

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Thursday, Sept. 30

Child car seat clinic: Free child car seat safety checks 4-7 p.m. at the Acton Fire Station, 21 Churchill Rd. S., Acton (at Hwy. 7). No appointment needed. Please bring your child, the child's car seat with instruction booklet and your vehicle with its owners, manual. Sponsored by the Halton Partners for Car Seat Safety including: OPP, St. John Ambulance, Halton Region Police, paramedics and public health nurses, the Cooperators, Halton Hills Fire Department and community volunteers.

VOICE meets: A support group for parents of hearing impaired children meets 7 p.m. at Appleby Church in Burlington. Topics include education, services, parent sharing and advocacy. Info: VOICE, 905-335-1069.

Ballinafad euchre: Ballinafad Hall Board hosts euchre at the Ballinafad Community Centre, 7:30 p.m. Cost: \$3 per player. Light lunch, coffee and tea served.

Summer camps lost and found: Looking for that lost baseball glove or backpack? Recreation & Parks may just have it! At the end of the season, Town staff gathered all the belongings left behind at summer camp locations and brought them to the Recreation & Parks Department at the Civic Centre for safekeeping. If you think you may have left something at your summer camps, take a look through the lost and found. All items still left in the lost and found after September 30, will be donated to a local charity. To make inquiries about claiming a lost article, call the Recreation Supervisor at 905-873-2601, ext. 2276.

Emotions Anonymous: Is your life becoming unmanageable? Emotions Anonymous can help! No cost, no commitment and no appointment necessary. The group meets every Thursday, 7:30 p.m. sharp at Norval Presbyterian Church, rear entrance. Info: Angela or David, 905-873-2852.

Prenatal program: Halton Health Department's Healthiest Babies Possible prenatal program is accepting registrations for its free six-week series, 7-9 p.m. at the Ontario Early Years Centre, Georgetown. Sessions include Off To a Great Start, Getting Ready, Your Baby's Birth, Breastfeeding, The First Year After Birth, and Caring For Your Baby. Info: 1-866-442-5866 ext. 7899.

Saturday, Oct. 2

Family fun day: Salvation Army Georgetown Community

Church, 271 Mountainview Rd. holds a free Family Fun Day, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Games for children and families, prizes, bouncy castle, four bands, Popstar (karaoke) contest and barbecue. Info: 905-877-1374.

Garage/quilt sale: Ballinafad United Church will hold a Garage/Bake/Quilt sale, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the church on Trafalgar Rd. In addition to tea, coffee and an assortment of baked goodies, barbecue breakfast and lunch will be available.

Pancake breakfast: Acton Seniors Centre is hosting a pancake breakfast, 9 a.m. to noon. Pancakes, bacon, fruit salad, juice and coffee. Tickets available at the centre, 519-853-5951; seniors \$5, adults, \$6 and children, age 10 and under, \$3.

Euchre: is held every Saturday night at the Hornby Co-operative Nursery School on Steeles Ave. at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

Overeaters Anonymous-Rockwood: meets Saturdays 10 a.m., at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Rockwood. Info: Elisabeth, 519-856-1428.

Church open house: Georgetown Christian Reformed Church on Trafalgar Rd., north of Maple Ave. hosts an open house. Church tour and refreshments at 7 p.m. and a celebration of music featuring Georgetown Children's Chorus and Chris Dawes and Ron Greidanus on piano and organ at 8 p.m.

Model railroad show: The 7th annual Brampton Model Railroad Show will be held Oct. 2 and Oct. 3, 10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Brampton Fairgrounds, 12942 Heart Lake Rd. Dealers, clinics and displays. Admission is \$5 adults, \$4 seniors and \$3 children (aged 5-12) preschoolers free. Free parking. Info: 905-838-2597 or e-mail cpk@sympatico.ca

Rockwood artisans: Holds 5th annual fall and winter craft show and silent auction at the Christian Reform Church hall, 287 Water St., Guelph, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission by cash donation. A fund-raiser for the non-profit organization, Animals Homeward Bound, aiding wild and domestic animals.

Halton Hills Outdoor Club: Looking for others to paddle, trip, hike, cycle or ski with? Are you up a creek without a canoe or

kayak? Join us for our first outing at Rockwood Conservation Area. Meet at the Beach by 10 a.m. Bring a lunch. Info: Laura 905-877-9927 or laura@aztec-net.

Monday, Oct. 4

Turkey supper: Sacred Heart Parish Rockwood annual turkey supper; seatings at 5 and 7 p.m. For tickets please contact Maria, 519-856-9196 or Agnes, 519-856-9796 or Irene, 519-822-9083.

Bridge anyone?: The Georgetown Bridge Club offers an afternoon game every Monday at 1 p.m. at the Georgetown Legion, 127 Mill St. All levels of players are welcome, novice to expert. For info call 905-877-7486.

Halton Hills Toastmasters: Develop your speaking, presentation & leadership skills now at St. Alban's Church, Glen Williams, Mondays, 7:30-9:30 p.m. Info: Mary Campbell, VP Membership, 905-877-8855 or Lou-Anne Balodis, VP Public Relations, 905-873-7620 or www.haltonhillstm.org.

TOPS-Acton: Meets Monday nights at St. Joseph's Church, Church St., West. Weigh-in: 6-7:05 p.m. Meetings continue to 8 p.m. Info: Pat, 519-853-1468.

