

Three local artists at Greenscape event

Greenscape Nursery, near Rockwood, is promoting a unique event the weekend of November 23-24. Three local and talented artists will be at the nursery all weekend displaying and selling their work, including Carole Black, Steve Cooper and Diane Mellor. A \$2.00 admission charge will be donated to two charities of the artists' choosing, Homeward Bound which is run from the Rockwood Vet Clinic and the University of Guelph ministry.

Carole Black and her

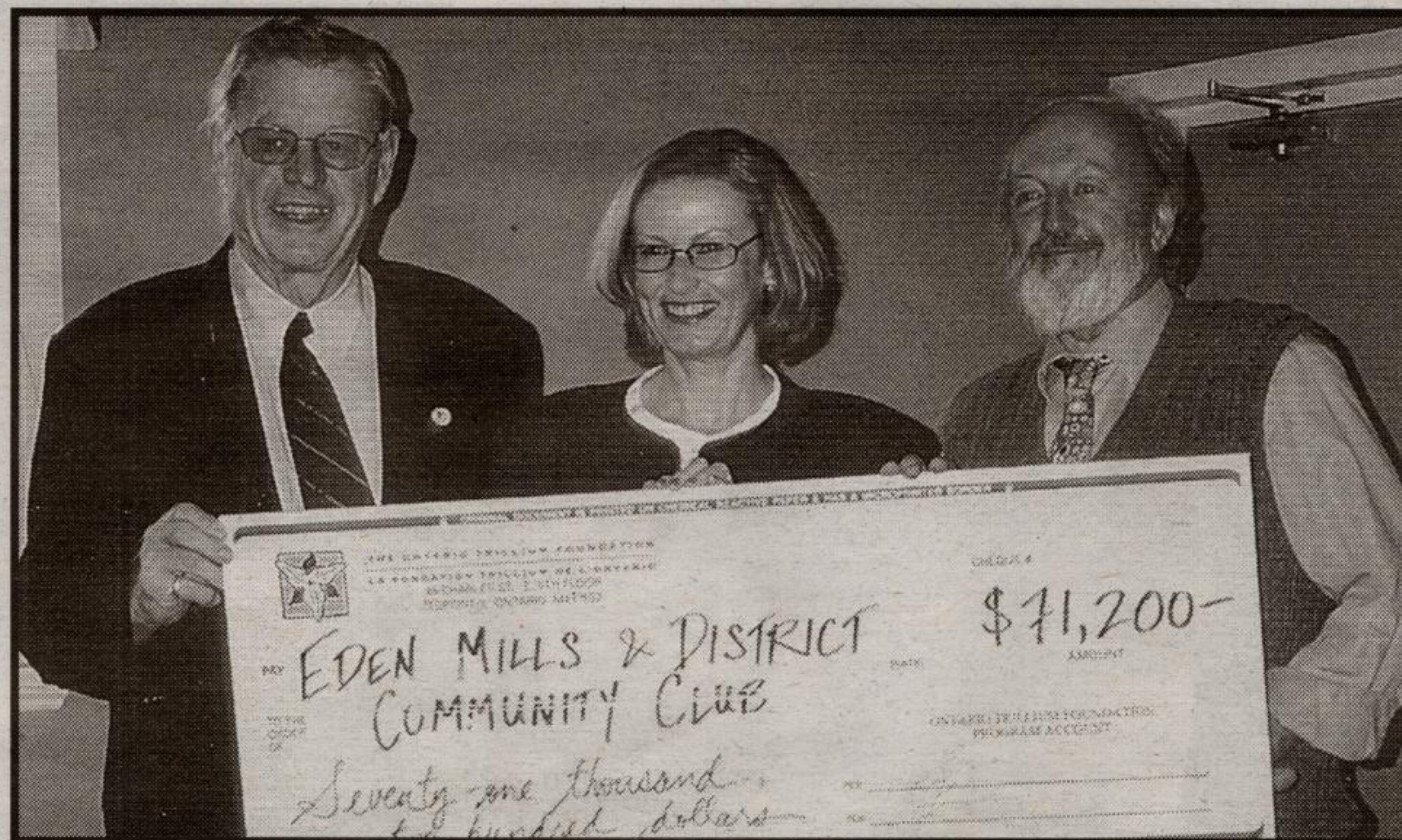
paintings show another meaning of Renaissance: giving rebirth to glories of the past, in this case the gracious lifestyles of the 19th and early 20th centuries. Many of her watercolours reveal an intense appreciation of the turn-of-the-century buildings.

