

# Special Olympics winners

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The New Tanner

Some of Acton's Special Olympians came home with more awards from the Oakville Hawkeyes Invitational Five-Pin Bowling Tournament last weekend.

Acton #2 brought home the bronze medal by finishing with a plus 236. Team members were Connie Connelly, Doug Burns, Ellen Piehl, Gord Smith, John Tamzazie and coach, Carol Jordan.

Although Acton #1 didn't win awards, they finished with a plus 146. That team consisted of Hal Gies, Betty-Anne Elliott, Adam Linzender, Lori Lindstead, Colin Key and coach, Darlene Labombard.

Piehl and Tamzazie both won individual category trophies. Ellen took the Ladies' High Triple Flat and Tamzazie the Pins-Over-Average in a single game.

The Acton Five-Pin Bowlers Association held their second scotch Doubles Tournament of the year Saturday evening at the Acton Bowling Lanes. First place went to Angie Ahearn and Sarah Perkins with 1100. Second place went to Bill Cripps and Donald Constable at 1083 while Tasha and Tina Peterson placed third with 1063. Then Sunday Acton Five also held their annual PST (President, Secretary and Treasurer) Tournament at the Acton Lanes.

# Acton High basketball

### GIRLS

The Acton High school junior girls' basketball team ended the season with an 8-3 record with a 50-24 loss to Nelson last Tuesday in Burlington. Acton had a strong first half but ran out of steam during the second half. Meghann Williams led the scoring with six points, Krista Kearns had five and Kim Roberts and Holly Goddard each had four. Goddard was the top rebounder in the game.

### BOYS

The Acton High school senior boys' basketball team, 8-1 in regular season play, earned a berth at the Ontario Federation of Schools Ath-

letic Association (OFSAA) championship by downing Brampton Christian Academy three games to one last in last Wednesday's qualifier.

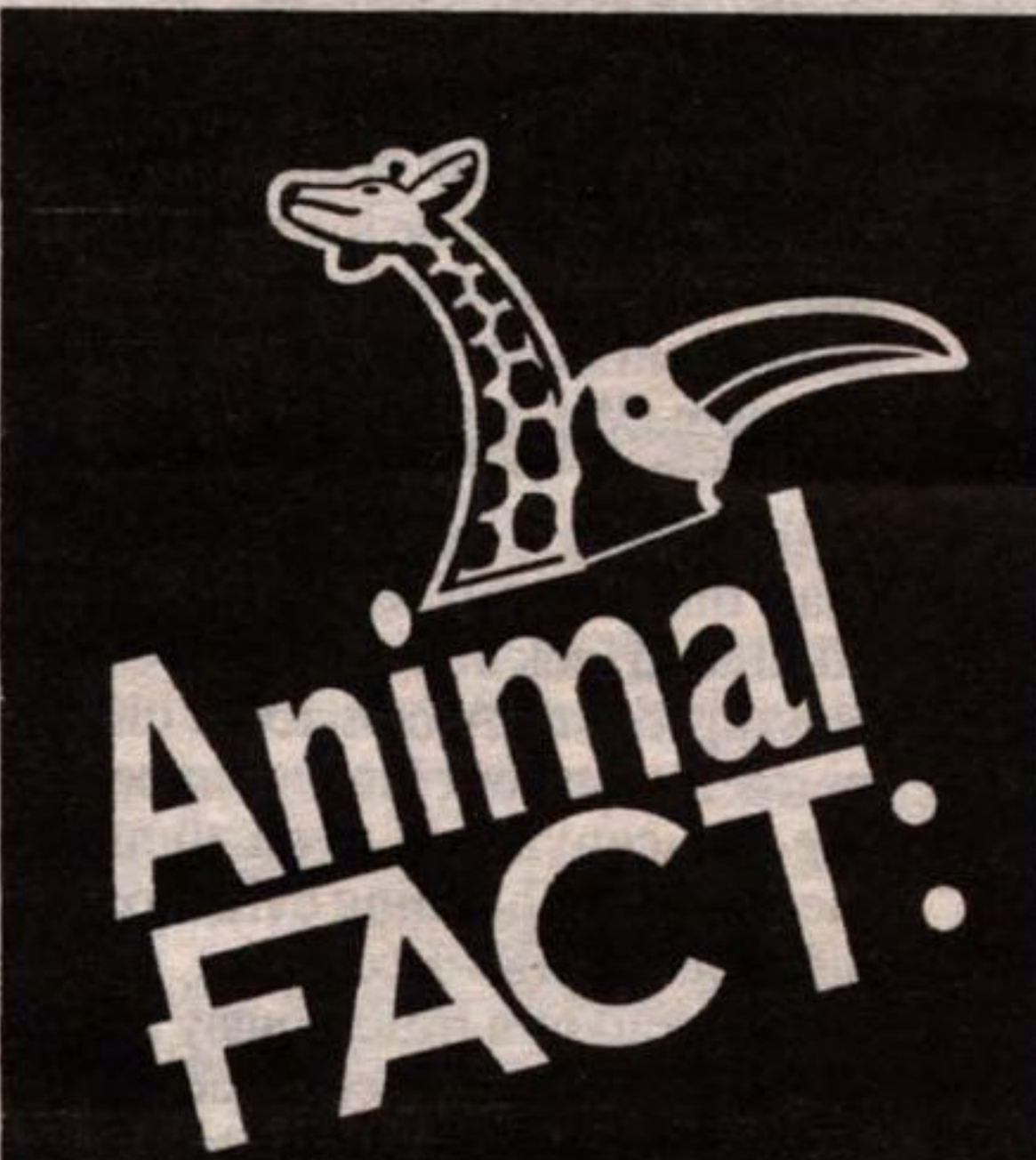
Brampton won the opening game, but Acton came back to take the second game. In the third game Acton was down 19-12 before they pushed hard for a 28-26 win. Acton clinched a coveted spot at the OPSAA by winning the fourth game.

