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Have something to say?



Don't keep it a secret!!

We want to hear your stories! Have you had a personal experience that you would like to share that other teens could relate to? Do you know a youth who has made an outstanding achievement, contribution or had to overcome adversity? Do you have an opinion that you would like to express? Do you like to write, create comic strips or poetry? Are you in a local band? Do you know of events happen-

ing in town for youth? Do you have any suggestions as to topics you would be interested in reading about? If any of these apply to you, then *Teen Issues* is interested in hearing from you!

Don't be concerned if you feel you are not a talented writer. We are more concerned with what you have to say than how you say it. Don't be worried about being embarrassed; upon your request we will publish your

article with only your initials.

Teen Issues is your platform to express your opinions and showcase your talents. We aim to promote youth in a positive manner.

If you have any questions, comments, suggestions or would like to submit an article or story, contact Shelli Harrison at the Independent & Free Press at 905-873-0301 ext. 244 or email teenissues@cogeco.ca

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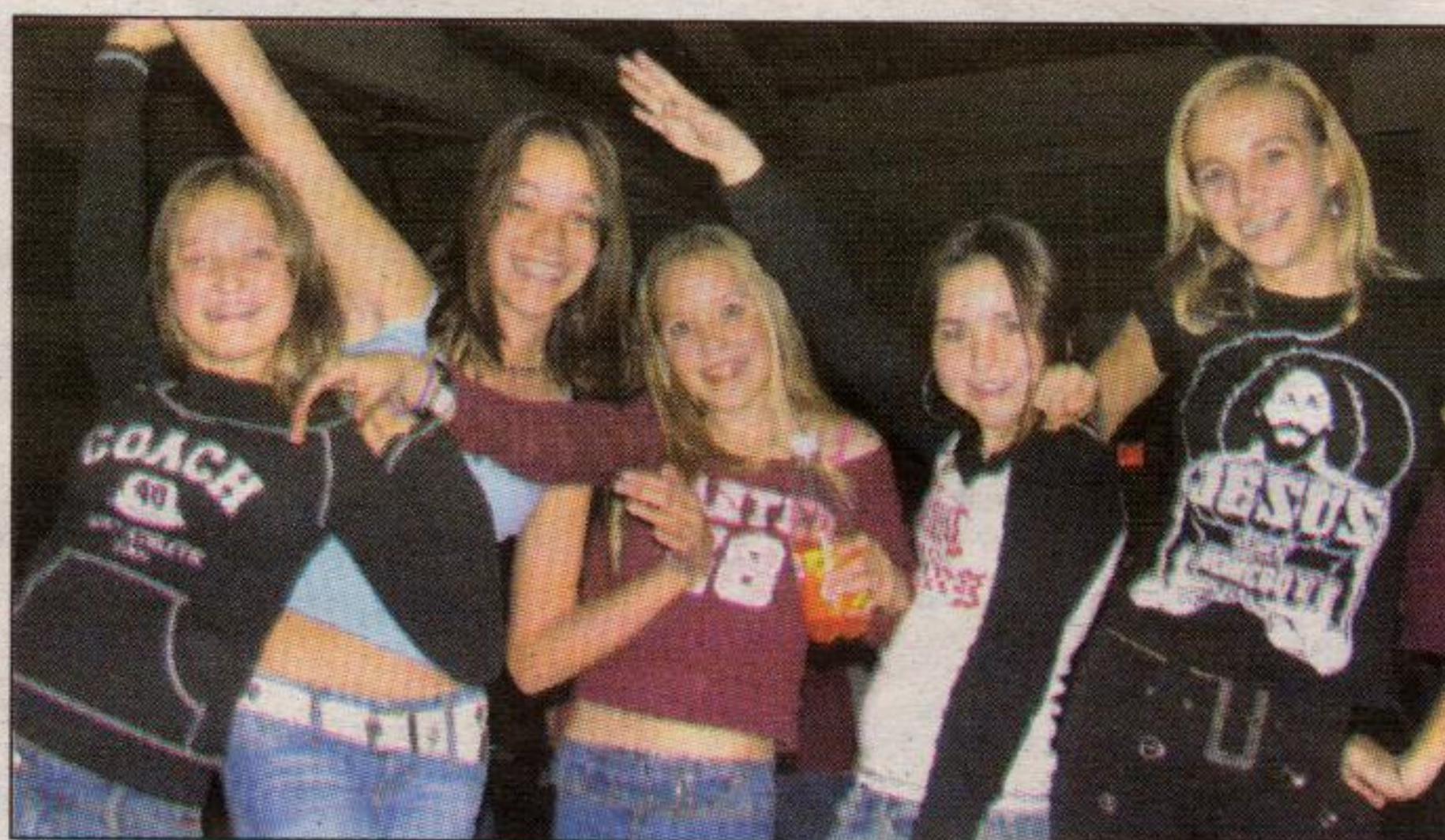
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Youth dances hottest ticket in town!



The new Youth Dances at Gellert Community Centre have been a tremendous success! October's dance was sold out with 200 Halton Hill's youth in attendance. The dance held last Friday night was also sold out with all 200 tickets sold by Friday at noon. The dances are now the "hottest ticket" in town for grades 6, 7, 8 with many fabulous comments from youth and parents for this new monthly initiative!

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