Steve Cooper, originally from Trinidad and Tobago, has lived in Canada since 1975. As an artist he works with materials from the mechanical environment. Pipes, pieces of worn tools, the inner workings of clock and

farm machinery are used to create whimsical creations.

Also joining the circle is local Diane Mellor. Diane began her creative career more than 28 years ago as a senior designer and art director at some of Canada's foremost design studios. She has been a recipient of numerous design awards. Her wire sculptures are inspired by pure form and the interplay which shapes have one to the other.

Greenscape is located about 2kms west of Guelph on Hwy 7.



BIG GRANT: Trillium Foundation representative Jim Gibbons, left, Guelph-Wellington MPP Brenda Elliott and Eden Mills Community Club president Chris Wilson pose with the cheque the club received for the HARP project from the Trillium Foundation. - Maggie Petrushevsky photo

Celebrate completion of Eden Mills hall project

BY MAGGIE PETRUSHEVSKY
The New Tanner

Members of the Eden Mills & District Community Club celebrated the completion of their access and renovation project with a special ceremony at the hall on Tuesday.

The Hall Access & Renovation Project (HARP) began five years ago with the idea of adding a ramp so physically challenged community members could avoid the stairs.

Over time, said club president Chris Wilson, the idea of using a ramp proved impractical and it was decided to install a lift which would provide access to all four levels of the village's historic stone hall.

The price on the project rose to \$160,000 and more than a thousand hours of volunteer labor.

Wilson said in addition to renovating the building, the project has restored the village's unity and bound up the damage done by the problems created several years ago by the dissolution of the police village.

Thanking their building and fundraising volunteers, Wilson said the project also received so much engineering, architectural and electrical expertise from

volunteers, it would probably have tripled the price of the project if they had paid for it.

Wilson also passed out verbal bouquets to Guelph/Eramosa township staff for their assistance with the project and to council for their support.

He also thanked the Trillium Foundation for providing a grant of almost \$72,000 for the work.



BARRIER FREE: Eden Mills residents John DeSero and Ann Veronica Chesworth wait to the official opening of the lift now serving the Eden Mills Community Hall. Seen with them are from the left, Eden Mills Community Club president Chris Wilson, HARP co-chair Ed Langevin and club past president Barb Marshall. - Maggie Petrushevsky photo

Cambridge man hurt in construction mishap

The Ministry of Labour is continuing an investigation into an industrial accident at Drexler Construction Ltd., near Rockwood, which sent a 58-year-old Cambridge man to hospital.

Wellington OPP responded to a call at 9:08am on Wednesday, November 6 on Wellington Rd 27 in Eramosa township. The accident occurred when an employee of Drexler was

grinding rust off the track pads of a bulldozer and the grinder wheel shattered and parts of the wheel struck the victim in the face.

