

WHO'S WHO IN THE REGION

Presenting Interesting Facts
About Area Businesses

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YOURWAY Auto Repair Ltd.

Keeps
Your
Wheels
Rolling

262 Main St. N., Acton

www.yourwayauto.ca

519-853-0900

Picking a fair, honest, and competent service centre for your vehicle's repairs and factory scheduled maintenance can be a disappointing experience, but it doesn't have to be. After a few visits to **Yourway Auto Repair and Muffler** and you've established trust by paying a fair rate for the work performed, it just comes down to getting a friendly "straight-up" service-counter relationship, plus workmanship by knowledgeable technicians who make every effort to get the job done right the first time.

The last 20 years has seen cars become increasingly computerized. Problems are often intermittent and difficult to diagnose. The three factory trained technicians at **Yourway Auto Repair** have the experience, diagnostic testing and repair equipment, plus up-to-date reference materials that are needed to repair today's complex computer-controlled vehicles.

As a TECH-NET Professional Auto Service member, they install CARQUEST Auto Parts that meet or exceed original equipment manufacturers specifications and designed to fulfill new vehicle warranty requirements.

Yourway Auto Repair can service imports and domestic vehicles. They provide tune-ups and diagnostic problem-solving, work on brakes, shocks/struts, Quaker State lube-oil-filter service, pre-purchase inspections, Interstate battery sales, automotive air conditioning service, M.T.O. safety inspections, and transmission or cooling system service. They are exhaust specialists offering custom pipe bending. Four wheel computerized alignments are now available. In-house towing will be introduced this December!

Yourway also sells pre-owned vehicles at fair market prices. They are a dealer for Excalibur utility and boat trailers.

Founded in 1993, **Yourway Auto Repair and Muffler Ltd.** is owned by Class A technician **Jason Ash** who has over 18 years experience.

Choose **Yourway Auto Repair** and see why many of their customers refer their friends. A comfortable waiting area is available.

DENNY'S INSURANCE

For Reliable Protection
and Lasting Service



15 Mill St. W., Acton

519-853-0150

Buying insurance for the first time or renewing a policy brings many important decisions. The most important may be your choice of an insurance provider. When you deal with the people at **Denny's Insurance** you get all the advantages of a local company that is dedicated to customer service, value, and on-going support.

Unlike an agent or direct writer who is limited to the offerings of only one insurance company, the independent brokers at **Denny's Insurance** maintain relationships with a variety of insurance companies. They can carefully assess your insurance needs, then search the market for the product that ideally meets your requirements. They can comparison shop on your behalf to ensure that you receive the most extensive coverage possible for the premium paid. You can rest easy knowing that they will inform you of any available discounts and will truly look after your interests.

Should a loss occur, they will help you through the claims process with personal care and understanding during what can be a stressful and emotional time.

Denny's Insurance provides automobile, homeowner's, condo, cottage and tenant's insurance plus commercial insurance and farm policies.

Denny's Insurance is celebrating 50 years of business on April 1, 2008 with an Open House event. They were founded by Bill Denny, and then operated for years under the direction of Harold Denny. The company is now overseen by Harold's daughter **Brenda Schrempf**, who is the 3rd generation of the family to operate **Denny's Insurance**.

Get the unbiased advice that you need, plus a wide choice of products and personalized service, with a call to **Denny's Insurance**.

ACTON

FOR EYEWEAR
THATSUITS
YOUR STYLE

OPTICAL

8 Main St. N.,
(Giant Tiger Plaza)
Acton
519-583-5133

Eyeglasses today have evolved from a simple visual aid into a true fashion accessory. To meet your visual demands and fashion sense, **Acton Optical** features a great selection of new materials and fashion forward styles, from funky to understated, to suit any mood, wardrobe, and casual or business lifestyle situation.

Recreate your image with eyewear from **Acton Optical**. More than merely a rim around your eyeglass lenses, frames should be an extension of the individual that wears them—an extension of one's personality, uniqueness and lifestyle. **Acton Optical** features a wide choice of colours, finishes and shapes in plastic frames, hot new rimless designs, and metal frames in lightweight yet very strong titanium and stainless steel. Look to such brands as Mexx, Valentino, Rodenstock, Liz Claiborne, Serengetti, Jax, Fysh, Roots, and Tommy Hilffiger.

Acton Optical was launched in June 2005. Dispensing Optician **Nancy Wilkes** brings over 25 years of experience. She will assist you in the selection of fashion frames from top designers, and will ensure the eyewear is properly fitted for comfort and longevity. Your choice in lens technologies includes progressive (no line) bifocals, anti-reflection coatings, and ultra-thin lenses for stronger prescriptions.

Designer sunglasses, prescription sunglasses and clip-ons from **Acton Optical** are ideal for driving and outdoor activities.

