DONATION TRIPLES: When Robert Bohlken, a student at McKenzie-Smith Bennett (MSB) public school raised $1,000 this past summer for the MSB playground fundraiser, he and the fund received a triple award. Two Acton businesses, Rexall Pharma Plus and Fisker Contracting each matched Robert's $1,000 donation. Left to right in the photo with the big cheques are: Lynn Lafrance, Pharmacy Manager Acton Pharma Plus; Christine Wile, front store Manager Acton Pharma Plus; Sharon French, Principal; Robert Bohlken and Per Fisker of Fisker Contracting.

'Freezie Boy's funding matched

To many he was simply known as Freezie Boy; a young boy pulling a blue wagon most weekday nights throughout the summer selling freezies and water. But Robert Bohlken, a student at McKenzie Smith Bennett public school, is also known as a Playground Leader for raising $1,000 this past summer for the MSB Playground fundraiser.

With the help of the many soccer parents, children and local citizens, Robert was the first student to collect enough money to become an official sponsor of the campaign.

Recently Robert's efforts were tripled by the generosity of Acton's Rexall Pharma Plus and Fisker Contracting. Each company matched Robert's $1,000 donation.

"We are committed to the communities that we serve and are proud to contribute to the rebuilding of the McKenzie-Smith Bennett playground," said Perry Davidson, VP, Operations, Rexall Pharma Plus. "We thank our pharmacist Anne Bohlken for bringing the project to our attention and applaud Robert, her son, for his achievement."

With this donation, the playground campaign has reached $17,000. The campaign hopes to raise the $25,000 needed to replace the playground equipment that once stood on the north end of the school.

"It is great to see students, families, and local companies helping towards the fundraising effort and making a real impact," says Melissa Secord, one of the members of the fundraising committee. "Everyone can make a difference."

Anyone wishing to make a donation can go to the local Prosperity One branch in Acton.

Links2Care

Children's Programs

Parent-to-Parent Sale

Children's clothes, toys and equipment for sale on Saturday November 4 from 8a.m.-12p.m. at the Ontario Early Years Centre, Georgetown Satellite, 96 Guelph Street. Call 905-873-2960.

Family Together in Acton

Join us for Family Together at the Ontario Early Years Centre Acton Satellite with your children from birth to kindergarten age on Saturday November 4. Great opportunity for dads and working parents to visit the Centre and interact with their children in creative, free play and circle activities. Talk with other parents or make use of our Resource Library.

Ontario Early Years Centre, Acton Satellite, 85 Wallace Street. For more information please call 519-853-2574.

Hour Time Together

Enjoy a cup of coffee with other adults and participate in discussion group activities with guest speakers. First Monday of the month from 9:30-10:30.

Join us for "Communication Development" on November 6 at the Ontario Early Years Centre, Acton Satellite, 85 Wallace St. To register call 519-853-2574.

Seniors Program

Meals on Wheels - More than just a meal

Are you finding it hard to cook for yourself? Are you concerned about your nutritional needs? Then give us a call to find out about our Meals on Wheels program and the options that are available. The meals are delivered right to your door by our wonderful volunteers, who also provide a friendly face and a smile to brighten up your day. This contact can also provide a check for the clients' well-being. Call now to order meals or for more information -Terri (Acton) 519 853-3310 or Liz (Georgetown) 905-873-6502.

AMHA says thank you

To the editor,

On Saturday, October 28, the Acton Tanners Atom and Peewee teams hosted a Halloween Dance fundraiser at the Royal Canadian Legion.

On behalf of the Acton Minor Hockey Association, Acton Tanners, we would like to extend our thanks to the businesses and individuals from the Acton and surrounding Community that generously donated gifts. The host teams provided a dazzling array of both silent auction and draw prizes and delectable food that was appreciated by all at this annual fundraiser.

To everyone who attended and supported the Hallowe'en Dance, we thank you and hope to see you again at the dance on October 27, 2007.

Arlene Fritz,
Executive Fundraising,
On behalf of the Acton Minor Hockey Association.

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Would like to ask all local Businesses & Residents to observe the 2 minute Wave of Silence at 11:00 am EST. on November 11

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