United Way 'delighted' with \$265,000 total

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The Champion

Milton's 1999 United Way fundraising campaign was a success.

Milton residents as well as businesses and corporations donated more than \$265,000 to the charity.

"We are delighted," said Anne Eadie, executive director of the Milton branch.

"Every year we do better than the year before. Our volunteers did an excellent job."

This year's campaign raised \$2,000 more than last year but fell short of its \$290,000 goal.

"We need \$400,000 (from) Milton to meet the needs," of the organizations, Ms Eadie said. "It's a challenge."

But Ms Eadie said when choosing the campaign's goal, they look at the population of the town as well as the needs of the organizations. They then try to set a realistic number to reach.

The United Way raises money for organizations that help people.

Money raised by the Milton branch supports 25 organizations that fund services and programs within the town.

In 1998, more than 15,000 Miltonians benefit-

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ed from them.

Organizations included Big Sisters of North Halton, the Canadian Mental Health Association, the Canadian Red Cross Society and the Victorian Order of Nurses, among others.

Last year, the Milton branch changed the way they did their campaign.

For the first time in 17 years, the United Way did a mail campaign instead of going door-to-

Ms Eadie said they lost a few people who usually donate, but also gained 100 new donors.

This year, the charity will again do its campaign by mail.

In addition, people can donate over the

Internet.

The year 2000 campaign is already being chair, after not having one last year.

They also need special event and account vol-

unteers.

Anyone who wants to volunteer or make a planned and The United Way is looking for a donation should call 875-2550 or visit the website secured www.unitedwayofmilton.stn.net.

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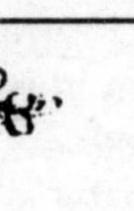
"We didn't have him and we aren't he said. expecting him," said Iain Leithead, Maplehurst superintendent.

that the convicted child killer was trans- of public interest and concern.

Maplehurst.

"There is nothing to it (the rumour),"

The Champion doesn't usually publish stories addressing rumours determined It was brought to the attention of The to be unfounded, however it decided to Champion that a rumour was circulating do so in this case due to the magnitude







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