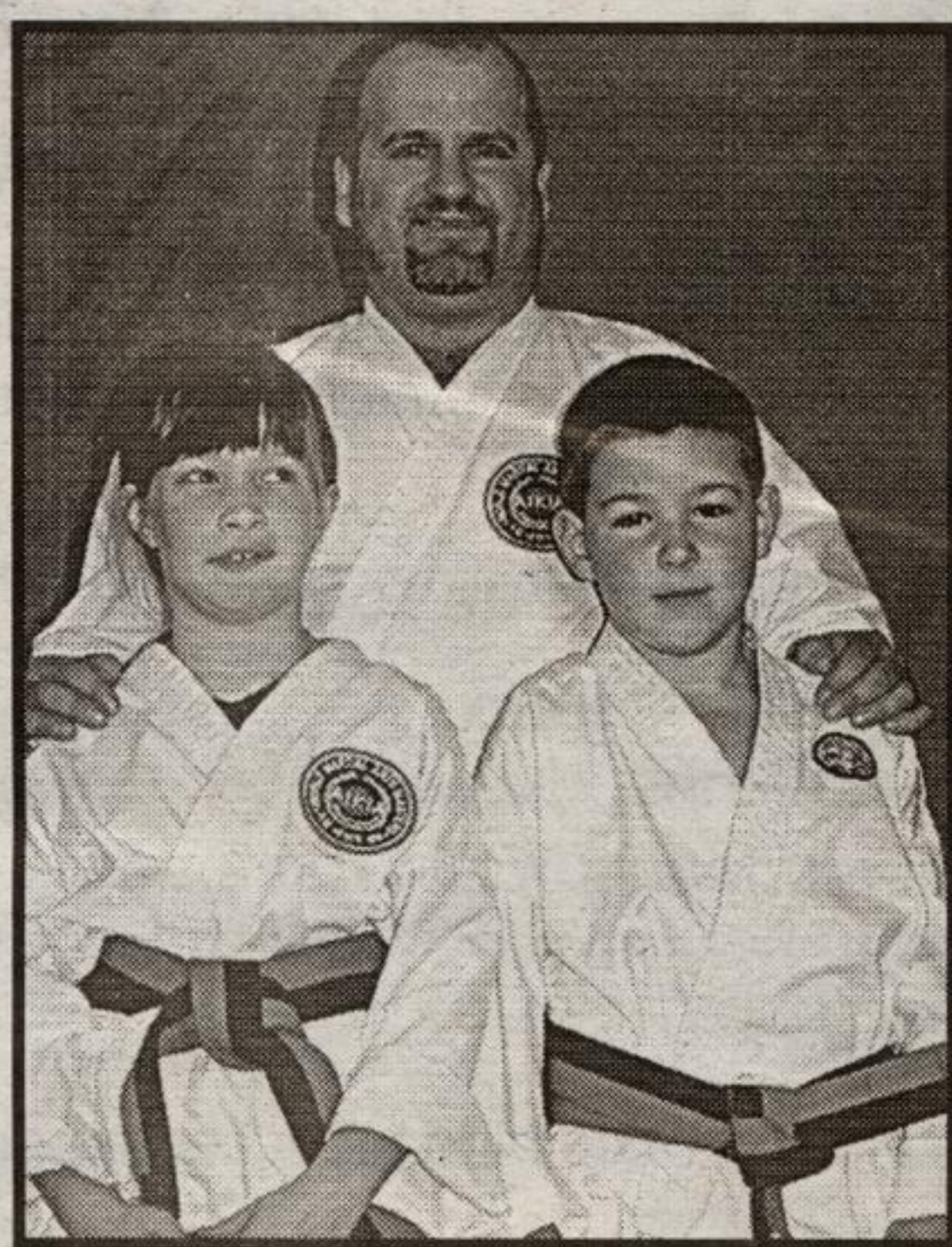
Paramedics and members of the Guelph/Eramosa Fire Dept responded and provided first aid before Charlie Persaud, 58, of Cambridge, was taken to Guelph General Hospital and treated for non life-threatening injuries.

Acton man in Rockwood home charged

A 31-year-old Acton man was charged with breach of probation after Wellington OPP responded to a call from a residence on Main St. S. in Rockwood on Sunday, November 10 at 1:05am.

Police said the man violated a probation condition by attending the residence. He was apprehended at his Acton residence later that night. He was held in custody pending a video bail hearing the same day.

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