Georgetown Legion helps out seniors centre

BY COLIN GIBSON Georgetown Legion news

The Fall Honors, Awards and Initiation night is scheduled for Friday, October 23, at 8 p.m. in the upstairs hall. Those to be initiated are requested to report to the branch by 7:30 p.m. Those members eligible for long service pins are requested to fill in the form posted in the canteen. Branch members are urged to attend this important and significant Legion event. A light supper and dance will follow the ceremonies.

Tickets for this year's Remembrance dinner and dance, scheduled for November 7, are now available from the bar steward at \$10 per person. Cocktails at 6:30 p.m. with dinner at 7 p.m. The Kentones will be providing the entertainment downstairs, following the dinner.

Provincial Service Officer Scott Young will be visiting Br. 120 on November 25. Those wishing to arrange interviews are requested to contact branch Service Officer Roy Hall, 873-7169, or contact the branch, 877-4413 for more information.

At the most recent executive meeting, a \$500 donation— subject to floor approval was approved to help defray moving costs for the Georgetown Seniors Centre. David Pickett was accepted as a fraternal member, while Vicki Tozier was approved as an associate voting member.

Despite the turmoil in the teaching ranks, the 12th annual Branch 120-sponsored elementary schools cross-country runs, held recently at Cedarvale Park, turned out well. Over 400 youngsters competed and thanks are expressed to fellow volunteers Harry Archer, Mac McLean, Bill Collier, John Wemyss and Harry Bottoms, for a job well done.

The Zone B-7 Snooker competition is sched-

uled for November 14 and 15 at Br. 15 in Brampton, while the Zone B-7 10-pin bowling competition is scheduled for November 21, again hosted by Br.15, Brampton. Information on these events is posted on the sports board in the canteen.

Plans are also in the offing for a home and home shuffleboard series involving various legions and our own Saturday afternoon league. Further announcements on what could turn out to be a great winter sports diversion will be forthcoming.

Georgetown duo wins pumpkin prize

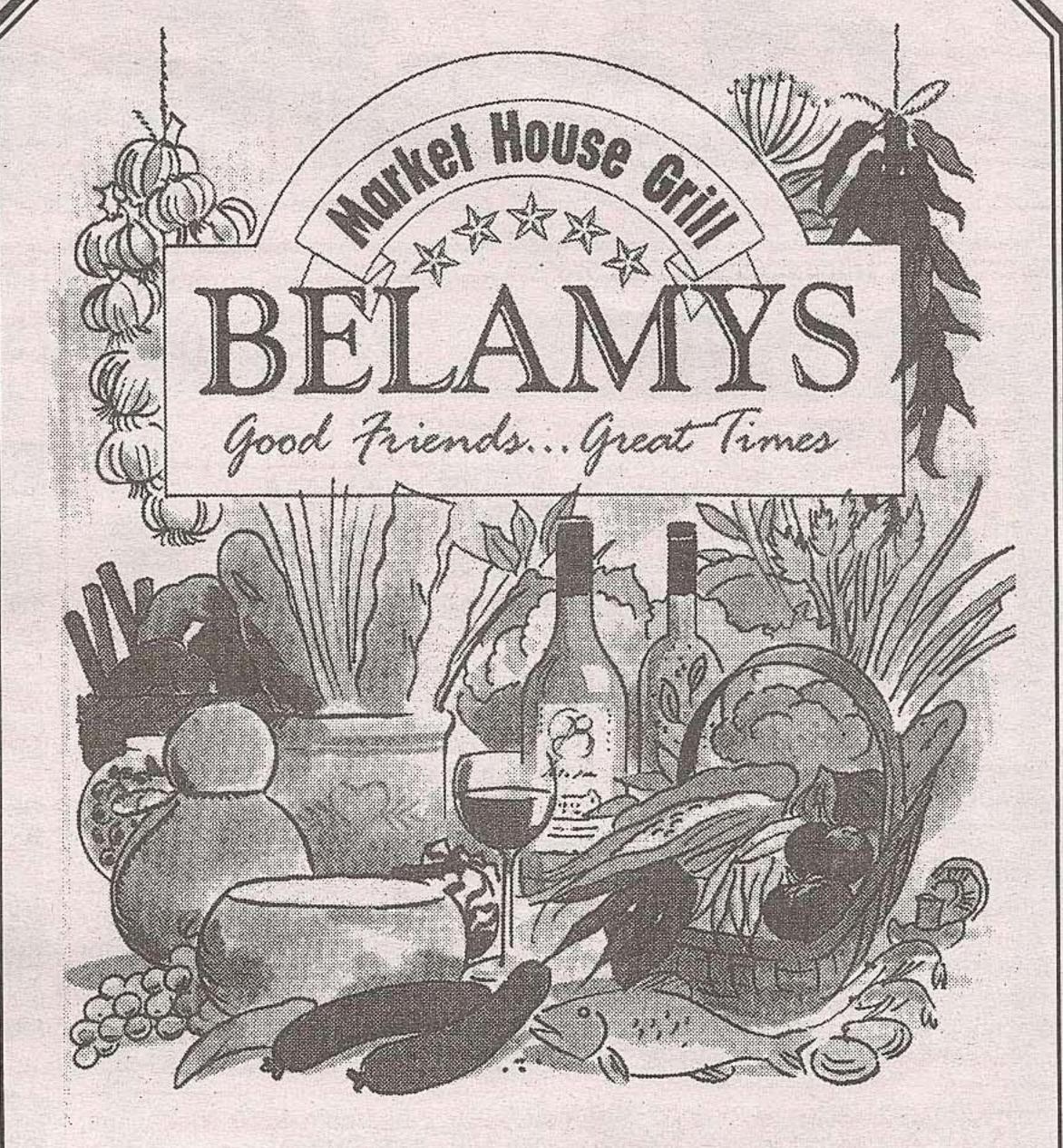
The Ninth Annual Great Pumpkin Challenge was held Thanksgiving weekend at Andrews Scenic Acres and a Georgetown duo took top honors. The yearly contest to find the biggest student-grown pumpkin is put on by Laurie and Bert Andrews and son Curtis was in charge of judging.

Students, ranging in age from 5-16, from all over Halton Region entered their pumpkins.

The dry fall weather this year resulted in poor growing conditions for Atlantic Giant pumpkins, and as a result there were no entries in this catagory.

However there were seven contestants in the field pumpkin category. These are the pumpkins normally used for making Jack-o-Lanterns. First prize was awarded to Donna and Deanna McPhail of Georgetown for their 56 pound pumpkin. As winners they received \$200, and another \$200 to a charity of their choice—the Halton 4-H.

The prize-winning pumpkin is on display at Andrews Scenic Acres, located on 10 Sideroad, between Third and Fourth Lines.



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