Whether you need safety eyewear, expert repairs, adjustments, accessories or arrangements for eye exams, **Acton Optical** can cover your needs.

ACTON



GREAT PRICE—
FRIENDLY ADVICE

362 Queen St. E.,
Acton
519-853-1730

Whether it's supplies for an emergency home repair, the latest fixtures for a renovation or remodeling project, or gift giving ideas year round, **Acton Home Hardware** should be your first stop.

Home Hardware has been a leader in the hardware industry since 1964, and is a proudly Canadian company. **Acton Home Hardware** contributes to the buying power of 1,000 affiliated stores across Canada. They are committed to delivering quality, friendly and helpful hardware service to residents and contractors alike.

Acton Home Hardware is locally owned by dealers **Bill & Val Manes**, and is staffed by local people from the communities it has served. There has been a Home Hardware in Acton since 1965. **Acton Home Hardware** was launched in 1970, and has operated from the current modern building since March 1999.

With 19 aisles of products, **Acton Home Hardware** has it all under one roof, whether it's plumbing, electrical and lighting supplies, builders hardware, hand and power tools, house wares, gas barbecues, cleaning supplies, small appliances, automotive accessories, sporting goods, giftware, plus seasonal lines of lawn and garden supplies with a Garden Centre.

Home Hardware's reputation as Canada's Paint Experts comes with the thousands of gallons of paint produced daily in their Burford, Ontario plant. You can choose from over 1,000 colours on their Colours by Beauti-Tone rack, as well as the Designer's Series.

Whether it's cutting rope, chain or keys, custom paint mixing and colour matching, or providing water softener and road salt, bundled firewood, and propane cylinder exchanges, customer service is assured. There is always something interesting and on special at **Acton Home Hardware**. You can now earn Aeroplan Miles with your purchase.



It's natural
to feel
this good.

372 Queen St. E., Acton

519-853-8123

(Acton Market Place Plaza, east of Churchill Rd. S.)

www.herbalmagic.ca

Herbal Magic offers proven weight loss management and nutrition counseling programs that combine flexibility, one-on-one counseling, plus the use of grocery store foods with the emphasis on healthy, fresh eating, along with supplement support.

The nutrition counseling staff at **Herbal Magic** can help you plan a specialized nutrition program and meal plans for natural weight loss in a safe and effective manner. Their full-service Quick-Loss PLUS weight reduction programs and natural health products include the tools necessary to help clients lose the weight and keep it off. From weight loss to stabilization and maintenance, **Herbal Magic** is a complete program that really works. Youth, diabetic and Heart Smart programs are available.

Their all-natural herbal supplements used in the weight management program help you maintain body mass for a toned, healthy appearance, and more efficient metabolism.

Herbal Magic can also help you control your appetite, inhibit fat synthesis, boost your metabolism, yet maintain energy and vitality.

Herbal Magic carries over 70 herbal products that can be blended for a variety of health concerns and general health maintenance. These high quality supplements are available to everyone, not just members.

All programs and supplements are thoroughly researched and formulated by their Scientific Advisory Team of nutritional and health care experts, and carry the NHPD registration label.

From its foundation in 1996 in London, Ontario, **Herbal Magic** has grown to 350 locations across North America. The **Herbal Magic** location in Acton is overseen by franchisees **Bonnie Gonchar** and **Cori Critchell**.

For the education and products to help you live your best life naturally, call **Herbal Magic** for more information.

PAPILLON'S PURIFICATION SYSTEMS INC. Softener Sales & Services



Where Acton Gets Its Pure Drinking Water!

56 Mill St. E., Acton

519-853-8041

www.papillon.thetank.biz

1-866-870-4044

Studies indicate that a large percentage of North Americans are concerned with the water they are currently drinking. Whether the concern is over pollutants, contaminants, bad taste or with the addition of chemicals like chlorine that are prevalent in tap water today, **Papillon's Purification Systems Inc.** can evaluate the quality of your drinking water with a sample brought in from your home, business or cottage. Together, a decision can be made regarding a purification and filtration system as an alternative to tap water, or using convenient water coolers/dispensers. Have bottles delivered directly to your home or office, or pick up your own bottles at the store. Cost effective U-Fill water stations make it even more affordable—just bring in your own bottles, fill and save.

Compare the clean, clear taste difference of purified water to tap water. **Papillon's Purification Systems** offers a friendly, modern new retail store that provides bottled water, a variety of filtration systems and accessories. Choose from reverse osmosis, UV sterilization, point-of-use water filtration systems and more. Convenient and affordable water cooler/dispenser sales and rentals are available. They meet the needs of families and businesses in the region.

Ask about the benefits of a premium water softener from **Papillon's Purification Systems** and how it can improve your quality of life.

