

Fourth Line gates promise...

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past year from people apparently using it as a bypass to other roads, Reed said.

Counc. John Day says fixing that crossing is only part of the issue. That's why council called for a meeting with Halton Region, the police and others involved in Halton's

transportation system. They want to examine all the crossings in north Halton. Other crossings may also need attention and Town council doesn't want to deal with still more potentially dangerous crossings after the fact. They want problems eliminated before further accidents happen

as traffic increases and the back roads become major thoroughfares.

Hats off to Chemo pairs with Sears

Anyone interested in supporting Hats Off to Chemo can drop off hats at any of the Sears Catalogue, Retail and Furniture Stores across Ontario. Hats Off to Chemo is a cashless charity that accepts hats only and distributes them to children and adults through regional cancer centers and cancer support groups.

"Sears Canada is always looking for ways to give back to the community, and more importantly, to help people in need," says Andrew and Sandra Rogers of Acton's Sears office. "By partnering with Hats Off to Chemo, we are serving the communities we live and work in, while helping this charity gain a greater support throughout the province."

Sears Canada is the second company to partner with Hats Off to Chemo. Union Gas Limited supported Hats Off to Chemo by acting as a collection depot at its office in Kingston.

The organization has already received its first celebrity hats signed by Detroit Red Wing Dino Ciccarelli and the Tragically hip's Paul Langlois.



FLU SHOT: Halton Regional chair Joyce Savoline, left, received her annual flu shot, to help promote the Halton Region Health Department's 2000-2001 Universal Influenza Immunization Program and increase awareness about influenza illness and the importance of being immunized.

Free flu shots for Acton at Seniors' Centre Oct. 20

Halton Region Chairman Joyce Savoline know a flu shot is her best protection against the disease. So she rolled up her sleeve recently to get her annual influenza immunization and expressed the hope others in Halton will follow her lead by getting flu shots, too.

It's easier now because flu shots are free for everyone living in Ontario.

Influenza, more commonly known as the flu, is not strictly an illness that affects older people. It can have a serious impact on people of all ages including children and healthy adults. Some people are more at risk of catching the flu and experiencing complications than others.

This year's influenza immunization program will roll out in two phases.

Phase 1

Starting in October, flu clinics will be open to people at higher risk of complications from flu.

People at risk include:

- everyone 65 years of age and older
- anyone with chronic heart, lung or kidney disease
- anyone with diabetes, cancer, blood disorders, or immune problems
- children and adolescents (aged six months - 18 years) treated for long periods with acetylsalicylic acid (ASA)
- and health care and emergency service workers who have regular contact with persons at risk of com-

lications from flu

Phase 2
Starting November 15 everyone else can plan to be immunized. The Health department's community flu clinics will be held in Acton on Friday, Oct. 20 at the Seniors Recreation Centre in the new arena on Queen St., E., from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. For more information about the 2000 Influenza Immunization Program call 853-0501 from Acton and 878-8113 from Georgetown.

LEGION NEWS BRANCH No. 197 By Joyce Buchanan Br. 197 Secretary

Well, that was Thanksgiving complete with a snow flurry. I truly am thankful and lucky. I had all my family home for dinner.

I would like to thank those of you who turned up Friday night for the Legion tribute. Although Dave was not a Legion member, he was still a

veteran and that is what we are all about.

The only new I have on Gord, is that he has been transferred to University hospital in London. Pat is staying with her daughter in Ingersoll. We all wish him and the family well and hope for some good news soon.

Monkey golf is on the 14th. You can still enter. It's \$15 per person, payable by Friday 13th. Tee off time is 11 a.m. Register with Carl or at the Bar. Carl is planning a Casino Rama Bus trip on Nov. 18. The cost is \$10 per person. Departure time is 8 a.m. Sign up with the bar steward. There will be food for you when you return to the Branch.

Children's Remembrance day is being held on the Saturday this year. Plans are being made for those Veterans who wish to attend the Cenotaph. You should be getting letters soon.

To all who are ill, we wish a speedy recovery and hope you will soon be out and around again. Don't forget Bridge and euchre at the Branch on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. See you at the Branch.

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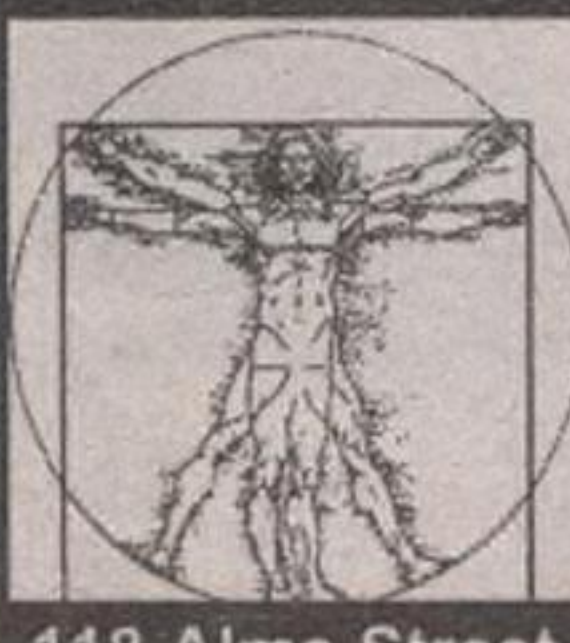
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