

Focusing on "Business of the Month"

Every month, Chamber members and local residents have the opportunity to nominate a local business for the Chamber's Business of the Month award. The criteria for selection are: quality of service, unique products, and/or civic involvement which benefits the community. Companies are selected regardless of Chamber membership, and the Chamber presents each of the recipients with a plaque.

By Cor Baarda and Marnie Hughes

The recipients for this quarter are: The Holland Shop (July); Asbuil Climatecare (August); and Riteway Auto Body (September). *Congratulations to all of you!*

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The Holland Shop

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The Holland Shop

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The Holland Shop, owned and managed by Carolin Tolkamp, was started in 1955 by her maternal grandparents three doors down from the present location. The loyalty of the clientele flows from one generation to the next and come regularly to shop from some significant distance, including one

customer who comes four times a year from British Columbia. While it's nice to visit Carolin, the main reason people come are the goods sold in the shop, ranging all the way from deli foods through tea cozies and wall hangings to specialty canned goods and candies. Carolin says it goes without saying that she carries the best Gouda in the area. Obviously, a significant portion of the merchandise is from the Netherlands and the rest European Union, including a wide variety of cheeses and meats. New lines are added constantly as to ensure that the merchandise offered continues to appeal to both old and new customers. And when they come once, they keep on coming!

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Chamber member since 1996

Asbuil ClimateCare Inc. was started in 1989 by Keith Vaters as Asbuil Mechanical Inc., a mechanical contracting business. Asbuil soon gained a reputation for ensuring customer satisfaction. In 1999, the company joined ClimateCare, a cooperative of heating and cooling contractors dedicated to the highest standards of business excellence. Today, Asbuil delivers sound advice, professional service and installation of reliable heating, cooling, air quality and radiant heating technologies to their valued customers in Halton Hills and

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Asbuil Climatecare

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the G.T.A. Asbuil's fleet of vehicles is a familiar sight in Halton and their fully licensed technicians and installers are always on the move to get to customers on time with the tools and parts to ensure total comfort and peace of mind. To my surprise, Keith told me that fireplaces, heated drive-ways, and duct cleaning are included in the many services that Asbuil provides! No wonder he started our conversation with the phrase "I'm really very busy". Keith says his goal for Asbuil ClimateCare is to "add warmth and comfort to the community one home at a time". He appears to be well on the way!

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Chamber member since 2003

Customers have come to rely on Riteway Auto Body for friendly, hassle-free service says manager Paul Foreman. With over 25 years experience in the automotive body business, Paul knows that the key ingredients to success are honesty and integrity. Continuously updated training for all employees is what keeps Riteway Auto Body at the top of their game. Can't bring your vehicle in for a quote? Not a problem. The folks at Riteway will come right to your house for an assessment to create an accurate estimate. Now how's that for customer service?

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Riteway Auto Body

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