



RECREATION & PARKS DEPARTMENT COOL ENERGY!

Give the Gift of Health!

Need an easy and inexpensive gift idea? Foster a lifelong active attitude with your family and friends with a gift of a membership.

Recreational Swimming! Youth, Adult & Family memberships available for a period of 1 month or 1 year. Please note that only Gellert memberships are valid at all pools. Fees vary according to membership type.

Sweat & Swim! Enjoy unlimited recreational swimming at all pools PLUS Daytime ADULT Aqua Fitness classes held at the Gellert and Acton pools. (Diaper Fit excluded) \$42/month

Sweat & Swim Power! All the benefits of Sweat & Swim PLUS unlimited access to The Power Zone Fitness Centre. \$69/month

Recreational Skating! Youth, Adult & Family memberships available for a period of 3 or 6 months. Memberships do not apply to Adult or Ladies Shiny and the Figure Skating Pick Up ice time. Fees vary according to membership type.

Volunteers Grow Community

Recreation and Parks offers many interesting volunteer opportunities. For this coming winter, volunteers are needed at the **Georgetown Indoor Pool, Acton Indoor Pool** and the **Gellert Community Centre**. Volunteers for pool programs must be 13 years of age and have completed their Bronze Star. Volunteers are also required in the **Slam Dunk** basketball league, **Tot Learn to Skate** and various other children's programs. Volunteers for all other dryland recreational programs must be 14 years of age by the end of the calendar year and commit to a full session.

It's not too early to start thinking about volunteering for summer camps! Volunteers must complete the **Youth Development Leadership** Program. Register early for this training held over March Break as spaces are limited!

For more information about volunteering with Recreation and Parks, please contact the Volunteer Coordinator at 905-873-2601, ext 2259.

Funding Information Evening

Learn how your organization can get support from various local, regional and provincial funding resources. What types of projects qualify for funding? How and when to apply? How much funding is available? What other support services are available? Join us **Thursday, January 26, 2006** from 7 to 9 pm in the Civic Centre Council Chambers. RSVP at 905-873-2601, ext. 2261.

FREE Holiday Skating

Acton Arena & Community Centre
519-853-0020
1:30 to 2:50 pm
December 2, 24, 27, 30 & 31, 2005
January 2 to 6, 2006
February 3, 2006
March 13 to 17, 2006

Georgetown Memorial Arena
905-877-9612
2:00 to 3:20 pm
December 2 & 27 to 30, 2005
February 3, 2006

Mold-Masters SportsPlex
905-877-8488
2:00 to 3:20 pm
Jan 2 to 6, 2006
March 13 to 17, 2006



Free skates are made possible through the longtime generosity of two local service clubs. **Acton Rotary Club** sponsors free skating at the Acton Community Centre and **Georgetown Optimist Club** sponsors free skating at both the Georgetown Memorial Arena and Mold-Masters SportsPlex.

*Thank you, sponsors,
for your community spirit and support!*

Celebrating our Cultural Heritage

2006 marks the **25th Anniversary of the Halton Hills Cultural Centre!** We're looking for arts and theatre enthusiasts interested in helping to plan a 25th anniversary celebration for next October 2006. Join us at our first planning meeting being held at the Halton Hills Cultural Centre, 9 Church Street in downtown Georgetown, **Wednesday, January 18** at 7:00 pm in the Gallery. Refreshments provided. Immerse yourself in an exciting cultural event, meet fellow community-minded residents and help support the arts in Halton Hills! To express interest, please call the Recreation Supervisor at 905-873-2601, ext. 2276.

Outdoor Fun

Natural Ice Rinks

Get out and meet your neighbours! Natural ice rinks provide a great opportunity to enjoy free outdoor fun that the whole family can enjoy. Recreation & Parks staff will construct and maintain lit outdoor rinks in the new year as **staff resources and weather conditions permit** at McKenzie-Smith Bennett Public School in Acton and the Georgetown Fairgrounds.

