

# Heritage...

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stores for approximately 30 artisans and craftsperson.

Brock said the historically accurate rehabilitation of the mill has given him and his wife "more pleasure than anything else we've done in our lives," Brock said.

Ruth Kuchinad, a member of the Town's Environmental Advisory Committee received an Ontario Heritage Foundation award for her work in turning an abandoned trailer park in Norval into the Willow Park Ecology Centre.

Kuchinad accepted the award on behalf of all of the committees and volunteers who made the Ecology Centre a reality.

Kuchinad later announced Willow Park had received a grant of \$126,100 from the Ontario Trillium Foundation.



**THEY'RE GONE:** Halton Hills staff removed the mature spruces surrounding the cenotaph Monday. One tree was diseased and roots from both were encroaching on the United Church basement walls. The Royal Canadian Legion will replace the evergreens with new shrubbery in the spring. - Maggie Petrushevsky photo



**READY & WILLING:** Georgetown Pipe Band piper Judith Irwin waits for the signal to lead members of the new Halton Hills Council - including Mayor-elect Kathy Gastle and Councillors Rick Bonnette, Dobbie Frizzell, Clark Somerville, Bryan Lewis and Joan Robson into the John Elliott Theatre for their swearing in ceremony on Monday night. - Frances Niblock photo


## Apply now

Although the deadline has passed farmers can still apply for the Ontario Whole Farm Relief Program (OWFRP) from the Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs (OMAFRA).

At the Ontario Federation of Agriculture convention OMAFRA minister Ernie Hardeman said applications could still be submitted even though the Oct. 30 deadline has passed.

The minister made the commitment when told that some farmers didn't apply because of inaccurate Net Income Stabilization Account figures supplied by the ministry.

"We're not certain of the number of farmers that might be in this situation, but we would encourage them to complete an OWFRP application now and send it to OMASFRA," says Federation president Jack Wilson.



## Santa Suggests...

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## Blood donor clinic

Canadian Blood Services is holding a Blood Donor Clinic on Thursday, Dec. 14 at the Acton Legion, Wright St., Acton. The hours of the clinic are from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Eligible donors are between the ages of 17 and 70 and are asked to bring their donor card or a photo ID.

For more information call Julia at 853-4896.

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