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To prevent discoloured water from entering your home during cleaning, please remember:

- Do not use water or flush toilets between the times indicated on your blue letter which we will provide to you approximately 2 days prior to working on your street.
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**Questions?** Please call 878-8113, ext. 7704, 7705 or 7706. Regional staff will be available to answer your questions.

**Halton Region Planning and Public Works**

# OPEN HOUSES THIS WEEKEND

## SUNDAY 2-4 PM

442 Woodlawn Cres.,  
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Gladys Cranford in attendance  
**RE/MAX MILTOWNE REALTY CORP.**  
878-7777

## SATURDAY 2-4 PM

Palomino Ranch (Carlisle),  
From \$329,000

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# Planning the parties to end the millenium

Members of the community services committee recently authorized the formation of a Millennium Committee to coordinate activities, festivals and projects surrounding the celebration of the end of the 20th century and the beginning of the 21st.

The committee will include at least one member of town council from the urban core and another from the rural area.

Invitations for members will likely be sent to service clubs, educational institutions, sport groups, arts and cultural groups, business organizations, and churches.

The community services committee wanted input from all members of council on the idea so they delayed specific approval until the next scheduled council meeting.

"Service clubs are planning things. We have had general discussions on a legacy trail or facility," said Jennifer Reynolds, director of leisure services and acting director of public works. "The committee would act in a coordinating or brokering role."

Ms Reynolds added that the Town would not necessarily be driving the ideas but would try to bring people and groups together. She explained that celebrations will continue during much of 2000 until the new century official begins on January 1, 2001.

"You mean it's a party that could last a year?" asked committee chair Barry Lee.

Mayor Gord Krantz told the committee that there has been substantial idle chat on what role the Town would play in millennium celebrations.

"There is support for us to take a lead role," said Mr. Krantz. "It is significant enough for the community that we leave our mark."

### Tree will honour women

A blue spruce will be planted in Milton's Victoria Park during the third week of June to honour International Women's Day.

The tree was donated by Joanne and Brad Clements. In December it will be decorated for Christmas by members of the Ontario Public Service Employees Union (OPSEU).

OPSEU member Alma Gildea was at Town Hall recently to suggest December 6 as the date for the Christmas tree's unveiling. She said the tree would be decorated with white lights, adding there would likely be a short dedication ceremony.

Ms Gildea asked that the tree be planted near an electrical source and that the dedi-

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cation include an identifying plaque.

### Kinsmen support

Committee members deferred a motion to purchase an advertisement in the Kinsmen national membership magazine.

Mr. Krantz was concerned that no money had been set aside for such uses in the 1998 budget.

Councillor Art Melanson suggested the Town purchase an advertisement for \$395 to show support for the service club and thanks for the work members do locally.

In the past council has not responded to requests for support, partly due to budget restraints and partly because of the need to be fair to other groups which might ask for the Town's financial support, Mr. Krantz said.

"There are other requests from worthwhile groups. The Kinsmen have a super organization," said Mr. Krantz. "However, these types of requests come through on a weekly basis."

Ms Reynolds explained that money in various advertising accounts held by the Town is usually for predetermined uses.

The issue will return next week when staff have completed a report on possible sources of funding.

According to the Kinsmen request for funds they raised \$18 million nationally in 1997 and gave countless hours supporting various projects.

### Hospital report

Amalgamation plans between Oakville Trafalgar Memorial Hospital (OTMH) and Milton District Hospital are proceeding through a transition team.

Mary Davies, a member of the Milton District Hospital Board, recently submitted an update report on hospital activities to municipal council.

In the report she said chief executive officer John Oliver of OTMH has been appointed president and CEO of the new hospital. Allan Halls, CEO of Milton's hospital, was appointed senior vice president. The newly amalgamated hospital does not yet have an official name but is currently going by the name East Halton Hospital Corporation.

Formal amalgamation is slated to take place on July 31, 1998.

Milton is expected to get a new general

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# Oakville Waterfront Festival

June 19. 20. 21. 1998

Friday June 19

Sat. June 20

Sunday June 21



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MICHELLE WRIGHT



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Opening Acts: Matthew Good Band & Athen Rye

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Show starts at 6:00 pm

Show starts at 12:00 noon

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