## **DEATHS**

de JESUS, Carlos

Peacefully, on Sunday September 25th, 2005, at his home in Georgetown. Carlos, 82 years of age, husband of the late Irene Pereira. Loving father of Joe Esteireiro and his wife Lucy. Proud grandfather of Michael, Paul and Linda. Friends were received at the J.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home, 11582 Trafalgar Road, north of Maple Avenue, Georgetown, 905-877-3631 on Tuesday from 2-4 and 7-9 pm. Mass of Christian Burial will be held at Holy Cross Catholic Church, 224 Maple Avenue, Georgetown, on Wednesday September 28th, 2005 at 10:30 am. Interment at Greenwood Cemetery, Georgetown. In memory contributions to the Heart and Stroke Foundation or the Cancer Assistance Services of Halton Hills would be appreciated. To send expressions of sympathy visit

www.jsjonesandsonfuneralhome.com



RITCHIE, Agnes Lilian

In loving memory of Agnes Lilian Ritchie, age 92 years, who died in the Dryden Regional Health Center on Monday, September 26th following a brief illness.

Lilian is survived by her daughter Lynne (Don) Dingwall of Dryden, by 3 grandchildren: Jamie (Orvie Coles) and Rob Dingwall of Dryden and Christy Dingwall of Calgary, by sisters-in-law Betty Reeve of Georgetown and Rita Christian of Woodstock as well as numerous nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Following cremation a celebration of Lilian's life will be held in First United Church in Dryden. A further celebration will be held in Georgetown at a later date with time to be announced. Interment of ashes will take place in Georgetown

Should friends desire donations to Sleeping Children Around the World, the Scott Mission or a charity of your choice may be made through the Stevens Funeral Homes "Moffat Chapel", P.O. Box 412, Dryden P8N 2Z1. Condolences may be emailed to

sympathycard@shaw.ca.

## IN MEMORIAM

DAVIDSON, June L. In memory of my beautiful mother, best friend and confidant and our loving grandmother. God took her home September 27th, 2004. Remembering you is easy, We do it everyday, Missing you is a heartache, That never goes away. Lovingly remembered, by Debbie, Deanna and Jason

TUCHEL, Agnes In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother who passed away September 26th, 2004. In life we loved you dearly, In death we love you still. Forever in our hearts, Our thoughts are always with you. Sadly missed by, Oliver, Doris, Andre, Evelyn and families

## CARDS OF THANKS

IN honour of our 50th Wedding Anniversary, we would like to thank our two wonderful daughters, Sandi and Karen, son-in-laws Jack and Rob, and our Grandsons R.J., Tyler, Simon and William, sisters and brothers Stella and Genny for all their help and keeping the secret. Nieces and nephews and all our wonderful and dear friends. To Eric Stone who wrote and sang a beautiful song for us, to Judy for her lovely poem and to Cary for all her hard work. Thank you all and May God Bless You.

> Links of gold may fade and dull, But links of friendship last forever.

John and Anne Dwyer

MANY thanks to everyone who helped make our 80th Joint Birthday Celebration so great. A special thanks to St. John's United Church, our families and all the generous donors to the Georgetown Bread Basket.

Doreen and Manley Densmore

THE family of Audrey Edmunds would like to thank all our family, friends and neighbours for their cards, flowers and donations. Thanks to J.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home. A special thanks to my brother Dave and his wife Ruthanne.

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Wednesday, Sept. 28

Georgetown BIA: will hold a general meeting 6:15 p.m. at 87 Main St. S. RSVP to 905-873-4970.

Men's Dart League: The Wednesday Night Men's Dart League at the Georgetown Legion is looking for more members. Cost is \$3 per night. Play begins 7:45 p.m. starting Sept. 28. Info: Wade Bond, 905-873-6504.

Awana Kid's Club: Now is a good time to take Awana Kid's club for a test drive. Awana occurs Wednesdays, 6:25-8 p.m. at Maple Avenue Baptist Church. All children in JK to Grade 6 are invited. Info: Ed Egberts, 905-838-4644 or Karin West, 905-702-9867.

