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GOODFELLOWS SIGNS - Council approved a variance to the sign By-law permitting temporary directional signage until a permanent directional signage program is developed for the area. This is intended to eliminate trucks becoming lost in the Village.

FLAMBOROUGH - Flamborough Council has indicated an interest in separating into three sections under the Hamilton-Wentworth restructuring mandated by the Province. One section proposes to join with Burlington & Milton. Council continues to work with the Region to review the proposal and issues, with particular attention to the implications on service levels, assumption of debt, delineation of boundaries and the time frame involved. Currently the submission deadline is March 17th.

BIG PIPE - A quick update on Milton urban development. There will be a number of road closures - Henderson Road (March & April) Burnhamthorpe Road & Lower Baseline Road (April), Thompson Road (August) for several days at a time, beginning in March. Notices and detours will be posted. First flush set for September 29th, 2000.

GRANTS - The deadline for applications for Town Grants Funding is March 6th. If you wish information on the program or application forms, call Joy Anderson at Town Hall.

EC DRURY LANDS - Although this parcel of land is in urban Milton, adjacent to the E.C. Drury School for the Deaf, there has been considerable interest shown in Nassagaweya regarding this proposed development. Milton Council, in a 5-4 decision, denied the application to permit the development of 189 bungalow condominium units. An appeal has been filed with the OMB by the developer, H. D. Investments and Leisureworld.

TRANSIT - Subject to Operating Budget consideration, Council approved a three year proposal for Transit Service by Laidlaw Transportation Services which maintains peak hour service, introduces a Demand Responsive Transit service, provides school service, and expands service to the GO station.

PUBLIC MEETING - All residents are encouraged to attend the Public Meeting hosted by the Nassagaweya Community Consultation Committee (NCCC) on March 8th to discuss the plans to reconstruct Guelph Line between 10 & 15 Sideroads and work under consideration for 15 Sideroad. Informal discussion at 7 p.m., followed by a presentation by the Region at 7:30 p.m.

Donna Danielli's
"Just Kidding Around"
Break out the fun!

Once March comes, you know that spring is just around the corner. The excitement this month always comes for my family around March Break. Both kids start wondering what fabulous excursions or March Break events they will take part in this year. I dug up as many events as I could for you, some for March Break and some for other weekends. I hope you and your kids enjoy the holiday.

The Town of Milton offers a variety of March Break Camps for 6-12 year olds. "March Mania" at the Lion's Hall, includes daily themes, crafts, games, sports, music, drama, swimming, skating and field trips. For 8-13 year olds there's "Sports Mania," at the Milton Leisure Centre, a week of sports with an emphasis on skill development, sportsmanship and cooperative team spirit. Cost for both these camps is \$25 per day or \$100 for the week and extended hours are available. Call 905-878-7252 ext.186.

Krafty Kids will run at Kidz Korner for kids of all ages over the March Break. There will be crafts, computer time, games and songs. Cost is \$9 for each half-day session (mornings 9-12, or afternoons 1-4) or \$20 for a full 9 to 4 day. Call 905-878-4697 to find out more.

Kids March Break Cooking Camp will run March 13, 14, 16 and 17 at Loblaws in Milton. Cost is \$10 per class or \$30 for all four days. Morning classes from 9-11 a.m. are for kids aged 5-8 include a nutrition tour, scavenger hunt and healthy cooking; afternoon classes are geared for 9-13 year olds from 1-3 p.m. and will include daily nutrition tours and hands on recipes from each day's tour. Call Christine at 905-875-6871 to find out more.

World Champion Darlene Kelsh and the Milton Jiu Jitsu Club will run a March Break Camp for 6-13 year olds that will include rock climbing, swimming jiu jitsu lessons, games and crafts. Runs from 8:30-4:30 daily for \$80 per week or \$25 per day. Lunch provided on the last day of camp. You can contact the club at 905-878-1074 or Darlene at home at 905-632-8475 for more info or to register.

All three locations of **Safe and Sound** offer camps for 6-12 year olds from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., including lunch, snacks, swimming, skating, winter olympics and crafts. On the Friday of March Break, there's a special excursion to Stage West for lunch and a presentation of "The Paper Bag Princess." Cost for the week is \$135, \$16 extra for Stage West. Call Lynn or Evelyn at 905-875-1955, or Julie at 878-0537.

The Georgetown Marketplace offers a number of fun events: Monday, March 13 is a **Mountain Bike Trick Show** at 11 a.m., 1 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. On Wednesday March 15, **Tansy and Rosabelle** from TreeHouse Television will stop by at 1:30 and 3:30 p.m. Friday March 17, the Toronto Nature Centre presents an **endangered species** show at 1:30 and 3:30 p.m. To find out more, call 905-873-8918.

