

TAX INSTALMENT

NOTICE TO HALTON HILLS TAXPAYERS The Second Instalment of the 2003 FINAL Taxes is due on: FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2003

PAYMENT OF TAXES

WHERE?

- Finance Department, Civic Centre (8:30-4:30 Monday to Friday), or
- Any branch of the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce located within the Town of Halton Hills (may be subject to a service charge)

AFTER HOURS?

CIBC branches during scheduled hours of service Drop Box located next to main entrance of Civic Centre available 24 hours

a) By CHEQUE or CASH

b) POST-DATED cheques are acceptable and will ensure that instalment dates are not missed c) INTERAC - in person at the Civic Centre d) BY TELEPHONE: At present, the Town has agreements with CIBC, Bank of Montreal,

Royal Bank, TD Canada Trust and Bank of Nova Scotia who offer the ratepayer this option (CHECK WITH YOUR BANK FOR FURTHER INFORMATION) e) PRE-AUTHORIZED PAYMENT PLAN: For Details. please call Tax Department at 873-2601, ext. 2930.

LATE PAYMENTS?

A late payment charge of 1-1/4 per cent per month will be charged on the first day of each calendar month until taxes are paid.

NO TAX BILL?

Bills were mailed June 4, 2003. Failure to receive a Tax Bill does not excuse the Owner from responsibility for payment, nor relieve him/her from liability for late payment charges. Please contact the Finance Department if you did not receive yours.

NEW PROPERTIES?

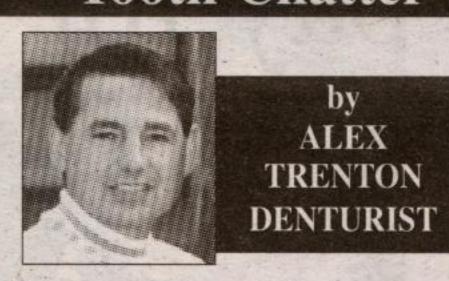
Newly built properties are likely to have tax bills related to their land value assessment only until full assessment is applied and supplementary taxes are billed. Owners are responsible for taxes billed and should make provisions for the future billing of supplementary taxes.

QUESTIONS?

- If you have any questions concerning realty property taxes, call the Finance Department at 905-873-2601, ext. 2930, write to us at the address below or check our web site at www.haltonhills.ca
- For assessment related questions, please call the Municipal Property Assessment Office at 1-866-296-6722 or check their web site at www.mpac.on.ca

1 Halton Hills Dr., Halton Hills, ON L7G 5G2 Tel.: 905-873-2600 Fax: 905-873-2347

Tooth Chatter



NEW HOPE FOR LOWER DENTURES

Do you have trouble with your lower dentures? Does it move from side to side, or fly out of your mouth when you cough or sneeze? Do you have a flat lower ridge? Have you always had trouble wearing it for long periods? If you have answered YES to any of these questions, you might want to look into the "MYOLOC WING SYSTEM".

The Myoloc System is still relatively new. It consists of varying sizes of specially designed "Wings" that attached to your lower denture. They are small wing like loop inserts, that are placed on the inside flange of the denture, where your tongue rests. It is completely unnoticeable in the mouth, as it is covered by the tongue. The tongue actually helps hold the denture in place as it rests on the wings.

This system can be inserted in new dentures, or can also be placed in existing dentures, in the same length of time as it takes to do a simple repair. The cost of the insert is about the same as a standard reline.

Thousands of people across the country are already wearing dentures with the Myoloc Wing System. These people report greatly increased comfort, when compared to dentures without the insert. If you are interested in seeing a sample of the Myoloc Wings or if you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact our office. We offer no charge

You do not need a referral - simply call our office direct.

Creating confident smiles since 1982!

Alexander Trenton, D.D., F.C.A.D. (A) Denturist Georgetown Denture Clinic,

18 Church Street, Georgetown, Ontario

(905) 877-2359 (Across from the Library and Cultural Centre) www.georgetowndentureclinic.com

Teachers and school board reach deal

marathon mediation session has resulted in a tentative agreement L between the Halton District School Board and its elementary teachers.

Negotiators for both parties worked from 10:30 a.m. Monday until 4:30 a.m. Tuesday to reach the settlement.

Halton is the last public elementary teachers union in the province without a contract.

The president of the Halton chapter of the Elementary Teachers' Federation of Ontario would not reveal many details of the collective agreement as the pact still has to be ratified by teachers and the school board. Maureen Weinberger did say though that it is a two-year retroactive deal that would run from Sept. 1, 2002 to Aug. 31, 2004.

"We'll be starting it (negotiating) all over again soon," she said. "It's mandated that all collective agreements around the province come due in 2004," she noted.

A teachers' meeting to ratify the deal has not been set. Weinberger expects it to be held no later than next Wednesday, the day school board trustees are expected to vote on the settlement. Weinberger noted union sanctions such as teachers not attending staff meetings will remain in place until a deal is ratified.

The chief negotiator for the Halton public board characterized the latest mediation session between the two sides as long, but fruitful.

"I think we both were tired. It was a long haul but it was worth it," said Dawn

Beckett-Morton. "I think we're pleased. The bottom line is you never get everything you hope to achieve ... but I think we made our best effort and the union did, too."

Weinberger described contract negotiations generally as "a tough process. You do the best you can for as many people as you can." She said there was never really any point during the extended meeting Monday and Tuesday where the talks appeared ready to break off.

As for the prime areas of concern that are addressed in the tentative deal, Weinberger said the three main issues for teachers all along have been financial compensation, part-year salary grid considerations for some teachers and working conditions.