Osteoporosis seminar: Halton Healthcare Services hosts free seminar on Osteoporosis, 7-9 p.m. at the Galaxy Banquet Hall, Oakville. Dr. Aliya Khan, MD, Metabolic Bone Disease Specialist, will present. To reserve a seat: 905-338-4379 or elittle@haltonhealthcare.on.ca

Thursday, Sept. 29

VON volunteers: VON is hosting a Volunteer Recruitment open house, 4-6 p.m., at 2370 Speers Rd., Oakville. All interested in joining the VON volunteer program, drop by and learn how you can help in your community, (by giving 1-3 hours per week). Come enjoy refreshments, cake and meet the volunteer co-ordinators. Hope to see you there.

Hospice training: Von Halton is offering its fall Hospice Orientation & Training session for new volunteers. Starts Sept. 29 and runs till Dec. 1, 1-4 p.m. at the VON Office, 2370 Speers Rd. Oakville. To register, call the VON office 1-800-387-7127 or 905-827-8800, ext. 2312 or 2313.

Limehouse euchre: Limehouse W.I. hosts Euchre, 7:30 p.m. at the Limehouse Memorial Hall. Everyone is welcome; a lunch is served. Admission \$3. Proceeds will go to the hall and other community projects.

Women's Afternoon Group: A peer support group for women of all ages who suffer from depression, anxiety or bipolar disorder meets last Thursday of the month, 2 p.m. at the Canadian Mental Health Association office, 42 Mill St. E., Acton. There is no fee for this group and no need to register. Take an active role in your recovery with the assistance of other women. Info: Sonia or Andrea, 519-853-9793.

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.

Friday, Sept. 30

Rockers: Check out the famous and not so famous rockers at the 36-hour Rocking Chair Marathon at Sobeys in Acton, beginning at 9 a.m. and continuing until 9 p.m. Oct. 1. Rockers and sponsors wanted. All proceeds to Acton Seniors Centre. Info: 519-853-5951.

Friday night euchre: 7:30 p.m. at Georgetown Legion. Admission: \$2.

Saturday, Oct. 1

Puppet show: Applefun Puppetry is coming to the Acton Arena Community Centre! Mike Harding and his puppet pals will entertain kids of all ages at 1 p.m. Since 1997, Applefun Puppetry has been performing its hilarious brand of entertainment throughout Ontario. Pick up your free tickets at Halton Hills Public Library. Info: 519-853-0301.

Chicken barbecue: Churchill Community Church holds its annual chicken barbecue, 5-7:30 p.m. Dinners include a half or quarter barbecued chicken, roll, potato, coleslaw and dessert. Take-out available. Churchill Church is at the corner of Churchill Rd. N. and the Erin-Halton Townline in Acton.

Garage and bake sale: Ballinafad United Church will hold a garage and bake sale, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the church on Trafalgar Rd. In addition to tea, coffee and an assortment of

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baked goodies, a barbecue breakfast and lunch will be available.

Family Fun Day: at the Salvation Army Georgetown Community Church, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. There will be: free barbecue, live concert, children's entertaiment, games, bouncy castle, cotton candy, etc.

Turkey supper: at Limehouse Presbyterian Church with sittings at 5:15 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. Take-out available. For tickets and details call Pam, 519-853-0347 or Judy, 905-877-2032.

Bird Day: Join Willow Park Ecology Centre 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., for International Migratory Bird Day. Look for many of the birds as they migrate for the winter, learn about feeding winter birds and migration related issues. There will be activities for children. Free-will donations are appreciated. Info: www.willowparkecology.com

Craft show: Region of Peel Agricultural Society holds a craft show, Oct. 1 and 2, at the Brampton Fairgrounds, 12942 Heart Lake Rd., north of Mayfield Rd. Vendors call Joanne, 905-792-8692 evenings.

Sunday, Oct. 2

Life Chain 2005: from 2 to 3 p.m. at the corner of Guelph St. and Maple Ave. a silent, prolife stand will take place proclaiming the sanctity of life. Life Chain, 2005 invites all who cherish life at all stages to join this prayerful, silent one-hour stand for what they believe.

