



Gala aid for Grapes

Hockey Night in Canada's Don Cherry was at Halton Hills Place Tuesday for a fundraising gala in support of Rose's Home — a hospice for terminally ill children that now bears his late wife's name. Among others attending were (above, left to right) Halton Hills Mayor Marilyn Serjeantson and Halton Regional Chair Joyce Savoline.

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GRADE "A" NEWS AT MILTON DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

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Grade "A" News at MDHS
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It has been a pretty busy week here at M.D.H.S. First of all, we have a correction from last week's article about cheerleading tryouts. They will still be held on November 11th, but the time is 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Speaking of the cheerleaders, they are participating in a fund-raiser to help support Cystic Fibrosis research as well as the team. They would like to ask the community to contribute all of their A&P, Ultra and Dominion grocery receipts. "But where?" you may be asking yourself. Well, A&P has made this quite easy for us. After shopping at A&P, you can simply deposit your receipt in a box specifically for this purpose. Just drop it in the Milton District Cheerleaders slot. At the end of the year if we have save \$450,000.00 in receipts, the cheerleaders will receive \$1,000.00 form A&P - WOW!

Milton District's grade ten business class has been busy visiting local businesses to get ads for the M.D.H.S. 1998-1999 yearbook. There has already been a great response. We would like to thank the Milton business community for their support and enthusiasm. Yearbook sales are still taking place here at school and will continue for the next couple of weeks. It is only \$25.00 to purchase one and it is a great way to support the school. The more sales that are made the bigger and better the yearbook will be. This will also help to bring back colour pages in the yearbook. The order must be placed soon which means that sales must be wrapped up shortly; so don't miss out and make sure all you students at M.D. get your copy! For any parents wishing to buy copies as gifts, contact Mrs. O'Reilly at the school.

For many students a dreaded time of year is approaching quickly. That's right - mid-term reports will be distributed on November 12th. They will be sent home with the students, not mailed. Following, on November 19th, is Parents' Night for Grade Nine to OAC students. If any of the parents wish to speak with any of your son/daughter's teachers this is the night to do so.

Calling all singers, actors, dancers and basically all talented people! If this sounds like you then why not come out and audition for Spotlight '98. For anyone who doesn't know, Spotlight '98 is a talent night, which showcases the talented students of M.D.H.S. Auditions will be held on November 19th, so get your act together and come on out! For further details, listen to the announcements and we will keep you posted as well.

We know that this may have been a pretty hectic week for many students and teachers at Milton District due to the collective agreement that was put into effect on the twenty-ninth of October. We hope that students will be understanding of the situation and make it as easy a transition as possible for any new teachers. This will allow things to get back to normal for everyone as quickly as possible.

Thank you and have a great weekend!



DATELINE DRURY AT E.C. DRURY HIGH SCHOOL

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Dateline Drury - Friday, November 6, 1998
by Jessica Wellstead and Katie Murzin

Welcome to this week's edition of Dateline Drury!

Last week at Drury students got into the Halloween spirit: On Wednesday October 28, all homeroom classes started the day off by preparing entries for our Student Council's annual pumpkin carving contest. The theme for this year was "Famous Faces." The highlights include the "Kiss" pumpkin, the "Monica Lewinsky" pumpkin and the "Snoopy" pumpkin. Congratulations to all those classes who enthusiastically participated; certainly this day offered Drury artists a rich opportunity to display their talents, which judging by the carvings they did with relish. The Halloween Dance was also a great success with best costume awards going to the toga-clad seniors! Of course, the traditional ghouls and goblins were also prominent at this early, but festive Halloween celebration. A special thank you goes out to all those parents who volunteered their time as chaperones to make this dance possible.

This past week has been a week of discovery of personal strengths, weaknesses and goals of Drury students. On Wednesday, November 4th, grade nine students were given the opportunity to experience the world of work as part of "Take Your Kids To Work Day 1998." This day provided a chance for students to apply the skills they learn in class to the real world. It also helped students to understand more clearly what their parents do everyday.

Another relevant issue to Drury students this week was the distribution of midterm report cards. For some this was a reward for their effort given during the first half of the semester. For others however this was a reminder to focus more and dedicate more time to their future projects! Hopefully only a few punishments came as a result of these marks!

As we all know, Wednesday, November 11 is Remembrance Day. E.C. Drury will be paying tribute to those who gave their lives for our country with a play commemorating the Holocaust. This play entitled "I'll Never See Another Butterfly" will be performed by the OAC Drama class.

One last quick reminder to those students applying to university: the deadline for submission of completed university application forms has been moved to Friday, November 13th. If there are any last-minute questions or concerns, the answers may be found at the University Information Program on Wednesday, November 11 at Milton District High School. The evening starts at 7:00 pm and offers an opportunity for students to attend a 40 minute seminar with representatives from 3 different Ontario universities.

That's about it from your Drury informants this week. Have a great, safe weekend and make sure to look for us again next week!

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