Tobogganing

It's the thrill of the ride! Visit our toboggan hills at Cedarvale Park in Georgetown – a lighted hill – and Sir Donald Mann Park off Mowbray Place in Acton.

On the Trails

The best trails start right outside your front door! Halton Hills parks and trails provide the for walking, jogging, snowshoeing, cross-country skiing and enjoying the local wildlife. An easy and inexpensive way to keep active over the winter months! Trails do not receive winter maintenance so please wear appropriate footwear and exercise caution when venturing out on the trails.

Holiday Recreational Swimming

		Fees	Acton Pool	Gellert Pool		
		Youth	\$2.00	\$2.50		
		Adult	\$3.00	\$3.75		
		Family	\$7.50	\$8.75		
Acton Indoor Pool 519-853-3140			Gellert Community Centre 905-877-4244			
DAY	TIME	SWIM	TIME	SWIM	POOL	
Mondays Dec 26 and Jan 2	Closed December 26th		Closed December 26th	6:15- 7:30 am 10:00-11:00 am 11:00-12:00 pm 12:00- 1:00 pm 12:00- 1:00 pm 1:00- 2:00 pm 7:30- 8:30 pm	Early Bird Lane Family Lane Family Leisure Leisure	25m 25m Both 25m Play Both Both
Tuesdays Dec 27 and Jan 3	2:00-4:00 pm 7:00-8:00 pm 8:00-9:00 pm	Leisure Leisure Lane	6:15- 7:30 am 11:00-12:00 pm 12:00- 1:00 pm 12:00- 1:00 pm 1:00- 2:00 pm 7:30- 8:30 pm 8:30- 9:30 pm	Early Bird Senior Lane Family Leisure Family Lane	25m Both 25m Play Both Both 25m	
Wednesdays Dec 28 and Jan 4	2:00-4:00 pm 7:00-8:00 pm 8:00-9:00 pm	Leisure Leisure Lane	6:15- 7:30 am 10:00-11:00 am 11:00-12:00 pm 12:00- 1:00 pm 12:00- 1:00 pm 1:00- 2:00 pm 2:00- 3:00 pm 7:30- 8:30 pm 8:30- 9:30 pm	Early Bird Lane Family Lane Family Senior Leisure Leisure Lane	25m 25m Both 25m Play Both Both Both 25m	
Thursdays Dec 29 and Jan 5	2:00-4:00 pm 7:00-8:00 pm 8:00-9:00 pm	Leisure Leisure Lane	6:15- 7:30 am 11:00-12:00 pm 12:00- 1:00 pm 12:00- 1:00 pm 1:00- 2:00 pm 7:30- 8:30 pm 8:30- 9:30 pm	Early Bird Senior Lane Family Leisure Family Lane	25m Both 25m Play Both Both 25m	
Fridays Dec 30 and Jan 6	2:00-4:00 pm 7:00-8:00 pm 8:00-9:00 pm	Leisure Leisure Lane	6:15- 7:30 am 10:00-11:00 am 11:00-12:00 pm 12:00- 1:00 pm 12:00- 1:00 pm 1:00- 2:00 pm 2:00- 3:00 pm 7:00- 8:30 pm 8:30- 9:30 pm	Early Bird Lane Family Lane Family Senior Leisure Leisure Youth Lane	25m 25m Both 25m Play Both Both Both Both 25m	
Saturdays Dec 24 and Dec 31	Closed		8:00- 9:00 am 9:00-10:00 am 10:00-11:00 am	Lane Family Leisure	25m Both Both	
Sundays Dec 25 and Jan 1	Closed		Closed			

The Acton & Georgetown Indoor Pools are closed for the holidays Dec 24 to 26, 31 & Jan 1. The Gellert Pool will be closed for the holidays at 12 noon on Dec 24 & 31 and closed all day Dec 25, 26 & Jan 1.