POLICE BLOTTER

Truck tailgates taken

Three GMC Sierra tailgates, valued at about \$700 each, were removed from trucks parked at three homes in Georgetown late Saturday or early Sunday. One was taken from a 1990 truck on Nazer Cr., another from a 2000 truck on Eaton St. and the third from a 1999 truck on Faludon Dr.

Georgetown driver charged

A Georgetown man was charged with care and control and having over 80 ml of alcohol in 100 mg of blood after police stopped a man as he was about to drive away from a Main St. S. parking lot early Saturday. Charged is Karl Vandermeulen, 37, of Riverview Cr.

Cash, register stolen from deli

Cash and a cash register were taken from Pic-A-Deli on Queen St., Acton during a break-in late Wednesday or early Thursday. A window was smashed to unlock a door to gain entry.

Youth sought in theft of items

Police are looking for a youth in connection with the theft of a Discman, cell phone, cologne and CDs from a 1990 Oldsmobile parked on Main St. S. Friday afternoon. A witness saw a youth enter the car. He is described as 5'6"-5'9" and was wearing a ball cap and blue raincoat.

Acton driver faces charges

An Acton woman has been charged with fail to remain, careless driving and driving without a licence after a hit and run accident on Main St. and Confederation St. last Sunday afternoon. Charged is Pauline Cremona, 36, of Storey Dr.

Help make Halton Hills a blooming success

Spring has arrived in our beautiful community, bringing with it dreams of glorious gardens and Communities in Bloom, whose annual competition Halton Hills has entered this year, competing with municipalities of our size from all across Ontario.

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We will be judged on August 13 and 14 and our manager of parks, Warren Harris, and members of council will be taking leading roles.

Warren will soon finalize a tour map for the judges which will identify key areas that can be adopted and sponsored by local residents. Naturally, we'll be showcasing our best areas as well as our mostimproved features, so there's lots of work and fun ahead.

Notification of a public meeting will be made shortly and those who have already volunteered will be contacted by telephone. Join in this grand undertaking by calling my office at 905-873-2601, ext. 2342.

Halton Hills' well known environmental group P.O.W.E.R. (Protect Our Water and Environmental Resources) is continuing a second year of Celebration Day for Trees 2000.

Last year more than 2,100 students from 14 schools learned about environmental science in the field by planting trees and shrubs as part of P.O.W.E.R's Millennium Habitat Restoration Project. I recently had the pleasure of meeting students,

THE MAYOR'S MESSAGE



Kathy Gastle

teachers, parents and organizers as they planted a large section of land just west of Falling Brook Trail on the Eighth Line and 27 Sideroad.

I look forward to watching the progress of this newly-planted forest. For more information, please call Barbara Halsall at 905-873-0344.

The May 15 official groundbreaking ceremony in Willow Park highlighted the newly-developed wetland feature of Halton Hills' popular nature park.

As one of the founding members of TEAC (Halton Hills Environmental Advisory Committee to Council) I have been directly involved with Willow Park since its inception. Through the years I've worked with many talented individuals on this worthwhile project— which is another example of dedicated community members improving the environment. We can all be proud of their achievements.

Thanks to local parent Richard

Van Dyk, Glen Williams Public School is the first in Halton Region to introduce high-speed-based computing with 10 computers connecting to a single high-speed server that runs many of the learning programs for students.

FutureLink Canada, a Toronto-based company, donated the high-speed server and professional consulting time. This pilot project will allow the school to save on the purchase of costly computers and use the 486 models which have been donated. I'm sure this new system will be an inspiration for other schools in Halton.

And just a reminder about the Volunteer Recognition reception at the Civic Centre, June 7 from 7 to 9 p.m.

We are fortunate to have as our keynote speaker David Warner, the outgoing President of the United Nations-Toronto Chapter and a former speaker of the provincial legislature. (Special thanks to Tony Meers, General Director of Soka Gakkai International Association of Canada and a graduate of Georgetown District High School, who kindly arranged Mr. Warner's attendance).

We hope that as many volunteers as possible will attend the reception. It will be a pleasure to thank them for their significant contributions to our community.

—Kathy Gastle is the mayor of Halton Hills



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wishes to thank all of the riders, sponsors and donors who helped make our 11th Annual Bike-a-Thon such a wonderful success. We were able to raise over \$15,000 through all of your efforts! All proceeds go towards supports and services to children and adults with developmental disabilities in our leisure programs. A very special thank you to the following sponsors:

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