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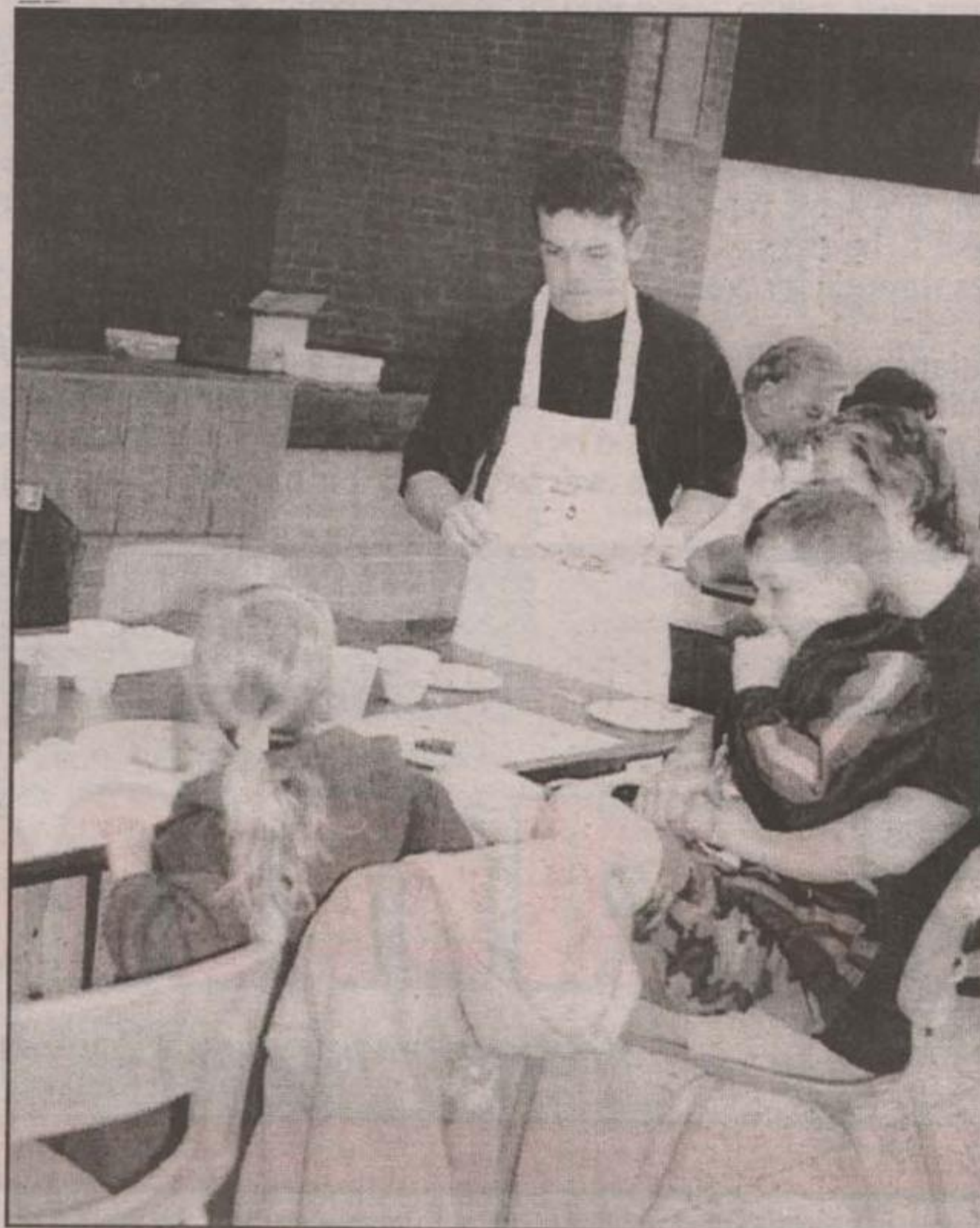
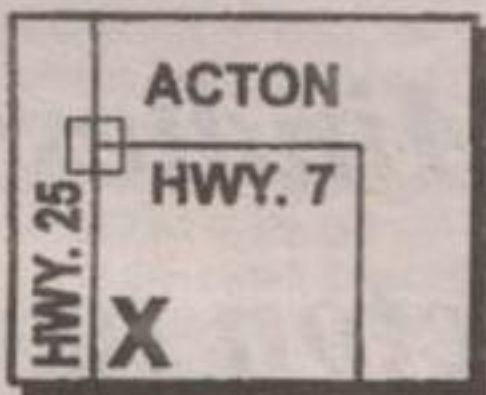
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**CLEARING UP:** Merna Preate has a word with her son Nathan, and daughter Michelle while Mark Bailey of Acton High School's Senior Basketball team waits to clear away for the next diners at the Acton Community Brunch. - Maggie Petrushevsky photo

