



ENVIRONMENTAL ENTHUSIASTS: Tony Russell from the 1st Acton Cubs, son William and daughter Chloe were among over 160 Beavers, Cubs, Scouts, leaders, parents and siblings planting 3,500 trees for the environment at the Dufferin Aggregates quarry, south of Acton, recently. The exercise was part of the Greater Halton Area's Scoutree program. — *George Henderson photo*

Scouts plant 3,500 trees for environment at Dufferin

Dear Editor,

On May 1, Greater Halton Area Scouting had 163 Beavers, Cubs, Scouts, Leaders, parents and siblings out planting 3,500 trees for the environment at the Dufferin Aggregates quarry near Acton. The Greater Halton Area is now made up of all the small and large communities from Acton, Campbellville, Georgetown, Glen Williams, Hornby/Ashgrove, Limehouse and Milton.

Through the generosity of these communities, Scouting was able to raise significant money towards our Scouting activities with our 33rd annual Scoutrees

planting. A big Scouting thank you must also be extended to the staff and management of Dufferin Aggregates for again providing us with a planting site, providing the trees and the kids favourite part — a super lunch after planting was done.

The weather was cool and wet that day, which is the best weather for young trees to be transplanted — we look forward to our 34th Scoutree project next year.

*George Henderson,
Scoutree Co-ordinator,
Greater Halton Area*



NEW LEGION EXECUTIVE: Wayne Young, Larry McAfee, Ren Cunard, Dave Crook, George O'Donnell, Mary Watson, Wes Kutasienski, Kathleen Bevon, Lena Fisker, Joyce Buchanan, and John Wagg. — *James Hayes photo.*

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By James Hayes
P.R.O.

Comrades:

Last week's mistake was caught by several people, please keep reading the notes.

My apologies to Steve Dunn for omitting his name from the list of people in the photograph of the new members, sorry Steve.

Last Tuesday evening we had the Branch elections, conducted by a team from Milton Branch. Our thanks to them for a job well done.

The results were as follows: President, George O'Donnell; 1st Vice President, Dave Crook; 2nd Vice President, Wes Kutasienski; Treasurer, Lena Fisker; Secretary, Mary Watson. Executive Members; John Wagg, Ren Cunard, Wayne Young,

Kathleen Bevon, and Larry McAfee.

Congratulations to all who were prepared to work for the Branch.

The dinner prepared and served by our Ladies' Auxiliary prior to the elections, was as usual superb. Thank you, ladies.

The Silent Walk was well supported, and Comrade Joyce Buchanan has filed a separate report.

Yours in Comradeship,

Ladies Auxiliary.

Ladies, it is your election night, tonight at 7:30 pm.

Your support is required, to make your organization continue to work as well as it has done in the past.

10 new officers sworn in Halton Police

Halton Regional Police Deputy Chief Gary Crowell will preside over the "swearing-in" ceremony for 10 new Halton police officers to be held at Halton Region Council Chambers, in Oakville, today, (Thursday, May 13) at 7 p.m.

The officers have recently finished their training at the Ontario Police College and will now head out for on-the-job training.

The new officers are as follows:

Assigned to #1 District, Halton Hills: Constable Ryan Snow.

Assigned to #1 District, Milton: Constables Kevin Kreibich and Melissa Parsons.

Assigned to #2 District, Oakville: Constables Pamela DeForest, Gina Mehlhorn, Matt Lawless, and Kelly Anthony.

Assigned to #3 District, Burlington: Constables Malcolm Wright, Jamie Bowman and Tracey Peters.



NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

June 9, 2004 at 7:00 p.m.

Board Room

Halton District School Board

J.W. Singleton Education Centre

2050 Guelph Line

Burlington, Ontario

Region of Halton — Education Development Charges

TAKE NOTICE that on June 9, 2004, the Halton District School Board and the Halton Catholic District School Board will hold a joint public meeting pursuant to Section 257.63 of the *Education Act ("Act")*, to consider proposed education development charges which may be imposed against land undergoing development in the Region of Halton.

The purpose of the meeting is to inform the public generally about the education development charge proposals of the two School Boards and to solicit public input. Any person who attends the meeting may make a representation to the Boards in respect of the proposals. The Boards will also consider any written submissions.

The Education Development Charge Background Study required under Section 257.61 of the Act (including the proposed EDC by-law) setting out each Board's education development charge proposal, which was released to the public on April 23, 2004, is available at the respective Board's administration offices, during regular office hours.

All interested persons are invited to attend the public meeting.

The Boards would appreciate receiving written submissions one week prior to the Public Meeting, so they may be distributed to the trustees for their review prior to the meeting. Submissions and requests to address the Boards as delegations should be submitted to:

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The Halton District School Board and the Halton Catholic District School Board will consider passing by-laws imposing education development charges immediately following the public meeting on June 9, 2004, at 7:00 p.m., in the Board Room of the Halton District School Board at 2050 Guelph Line, Burlington, Ontario. All submissions received in writing and those expressed at the public meeting will be considered prior to the enactment of the Education Development Charge by-laws.

Any comments or requests for further information regarding this matter may be directed to Gerry Cullen, Superintendent of Facility Services for the Halton District School Board, at (905) 335-3663 (culleng@hal.hdsb.ca), or Domenico Renzella, Administrator of Planning Services for the Halton Catholic District School Board, at (905) 632-6300 (renzellad@haltonrc.edu.on.ca).



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