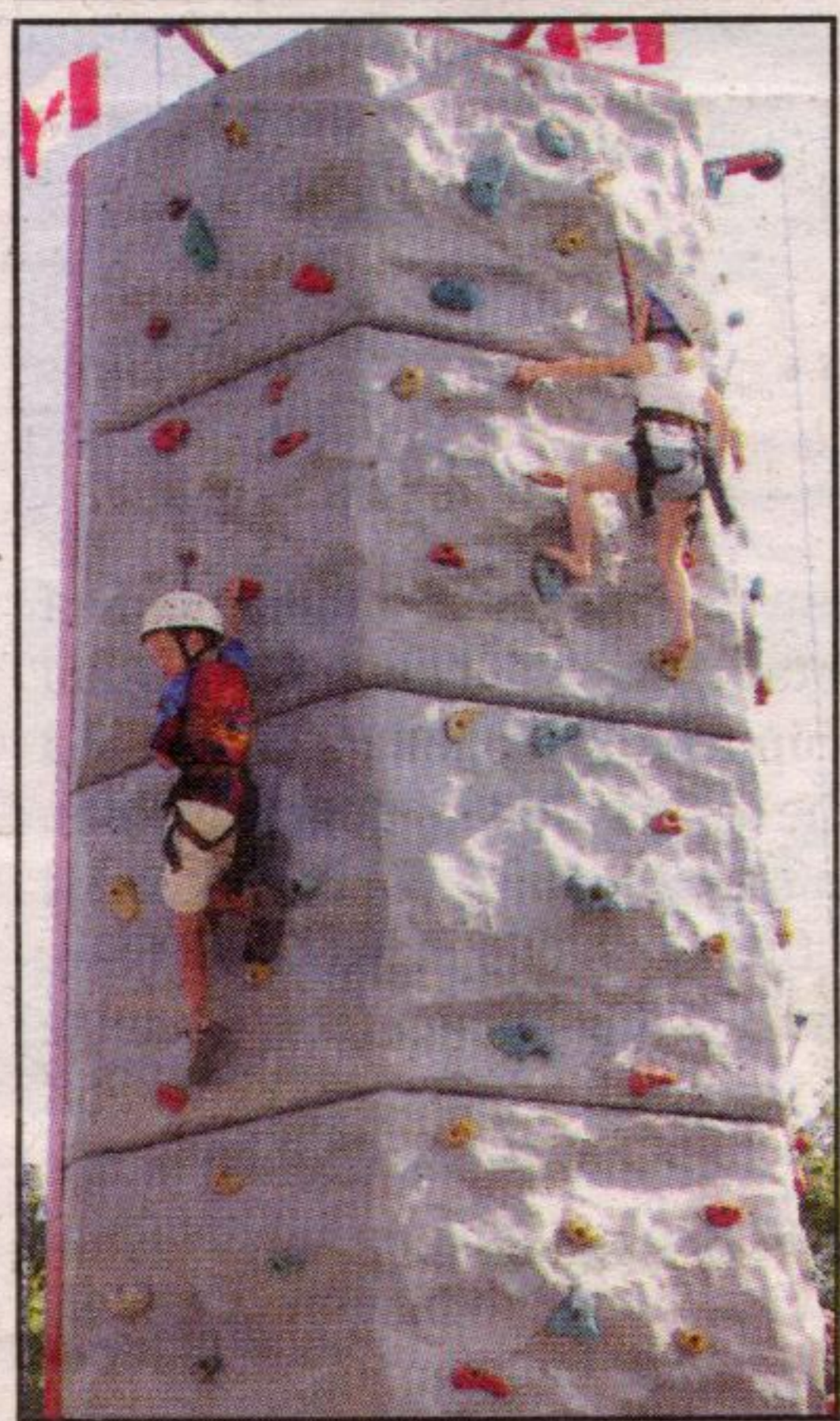