## Music provides atmosphere at Acton community brunch

By FRANCES NIBLOCK  
The New Tanner

The Acton High School Jazz Band was such a hit at Sunday's Acton Community Brunch that many want music added to the mix of good food and socializing at the monthly get togethers.

"We don't know if we could do it again without music," Mary Ann Austin, one of the organizers, said on Tuesday.

"The band was a nice treat and the boy's basketball team helped the seniors with their trays and we had lots of good comments about the teens and the music."

While the crowd fell short of the 500 anticipated, at least

360 people had a good brunch at a great price (\$5) and a chance to chat. The high school band and basketball team will split the profits.

Acton YBC (Youth Bowling Council) members will be cooking, serving and cleaning to earn their share of the profits at the next brunch on May 28, at the Acton arena.

Austin said people keep suggesting ways to expand the brunch with silent auctions and flea markets sales.

"The groups that come in to help could set up something out in the hall to raise more money because it's a great crowd," Austin said, adding thanks to all of the volunteers who made it possible.

## MSB teaching assistant...

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husband) believed she'd really do it.

Besides cutting down on time and hair care, Bowen hopes shaving her head will give kids some confidence.

"Not to be afraid to do something that is silly and take a chance and try because life goes on. Many kids are afraid to step out and do things for fear of what people will think and say."

While the fundraiser was underway, Bowen said kids would taunt her in the hall - making sounds like electric

shavers as they walked by, telling her how hard they were working to sell the Easter goodies.

MSB vice-principal Mark Zonneveld said they were shocked when Linda made her offer to support the school.

"Mrs. Bower volunteered to do this - this is her own choice - and what a wonderful show of school spirit," Zonneveld said, adding the schools would donate \$500 to Ronald McDonald House, a charity of Bowen's choice. The students cheered and clapped as Bowen's hair fell to the stage floor, and after a few minuets a student handed her a mirror and she surveyed her new do. Students also presented Mrs. Bowen with a homemade hat and gave her husband, Al, a pair of sunglasses so he wasn't blinded by their glare off his wife's shining dome.

Bowen, good sport that she is, contributed to her own shearing. She purchased \$40.50 worth of Easter treats during the fundraiser, helping to ensure they topped the \$7,500 mark.

Hometown news that people read!

