEMORIAM

MCINTYRE, Dora - In loving memory of a dear sister, mother and grandmother, who passed away two years ago, December 21, 1994.

Sadly missed along life's way Quietly remembered every day No longer in our life to share But in our hearts she's always there.

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remembered by - Lucy, Marilyn, Lloyd and the grandchildren

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Christmas trees for just \$20! Open Monday to Friday from 4 to 9 pm and all weekend. When choosing your tree this holiday season, please consider our local boys. Call 856-9824 for more information.

Dec. 19, Thursday - 7 pm: Don't miss the Farmer's Parade of Lights, an age-old tradition in Rockwood. The light parade will wind its way through downtown Rockwood and features more than 20 brightly coloured farm tractors, implements and a combine carrying Santa and Mrs. Claus. Storm date set for Dec.

Dec. 21, Saturday - 9 am to 5 pm: More Christmas trees! Purchase your tree at the fire hall in Rockwood and help support the Miss Firefighter Pageant.

Dec. 21 & 22, Saturday and Sunday - 11 am to 4 pm: The Spirit Valley Experience Festival and the Rockwood Eramosa Business Association have joined forces with the Seaton Rockwood Group to present a Christmas tree fundraiser on behalf of the festival and other area projects. On Hwy. 7, at the southern entrance to Rockwood. Featuring cut-your-own and some pre-cut trees, hot apple cider, a fire pit and delivery within Rockwood and Eden Mills for a small additional charge. Call the Spirit Valley box office, 519-856-9999 for further details.

Dec. 22, Sunday - 1 to 4 pm: The Kinette Club of Acton and Power Entertainment are expecting a visit from Santa with pictures available! A cash donation or a new toy donation towards "Operation Santa Claus" would be greatly appreciated. Hope to see you there.

Dec. 24, Tuesday - 7:30 pm: Christmas Eve Candlelight Service. Gather with Pastor Bill Lewis for an hour of worship, singing carols, children's Nativity and a Christmas mime as the congregation meets at the Everton Community Church, on the 7th Line of Eramosa Township. Enjoy an old fashioned Christmas Eve in an old country church. As well as the worship service, there is time for visiting and refreshments following the evening together. Further information is available from Pastor Bill Lewis. 763-6147.

Dec. 31, Tuesday - 7:30 pm to 1 am: New Year's Eve party at Rockmosa Community Centre, Rockwood. Music by Marion's

Country Band. Tickets, which include dinner and dance, are \$35 per couple before Dec. 15; \$40 per couple after Dec. 15. Sponsored by Rockwood and District Lions and Lioness Clubs. Proceeds for community betterment. For tickets call: Leona Kingsbury, 856-4301; Don Martin, 856-4746.

Dec. 31, Tuesday - 8 pm: New Year's Eve Dance at the Ballinafad Community Centre. Organizers are working hard to make this the 'Dance of the Year!' Tickets, at \$25 per person, include a buffet, party favours and the chance to win a \$100 door prize as well as many spot prizes. Get yours before Dec. 23 at the Ballinafad General Store.

Jan. 9, Thursday - 7:30 to 9:30 pm: Menopause and Hormone Replacement Therapy - what are the issues: Young's Pharmacy and Homecare and Medical Centre Pharmacy present a free healthcare clinic at the John Elliott Theatre, Halton Hills Cultural Centre, to discuss this important issue. Refreshments will be provided. Please call 877-2711 for information or to register. Be sure to register early.

Jan. 21, Tuesday - 7 pm: Georgetown District Seniors' Centre, located in the Indoor Mall, 318 Guelph St., Unit 9, is holding regular euchre nights on the third Tuesday of each month. The cost is \$2 per person with 50 per cent of the proceeds to go toward prizes! Refreshments will be available. For more info call the Centre at 877-6444.

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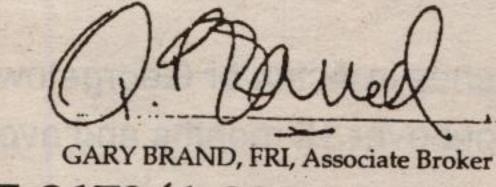
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