

Silent Auction items needed

The Halton Down Syndrome Association is celebrating its 20th anniversary by hosting its first Silent Auction on Nov. 20, at the Oakville Holiday Inn Suites. Funds raised help support educational programs/meetings and social events for this volunteer, family-run organization. If you can donate an item, contact anne.lannan@sympatico.ca or call 905-319-9993. HDSA started with a group of parents seeking support for their young children. Today, it has grown into a great lifeline of about 70 families providing education, networking and social activities. It not only deals with infant/toddler and educational issues, but work continues as the 'original' families support their young adult children with employment and housing concerns.

Red Cross drivers wanted

Can you give someone a lift? Red Cross drivers help those in need get to medical appointments, adult day programs and other activities. Details: 905-875-1459

Hospital needs volunteers

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.

CMHA 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 welcome

Vendors are now being accepted for Acton High School's annual craft sale which will be held Saturday, Nov. 13 from 10 a.m.-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.

Maple Co-operative Nursery School in Cedarvale Park needs vendors for its bazaar on Nov. 11, 9-11:30 a.m. Info: Erin Winson, 905-877-0115.

Homeschooling info night

Do you homeschool, or are you considering homeschooling your children? Halton Hills Public Library will be holding an information evening on October 25 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the

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Georgetown branch, 9 Church Street. Learn about the library's resources, and how we can enhance your program. Refreshments will be served. Call 905-873-2681, ext. 2520 by October 22 to reserve a spot.

Successful Cheerios Walk

North Peel/Halton Hills Chapter of the Heart & Stroke Foundation held its 6th annual Cheerios Mother Daughter Walk at Heart Lake Conservation Area, Sept. 26, raising more than \$50,000. More than 500 walked the four-kilometre route, and many raised more than \$1,000 each. Local sponsors and suppliers were Justine Blainey Wellness Centre, Wal-Mart (Bovaird Dr.), The Great Canadian Bagel and The Apple Factory. Funds raised will go towards heart and stroke research.

Hungarian social support

A parent of Hungarian heritage is interested in networking with other Hungarian parents of young children. If you are also seeking social support in teaching your children the Hungarian language and cultural traditions, please call Tunde Otto-Harris at 905-702-0026.

Spirit Walk

St. John's Anglican Church in Stewarttown holds a Spirit Walk on Sunday, Oct. 17, 2-4 p.m. Tour the historic cemetery, led by Mark Rowe and hear stories of Stewarttown's ancestors. Refreshment to follow. Information, Barb, 905-873-6280 or Valerie, 905-877-7563.

Give where you live

The United Way of Halton Hills's 2004 Annual Campaign goal is \$300,000. Give where you live; remember to direct your payroll deductions to the United Way of Halton Hills. Brochures were delivered in the September 22 edition of *The Independent and Free Press*. If you did not receive a brochure please call 905-877-3066 The United Way supports 16 local social service agencies.

Bennett birthday

On Sunday, Oct. 24 the Bennett invites you to attend its Fifth Anniversary community open house, 1:30-3:30 p.m.; official welcome at 2 p.m. Free parking, live entertainment, cake, facility tours and future development update. Info: Barbara Filipcic, 905-873-0115 ext. 47511 or barbara_filipcic@oslerhc.org.

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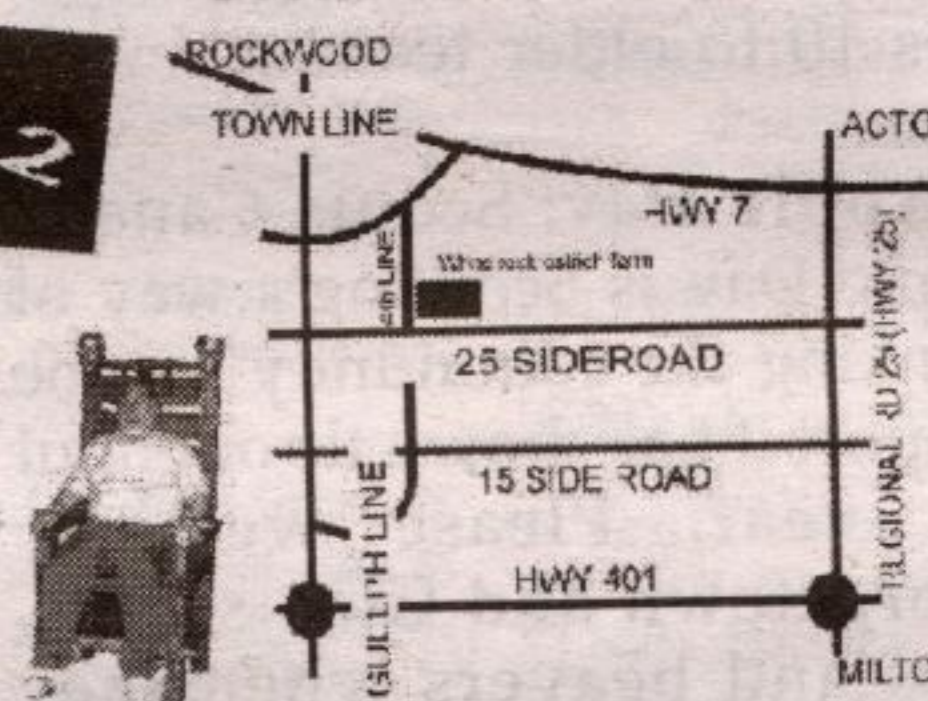
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