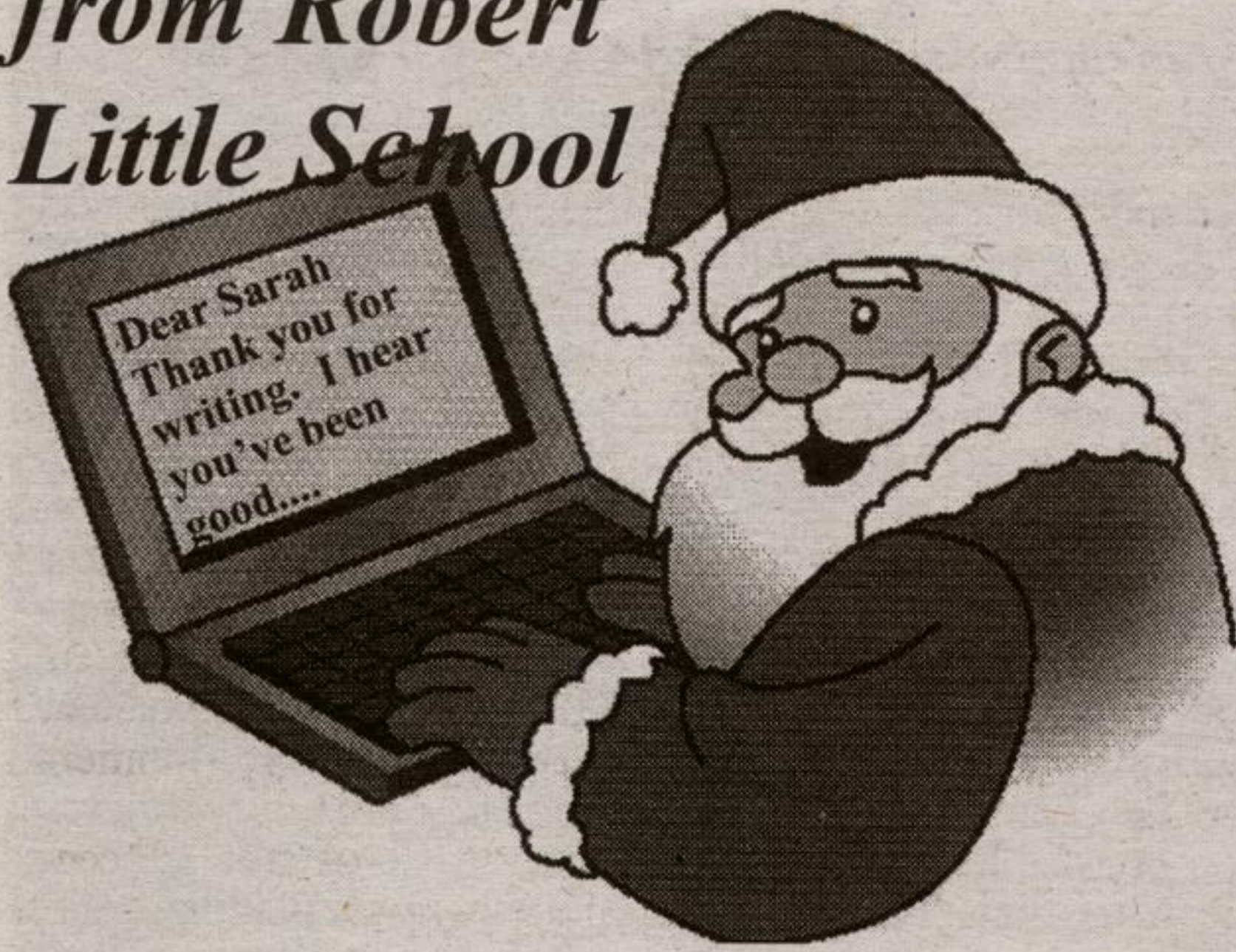


Letters to Santa from Robert Little School



Students at Robert Little public school wrote letters to Santa Claus last week and teacher Pam Shepherd allowed The New Tanner to publish them.

