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Manning here

■ Opposition leader Preston Manning will visit Georgetown Saturday, Oct. 3 to kick off National Literature Drop Day.

Manning, leader of the federal Reform Party, will attend a ceremony at 12 noon at the Knolcrest Plaza at the corner of Guelph St. and Delrex Blvd.

Hit and run

■ An 18-year-old Acton man was injured in a hit and run accident on Church St. in Acton Sunday afternoon.

Halton Police say at about 3:30 p.m. a Storey Dr. man was walking along the south side of Church St. east of Victoria St. when he was struck by a westbound car which left the scene. The victim was taken to Milton Hospital with back injuries and treated and released.

The car that hit the man is described as a four-door blue late 1980s Ford Tempo or Topaz with damage to the front left side. The driver is described as male, white, aged 35 to 40 with dark hair.

Anyone with any information should call police at 878-5511 ext. 2105.

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Puppy love

It seems Slinky was a little excited about the annual Upper Credit Humane Society Dog Walk at Cedarvale Park Saturday, so owner June Kirk of Grand Valley had to keep her excited little beagle-Jack Russell cross on a tight leash for the day. Although the event was marred by occasional showers, hundreds of dog lovers and their pets still turned out to take part.

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Driver charged after friend dies in crash

An accident in Milton Saturday morning has left a Georgetown man dead and another Georgetown man charged with impaired driving causing death.

Killed instantly in the single-vehicle accident that occurred on the Sixth Line E. south of Britannia Rd. was Christopher Wilson, 35, of Lauchlin Cres.

Halton Police say at about 3 a.m. a Ford Explorer, driven northbound on the Sixth Line by Christopher Garrett, 37, of Donaghedy Dr. came upon a curve south of Britannia Rd., went out of control, left the roadway and rolled over. Wilson, who was in the front



CHRISTOPHER WILSON

passenger seat, was ejected. Another Georgetown man, whose name wasn't released by police, was in the back seat and wasn't injured. Garrett was taken to Milton District Hospital with minor injuries.

Garrett, who Wilson had known for a few years, has been charged with impaired driving causing death, criminal negligence causing death, and having over 80 mg of alcohol in 100 ml of blood. He is

to be in Milton court on October 19.

Wilson is survived by his wife Carol, daughters Ashleigh and Sydney, his mother Marlene Wilson, grandmother Dorothy Coffey, and brother Mark and his wife Fiona.

Alan Dean, Wilson's father-in-law, said his son-in-law had been at a golf tournament at Indian Wells Golf Course in Burlington Friday afternoon with friends he played hockey with. They attended a banquet at a Burlington restaurant after the tournament. He had spoken to his wife from the course on his cellular phone.

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