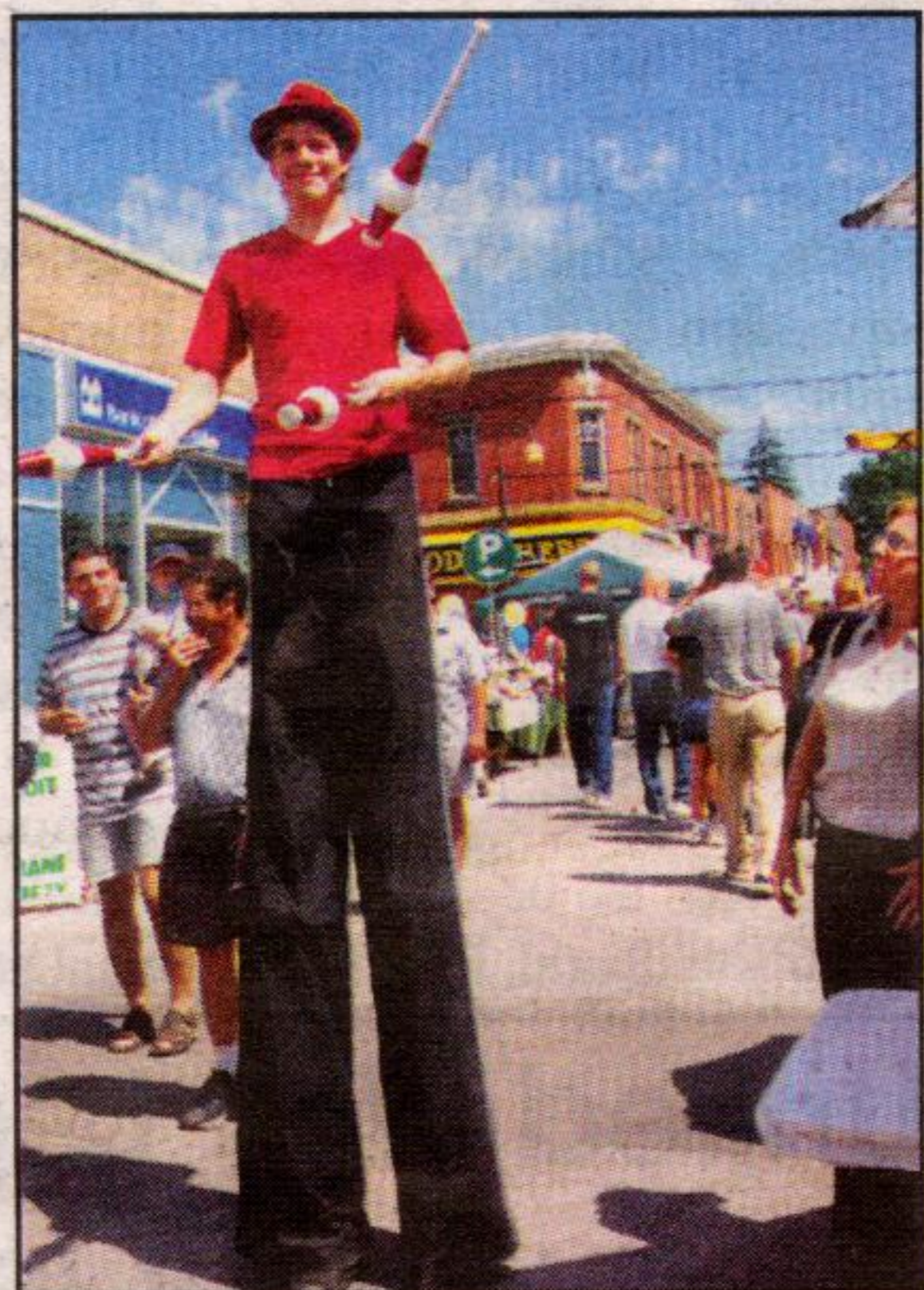


