



Leaders recognized

Service awards were recently presented to deserving leaders in the summer camp program at the Town of Halton Hills Youth Volunteer Appreciation Night at John Elliott Theatre. Service award recipients were joined by Town Director of Recreation Terry Alyman and Mayor Rick Bonnette. Recipients included (from left) Katherine Watson (Impact Award), Cameron Sheppard (Spirit Award), Merrick Fallah (High Five Award), Graham Bennett (On Deck Award), Jennifer MacKenzie (Bringing Fun to Learning), and Justine McIntyre (Bright Idea Award). *Photo by Ted Brown*

Police blotter Stolen car torched

Halton Police report a 2000 Chrysler Intrepid that had been stolen from Brampton was found fully engulfed in flames on the dead end section of Eighth Line south of Steeles Ave. Tuesday evening. The car, valued at about \$5,000, was destroyed in the fire.

A tailgate and hinges valued at \$800 were stolen sometime Monday or Tuesday from a rental pickup truck parked at a John St. home.

Police report cash and documents were taken from a shop at Brooks Farm Service on Fifth Line during a break-in there sometime late Tuesday or early Wednesday. Entry was gained after a window was broken in a door.

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Urban Yard Waste Collection

Only use paper yard waste bags or open, reusable, rigid containers labelled as yard waste. If using a reusable, rigid container, you can drill holes on the bottom of the yard waste container for drainage. **Do not use cardboard boxes.**

Yard waste labels are available at no charge from Halton Region. Call Halton Region between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday to Friday at 905-825-6000, 1-866-4HALTON (1-866-442-5866) or TTY 905-827-9833. Containers may have a capacity up to 125 L (27 imperial gallons) and weigh no more than 23 kg (50 lbs). **Yard waste in cardboard boxes, Blue Boxes, GreenCarts or plastic bags will not be collected.** Brush must be tied in bundles no larger than 1.2 m (4 ft) by 0.6 m (2 ft) wide, with branches a maximum of 7.5 cm (3 inches) in diameter.

In Collection Areas 3, 4, and 5, yard waste is collected every other week, on the same day as your garbage. In Collection Areas 1 and 2, there is no yard waste collection.

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| <p>Acceptable materials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Leaves ✓ Sticks & Twigs ✓ Tree trimmings ✓ Decorative cornstalks ✓ Pumpkins ✓ Fallen fruit from trees ✓ Yard and garden trimmings | <p>Not Accepted:</p> <p>✗</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✗ Grass clippings ✗ Tree stumps ✗ Sod, soil, and rocks ✗ Clay ✗ Plastic shopping or garbage bags ✗ Plastic flower/plant pots ✗ Flower/plant markers and tags |
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Grasscycling
Grass clippings are not accepted with yard waste for collection. Instead, grasscycle! After mowing, leave grass clippings on your lawn. Grass clippings are approximately 80 per cent water and will decompose quickly, releasing valuable nutrients back into the soil. Grasscycling is an environmentally and financially friendly option for your lawn care.



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