

# THE INDEPENDENT

Town gets a good cleaning on a dreary wet weekend

Page 3



New executive for MADD Halton

Page 14



50 cents (+GST)

Vol. 129 No. 6

Wednesday, April 26, 2006

52 Pages

Circulation 21,220

## INSIDE



Andrews dominates at meet

Page 24



Home, Lawn & Garden special section

8 Pages

Editorial	6
Rick Bonnette	7
Calendar	20-21
Sports	24, 25
Entertainment	26-27
Classifieds	28-30

## FRIDAY...

A major honour was bestowed upon Reverend Peter Joseph Hundt of Holy Cross Church this week when he was ordained Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of Toronto.



## New Georgetown school poses dilemma for board

LISA TALLYN  
Staff Writer

The future location of a new Georgetown South elementary school and proposed renovations to Georgetown District High School (GDHS) were the hot topics at a meeting hosted by Halton District School Board Thursday night.

Approximately 40 area residents attended the meeting at GDHS on the second version of the board's draft capital plan, which is tentatively scheduled to be adopted by the board by June.

At the meeting, Gerry Cullen, the board's superintendent of facilities services, told the residents that the board is faced with a dilemma over a new school location in Georgetown South.

The board currently has two sites in that community, one on the east side of Mountainview Rd. and the other on the west.

The board's preference is to have a new school on the east side of Mountainview Rd. behind Maple Creek Park but there is no servicing available at the school site yet, and

See RESIDENTS, pg. 13

## Now, about those grades!

Grade 8 Ecole Sacre-Coeur teacher Maryse Mallet-Sinnis decided to do her part for cancer research by challenging students and staff to raise \$1,500 recently and in turn she would have her head shaved in a show of support for a friend stricken with the disease. Grade 8 student Benjamin Seguin was more than pleased to volunteer his services with a clipper. The money was passed on to a couple of Georgetown women who are raising funds for the Weekend to End Breast Cancer in September, a 60-km walk to support Princess Margaret Hospital in Toronto. Local residents Kim Auty (left) and Esther Kramer must raise \$2,000 each in order to participate in the walk, which generated \$14 million last year. Mallet-Sinnis said she was inspired to have her head shaved because her friend, Natalie Buttle, is battling cancer and has lost her hair due to chemotherapy treatments. For more information on the walk, visit the website [www.endcancer.ca](http://www.endcancer.ca).

Photo by Eamonn Maher

**GEORGETOWN KIA**

314 Guelph St, Georgetown On  
905-877-7818

WE SERVICE ALL MAKES AND MODELS

**GEORGETOWN CHEVROLET**

33 MOUNTAINVIEW RD. N.,  
GEORGETOWN  
905-877-6944

**STUDENT BONUS**

Eligible students will receive a \$500 credit to apply towards the Purchase or Retail Lease of eligible Optimum Used GM Vehicles plus one (1) lube, oil and filter coupon

**PLUS**

GET \$500 FREE GAS WITH THE PURCHASE OF ANY OPTIMUM USED CAR

**REFINANCING? PURCHASING?**

**2.5%**

Variable Rate Mortgage

**BOB WOODS**  
Mortgage Specialist

**ASSURED MORTGAGE SERVICES**

360 Guelph St., Georgetown (905) 877-5211  
\*Rate subject to change