## Citizens' Band beginners to perform Dec. 10 at band hall

The Acton Citizens' Band has had to cancel their planned annual Christmas Concert this year. Unfortunately they neglected to arrange for a hall and found nothing suitable was available on the proposed date.

Instead the Beginners'

Group of 25 both adults and youth, will be performing a short concert at the Band Hall on Sunday, Dec. 10 at 2 p.m.

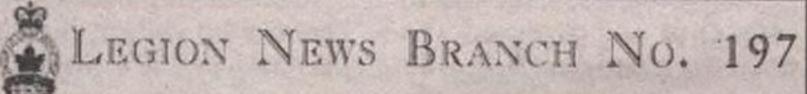
These players have been working hard for about two years and in January most will transfer to the senior band. The concert will be the last

opportunity they have to play together as a separate group.

A selection of music including some Christmas pieces will be presented followed by refreshments for families and friends who have come to hear their performance.



FIRST SNIPS: Frederic Caemmerer, 30 months, got some help from Dad, Heinz Schweistrus and Mother, Monika as he sat through his first haircut at the Parent-Child Centre recently. Mandy Dixon snipped quickly while his parents read to her young customer. - Maggie Petrushevsky photo



By Joyce Buchanan

Ok, we are on count-down now. Three weeks till Christmas. Are you ready? I hope so. You know how fast the time will go now. For the kids, Santa will be at the Branch on Sunday, Dec. 17 at 1:30 p.m. so don't forget to bring along your Mom and Dad.

Don't forget the Turkey Roll on Saturday, Dec. 9 We will be holding a silent auction on the old, large T.V. Bids will be accepted till Dec. 15 and the lucky winner will be announced at the Saturday Meat Draw on Dec. 16. Tickets are now on sale for the New Year's party. At \$50 per person they are starting to move.

There are still a lot of functions going on around the Branch and help is needed. Many thanks to the guys who took time to decorate the

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rooms. Also to all the volunteers who turned up to help serve and cook for the Seniors' Dinner. Once again it was a great success and a lot of work. Thank you all once again.

The Executive Meeting has been brought forward to

Dec. 18 at 7 p.m. due to Christmas so mark your calendar.

Gord is still making good progress and is getting to be a daily visitor to the Branch.

To those of you who are ill, we wish a speedy recovery and hope you are out and about soon.

Don't forget bridge and euchre during the week. See you at the Branch.

Is Celebrating its Fortieth Birthday-

on December 9th As ITV veiwers tuned in at 7p.m. on Friday 9th December 1960, two children were seen playing outside a corner shop in a typical back-to-back northern street. Inside the new owner Florrie Lindley was discussing putting up a sign outside. The scene was set for the birth of the National Institution

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STUDENT SERVICE: These McKenzie-Smith Bennett students received awards for their voluntary service to the community or school at a ceremony last week. The recipients include, front, left to right: Jesseca Brake, Ashley Masters, Melissa Hynds, Trisha Bingeman, Vicky Hall, Leah Ellis, Danielle Cassin, Tracey Perreira and Danielle Ricketts. Back: Becky Somerville, Breanna Campbell, Jenn Grierson. Kathleen Gardiner, Amanda Hale, Tim Tysoe, Kyle Pinkerton, Zach Scher, Matthew Simpson, Lindsay Neil, Katie Boychuk and Andy Burnett. - Submitted photo

## Disturbing the peace.

To the Editor.

To support the worldwide campaign against torture the local chapter of Amnesty International is having a special meeting on Wednesday, Dec.

Everyone is invited to come out and help the group make as much noise as possi-

'break the silence' that surround this global violation of human rights.

This special public meeting begins at 7 p.m. at the corner of Main and Mill streets in downtown Georgetown. It will then proceed along Main Street ending up at Sweet

ble for one minute in order to Designs for an informative meeting.

> Find out how easily you can be a part of this campaign and make a difference for people all over the world. Come on out ... the more the mer-

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