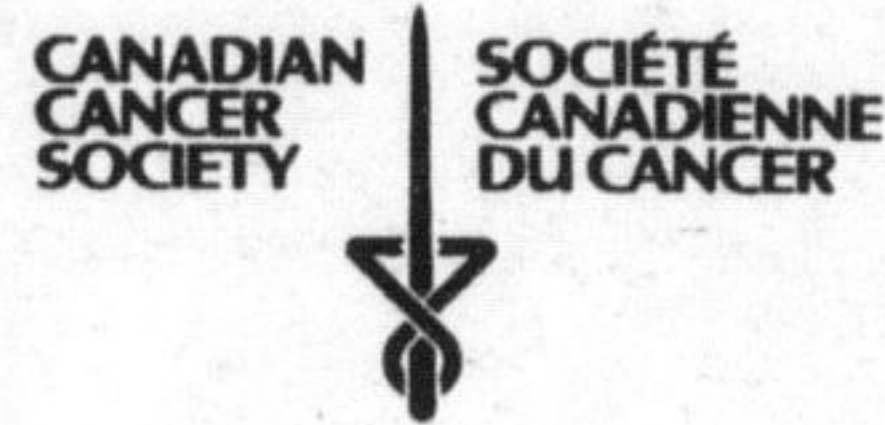


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Thursday, September 21, 2000

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Ostrichfest set for this weekend

Don't stick your head in the sand. This weekend, have fun and learn at Ostrichfest 2000 instead.

It will take place Saturday and Sunday at White Rock Ostrich Farm located on Fourth Line just north of No. 25 Sideroad/Regional Road 12.

Ostrichfest allows visitors to witness the strange birds that boast three pairs of eye-

lids, two toes and one toenail up close at a working ostrich farm.

Crafts such as painted ostrich eggs, painted feathers, hand-carved ostrich eggs, egg-shell jewelry and ostrich hand-puppets will be on sale at the event.

And visitors can sample low-fat, low cholesterol ostrich meat in the form of burgers, hot dogs or smoked roast on a

bun. Frozen ostrich meat is also available to take home.

A guided haywagon tour will show guests around the farm for a \$2 fee, which includes a souvenir ostrich feather.

This year's Ostrichfest will also mark the debut of Screamfest, an on-site haunted house created in time for Halloween.

Admission to the spooky sight is \$2 during Ostrichfest, rising to \$5 for adults throughout October.

A less ghoulish Screamfest tent will be set up for the younger set, with the cost of admission set at \$1 this weekend.

The new features illustrate the evolution of the special event, said Deborah Simmonds, who owns the farm with her husband Ron.

"We think it's important to always offer something new to our guests," she said. "This is our third Ostrichfest and we're getting to know our visitors and their needs better."

Guests will leave with a myriad of interesting ostrich information. For example, one ostrich egg, which weighs between three and four pounds, is laid about every second day, takes about 42 days to incubate, and is the equivalent of two dozen chicken eggs.

Also, an ostrich can expect to live up to 70 years and can run at a speed of about 70 kms an hour for 15 minute stretches.

And young ostriches grow to a mature weight of between 250 to 350 pounds in 10 to 14 months.

The farm even offers a skin care product line made from ostrich oils.

White Rock is open Wednesday through Sunday until Thanksgiving, then is open weekends only until Christmas. Its hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. For more information, call White Rock at (519) 856-1487.

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To hear a brief recorded message about how to order your free copy of this report, call 1-888-475-8645 and enter ID#1023. You can call anytime, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

