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# 'I made a mistake' apology says

By Frances Niblock

An apology for a cowardly and mis-directed letter that told an Acton family to get out of town "has "gone a long way" to ease Lina Wilkinson's concerns about her family's safety.

Following the break-in and wonton destruction at Robert Little School last month, Wilkinson, who lives on the same street as one of the two men charged in the incident, received two letters

telling them they aren't welcome in Acton and to get out of town.

Wilkinson said in the apology that arrived by mail last Friday, the writer said they'd made a "terrible mistake."

"The apology said 'I'm so very sorry for the letters I sent and the mistaken identity. I let my anger cloud my judgement. I do apologize,'" Wilkinson read on Monday.

"It was simple and straightforward and it made

all of the difference in the world because it takes a big person to admit they made a big mistake," Wilkinson said, adding she was "floored" that the letter writer took the steps to make it right.

In related news, Andrew Tressel and Chris Wilkinson, the two men charged with break and enter, mischief over \$5,000 and cruelty to animals in connection with the Robert Little break-in, appear in a Milton court for their first appearance on Monday (March 8.)



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**HALTON CHAMPS:** The Acton High School junior girls' volleyball team captured the Halton championship last week with decisive 25-21 and 25-16 wins over Lester B. Pearson. The team includes, back, from left: Kim Baker, Abby Jolly, Laura Brooks, Dani Schaubreitner, and Allison Baker. Middle: Kailey Donaldson, Christine Keller, Jenn Doraty and Natalie Shortt. Front: Lucinda Kollenhoven and Jade Kovacevic. – Submitted photo



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