Food drive ahead

Area residents are reminded the annual Scout and Guide Food Drive will be held on Saturday, Nov. 3. Items needed most by the Acton FoodShare and Georgetown Bread Basket are: canned juices, drinking boxes, breakfast cereal, cheese spreads, pasta, peanut butter, canned meats, stew, fruits, vegetables and soups. Volunteers will also be needed on Drive day.

Santa Claus parade

The 71st Georgetown Lions Santa Claus Parade takes place Nov. 10, 1:30 p.m. This year's theme is I'll Be Home For Christmas. For float entry forms call El Lloyd, 905-877-6831 or Al Watt, 905-877-9896.

Wednesday, Oct. 24

Used book sale: Robert Little School hosts an used book sale, 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the school, 41 School Lane, Acton. Info: 519-853-

Thursday, Oct. 25

Well water info session: Learn about water testing and proper well construction and maintenance, 1-9 p.m. at the Ballinafad Community Centre, 32 Sideroad, just west of Trafalgar Rd. N. Info: Halton Health Department, 1-866-442-5866, ext. 7362 or TTY 905-827-

Emotions Anonymous: Is your life becoming unmanageable? Emotions Anonymous can help! No cost, no commitment and no

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appointment necessary. The group meets every Thursday, 7:30 p.m. sharp at Norval Presbyterian Church, 499 Guelph St. in Norval, rear entrance to the basement meeting room.

Overeaters Anonymous: Overeaters Anonymous-Acton meets Thursdays, 10 a.m. at the Acton Christian Reformed Church, Queen St. (Hwy 7).

Friday, Oct. 26

Haunted Hayrides: Take a hayride through a haunted apple orchard, 6-11 p.m. at Top of O'Trafalgar Farm, (north of Ballinafad). Fund-raiser for New York relief efforts and Erin food bank. Also on Saturday, Oct. 27. Admission, \$7 adults, \$5 children under 12 and \$1 off with donation of food item.

Saturday, Oct. 27

Trick or Treat: Downtown Georgetown BIA is hosting a free trick-or-treat event for children, aged 10 or younger, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Come dressed in Halloween costume. Register outside The Cellar Restaurant at Mill and Main Sts. and then visting participating downtown merchants for a fun morning of trick-or-treating. Prizes will be awarded for best costumes,

including tickets to the Claude Haggerty illusionist shows. Info: BIA, 905-873-4970.

Illusionist: Claude Haggerty, illusionist, will perform three shows (2 p.m., 4:30 p.m. and 7 p.m.) at the John Elliott Theatre. His stage act includes tigers, cougars and lions. Tickets are available at the theatre box office, 905-873-3700. Adults, \$7.50 and children, \$5.

Knox bazaar: Acton's Knox Presbyterian Church holds its annual bazaar, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Come for a homemade soup and sandwich and shop for Christmas from an array of baking, crafts, candy, mincement and more.

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