Owner **Michael Papillon** and the courteous, helpful team at **Papillon's Purification Systems** offer expert advice on the ideal solution to meet your need for quality water. Stop in soon.

Just add Sobeys

372 Queen St. E.,
Acton
(Acton Market
Place Plaza)
519-853-1960

From its foundation in 1907, Sobeys Inc. has grown to become one of the largest food distributors in Canada, with over 1,300 affiliated stores. **Sobeys** stores are a group of community minded stores that are locally managed and staffed by people who live in and support your community. Manager **Mark Latimer** oversees **Sobeys Acton** which has been operating since February 2004.

The philosophy of **Sobeys** is to save you money realistically, without sacrificing quality, service or selection.

The ever-increasing selection of Compliments premium quality private label products are specially selected, packaged and sold at prices lower than the National Brands; they also have a money back satisfaction guarantee.

The important things like fresh vegetables and fruits are featured year round at **Sobeys**. An extra-large selection of fresh meats cut on the premises are featured at the Butcher Shop. Deli meats, cheese, and fresh salads are available at their full service deli counter. Party trays can be made for any size of event. There's a great variety of hot foods to take home and serve—fresh and hot.

With their in-store bakery producing baked goods daily, you are always assured of fresh breads, buns, pastries, as well as cakes decorated to suit any occasion.

The full service seafood department features a live lobster tank, plus fish and seafood brought in regularly so you know it's fresh.

Other offerings include a full service Pharmacy (call 519-853-5112), and Floral department (call 519-853-2670).

For a large selection of quality foods in a pleasant and convenient environment, along with customer-driven service second to none, **Sobeys Acton** has what you need.



41 Mill St. E.
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www.vintnerscellar.ca

VINTNER'S CELLAR

The do-it-yourself winemaking experience at **Vintner's Cellar** has many veteran winemakers and novice vintners alike enjoying their own great wine. Using the finest grape juice

concentrates, 100% juices and blends from around the world, the customer can indulge in one of mankind's oldest passions—the transformation of grapes into wine!

At **Vintner's Cellar**, you'll make your wine in just two visits. The process is simple and you'll end up with about 30 bottles in as little as 6 weeks, all for a price that will amaze you, and a taste that will keep you coming back.

On the first visit, you'll learn about the juice styles and their characteristics. Owner **Stephen Attwell** and the staff will help you choose a juice that can also be customized to suit your taste. **Vintner's Cellar** has a great selection of varieties, including red and white wines, ice wine styles, port or sherry styles, and fruit wines. With so many choices, the hardest part is making the selection, but once that is done, it just takes a few minutes to sprinkle the yeast and start fermentation.

Over the next few weeks their staff will guide your wine through the fermentation cycle. Then you come back for your second visit to bottle, cork, seal and label your wine. The equipment at **Vintner's Cellar** makes bottling fast, fun and easy! Personalized labels are available to add a touch of distinction to your wine creation.

Founded in 1995, **Vintner's Cellar** is one of North America's fastest growing networks of make-your-own-wine stores in Ontario, the Maritimes and the U.S. The Acton store has served the region since September 2002.

Make wine for weddings, door presents or your personal collection and save on cost without sacrificing the taste. Gift certificates are available—perfect for the Holidays!



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INSIDE & OUT

138 Main St. N., Rockwood
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www.wellingtonfireplace.701.com

When it comes to home improvement products, what can be more important than such factors as efficiency, comfort, ambience, and warmth?

Wellington Fireplace & Leisure offers industry leading brands in zero clearance, free standing or fireplace inserts in natural gas/propane that can help reduce central heating costs and will operate during a power failure for added security.

For those who prefer the traditional warmth of wood burning appliances, **Wellington Fireplace & Leisure** offers new technology that meets your need for cost saving efficiency while bringing style to any home. Pellet stoves are also available.

Wellington Fireplace & Leisure features respected brands such as REGENCY and ENVIRO, stoves by HEARTHSTONE, BBQ/Smokers by BIG GREEN EGG, gas grills by TRAEGER, and saunas.

The **Wellington Fireplace & Leisure** team can supply and install custom designed mantels and surrounds to compliment any decorating theme. They are also committed to expert installations with safety as the priority.

There are many good reasons to treat your family to a new hot tub from **Wellington Fireplace & Leisure**. There is no better way to combine the benefits of relaxation and hydrotherapy into a home improvement that brings value to your home, making it more attractive at resale time. Relieve aches and pains with a hot water massage. Melt away the stress and pain in the neck tightness of a hectic day. Relax body and mind for a better sleep each night. Your new hot tub is perfect for all age groups and beneficial to everyone in the family. The downstairs showroom features the best from CRYSTAL WATERS, and FREEFLOW SPAS, plus spa and pool chemicals.

Stop by **Wellington Fireplace & Leisure** and let owner **Ian Clark** and the staff show you where experience really counts.