Dear Santa,

I enjoy colouring and making things. I also like to play with stuff animals. My name is Kim. I go to Robert Little School. I would like polly pockets and clothes for Christmas. Is there really an abominal snowman? Make sure you eat up, have a jolly Christmas and a happy new year.

Kim Becker
Grade 2

Dear Santa,

Hope you have a good Christmas. What do you feed your reindeer's? Is there really an abominal snowman? Does Rudolph's nose really glow? Oh an my name is Tyler. Hope you have a Merry Christmas. I hope to have a gameboy advance. Have a cup of coffee with Mrs. Claus before you deliver presents.

Tyler Gallant
Grade 2

Dear Santa,

How is Rudolph doing? And how are you doing? I live in Acton but I am going to Ireland. Please bring me a playstation 2, a gameboy advance and the Grinch

movie. I wish you a merry Christmas.

Love, Keenan Mc Hugh
Grade 1

Dear Santa,

My name is Meg. I live in Acton. I also live in Ontario. I have never seen Rudolph but I like him. How is Mrs. Claus? How do you travel around the world? I'll make sure that I leave cookies and milk for you. I am in French Immersion at Robert Little School. I hope you get this letter.

Love, Meg Allen
Grade 1

Dear Santa,

My name is Holly. I live in Speyside but I am going to England for Christmas. How do your deer fly? How are you so quiet? I would like six kittens and a pet fish. Sit down and have a cup of tea and cookies. Give your reindeer some carrots before you leave to deliver presents.

Love, Holly Engstrom
Grade 1

Dear Santa,

My name is Amelia. I go to Robert Little School. I live

15 new Halton police officers to be 'sworn in'

Chief of Police Ean Algar and Police Services Board Chair Jack Brewer will preside over the "swearing-in" ceremony for 15 new police officers to be held at Halton Region Council Chambers, on Thursday,

December 20, 2001 at 2pm. New officers to be welcomed to the ranks, will include the start of a third generation with the Halton Regional Police Service - Constable Greg Cormier is following in the footsteps of

his father, Superintendent Paul Cormier and his uncle, Detective Sergeant Ken Cormier, and his grandfather, Basil, who is a retired member of the Police Service. Five of these officers have previous policing experience, while the other ten recently finished their training at the Ontario Police College, and will now head out for on-the-job training.

