

# Taste of the Escarpment leaves a lasting impression on attendees

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know Gord, he's the one whose voice enters the room before he does."

Later on he reminded Mayor Krantz that, "When you run foul at everything else, the only place left to go is politics."

Current events weren't spared the wrath of Charlie's humorous observations. Speaking to the current situation in Afghanistan, Charlie commented that "there's an opposition to those Talibanas, it's called the Northern Alliance. I'm glad that someone finally came up with a job for Stockwell Day."

He also touched on the bankruptcy of Canada 3000, saying "that wasn't just the name of the company, that was the number of people left stranded."

The evening also provided an opportunity for MMCR Chairman Karl Reichert to unveil the name of the new facility. The assisted living complex on Martin Street, across from the Mill Pond in the heart of Milton, will be called Martindale Gardens.

"This symbolizes the history and setting through its location on the site of the Jasper Martin Mill that was first constructed in 1822

and was the beginning for Milton as a community," explained Mr. Reichart.

"Dale is a valley, or in this instance, introduces the Escarpment, which overlooks our

project and the Centennial Park that encompasses the mill pond to the west. Gardens will certainly provide the pastoral setting with the landscaped grounds extending to the 16 Mile Creek."

Taste of the Escarpment is just the beginning of a campaign that will hopefully see the Martindale Gardens site cleaned by year end for construction to begin in the Spring.

## Message from the Mayor

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Town staff, the expert consultants retained in accordance with Council's direction and our solicitors.

As a result of the settlement, the Town has acquired approximately 300 acres of additional land resulting in the public ownership of natural, open green space lands from Norval to Cedar Park.

Council will present its position on the Halton Hills Village Homes Inc. and Silver Creek Estates subdivisions to the Ontario Municipal Board in the new year, however, this position is predicated on an OMB decision that an ade-

quate municipal water supply is available to accommodate this development. Halton Region's staff will continue its aggressive efforts to secure water for our community's growth.

For your information the population of Halton Hills, which includes the communities of Acton, Georgetown and the rural area, is expected to reach 65,000 by 2016. About 350 homes per year are being built in our community.

If you would like more information please contact my office at 905-873-2601 ext. 2342, or by E-mail at [mavor@town.halton-hills.on.ca](mailto:mavor@town.halton-hills.on.ca).

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