Cancer society volunteers needed New fair ambassador

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The Canadian Cancer Society is in need of volunteers for leadership roles, team captains and can-

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For more information, call (905) 332-0060.

New fair ambassador will be crowned Wed.

Three young ladies competing for title

Milton will have a new fall fair ambassador tomorrow.

The Halton Agricultural Society will hold the Milton Fall Fair Ambassador Appreciation Night tomorrow at Hugh Foster Hall from 8 to 10 p.m.

Megan Winter, Stephanie Williams and Katie Patterson will vie for the title.

During the competition, the three will have to answer questions and prepare a speech pertaining to agriculture.

Duties of the ambassador include touring the fairgrounds during the Milton Fall Fair at the end of September and placing ribbons on winning animals.

The ambassador will also be part of the Grande Parade at this weekend's Steam-Era.

Amy Winter, the reigning Fall Fair Ambassador, will crown the winner.

Ms Winter recently competed in the Ambassador of the Fairs competition held at the C.N.E. in Toronto. Fair ambassadors from across Ontario competed against each other for the sole title.

"There were 78 of us," she said. "I didn't place in the top seven but I had such a good time it didn't matter."

Ms Winter is an active member of the Halton Junior Farmers Association and is also a junior director for the Milton Fall Fair

No more plastic bags allowed for yard waste

Starting September 1, Halton Region's move to more environmentally-friendly yard waste collection will become mandatory.

This means setting out yard waste such as leaves and clippings in open reusable containers or large paper yard waste bags.

"Residents recognize that this is a good move for the environment and for them as it improves the quality of compost we are able to offer at our popular twice-annual give-a-ways," said Rob Rivers, the Region's director of waste management.

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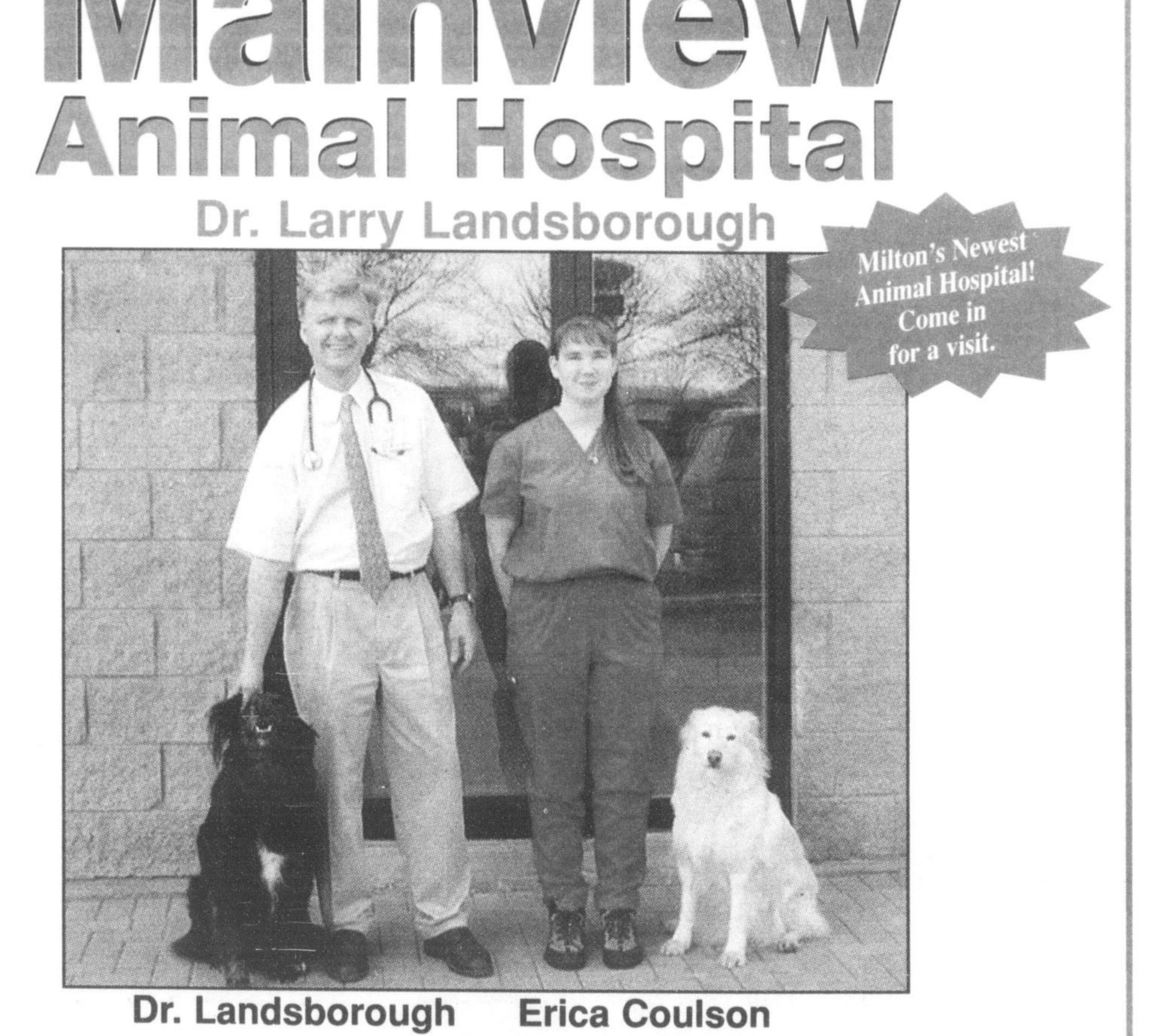
Earlier this summer, Halton residents received a starter kit in the mail, which included a yard waste container label and a coupon for a sample paper yard waste bag. The yard waste bags are also available from local hardware and grocery stores across the region.

This fall's compost give-a-way will take place from September 23 to October 1 (excluding Sunday) at Halton's Waste Management Site.

For more information, visit www.region.halton.on.ca.







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