

Safe Community Award honours Region staff



PHOTO BY DONNA DANIELLI

The Halton Hills Fire Protection and Prevention Services formally recognized the ongoing support of the community with the third annual presentation of their "Safe Community Awards" on December 15. Honoured that evening were the Region of Halton Public Works staff for their assistance in developing the fire department's Trench Rescue program, Dufferin Aggregates for their support of the fire department training initiatives, the Georgetown Canadian Tire store for their support of the Risk Watch program and Mr. Edward Soldo for his assistance in the fire departments facilities development and planning initiatives.

"We live in a great community, and part of the success we enjoy in the delivery of fire services can be directly attributed to the support we as firefighters receive from the community," said Fire Chief Bob Meads, centre, (shown here with Edward Soldo, left, and Region of Halton C.E.O Brent Marshall, right). "All of this year's recipients have helped us tremendously during the past year and its our distinct privilege to honour them with these awards and say thank you."

Looking for lost relatives

For two years I have been trying to find out what became of my uncles. They came to Canada as home children in 1913. Andrew and Peter Symington were born in Glasgow and were orphaned in 1909. They were sent to the Fairknowe home in Brockville and then when they were old enough the boys were sent to farms, Peter in Cobden and Andrew in Bells Corners. Andrew then joined the Canadian expeditionary force in 1916 and fought in France in the First World War. I can find no trace of them after this. It would be wonderful to have any information on them no matter how small.

Many thanks,
Janet Symington (janetsymington@yahoo.co.uk)

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Please Join Mayor Krantz and Members of Council at the ANNUAL NEW YEAR'S EVE BELL RINGING TRADITION

Gather around the historic bell in Victoria Park, Downtown Milton on December 31, at 11:45 p.m. to welcome in 2004. Enjoy refreshments in Hugh Foster Hall adjacent to Town Hall

NEW YEAR'S DAY LEVEE
January 1, 2004, 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

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MUNICIPAL PUBLIC FACILITIES HOURS FOR THE HOLIDAY SEASON

Municipal Offices, Planning & Development Department, Engineering Services Dept.

Closed from Wednesday, December 24, 2003 until Thursday, January 1, 2004. The Offices will re-open Friday, January 2, 2004 at 8:30 a.m.

For any Town of Milton Operational Service Emergency during this time please contact 905-878-7141.

Fire Department Administration ONLY:

Closed from Wednesday, December 24, 2003 until Thursday, January 1, 2004. The administration office will re-open Friday, January 2, 2004 at 8:30 a.m.

For Fire Service Emergencies please call 911.

Leisure Centre:

- Closed on the following dates:
- Wednesday, December 24th, at 1:30 p.m.
 - Thursday, December 25
 - Friday, December 26
 - Wednesday, December 31 at 1:30 p.m.
 - Thursday, January 1, 2004.

Regular business hours for all other weekdays are 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.; Saturdays 7:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.; Sundays 8:00 am to 8:00 p.m. For further information on programs during the Holiday Season please call 905-878-7946.

Milton Sports Centre; John Tonelli Sports Centre and Memorial Arena:

- Closed on the following dates:
- Wednesday, December 24th at 4:00 p.m.
 - Thursday, December 25
 - Friday, December 26
 - Wednesday, December 31, at 4:00 p.m.
 - Thursday, January 1, 2004.

For further information on operational schedules during the holiday season, please call: Memorial Arena 905-878-4163, John Tonelli Sports Centre 905-878-2671, Milton Sports Centre 905-878-7572, ext. 2602

Seniors' Activity Centre:

Closed Wednesday, December 24, until Thursday, January 1. The office will re-open Friday, January 2 at 9:00 a.m.

For further information, please contact the Seniors' Activity Centre at 905- 875-1681.

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Mayor Gord Krantz, Members of Council and the Staff would like to take this opportunity to wish all Milton residents a holiday blessed with peace, prosperity, health and happiness and best wishes for the upcoming year.

