

Donna Danielli's

"Just Kidding Around"



This is it, the first official column of "Just Kidding Around". Yes, this is an issue that's sure to become a collector's item so put it away somewhere safe. All joking aside, this is the space in the Compass where you can look each month for news and coming events that affect the younger people in your household. I'll be researching as many as I can, but if you know of something that you'd like to see in print, call me at 905-854-2469.

The Campbellville Pathfinders thank the community, as well as their families, for all the support they've received in their fundraising efforts for their planned March Break 1999 trip to London and Paris. Special thanks are extended to Peter and Michael Papaioannou of the Bruce Trail Eatery in Campbellville for being the Pathfinder's first corporate sponsor. More sponsors are needed. Keep an eye out for Pathfinders selling raffle tickets at the Milton Farmer's Market and holding car washes at Canadian Tire.

Campbellville Scouts and Guides will be registering on September 8 this year at the Campbellville Lion's Hall from 6:30 to 8:30. This will include the younger sets in Cubs and Sparks.

Kids driving you crazy over the summer? Milton Community Resource Centre offers drop-ins and drop-offs on a daily basis throughout the summer at either of their locations. Call Kathy Percival at 876-1244 for more information.

There are a lot of fun, yet educational events going on in August and I've tried to list as many as possible below:

•Nature's Fire in Milton teaches kids to make paper mache pigs (with wings!) on August 18,19 and 20. Call 878-0084 for details.

•Halton Region Museum hosts "Dino Days Blowout" from August 13-18. This event will feature the ROM's Dinosaur Museumobile as well as lots of other dino activities. Call 875-2200 for details.

•Crawford Lake Conservation Area's Season of the Three Sisters will continue throughout August, featuring free craft-making, self guided native games and slide and video presentations. For more information, call 905-854-0234.

•Go Batty at Mountsberg Conservation Area on Saturday August 8 from 7:30-9:30. Staff naturalists will not only talk about, and show slides on bats, but will also have some live bats on hand for visitors to see. Pre-registration is required for this event, call 905-854-2276.

•The Craft Tree in Milton offers Camp Wanna-Make-It, a weekly summer camp for children aged 4-12. Upcoming themes include Pirates, the beach and the farm. Call 905-875-4917.

For the sheer fun of it try Kid's Day at the Farmers Market on August 15 from 9-12. Events will include Kent Kruger, a busker and balloon sculpturist as well as airbrush facepainting and a magician. This is a free event.

That about sums it up for August. I hope you found some fun things to do. Please share your ideas for next month.



PATHFINDER SPONSOR - Members of the Campbellville Pathfinders with their first corporate sponsor, the Bruce Trail Eatery. Back Row: Debbie Stokes, Teresa Stokes, Jocelyn Merritt, Peter Papaioannou, Lyn Stokes, Jasmine Nash, Lindsay Richardson. Front Row: Michael Papaioannou and Tammy Stokes.