The provincial tournament begins today (Thursday) in Owen Sound.

Georgetown took the all-Halton title in 25-23, 25-11 games over Acton last Tuesday.



SUBJECT MATTER: Joyce Caldwell-Grozier, left, of Touch of Harmony was recently interviewed by Mary Simpson, editor of the Therapeutic Touch Network newsletter for an upcoming issue. - Maggie Petrushevsky photo



WHAT DO THE KANGAROO, OPOSSUM AND BANDICOOT HAVE IN COMMON?

ENOUGH TO FIND THEIR OWN FOOD.  
IN THE POUCH UNTIL THEY ARE OLD  
CONTINUE GROWING. THE YOUNG STAY WHERE THEIR NEWBORN YOUNG GO TO MEANING THAT THEY HAVE A POUCH.  
ANSWER: THEY ARE ALL MARSUPIALS.

## Adjective Find

There are 14 adjectives hidden throughout the scrambled puzzle below. See how many you can find and circle. The words go horizontally and vertically, backward and forward.

- BEAUTIFUL
- ENORMOUS
- GREEN
- HEFTY
- INTELLIGENT
- LARGE
- LITTLE

- MIGHTY
- ROUND
- SMOOTH
- STRONG
- SWEET
- THIN
- UGLY

T H I T T L E M I G T H  
H E F T Y T E L L I H E  
I F U G T N G A R N I T  
N Y L Y H E L T T I L F  
O T U D G G E N E T I Y  
U H F O I I N E E G T G  
N N D S M L N O W R T N  
D I N O U L H T S O M O  
R T U M G E T N D U O R  
E U O T R T E H I F Y T  
L A R G E N O R M O U S  
O F I H E I E M E R G T  
R E N R N T W O Y S L H  
M H T O O M S U L U I G  
O T E E L L E R G O M I  
S M O L U F I T U A E B

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## Grammar Scramble

Unscramble the letters below, and learn about four parts of speech.