"You have to give a little to get a little," she said.

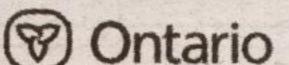
The head of the 1,600 teacher-union has stated previously demands for wage parity with their secondary school teaching counterparts in Halton.

The Halton public board now has only one employee group working without a new contract. The Halton District Educational Assistants Association has had three mediation talks with the board but the sides are still at an impasse. EAs consists of about 400 permanent and term-specific workers as well as about 120 casual and supply personnel who work in special education.

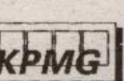
EAs have been working to rule since the group announced it was putting 13 sanctions in place effective Sept. 2.

—By Tim Whitnell, special





Presentation by KPMG



Practical Seminar on Scientific Research & Experimental Development (SR&ED) Funding (Cash and/or Tax Credits)

► Thursday, October 16th, 2003 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon Town of Halton Hills, 1 Halton Hills Drive, Georgetown

This Seminar is important for companies who manufacture (produce) products, modify processes and design new materials and processes. Aimed at Financial Managers, Production Managers and Owners.

Assess and evaluate your opportunities to recover dollars spent in the normal course of business. Stay up-to-date. Reduce the costs of development.

▶ Registration \$30.00 - Includes Continental Breakfast <</p> Please RSVP by Friday, October 10th, 2003

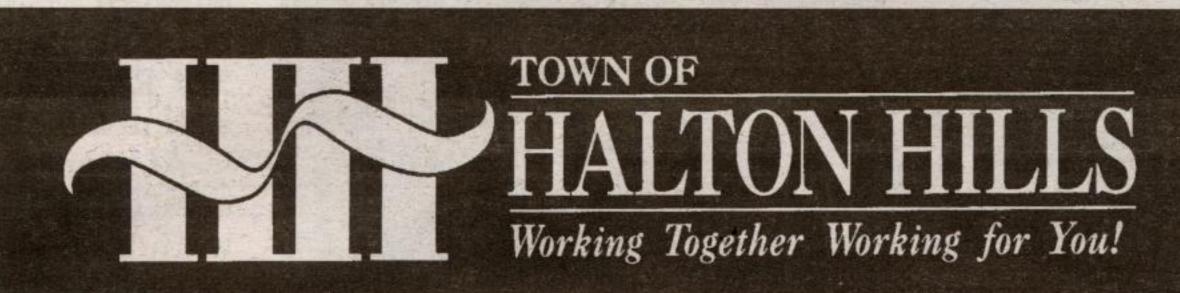
Time for a one-on-one discussion with the KPMG Experts and with Siri Wardena of Canada Customs & Revenue Agency, SR&ED Division. For information call Daphne Millar, Economic Development, 905-873-2601, x2345

WANTED

9 HOMES THAT NEED ROOFING

9 homes in your area will be given the opportunity of having an INTERLOCK metal roofing system installed on their home at a reasonable cost. This lifetime product is capturing the interest of homeowners across the country, who want to know this will be the last time they will have to re-roof their home. Our product is environmentally friendly and comes with a lifetime, transferable warranty with an excellent choice of colours to compliment your home and is being introduced to your local market. Your home can be a show place in your neighbourhood and we will make it worth your while, if we can use your home. For an appointment, please call:

> 1-888-999-6902 **Ask for Margaret**



NOTICE OF APPLICATION OF PESTICIDES ON TOWN OWNED OR LEASED PROPERTY

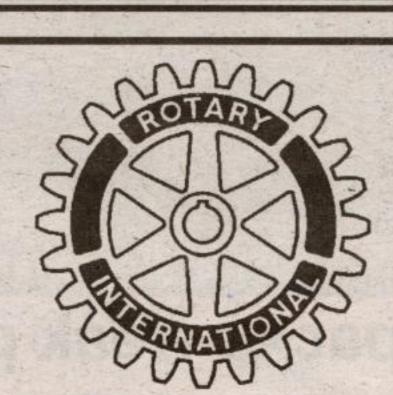
In accordance with Corporate Policy, the Recreation and Parks Department will conduct the application of pesticides in select areas of the following parks between September 24 and October 8:

> Gellert Community Park, 10241 Main Street South, Georgetown Norval Park, 477 Guelph Street, Norval Croatian Centre, 9118 Winston Churchill Boulevard, Norval Fairview Cemetery, 20 Cobblehill Road, Acton Greenwood Cemetery, 100 King Street, Georgetown

Round Up (Registration Number 13644) or Par III (Registration Number 19810) will be applied in liquid form on turf areas. Signs will be posted and application carried out by licensed applicators per the terms of the Pesticides Act R.R.O. 1990, REGULATION 914.

For further information on the turf management program for Town of Halton Hills owned or leased properties, please contact Warren Harris, Manager of Parks and Cemeteries at (905) 873-2601, extension 2274 or visit the Town website at www.haltonhills.ca

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You are cordially invited to be the guest of

The Rotary Club of Georgetown at their

49th Annual Senior Citizens' Dinner Party

In Holy Cross Church Auditorium, 224 Maple Ave. Monday Evening, October 27, 2003 at 6:30 o'clock Dinner and Entertainment

TRANSPORTATION WILL BE PROVIDED IF NECESSARY AGE LIMIT: 70 YEARS AND OLDER

DUE TO SPACE LIMITATIONS, ONLY THE FIRST 275 CALLERS CAN BE ACCOMMODATED

PLEASE CONTACT ROTARIAN NORM BIGG (905) 702-0013 FOR REGISTRATION AND TRANSPORTATION **ARRANGEMENTS**