It was worth the drive to... Acton Leathertown Festival

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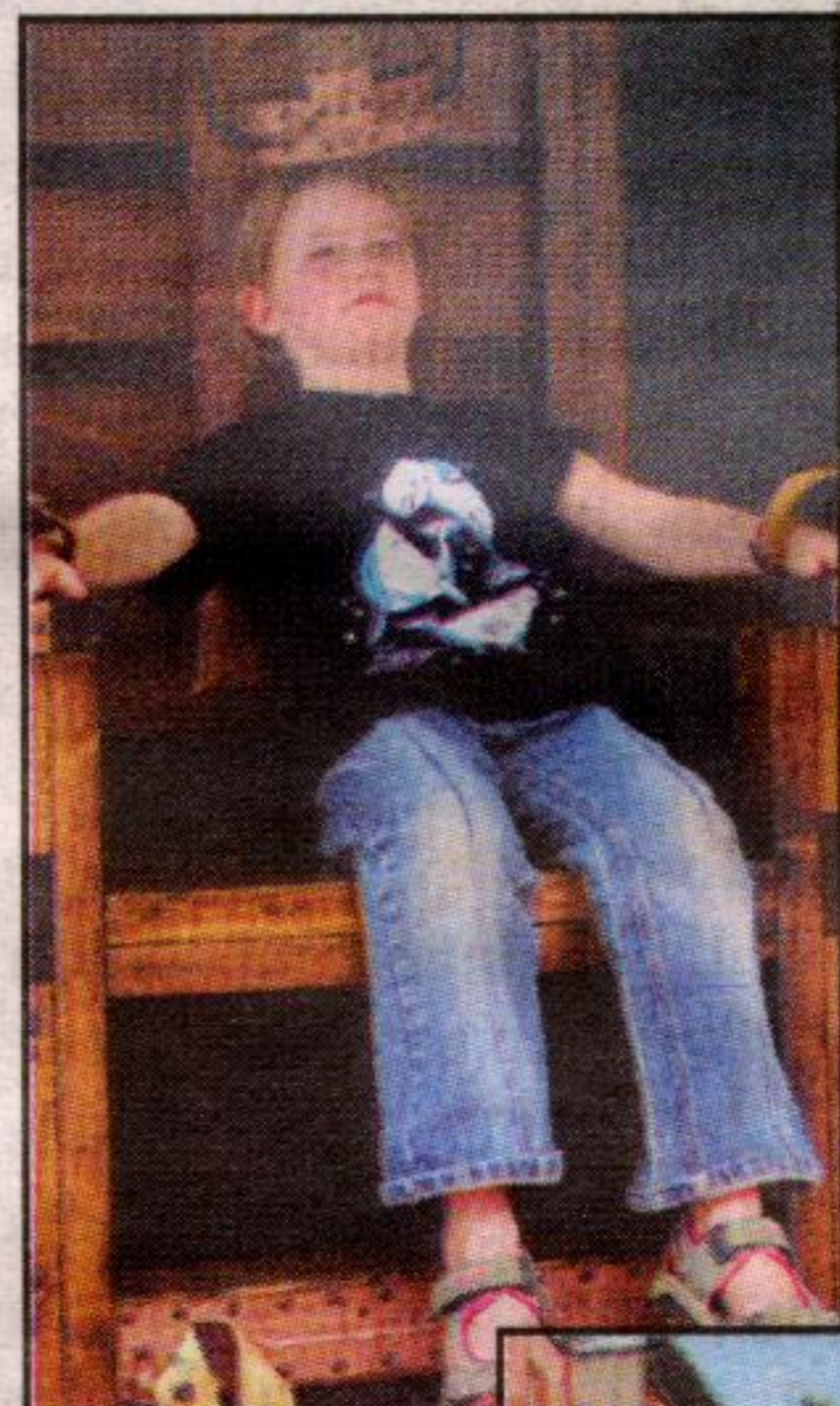


John Matthews, 7 and Olivia Rouleau, 6 cling for dear life on the Rock Climbing Wall in the Kids' Zone.