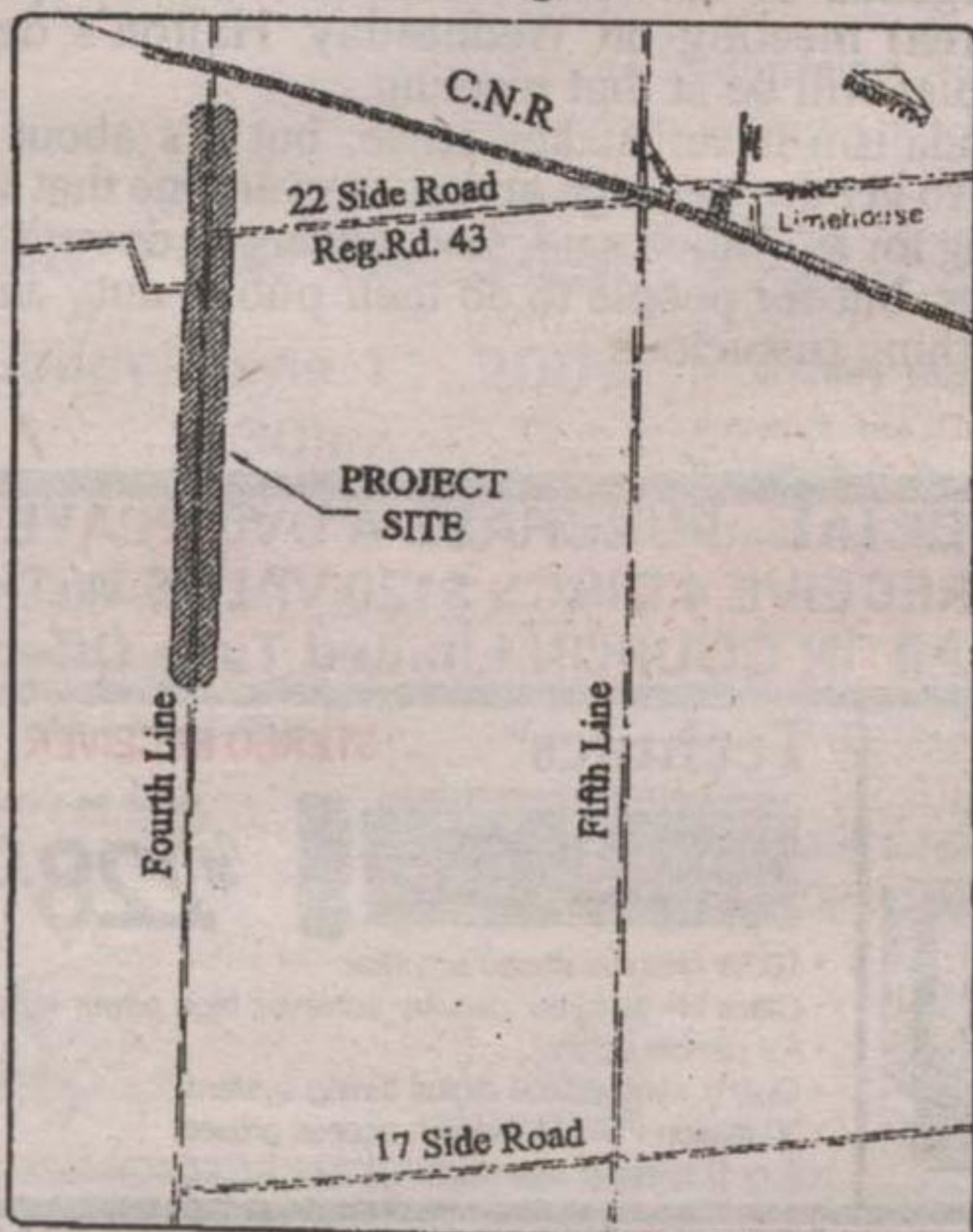


### NOTICE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 300 (1) of the Municipal Act, being Chapter M. 45 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1990, that the Council of the Town of Halton Hills, at its meeting to be held in the Civic Centre at 6:30 pm, Tuesday, May 23rd and Monday, May 29th 2000, will consider passing a by-law for the reconstruction of the 4th Line from Lot 20 to Lot 23.

Plans detailing this project and the proposed by-law are available for viewing during normal business hours at the Engineering Department office. Any inquiries should be directed to Mr. R. A. Goddard, C.E.T., Supervisor of Capital Works at 873-2601, extension 2310.

The Council will hear, in person, or by their counsel, any person who claims that their lands will be prejudicially affected by the said by-law and who applies to be heard. Persons wishing to be heard should notify the Clerk's Department prior to the meeting dates.



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