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### WEDNESDAY...

A young Georgetown dancer will be kicking up her heels with the Radio City Rockettes in New York City ... See story in Wednesday's edition.

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*Hey, those are my boots!*

Willow Park Ecology Centre volunteer Brenda Henderson shows three-year-old Simon Harris how to re-use old boots as a colourful planter during a recent event. Lots of planting will be done this weekend and area residents can pick up some plants at the much anti-

ipated Acton Horticultural Society plant sale at the olde Hide House parking lot and the Georgetown Horticultural Society plant sale at the Gellert Community Centre. Check out the Community Calendar on pg. 23 for more plant sale events. *Photo by Jon Borgstrom*

## Trustees demand pre-approval over surveys

**DAVID LEA**  
Special to The IFP

Some student surveys may soon find themselves unwelcome within the schools of the Halton Catholic District School Board after trustees passed a motion, last Tuesday, that would require their approval

before they reach the classroom. The motion, introduced by Joanne Matters, called on staff to draft a policy, 'allowing for trustee approval of surveys and pilot projects, which are morally sensitive or controversial in nature, conducted under the auspices of the Halton Catholic District School

Board.' "It is necessary for trustees to be made aware of such surveys and pilot projects that impact the students entrusted to our care before such surveys and pilot projects are initiated," said Matters in her rationale for the motion.

"While it is recognized that

many surveys and pilot projects of varying origins and intentions are routinely implemented within the Board, the intent of this policy is to address those surveys and pilot projects that are of a serious nature."

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