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November & December 2007



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**HAPPY HONEY:** Tim Horton's employee Gail (Honey) Thompson enjoyed a day at Blue Springs Spa after winning this month's draw. "Honey", as she's known, won for making others happy. - Gord Dowling photo

## Schools can get grant

Halton high schools can begin applying for \$1,000 grants for prevention and cessation activities that support tobacco-free living.

"The high school grant program provides a terrific opportunity for Halton schools to engage youth in leadership activities that will positively influence the school environment, and ultimately the health of Halton youth," said Dr. Bob Nosal, Halton Region's Medical Officer of Health. "Based on the success of last year's program, the Ministry of Health Promotion is offering the program again."

The program, has been running for three consecutive years, with a total of \$31,000 available for 2007/08. Projects may include public education and awareness events and smoking cessation related activities.

All high schools in Halton are eligible to apply for a \$1,000 grant and applicants can include student groups, teachers and parent organizations. Applications are due October 22.

# Atom BB Tanners open season with Brampton win

Acton's Atom BB Tanners travelled to Brampton on Monday to face the Battalion in their season opener. The team has a number of players converting from their traditional roles as forwards to become defencemen and the opening game against Brampton was their first test.

Only solid goaltending from the Brampton netminder kept the Tanners off the scoresheet in their first shift. Goaltender Braidyn Vidler was excellent in net, denying the Battalion attackers with his agile pad play and covering up any rebounds with his trapper.

In the sixth minute of play Acton was first on the board as David Lafrance converted a heads-up pass from Michael Kri, putting the puck high over the goaltender's shoulder. The Brampton squad answered back in the last minute of the opening frame, making it a 1-1 tie.

The score remained tied through the second period despite excellent play from both teams. Defenceman

Liam O'Connell made some well-timed hits to break up a number of attacks. Jordan Clarke was a stalwart on defence as he calmly took control in his own end and used his speed and passing to fire up the offence. Ian Engstrom played a strong positional game on defence and did a fine job keeping the Battalion players away from his goaltender.

In the third period the home team came out firing and took the lead three minutes in on a nifty move to the backhand that Vidler had almost stopped but trickled in. Eleven seconds later the Battalion took a 3-1 lead. The Tanners showing gritty competitiveness, however, saw Travis Baker spotting forward Cody Arney at centre ice. Arney made a nifty move on the first defenceman and a second move to bring the puck to his forehand and fired a highlight reel goal to the top corner, reducing the deficit to one goal.

Less than a minute later, Jason Goodfellow and David Lafrance worked some nice

passing with Michael Kri who tied the game up at 3-3. Thirty seconds later the Tanners stormed in again as Goodfellow found Molinaro who fired a shot and Kevin Giordano fired home the rebound to put the Tanners up once again.

Just over a minute later forwards Michael Kri, Theo Warren and David Lafrance worked magic in the Battalion end, cycling the puck low until Lafrance found the puck behind the goal and scored his second of the night on a wraparound to put the Tanners up 5-3. Acton ran into some penalty trouble later in the frame and gave up a powerplay goal to Brampton with just over three minutes remaining but controlled play in the dying seconds to secure their first victory of the season by a score of 5-4.

Coach Derrick McIntyre commented after the game that this team will be competitive at the BB level and was impressed that they never gave up when down by two goals in the final period.

# Caterpillar in the lake

On October 1st, at approximately 11:47 p.m., an individual spotted a Caterpillar loader being operated by three individuals in the construction area of Mill Street, West. The loader was driven onto Dublin Line and abandoned after the individual informed the police. Later that morning, the loader was found in the west end of Fairy Lake submersed in 9' of water. Police followed tire tracks as far as Turtle Lake and into a nearby cornfield. The loader, owned by King Construction of Oakville is valued at \$60,000 The suspects are described as white, late teens to early 20's, approximately 5'8" - 6' tall, average build wearing dark clothing. The tallest of the trio may possibly have a shaved head.

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