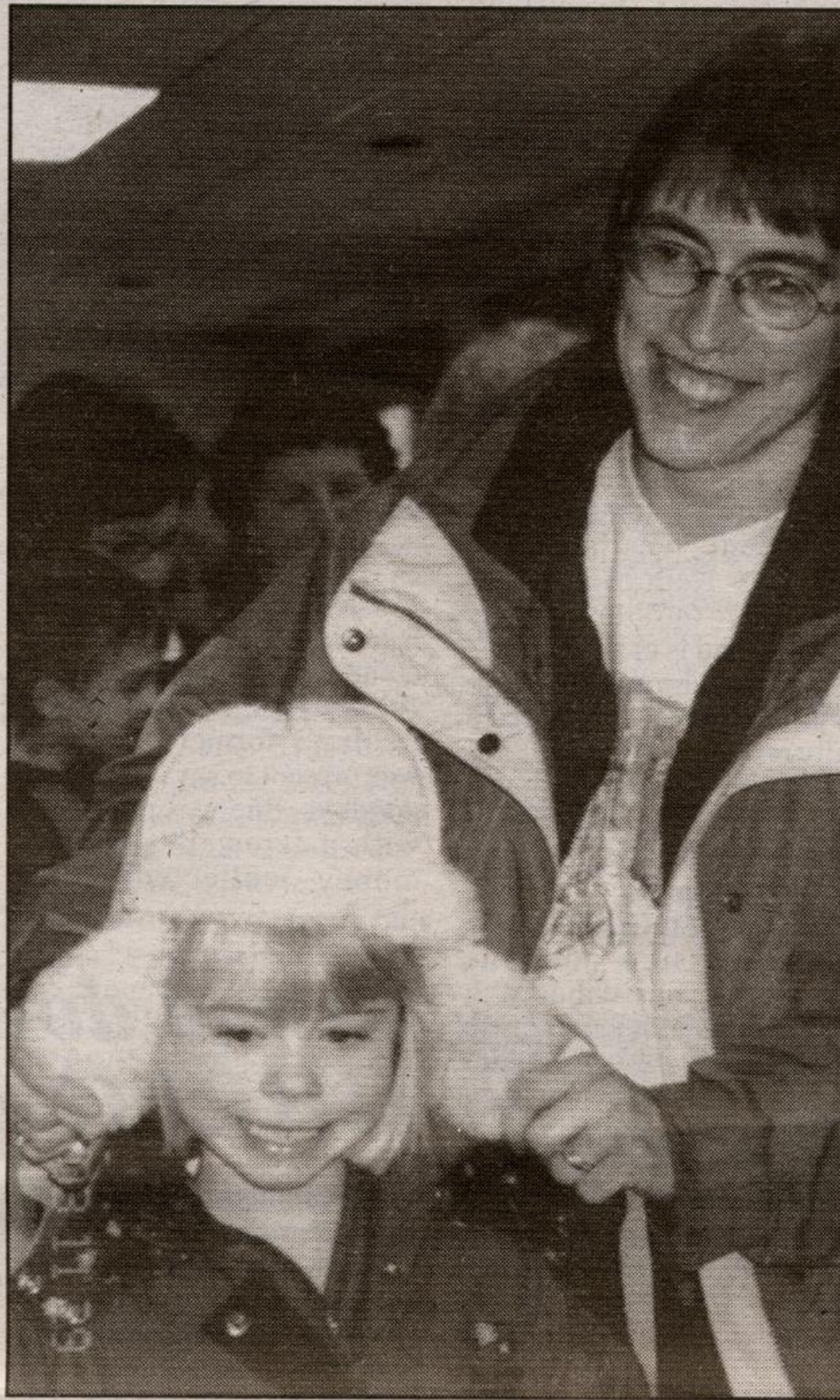
The new officers and their assignments include:
No. 1 District, Halton

Hills (Georgetown): Renee Harnack and Bernadette Verberne.

No. 1 District, Milton: Greg Cormier and Mark Flood.

No. 2 District, Oakville: Jacqueline Brennan; Jennifer Dewar; Michael Foster; Kevin Gray; Kevin Harvey; Dan Matthews; Greg Robinson.

No. 3 District, Burlington: William Blake; Quince Buchanan; David Preece; Shawn Thomas.



WARM EARS: Susan Chapman tries a lambskin cap on her daughter Laura, 5, during the Rockwood Lioness' Christmas bazaar recently at Rockmosa. - Maggie Petrushevsky photo

in Acton. On Christmas Eve I won't forget to get a plate full of cookies, milk and cheese for you. Please get me a lip gloss kit. Say hi to Rudolph. Does Rudolph's nose really glow? Merry Christmas Santa.

Love, Ameila Torraville
Grade 1

Wishing all our customers joy and happiness this Christmas and throughout the forthcoming year.



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AHS girls' team wins and loses

Last Friday, M. M. Robinson hosted Acton in girls' hockey, M.M.R. won 6-2.

Scoring for Acton were Meghann Williams and Laura Anne Sheehan. Earning assists were Laura Stevenson and Gillian Brunelle.

On Monday night, a combined team from Aldershot and Burlington Central hosted Acton. Acton won 7-4.

Scoring for Acton were Meghann Williams (2), Amanda Schroeder, Krista Kearns, Gillian Brunelle, Laura Anne Sheehan and Kelly Beardall. Earning assists were Meghann Williams (4), Laura Anne Sheehan and Amanda Schroeder.

"Congratulations to the whole team on their first league game win. It was a real team effort," says coach Bruce Andrews.

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