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Tuesday Apr. 18

The Retired Women Teachers of Ontario meets for the Victorian Tea and Lunch. Members are encouraged to dress in white gloves and hats for the affair and are also reminded both provincial and branch fees are due. The event begins at 10:30 a.m. at St. James Anglican Church, 6029 Old Church Rd., in Caledon East.

Parents experiencing troubles with their children can seek advice at the weekly Parent Support Group at 7:30 p.m. The self-support group, run by trained leaders, helps parents cope with troubled children. Meetings are held every Tuesday at Pinelands Presbyterian Church, 5270 New St., in Burlington.

Bishop Reding Secondary School hosts Jam for Justice in the school's cafeteria at 7 p.m. Tickets for the event cost \$3 at the door with proceeds going to Bishop Reding's Amnesty International Group to support its efforts to raise awareness and participate in campaigns to help free prisoners of conscience. Acts include music and literary readings.

The Full Moon Healing Circle for both men and women takes place from 7 to 9:30 p.m. Call E.R. Kiddle at 878-4952 for more information.

Wednesday Apr. 19

Mothers who breastfeed their child can find encouragement and information at the Milton La Leche League meeting. The meeting is held at Cherish Family Resource Centre, 540 Childs Dr., at 8 p.m. Mothers with nursing babies are welcome to attend. For more information, call 876-0772 or 878-6387.

Milton's Wheels to Meals hosts a luncheon in the Loblams Community Room at 11:30 a.m. Transportation and assistance can be arranged for those that require it. The cost is \$5 for a hot meal and a fun time. Call Mary at 878-6699 for more information.

Ladies are invited to attend the Neighbourhood Coffee Hour at the Allendale Auditorium, 185 Ontario St., from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Special features include 'Colours' by Valerie Colwell and guest speaker Edna West. The affair is hosted by the Milton Christian Ladies Coffee Hour. Admission is free. Babysitting is provided.

Thursday Apr. 20

The Victorian Order of Nurses hosts a Foot Care

Clinic at the Milton Senior's Activity Centre, 500 Childs Dr., from 1 to 4 p.m. Call 875-1681 to book an appointment.

The Milton Historical Society holds its general meeting at Hugh Foster Hall at 8 p.m. Guest speaker and master landscape designer, Margarete Schlorke, speaks on Victorian and heritage garden design. Everyone is welcome and admission is free.

Friday Apr. 21

There is an open house from 7 to 9:30 p.m. for anyone interested in the experience of Reiki Hand **Healing.** Call E. R. Kiddle at 878-4952 for more information.

Saturday Apr. 22

The fourth annual Sacred Fire Ceremony gets underway at 1 p.m. The event includes drumming. In the tradition of Earth day, it's being held outdoors. Contact E.R. Kiddle at 878-4952 for more informa-

Gifted Reding students will be among patrons at conference

Bishop Reding Secondary School will be among Halton's Catholic high schools participating in this year's 10th annual Connections Conference for Gifted and Talented Students.

Students — 25 of them from Bishop Reding will gather Thursday at Brant Bible Church in Burlington to partake in several workshops and seminars.

The conference is considered unique as the day is entirely organized by gifted and talented students themselves for their peers.

This year, seminars will include improvisational drama, the Bronte Creek Project and a parody of the popular game show Greed.

Bishop Reding was the originator of the Connections Conference.

The event was small at first, but with increasing popularity and funding from the school board, the event grew.

"It's a great learning experience." said Kathleen Crapper, special education department head for Bishop Reding.

"The board saw it was a worthwhile cause and helped us out a lot. The students are very excited about it as well. It's all theirs."

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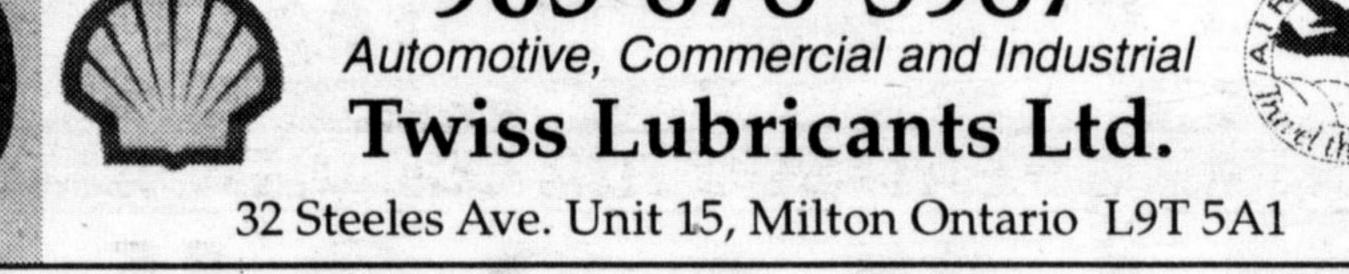


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