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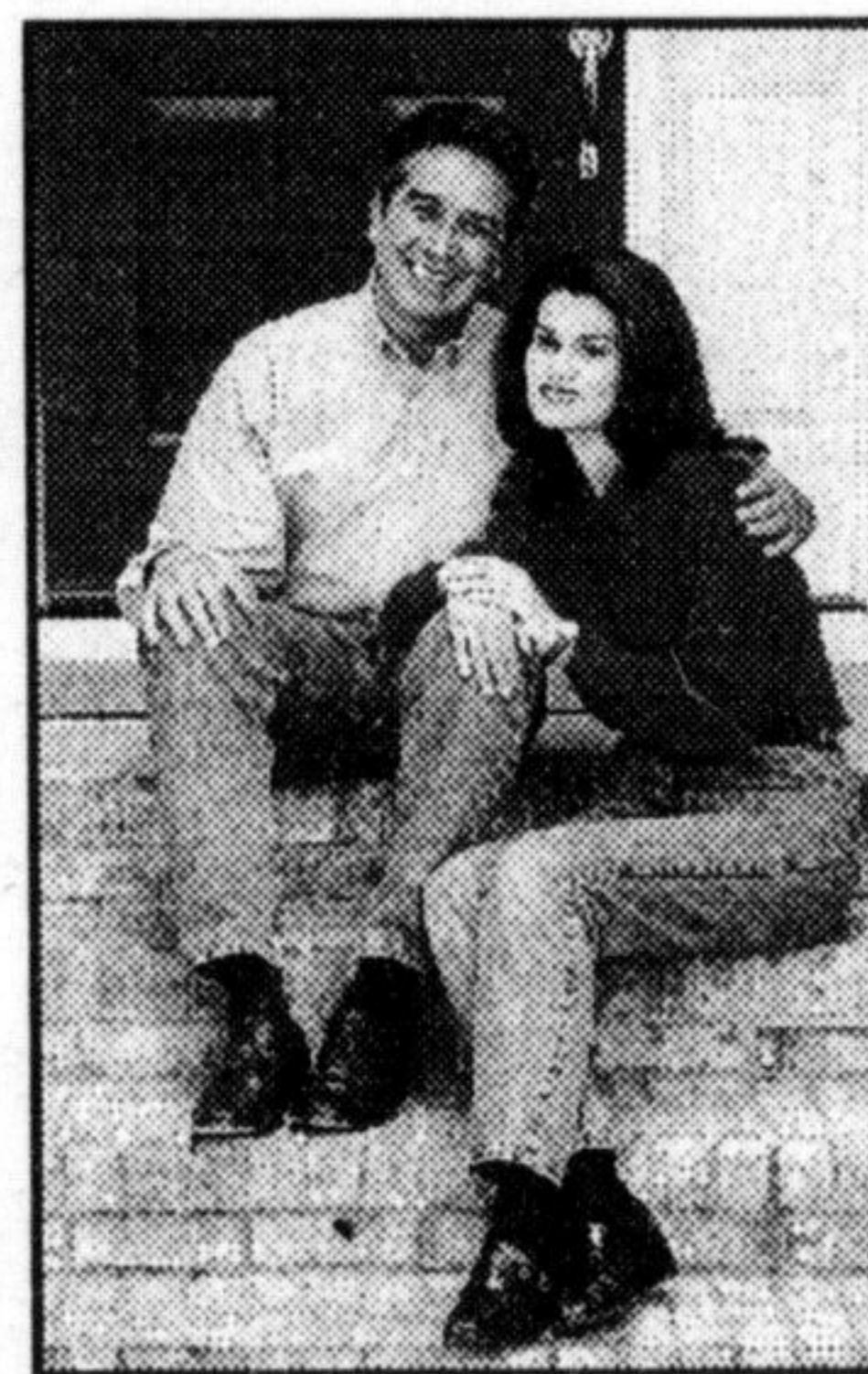
Getting to know the Community Care Access Centre (CCAC) of Halton

- The Community Care Access Centre of Halton provides quality services for home care, referrals to nursing homes and health information to Halton residents.
- The Community Care Access Centre of Halton helps the elderly, people with disabilities and those who are seriously ill to stay in the comfort of their own homes for as long as possible. We will also help you to find a home for your loved one when living independently is no longer a safe option.



• There are many community agencies in Halton to serve your needs. If you are looking for help and don't know where to turn, call the Community Care Access Centre of Halton and ask to speak with a member of our Information and Referral Team.

• The Community Care Access Centre of Halton is easy to contact. If you, a family member or friend needs home care services, personal support or placement into a nursing home, you can reach us 7 days a week, 8:30 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. by calling (905) 639-5228 or, toll free at 1-800-810-0000. There is no cost to the client for direct services provided by the CCAC. Services are funded through the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care.



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CCAC of Halton Annual General Meeting

Wednesday, September 20, 2000
Commencing at 7:00 p.m.

Halton Regional Centre, Auditorium
1151 Bronte Road, Oakville

Speaker: Harry van Bommel
Family Caregiver, Renowned Speaker
and Author of:

- Caring for Loved Ones at Home
- Family Hospice Care - Pre-planning and Care Guide

Please R.S.V.P. to

Roberta Calderbank (905) 639-5228, ext. 8746
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Open Board Meeting Dates ~note new time!~

- ➔ October 18, 2000; 6:30 p.m.
CCAC of Halton,
440 Elizabeth Street, 4th Floor, Burlington
 - ➔ November 15, 2000; 6:30 p.m.
Milton Police Station,
490 Childs Drive, Milton
 - ➔ December 20, 2000; 6:30 p.m.
CCAC of Halton,
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