Ben Burland takes a stroll downtown with the Festival crowd showing off his juggling skills along the way.

Rebecca Bath, 6, of Acton, is surrounded by smoke as she waits for to be "executed" in Screamfest's electric chair.

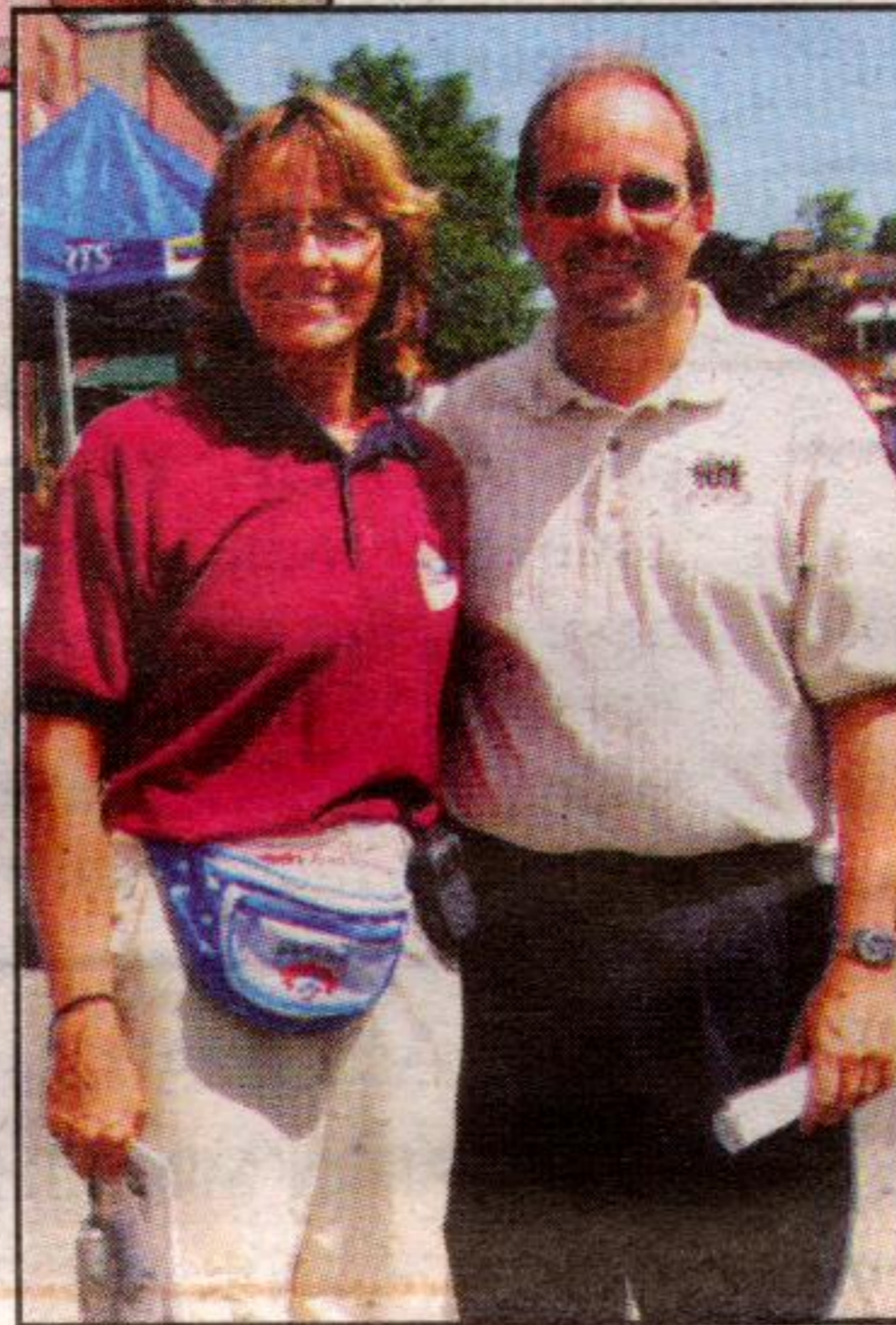


Suzanne Hantiw, on fiddle, joins Wendi Hunter, playing the banjo, on the YMCA steps. Both are members of the Brampton Folk Club who, along with many other members, volunteered their musical talents for the festival. The club also provided sound equipment free of charge and Wendi was sound technician for the day.



