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## Residents far from impressed with CN Brampton terminal

By FANNIE SUNSHINE  
*The Champion*

Milton residents had the opportunity to tour Brampton's intermodal site Thursday in the hopes of better understanding what an actual intermodal terminal is.

The 40 community members toured the Canadian National (CN) intermodal terminal from a chartered bus that was arranged with the railway by resident Rita Post.

Ian Thomson, director of communications for CN, said the purpose of the tour was to show the operation and design of an intermodal terminal, although Milton's facility will be modelled after the intermodal facility in Surrey, B.C.

William Perry, Brampton's terminal service manager, gave an overview of the operation of the terminal during the half-

hour tour.

"The trucks line up at the gates and will proceed to the tracks to load the containers onto the trains," he said.

Truck containers were stacked throughout the 200-acre terminal on the ground as well as on the tracks.

"This is the most depressing thing to come to Milton," one resident commented. "Who wants this in their backyard? We

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## Hadfield to speak at high school

Milton will soon welcome home astronaut Chris Hadfield.

The community will have the opportunity to attend a presentation by Col. Hadfield Saturday at E.C. Drury High School to share in his experiences of his historic space walk.

He will speak to the audience at 2 p.m. in the south gym.

Seats for the presentation are on a first-come, first-served basis.

Later in the evening will be a family-sponsored fundraising concert featuring Col. Hadfield and his brothers David and Phillip in support of the Chris Hadfield Bursary Fund.

The concert will begin at 8 p.m. at the high school.

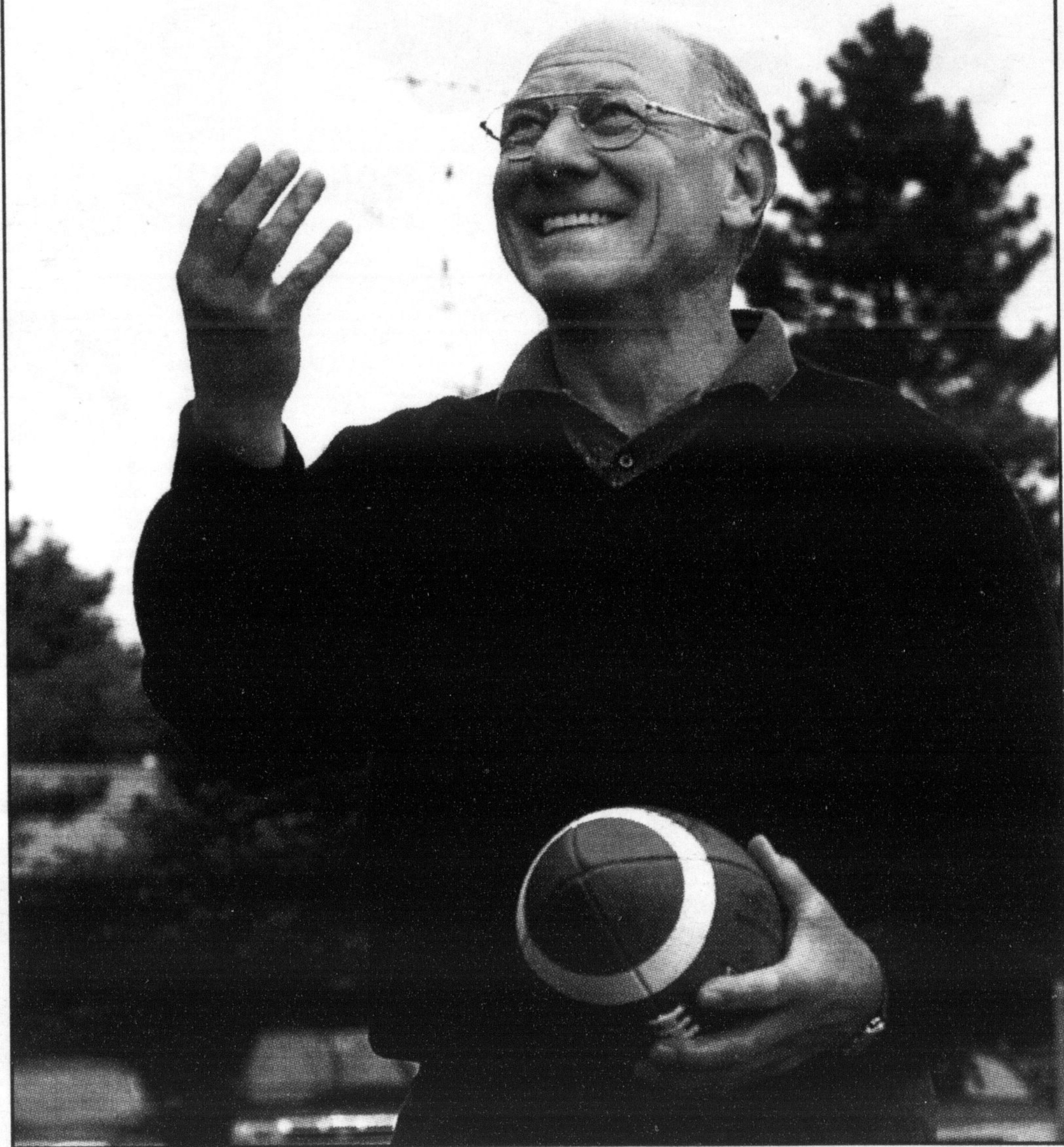
Tickets for the concert are available at Northend Nissan, Mike's Barber Shop, Zellers lottery booth and Time Zone Travel Agency.



## True legend

CFL Hall of Famer and Player of the Century Russ Jackson tosses the ball around during the celebrity car wash at Moffatt Autoworks on Main Street Saturday. Mr. Jackson along with Tiger-Cat defensive lineman Mark Verbeek were on hand to sign autographs at the fundriaser for the Children's Hospital Foundation. The Ti-Cat cheerleaders made an appearance as well.

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