



# Acton celebrates Family Day

Photos by Denise Paulson



**LET'S DANCE:** Zumba instructors Catherine (red cap) and Mario (white cap) Javier were at the Acton Arena on Monday afternoon to celebrate the third annual Family Day. The Javier's taught the latin-based dance courtesy of the Halton Hills Recreation & Parks Department. Up front assisting the Javier's were local Acton friends Sydney Azima and Sydney Durham of Acton – both nine.



**OLYMPIC FEVER:** Alyssa and Mackenzie of Acton, both eight, were thrilled to hold the Olympic torch that Georgetown's Jack Hamilton carried during the Torch Relay in December. Hamilton was at the Acton arena for Monday's Family Day that featured free activities sponsored by the Town's Recreation and Parks department.



**FREE SKATE:** Perhaps inspired by the Olympics - many locals attended the free skate and other activities provided courtesy of the Halton Hills Recreation and Parks Department to celebrate Family Day at the Acton Arena on Monday afternoon.

**POOL PARTY:** Forty-eight people enjoyed a swim at the pool at MacKenzie Smith Bennett Public School on Family Day. Nine year old Alyssa Marks (front) celebrated her friend Halle's (centre) eighth birthday along with Halle's younger sister Jamie-Lynn (left). The third annual Family Day swim on Monday was free courtesy of the Halton Hills Recreation & Parks Department.



**GETTING INTO THE GROOVE:** friends Sydney Azima and Sydney Durham - both nine - enjoyed fun at the Acton Arena on Family Day. The activities - Zumba dance class, meeting olympic torch bearers, face-painting, crafts and skating were all provided free by the Halton Hills Recreation & Parks Department.



**DUCK AND DIVE:** The cold weather didn't seem to matter to twenty people at the Family Day Weekend Winter Dodgeball Tournament held at the Rockwood Naturopathic Clinic on Sunday afternoon. The blue team included Dr. Frances Turk (right), owner/operator of the natural medicine facility with team-mate Rachel Christiansen (centre) and Tanya Fleming (left). The event raised money for both the ALS and Parkinson Societies of Canada.

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