

Whiting resigns to accept position in Nova Scotia

Dave Whiting is pulling up his stakes and heading to Yarmouth, Nova Scotia early in June.

This will leave his position as the Acton/Esquesing trustee on the Halton Board of Education vacant, effective June 1.

Board Chair Diane Leblovic said the school board has two options: it can appoint a new trustee within 60

days after the position has been vacated, or call a by-election. She said this decision will likely be made in June during a public meeting.

Whiting formally resigned at the Finance Committee meeting on Thursday evening.

"Because of the time left (in the term), I'm recommending that a by-election is called," he said. Whiting



DAVE WHITING

was acclaimed in the last election.

Whiting has been on the board since 1991 and was also chair until Leblovic took over last fall. He has accepted a job with the Yarmouth Development Corporation, which he said is similar to Ontario's Business Improvement Areas (BIAs), but these organizations are just getting established in Nova Scotia.

Yarmouth has a population of about 8,000, but is a regional centre.

Whiting said he will begin his new job in June, and his family will join him sometime before the school year begins.

"He'll be sadly missed. He has been a wonderful trustee since he joined the board in 1991," Leblovic said.

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Election events

Area residents will get two opportunities to hear Halton North provincial election candidates this coming week.

On Tuesday evening (May 23) residents will get to hear the candidates discuss education issues at an event organized by the Georgetown and District Christian School. The event, at the school on Trafalgar Rd. in Georgetown, will begin at 7:30 p.m.

The candidates will also have an opportunity to express their views on Thursday evening (May 25) at John Elliott Theatre beginning at 7:30 p.m. This meeting will be sponsored by the federal Reform Party.

Holiday Friday

Town of Halton Hills employees will take Friday, June 30 off instead of Monday, July 3 for the Canada Day holiday. Canada Day falls on a Saturday this year.

According to the town's personnel policy manual the Canada Day holiday should be taken the following Monday but at a recent meeting committee waived the rules.

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Canadian champs return

Georgetown Youth Bowling Council Bantams returned home on a high note Tuesday night after capturing the national championship in St. John's Newfoundland last weekend. Halton Hills mayor Marilyn Serjeantson dropped by to offer

congratulations to coach Brinley Hole and the team. Members include Jordon Scuralli, Willy Walker, Jason Pshyk, Gordon Clarke and Blake Manderino. See story on page 14.

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