

SERVICE

## **Hilary Raats** to receive **'Share the** Spirit' award

Hilary Raats of St. Joseph School, Acton, and Georgetown, Samantha Hawkins of Christ the King High School are among the recipients of the Halton Catholic District School Board's "Sharing the Spirit" award of excellence.

One student form the 36 Catholic elementary schools in Halton and one from the seven high schools were selected for the award. The recipients will be honoured at an awards ceremony on Monday, April 24 at an Oakville secondary school which the students, parents, teachers, principals and Board trustees will attend.

Each recipient will receive a special "Sharing the Spirit" gold medallion and certificate. Prior to the ceremony a special celebration of the Eucharest will be celebrated with the Auxiliary Bishop of Hamilton presiding.

The students who have been selected to receive the "Sharing The Spirit" Award were nominated by their principal. Each demonstrated outstanding qualities in the following areas: Catholic leadership, family commitment, involvement in school affairs, involvement in community activities and dedication to a difficult situation or task. Students may not be selected more than once for this award throughout their school years.

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MYSTERY CAST: The cast of last Saturday's murder mystery dinner "Vintage Murder" pause for a photo, grouped around the favourite chair of Georgio Tortellini, recently deceased owner of the Tortellini Brothers Winery, are from left to right: Angel Serra (Ross McConnell), Brenda Schneckel (Kathy Sanford), Olive Tortellini (Jenifer Gault), Joe Bob Biggs (David Gault), Jessie Jones (Shiona Watson), Carmine Blanca (Brian Knott), Toni Tortellini (Margaret Brady), Nigel Tuesday (Sean Ryan).

## Vintage Murder mystery spooks old Town Hall

## **By Janis Fread**

As usual, it was all about the money. When Georgio Tortellini died, he left his estate to be shared equally between his two daughters, Olive and Toni; an estate in excess of

\$25 million! That was the

Hawaiian Stag & Doe

5 Wright Avenue, Acton, ON

Door prizes. Games. 50/50 draws Snacks & Cash Bar

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plot in the Acton Old Town Hall Dinner Theatre's presentation of Vintage Murder on Saturday evening.

As the members of the Tortellini family and their extended hangers-on circulated among the guests at the winery auction, an intriguing story began to unfold. The executor of the estate, Carmine Blanca the late Georgio Tortellini's driver, had plans to sell the winery, hence the auction. But alas, not everyone was in favour of selling and in fact there were a number of hidden agendas that began to unfold during the evening culminating in not one but two grizzly murders!

While enjoying a delicious meal the audience was harassed and cajoled into

participation by the talented cast of the Acton Old Town Hall Dinner Theatre who stayed in character the entire evening, chatting up the audience and dropping hints

right, left and centre! Because both murders were witnessed by the "guests" at the winery auction, they were corralled into assisting the local officer of the law and the Tortellini security cop to determine who the killer was! Each table of diners was given an opportunity to explain who they thought the perpetrator was and why - which ended the evening with great hilarity as the amateur sleuths spouted forth such far-fetched conclusions to murders most foul.

All profits from this very entertaining evening are shared by the Acton Old Town Hall Dinner Theatre and Heritage Acton.





Several local Clergy participating and the Easter Brass will be playing!

A pancake breakfast will be served following the service No charge for breakfast -a free will offering Flenty of time to worship your own church!