THEIR NAMES LIVETH FOR EVERMORE

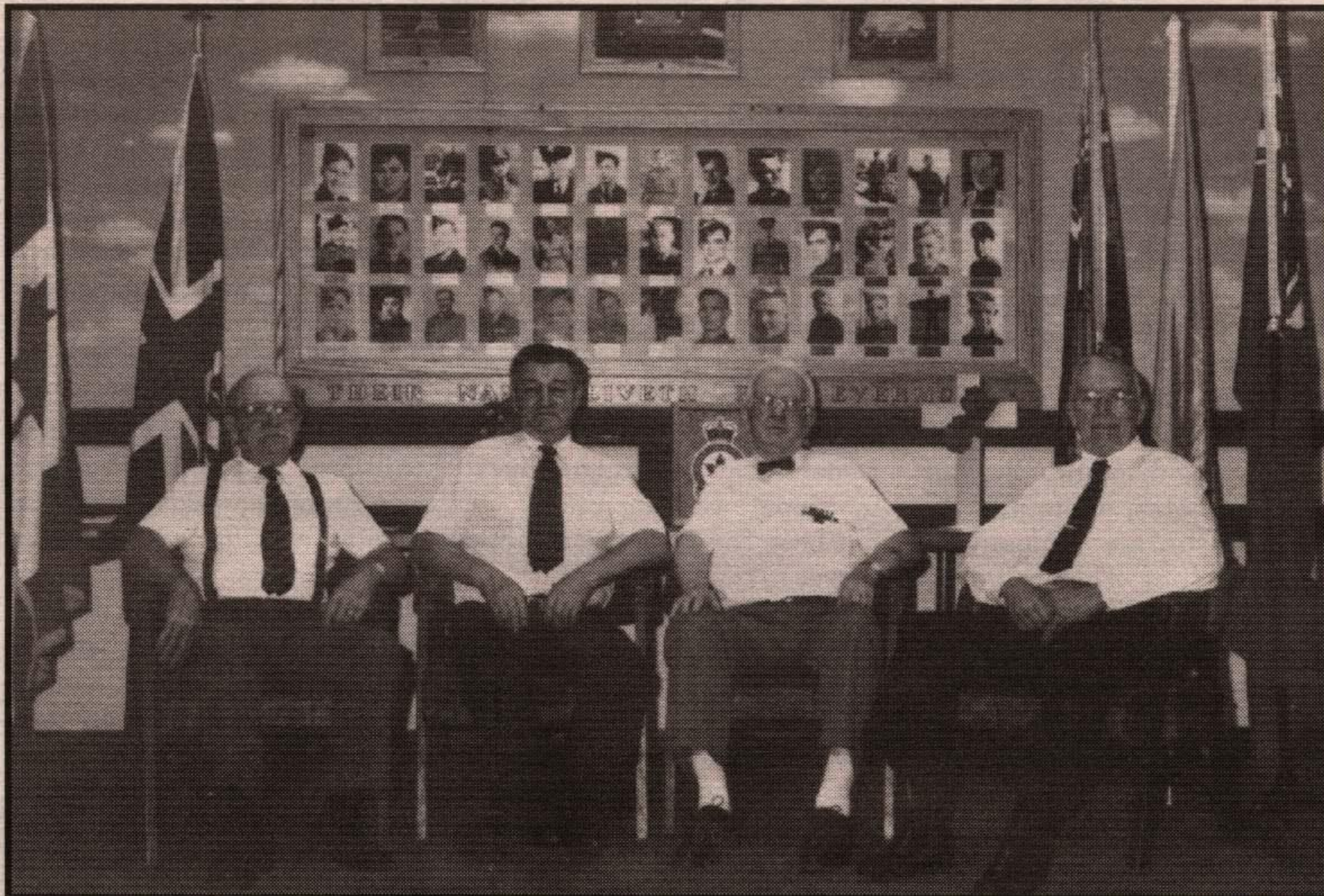


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REMEMBERING THE FALLEN - A Dedication Service was recently held at the Acton Legion, Branch 197, to remember 39 Veterans of World War I and II who died in action from Acton, Rockwood, Eden Mills and Nassagaweya areas. A capacity crowd of relatives and friends attended. The project took more than a year to finalize. A Prayer of Dedication was given by Legion Padre Reverend M. Tiller. After the unveiling of a large pictorial plaque honouring the fallen men, the reading of the names was conducted by Jim Milne. The Committee from L. to R.: Jim Milne, Peter Turkosz, Ham Peal and Grant Allen. Absent due to illness was Max Storey.

New future for Farm Museum

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for events such as the Fall Craft Show, held this year on September 25, 26, and 27. Please call (905) 878-8151 or toll-free 1-888-307-FARM.

As well as educational programming, the Museum is renting selected buildings and meeting rooms to organizations for weddings, business gatherings and special interest groups up to 400 people. For information, call Janet Horner, 1-800-932-6661.

Part of Museum's program development is the expansion of volunteer programs to provide a foundation for future growth. Those seeking stimulation through rural history should consider volunteering at the Farm Museum. Many volunteer positions are available including: Education Programming, Administrative Support, Public Relations, Collections Care, Maintenance and Gardening. For more information, call Barbara Archer, Coordinator of Volunteers, at (905) 878-8151.

Spotlight on

Campbellville Area Business Association

BY TERRY BOLGER

Association met for their first general meeting on May 27th at the Mohawk Inn. The meeting was very well attended; it appears interest is quite high.

Ken Moore was invited to speak about Escarpment Country. Ken updated us on the Area Profile Signs; they should have been erected in early July. The benefits of membership in Escarpment Country which includes membership in the Milton Chamber of Commerce were also discussed. Ken's presentation was followed by a question and answer session.

Other highlights of the meeting included:

1. A decision to support the planned Charity Gaming Casino at the Mohawk Raceway.
2. A decision to support the Community Consultation Committee in their efforts to have a traffic light installed at Guelph Line and Campbellville Rd.
3. After a lengthy discussion it was decided that we would continue to use the Campbellville Area Business Association name and Constitution. We introduced two amendments to this Constitution:
 - A) amend the Mission Statement to include Beautification.
 - B) amend the month of our Annual Election. Current Executive their positions until October of 1999.
4. A decision to join Escarpment Country as CABA. This allows the Association to use the Escarpment Country logo in all advertising material.
5. A decision to place CABA advertising in *Focus on Conservation*. This tabloid is published twice a year in June and December. 50,000 copies are distributed throughout the Region. The ad was out in early July.
6. Marilyn Goodale presented her plan for an annual festival, **Campbellville Harvest Days**. This event will take place on the first weekend in October and will include contests, face painting, entertainment and more. We need several volunteers to work with Marilyn on this project - please donate some time!
7. A number of committees were formed:
 - A) Advertising: Terry Bolger and Phyllis Moore
 - B) Banners: Tim Smith, Anton and Rich Cooper
 - C) Annual Events: Marilyn Goodale & Mary Sykes
 - D) Fund Raising: Terry Bolger
 Volunteers are urgently needed to fulfill our goals for the year.

Big news

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