

Seniors' Lifestyles

Acton Seniors Centre

GST auction raises \$5,466

Donna Rowley, as convener of the GST Auction on April 17th would like to thank all the participants including donators, auctioneers, volunteers and buyers. It is a pleasure to share the profit of \$5,466 with the Halton Hills Seniors Planning and Education committee who in turn donated their portion to The Community Support Program. How about another try in a couple of years? Thanks again.

The April 21st Euchre Night was well attended. Prizes were: Claude Couture, high man; Elmer Dunn, second man; Henry Wedge, low man and Elmer Dunn, men's lone hand; Betty Brewer, high woman; Martha Couture, second woman; Bernice Kilpatrick, low woman and Eileen Wedge, women's lone hand. The next Card Night will be on May 19 and will be the last until October.

The Rama Trip on April 28th had the following winners: birthday winner, Jean Jackson; 50/50 winner, Brigitte Gelton. The Lucky Seat winners were Renata Dzieciol, Kitty Dennis, Merle Carr and Cathie McKellar. Our next trip will be on Wednesday, May 26. Call Ruth at 519-853-5124.

Our centre's 50/50 draw has not been won for two weeks now. Don't forget to sign your name on the sheet and drop a loonie in the box for a chance to win this week.

No men showed up Monday

morning for darts. The women must have scared them off!

Would you like to know more about the great hobby of scrapbooking? Bring six to eight pictures on one theme and a toonie to the centre on Tuesday, May 11 at 1:30 p.m. for a hands-on demonstration.

The plans for our Spring Fling Bazaar on May 15 are going well. From 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., you have a chance to purchase baking, garden accessories, crafts, jewelry and attic treasures as well as join in the raffles.

On Tuesday, May 18, MacMillan's has arranged to bring many of their delicious products to the centre at 1:30 p.m. for us to sample for a small fee.

The June Hawaiian Barbecue and draw for the Spring Basket will take place on Wednesday (not Saturday) June 23. Get your tickets early and don't be disappointed.

Our Travel Committee have planned some exciting day trips for us to enjoy. Don't get left out as they fill up quickly. Visit the centre, pick up more information and arrange to be part of some of the following:

- Cruise on the Welland Canal, May 30
- Niagara Garden Tour, June 12
- Georgian Bay Cruise, July 21
- Theatre in Orillia, Aug. 18
- *The Producers* in Toronto, Sept. 22

—By Ena Gibson,
Acton Seniors Recreation Centre



Extendicare to host open house May 29

Extendicare Halton Hills has an active recreation department, offering a variety of programs such as Halton Hills Garden Club, Happy Hour, Euchre Night, Diners' Club, Baking Group and Physiotherapy. Volunteers are always welcome to help out employees (from left, Carolyn Vezina, Umber Jiwan, program manager Carm Cimarrusti and Rod Cartagena and absent for the photo, Cortney O'Brien, Agata Lesnik, Karen vankooten and Martha Velasquez). Anyone interested should contact Cimarrusti, 905-702-5085. Extendicare invites the public to come celebrate its first year anniversary on Saturday, May 29, 2-4 p.m.

Right: Ernie and Eileen McEnery, formerly longtime residents of Ballinafad, were special guest entertainers at Halton Hills Extendicare recently.

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