Robert Little's Everybody Dance Club performs one of its routines choreographed by Marie Burland, one of the Festival Committee members and teacher at the Acton school.

Josie Bonette, festival coordinator takes time out from her festival duties to enjoy the fun with husband, Mayor Rick Bonette. This was the "best ever festival she's organized," says Josie.



Acton singer, Bev Boisvenue, performs O Canada, at the Opening Ceremonies of the Festival.

halton happenings

August 14

- **Everdale Red Skies Community Festival, Hillsburgh:** 12pm-12am. Folk, pop and rock music, organic food and kids activities galore. Fun for the whole family \$30 per person, \$50 for two and \$5.00 for kids. For directions and details go to www.everdale.org
- **Halton Junior Farmers 60th Anniversary Celebration, Orangeville Fairgrounds.**

Sunday, August 15

- **The Tree Family Reunion.** Come for a leisurely stroll through the world of trees and check out different families of woody plants. The Arboretum, University of Guelph, at the JC Taylor Nature Centre, 2 to 3:30 pm. Free with a suggested donation of \$3 per person. For more information call The Arboretum at 519-824-4120 ext. 52113.
- **Halton County Radial Railway - Work Equipment Day, 4km rides, 11am-4:30pm, all day grounds admission includes rides. Adult \$9.50, Senior \$8.50, Youth (4-17) \$6.50, 3 & under/over 90 - Free. 13629 Guelph Line, Milton. For more information call 519-856-9802 or www.hcry.org**
- **Annual Spirit Sings event at Crawford Lake from 6:30 to 9:30 pm.** A magical evening of traditional First Nations teachings, games and foods. Pre-registration required and space limited. Tickets \$15 for adults, \$12 for children (ages 8-14) and seniors, includes admission to the park for the day as well as all event activities. (Not recommended for children under 8.) Call 905-854-0234 or visit the Conservation Halton Web site at www.conservationhalton.on.ca.

August 20

- **Youth Dance at Gellert Community Centre, 7:30-10:00 pm, for youth in Grades 6, 7 & 8, only \$6.** Chaperones and paid staff on hand at all times to help ensure everyone's safe-

ty. Call in advance for tickets - (905) 877-4244. Tickets also available at the front desk of Gellert Community Centre, 10241 8th Line. Tickets available at the door (based on availability).

August 21

- **Halton Regional Police Auction** has over 150 bicycles to be sold as well as numerous other items. Auction to be held in the underground garage of Halton Regional Police Headquarters, 1151 Bronte Road, Oakville. Viewing starts at 8:30am.
- **Halton Hands In Motion Knitting and Crocheting Guild** invites you to join the 1st "Knit In - Crochet Out" in the parking lot at Georgetown Yarn & Crafts - 170 Guelph St., 1:00 - 3:30 pm. For more information, call Dianne: 905-877-1521.
- **Canadian Federation of University Women.** Milton & District, at Farmers' Market. Mini-sale of used books. Information & application forms will also be available.
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Saturday, August 28

- **Our Lady of Mount Carmels' 35th Annual Beef BBQ, 4:00 to 7:00 pm.** Enjoy a delicious meal, plus dessert, a beer garden, live entertainment and draws. 79 Freelon Rd., Freelon. For more info call 905-659-3157.

Sunday, August 29

- **Nature Walk.** An exploration of the habitats around the JC Nature Centre, at The Arboretum, University of Guelph, from 2 to 3:30 pm. Sunday walks are free with a suggested donation of \$3 per person. For more information call 519-824-4120 ext. 52113.

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