

# The North Halton Compass

Reach then a soaring quill,  
that I may write  
As with a Jacob's staff  
to take a height

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## BRASS TACKS – Editorial

### A new Millennium looms

Over the past few months there hasn't been much noise about the "true" new millennium, which is nearly upon us. It was more exciting to turn the dial at the year 2000, even though the world actually jumped the gun.

Still, we have had some revolutionary changes across our area this autumn. Halton Hills has a new mayor, and there's been a general shuffling of councillors in our old townships of Esquensing, Nassagaweya and Eramosa.

The North Halton Compass is coming up on its third birthday this spring, and we will continue to move with the times. Progress is a

difficult transition, yet exhilarating!

In this case, we're proud to announce that we will be expanding our delivery even further, taking on more rural routes in Milton and Glen Williams. We will focus on the changing face of North Halton, concentrating, as usual, on our rural past, present and future.

Unfortunately, the response to our presence in Eramosa hasn't been what we anticipated. We have many loyal advertisers and readers, and I want to thank them wholeheartedly for their generous spirit and support. They have helped us mature into a vital voice for the neighbourhoods we cover.

Regrettably, *The Compass* will no longer circulate throughout the entire Rockwood area, but we welcome subscriptions for those that wish to keep up with our Shoebox Memories, Idle Pursuits, or Community Cornerstones.

By pulling back from Eramosa, the door now opens for a number of our staff who may want to run for municipal office in Guelph/Eramosa in the future.

We believe a newspaper should objectively cover politics, and not be used for a tool to further one's personal agenda.

Deb Quaille

## BLUE SPRINGS SOAPBOX

### Compass Correspondence

To the Editor:

I would like to congratulate Mr. Adsett on his hollow victory over Teressa Gibson

Smye for the Mayor's seat of Guelph Eramosa Township.

In a recent interview with *The*

*Acton Tanner*, Mr. Adsett made a comment that the people who did not vote for him were duped by Teressa for their votes! Although he did not elaborate on what issues duped us, my wife and I chose to vote for change and not the "old Boys Network" that we feel he represents.

I believe that this is the first time that Mr. Adsett has had to mount an election campaign, as he has always been acclaimed to his municipal positions. So I can almost understand his smug "how dare she" attitude. For a so-called seasoned politician I would have thought that he would have shown more discretion as to his choice of words. I feel Mr. Adsett owes an apology to the 861 dupes, but I doubt we will get one. Mr. Adsett, remember one thing: we "dupes" will be watching and next time hopefully there will be more of us.

Karen & Daryl Bennett  
Eden Mills

P.S. Does anybody know where Teressa's signs went in Eden Mills? They disappeared three days before the election.

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