Bruce Trail Day: Join the Bruce Trail Association and take a hike on the Bruce Trail, starting from the Limehouse Memorial Hall, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Very moderate walks about 1 1/2 hours in length. See historic limestone kilns, walk along the Black Creek, pass through "Hole-in-The-Wall" (Two ladders to climb). Suitable for families and hikers of all ages. All walks are led by certified, first-aid trained, volunteer hike leaders. Wear comfortable walking shoes with a good tread. Frequent departures in small groups from 10 a.m. Last hike out at 3

Purina Dog Walk: The Georgetown Lions Club will be hosting its fall Purina Walk for Dog Guides at Georgetown Memorial Arena and Lions Hall. Dog lovers and individuals who would like to support Canadians with disabilities are welcome to participate in this fun, family-oriented event, with or without a four-legged friend. Walkers can register online at www.purinawalkfordogguides.com or pick up a brochure at most local pet retailers, vet clinics, and other large retailers.

Monday, Oct. 3

Halton Hills Toastmasters: Develop your speaking, presentation and leadership skills now at St. Alban's Church, Glen Williams, Mondays, 7:30-9:30 p.m. Info: Shirley Bartle, 519-853-5555, shirleybartle@rogers.com or www.haltonhillstm.org.

Bridge anyone?: Georgetown Bridge Club offers afternoon game Mondays at 1 p.m. at the Georgetown Legion, 127 Mill St. All levels of players welcome. Info: Tom, 905-877-7486.

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

Tuesday, Oct. 4

**UWC meets:** The University Women's Club will hold their next meeting, 7:30 p.m., in the Halton Hills Cultural Centre, 9 Church St. The guest speaker is Miggs Wynne Morris, who will talk about her experiences living and teaching among the Aboriginal peoples of the North. The public is invited to attend and new membersare always welcome.

Anti Bullying, Street Proofing and Self-Defense Program: A new program in Halton Hills is intended to give your child the skills and knowledge needed to avoid bullying and other dangerous situations. The self-defence component will teach the young people a few basic tips about how to protect themselves. Taught by a local vice principal, David Meilach, parents and children alike will find this program engaging and informative. Space is limited for this 10-week course, which starts Oct. 4. To register call Program Information Hotline at 905-873-2601 ext. 2275 or visit the Town website at www.haltonhills.ca.

Ebenezer Seniors Luncheon: at 9:30 a.m. sharp meet at Ebenzer United Church, 12274 Guelph Line, for a Colour Tour! We will be going to check out the fall colours and stopping at Mrs. Mitchell's Restaurant for lunch before we head for home. Lunch includes soup or salad, muffins, hot biscuits and tea or coffee, with a choice of three entrees. Cost is \$21.16. Info: Willy 519-853-3043.

Portrait/Still Life Drawing: will be held Tuesdays, 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the cottage, in Cedarvale Park. New members welcome. These sessions are offered by the Palette and Pencil Guilde of the Credit Valley Artisans.

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.

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, October 5

Brampton Fibromyalgia Support Group: is having its regular support group meeting at the Region of Peel building, 10 Peel Centre Dr. in the Peel room. Guest speaker Ted Aloisio, a certified nutritional microscopist and author of the book Blood Never Lies, will show what a live blood cell analysis can tell you. Everyone welcome. Info: Carol, 905-873-2952 or e-mail fibrosupport@sympatico.ca

Awana Kid's Club: Tonight is our Thanksgiving theme night. Bring an item that reminds you of something you are thankful for and you will earn an extra Awana share! Awana occurs every Wednesday from 6:25-8 p.m. at Maple Avenue Baptist Church. All children in JK to Grade 6 are invited. Contact: Ed Egberts, 905-838-4644 or Karin West, 905-702-9867.

Anxiety seminar: Halton Healthcare Services hosts free seminar on the topic of Anxiety, Panic and OCD. 7 to 9 p.m. at the Galaxy Banquet Hall, Oakville. Dr. Jane Gilbert, MD, Psychiatrist, will present. Presented in partnership with the Canadian Mental Health Association. To reserve a seat, contact 905-338-4379 or elittle@haltonhealthcare.on.ca

BPW Halton: Business and Professional Women Halton meets the first Wednesday of the month, 6:45-9 p.m. at RattleSnake Point Golf Club, 5407 Highway 25, Milton. RSVP: Pat Dunwoody, pdunwoody@ifdsgroup.com or 416-506-8057; \$10 for pre-registered members, \$15 for non-members.

Women in Business: Halton Hills Women in Business holds its monthly networking luncheon at Ares Restaurant (downstairs), 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Reserve by Friday, Sept. 30. Call Halton Hills Chamber of Commerce, 905-877-7119 or membership @haltonhillschamber.on.ca