- These are exclamations that are used for emphasis. **TERTNOEISCJINI**
- Verbs express some sort of \_\_\_\_\_. **TOIANC**
- These words have positive, comparative and superlative forms. **JECVEAISTD**
- \_\_\_\_\_ connect sentences, clauses and phrases. **NIICSNOCUNTO**

1. Interjections 2. Action 3. Adjectives 4. Conjunctions



- IN THIS YEAR, JOHN "JOHNNY APPESEED" CHAPMAN PLANTED HIS FIRST APPLE ORCHARD IN PENNSYLVANIA.

- ENGLISH PHYSICIAN EDWARD JENNER ANNOUNCED THE DISCOVERY OF A VACCINATION AGAINST SMALLPOX.

- THE FIRST LOCK IN NORTH AMERICA WAS BUILT ON THE SAULT STE. MARIE CANAL, JOINING LAKE SUPERIOR WITH LAKE HURON.

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## LEGION NEWS BRANCH No. 197

By JOYCE BUCHANAN

November is coming to a close and Christmas activities are beginning to line up.

Kids' Christmas party is Dec. 19 so you should be checking the list and help Santa out. The board is in the games room with the children's names on it.

Tickets for the New Year's dance are going very well. If you haven't made your plans yet, better hurry.

There will be a Turkey Roll on Dec. 11.

Saturday, Nov. 27 we have a bus coming in from Waterdown around 2 p.m. so please come and make them welcome. Also on that date

there is an open euchre at 1:30 p.m. sharp. Everyone welcome.

Sports Calendar is in for the year 2000. You should check it out as there are some changes. Also you must have your dues paid up in order to participate in any sports.

Speedy recovery goes out to Keith Andrew who is hospitalized. Please hurry up and get well. I'm sure I have some lights for you to fix. To the rest of our members who are ill we wish a speedy recovery. Sympathy to the families of the members we have lost in the last month.

Seniors' Dinner on Nov. 30 is pretty well sold out. See you at the Branch.

## ACTON SENIORS' RECREATION CENTRE

By DOTREDEKOP

Everyone enjoyed the trip to Stage West last Wednesday. The eats and shows are always good. Don't forget our Bazaar and Bake Sale this Saturday, Nov. 27 at the Centre from 10 to 3.

Our choir now has 19 members and are having a great time under the leadership of Barb Hobart. They practice every Friday morning from 10 to 11 a.m. They are

joining with the Georgetown choir for the entertainment at our Christmas luncheon on Friday, Dec. 10 at 12 noon. Also they are going out to entertain others. Great work.

We have a few seats left for the Guse Christmas show on Dec. 7.

Mae Milton had two mooners and Ruth Burke had one last Thursday.

Don't forget our evening euchre on Wednesday, Dec. 1 at 7:30 p.m.

## Second level crossing crash costs a life

A second level railway crossing accident in North Halton claimed the life of a man from California on Friday, Nov. 19.

The train/SUV vehicle collision occurred at the Thompson Road level railway crossing in Milton around 5 a.m. The driver of the vehicle, Glen Zuest, of Brampton, apparently tried to negotiate around the rail crossing arms and the CP freight train hit the rear end of the sport utility vehicle.

One rear seat passenger, a 35-year-old male from Los Angeles, California, who

moved to Brampton four months ago, identified as Robbe Dea Dixon, was thrown from the vehicle. He was pronounced dead at the scene.

The driver and a front-seat passenger, Matt Hanson of Brampton, were taken to Milton hospital where Hanson was treated and released. The driver was transferred to Sunnybrook Hospital with suspected head injuries. The two train crew were uninjured.

Halton Regional Police investigated and said alcohol is a factor in the collision.

### How they SAY it in...

**English:** APPLE  
**Spanish:** MANZANA  
**Italian:** MELA  
**French:** POMME  
**German:** APFEL  
**Latin:** MALUM

### Did YOU KNOW?

WHAT IS THE MOST COMMON FAMILY NAME IN THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED KINGDOM?

ANSWER: SMITH

### get the PICTURE?

Can you guess what the bigger picture is featured here?

ANSWER: A FIRE ENGINE