



Georgetown and District Seniors Association members elected their new board of directors last month. Among those elected were back (from left) Jim Kennedy, Earl Merrill, Ken Milne, Billie Idzi, Dorothy Hazelden, Florance

Carswell, (sitting) Alice Elliott, Alice Gray, Joyce Tilson, Mabel Hives and Helen McNeil. Elected members missing are Fern Boisvenue, Klaus Zander, Jim Rawlings and Bill Breckenridge.

Our readers write

Seniors appreciates businesses' support

Dear editor:

The Georgetown District Seniors Centre had its official opening on June 3. It was a well-attended function with an estimated 300 interested persons present. Mayor Marilyn Serjeantson cut the opening ribbon and Julian Reed and Mrs. Bob Rae represented our other levels of government. We wish to acknowledge their contribution to our day and indeed to their efforts in the past to enable us to get a Seniors' Centre. The main point of this letter, however, is to express our thanks to all those who donated so generously their time, their services, or their products for our opening day. The list is extensive and as complete as we have been able to recall. We hope you will find space to print this letter as an indication of our gratitude.

Our thanks to Fendley Florists, M&M Meats, Webb's Florists, White Rose, MacDonald's, A&P, Knechtel's, IGA, Michael's, Tim Horton's, Sheridan Nurseries,

Epp's Greenhouses, Neilson's, Vanderburgh Flowers, Loblaw's, Lee's Nursery Inc., Office Magic, Salvation Army, Carleton Cards, Tyler Transport, Sue Cowan, Mark Llewellyn, Nancy McNeil, Joy Anderson, Debbie Tilson, Barbara Herner, The Georgetown Independent, The Town of Halton Hills, and our wonderful coordinator Adrianna Lawless and, of course, all the senior volunteers who worked so hard with decorations, setting out the refreshments and the clean-up when the event was over.

Mr. Editor the efforts of all these people made our day. Their spirit of co-operation and interest are typical of the residents of our community. It is one of the prime reasons we chose to live in Georgetown. People do care!

We thank you for allowing us to show our thanks.

Ken Milne
Public Relations Committee
Georgetown District Seniors' Centre

Wendy's car wash for Cancer Society cleans up

Dear editor:

Special thanks to all those dedicated people who washed cars at Wendy's on Saturday, July 8. All proceeds (\$415) from the car wash and a percentage of hamburger sales were

Literacy Guild says thanks

Dear editor:

The Fundraising Committee at North Halton Literacy Guild would like to thank everyone who donated goods and helped at our garage sale. It was a great success. We would also like to thank the *Independent/Free Press* for the excellent coverage given to us through the Community News section.

Joan Banks, Garage Sale coordinator
Fundraising Committee

donated to the Canadian Cancer Society.

The many volunteers included Andra Tetley, Anne Feikma, Helen Pratt, Nancy Garber, Ryan Visser, Stewart Dowds, Kelly-Anne Pride, Patti Vandennenden, Clara Oosterhof, Stephanie Sheffield, Laura Gipp, Melissa Descenza, Stephanie Smith, Sarah Greer, Lisa Donaghee, Carrie Ann Harris and Scott McCallum. Mayor Serjeantson was a good sport and came out to wash cars. Dan Wagstaff provided the great music and urged the public to get their cars washed.

As always, this annual event was a huge success and the endeavors are greatly appreciated.

Marlene Kelman Communications chair
Georgetown Unit, Canadian Cancer Society

Coverage could have been better

Dear editor:

Re: The Glen Williams Parade

Yes, the weather cooperated — but *The Independent* didn't. For the newspaper who usually covers the events of our little world and beyond so well you failed miserably with the photographs of the Glen Williams parade on Canada Day. There were so many entries this year and many of them very imaginative that I was so disappointed not to see more pictures.

The prizes and honourable mentions were awarded to the street floats, which was also disappointing. Individual floats and persons were not included, the *Town Crier* and his lady for one. We hope that next year both *The Independent* and the organizing committee of the parade will rethink their way of presenting both the awards and the reporting of the event.

A faithful reader.
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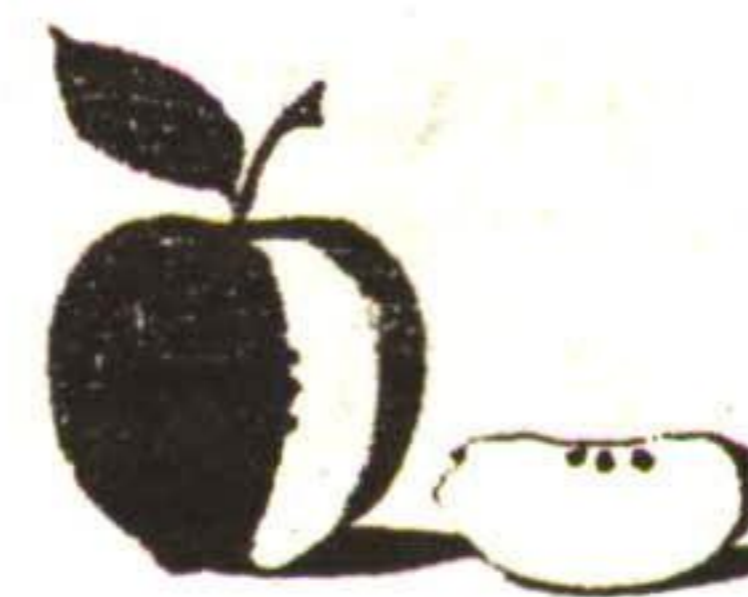
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