Milton Springers Gymnastic Club presents its **"Spring into Spring"** Camp over the March Break for boys and girls 5-12 years of age. Camp runs daily from 9-4 at \$30 for one day, \$85 for three days or \$140 for all five days. **Kindergym** for ages 3 1/2-5 years Wednesday March 15 from 1-4 p.m. and Friday March 17 from 9-noon. Cost is \$18. You can find out more or register by calling 905-878-5030.

Milton Heights Academy, a private grade school will hold open houses Saturday March 4 and Saturday March 18, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Contact principal Deborah Martin at 905-693-1557 to find out more.

Milton Community Resource Centre hosts a **Much Music dance** on March 24th for kids aged 10-13 years old. Tickets are \$10 each and limited, so call 905-876-1244, ext 10 or 18 to find out more.

The Acton Concerns Group presents noted speaker Dick O'Brien Wednesday March 8, 7:30 p.m. Topic will be **"Parenting for Prevention,"** the specifics of youth alcohol and drug abuse. Free limited babysitting available; this free session takes place at Mackenzie-Smith Bennett Public School in Acton. For information or to reserve babysitting space, call 905-877-2238, ext. 8412.

Campbellville Minor Baseball holds summer registration for boys and girls born between 1983 and 1994 on March 2 & 7, 7-8:30 p.m.; registration at Lion's Hall, Campbellville. Please bring a copy of your child's birth certificate and OHIP card with you to registration. Brookville Minor Baseball Association is holding its sign up on Saturday March 4th at Brookville Hall from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Please bring Birth Certificate. For more information, call Janet Inglis at 905-854-2566.

Every Wednesday from 3:45 to 4:15 p.m. **Bible Club** at Rockwood Centennial School. For information call Mrs. Drijber at 519-856-9906. Parents are also welcome.

Well, that should keep everyone busy for the next month or so. I'm beginning to gather information about summer programs so if you know of a good one, please let me know. E-mail me at ddanielli@interhop.net or give me a call at 905-854-2469. Have a great March, see you next month!

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For more information call (905) 878-4697
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Cindy Pearson Lunau's
Nassagaweya Times

NCCC - The Nassagaweya Community Consultation Committee invites new members to join the Committee. Next meeting Monday, March 6th, 10 a.m. at Brookville Hall.

WORKING FROM HOME CLUB invites you to join in! Next meeting Saturday, March 18th, a Progressive Dinner. New members welcome. Call 905-854-2475 or donpat@netcom.ca for more information. Check the web page at www.netcom.ca/~wildflwr/cwfhc.html.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER - Friday, March 3rd, hosted this year by Ebenezer United Church, Guelph Line north of 20 Sideroad. This year's liturgy was prepared by the Christian Women of Indonesia on the theme "Talitha, cum!" or Young Woman, Stand Up. World Day of Prayer is co-ordinated by the Women's Inter-Church Council of Canada and is celebrated in more than 2,000 communities in over 170 countries around the World. Coffee and fellowship at 9:30 a.m. Service at 10 a.m.

UNITED WAY - Congratulations to the United Way on their most successful campaign, raising \$265,000, higher than ever before. Some of the board, staff & volunteers responsible for this success include Lang Moffat Sr., Bob Wallace, Barbara Ramsdem, Hal Watson. Ian Jarvis, Graham Smith, John Challinor, Barbara Starr, John Appleton, David Hamon, Meredith Cox, Mike Primok, Helen Wink, Leslie Fitch, Anne Eadie, and Joanne Thompson. The United Way funds 50 programs through 24 agencies and organizations. In 1998, 15,059 Miltonians were served by agencies supported by the United Way. Needs always exceed the resources and contributions are always welcome. www.unitedwayofmilton.stn.net.

EBENEZER UNITED CHURCH plans several special events: A Men's Breakfast at Phil's Diner in Guelph followed by a tour of the U of G Experimental Farm on March 4th 7:30 am. Irish Stew Supper and a visit from Mark Twain on March 24. Mark Curtis in Concert on March 31st. Millennium Hymn Sing with the old songs on April 2nd. The website has more information: www.EbenezerUnitedChurch.org.

HERITAGE AWARDS - Nassagaweya was well represented at this year's LACAC/Heritage Milton Awards! Debbie Boycott's Grade 2/3 Class at Brookville School won the Education Award, St. David's Presbyterian Church won recognition for the design of their new addition, and Ebenezer Cemetery won a special Cemetery Restoration award.

TENNIS EVERYONE! - The Nassagaweya Tennis Club welcomes new members to the club located adjacent to the Fire Station on Guelph Line and Hwy. 401. Reasonable fees (family memberships just \$125), 3 lit hard surface courts, comfortable club house, group & private lessons, youth program, social events, house and interclub leagues. Join as a single or a family. Partners and games always available. Registration at the Club House Tuesday, April 4 from 7-9 p.m. and Saturday, April 8 from 1-4 p.m. Or call Donna Duimstra 905-854-2521 or Jean Falls 905-878-9220.

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