RWTO meets: Reserve by Oct. 4 for the Peel North Branch of the Retired Women Teachers of Ontario meeting on Oct. 12. All retired women teachers are welcome. RSVP to Karin, 905-796-2146.

Tuesday, Oct. 5

CFUW meeting: The Georgetown University Women's Club will be holding its October meeting at the Halton Hills Cultural Centre, 7:30 p.m. The speakers for this meeting are Bettie and Jane Bradley; this dynamic mother-daughter duo will be discussing their careers in publishing including well known magazines as *Today's Bride* and *50 Plus*. Everyone is welcome to attend this meeting. New members are always welcome.

Good Food Box: Halton Good Food Box Program Information Meeting - 1:30 p.m. St. Andrew's United Church, Georgetown. A welcome to this meeting is extended to anyone in Halton Hills who is interested in having this program operate in our community. The Good Food Box Program provides a box of fresh fruit and vegetables once a month at minimal cost. Info: 905-877-7947.

Beef Dinner: at Nassagaweya Presbyterian Church; two sittings, 5:15 p.m. and 7 p.m. Tickets are adults \$12, children (age 6-12) \$6, children (5 and under) free. For tickets call 905-854-1055, 905-854-2688 or 905-876-3322. The

church is located on 15 Sideroad, just east of the Guelph Line.

Calling New Parents: meets every Tuesday, 1-3 p.m. at Early Years Satellite, 85 Wallace St., Acton and 1-3 p.m. at the Georgetown Early Years Centre. This is a free program for parents and babies (six months and under). Each week the group, led by a public health nurse, will discuss parenting and infant care. No registration required; join any time. Info: Halton Babies & Children Line, 905-693-4242, ext. 7899 or 1-866-442-5866.

Foot care clinic: VON Halton hosts a foot care clinic at St. John's United Church in Georgetown, 1-4 p.m. By appointment only. Call 1-800-387-7127, ext. 2210.

Drawing and painting: Palette and Pencil Guild of the Credit Valley Artisans invites adults to join them Tuesdays, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. at the Cedarvale Park Cottage. New members welcome. Info: Laurette, 905-877-7854 or Marion, 905-877-8217.

TOPS-Georgetown: If you want to lose weight sensibly and keep it off, join TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) at St. Andrew's United Church, Tuesdays; weigh-in 7-7:45 p.m. and get together, 8-9 p.m.

Wednesday, Oct. 6

School opening: Gary Allan High School (old Wrigglesworth School) holds an open house and official opening, 10:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. Meet the staff of the alternative education school, take a tour, get information. Everyone welcome.

ATHENA Gala Dinner: at the Burlington Convention Centre, 1120 Burloak Drive, Burlington. Guest speaker, Andy Barrie CBC Metro Morning News. 6 p.m. champagne reception, 7 p.m. dinner. Tickets: \$75. Available from Bookers, Julia's Ristorante or phone 905-467-7919. Order forms can be downloaded from www.companyofwomen.ca.

Business After Five: Junior Achievement is hosting the Halton Hills Chamber of Commerce's Business After 5 event at Boston Pizza, 5-7 p.m. Find out how Junior Achievement can provide opportunities for today's business leaders to boost their management skills. All are welcome. Co-sponsored by Oxford Learning Centre and Boston Pizza.

Thursday, Oct. 7

Limehouse euchre: Play euchre at the Limehouse Memorial Hall, 7:30 p.m. Hosted by the Limehouse Women's Institute.

Please note: Community Calendar is a free editorial service to non-profit groups, churches, schools, and charity-supported events only.

• Deadline for submission is noon Monday for the Wednesday edition and 4 p.m. Wednesday for the Friday edition.

• A contact name and telephone number must be part of each submission.

• We reserve the right to edit the briefs- make sure the five 'Ws' (who, what, where, why and especially when) are included

• While every effort is made to publish an event at least once, there is no guarantee. Items are published in chronological order in the space permitted.

• We do not take community calendar items over the telephone.

• Fax to Community Calendar: 905-873-0398; e-mail: cgamble@independentfreepress.com or drop off at The Independent & Free Press front desk in the Georgetown Market Place.

Shore Supper

Huttonville United Church hosts a Shore Supper (fish fry) on Oct. 21, 5:30-7:30 p.m. at the Huttonville School. Adults \$12.50, children \$5.50. For tickets call 905-455-8258 or 905-453-7392.

Volunteers wanted

The William Osler Health Centre, Georgetown Campus has volunteer opportunities in patient care and fund-raising endeavors within the hospital. For details, please contact the Volunteer and Community Resources department, 905-873-0111, ext. 47153.

Vendors needed

Georgetown District Christian School will host its first Bazaar Harvest Festival Oct. 16. For table reservations and inquiries call 905-702-1925.

Drivers wanted

Canadian Mental Health Association in Acton is looking for Volunteer Drivers to provide clients transportation to and from social recreational activities in the Acton and Milton areas. Drivers are used both for regular activities (generally daytime) and for special events. For more information, please call 519-853-9793.

Vendors accepted

Vendors are now being accepted for Acton High School's annual craft sale which will be held Saturday, Nov. 13 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. This is a juried show presented by the Acton High School Advisory Council. For more information and an application form, please contact the school at 519-853-2920.

STARS AND SPARKLES presents The Ooie Gooie Kooky Crazy Birthday Bash! ages 6+ Boys & Girls

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