

'Women of the Year' nominees sought

The Women's Centre is once again looking for nominations for its Women of the Year Awards celebration.

The gala event honours women who have made a special contribution to community life in Halton in one of four categories: 'Health and Wellness', 'Arts and Culture', 'Personal Achievement', and 'Community and Humanitarian Services'.

It's also a major fundraiser enabling the Women's Centre to provide services for Halton women.

Nominations must be received by Friday, Apr. 16. Nomination forms are available by calling the Women's Centre at (905) 847-9104 or by e-mail at wead-min@web.ca.

Glen Abbey Golf Club is again the site for this year's awards celebration to be held Tuesday, May 4 at 6:30 p.m.

"The contribution that Halton women make to this community is amazing," said Melvina Walter, executive director of the Women's Centre.

"We're always impressed by the calibre of women who are nominated and by the support of the community event," said Ms Walter.

The awards honour the many women in Halton who are neighbours, relatives and colleagues and whose exemplary services to others raise the bar on leadership, responsiveness, action, perseverance and social awareness.

Through the awards program, the Women's Centre is able to bring special recognition to the roles that women have in the community life of Halton — women who are inspiring, who break new ground and whose interest and action change and better lives.

The guest speaker at this year's event is Diane Lynn Dupuy, president and founder of the Famous Peoples Players Theatre Company.

Tickets to the gala cost \$35 per person and may be obtained by calling the Women's Centre at (905) 847-9104.

The Women's Centre is located in Oakville's Hopedale Shopping Centre at 1515 Rebecca St., Suite 210.

Annual Stardust Gala set for May 8

The Children's Aid Foundation of Halton is once again holding its Stardust Gala at Burlington's Royal Botanical Gardens May 8.

The seventh annual fundraiser includes a champagne reception, silent auction and a four-course dinner. A live auction will follow, while attendees can cap the night dancing to a five-piece band.

The gala costs \$125 per person, and those purchasing tickets before April 2 are eligible to win a limousine ride to and from the event.

For tickets or more information, call the Children's Aid Foundation of Halton at (905) 333-4441, ext. 214 or visit the group's Web site at foundation@cas.gov.on.ca.

Halton child/youth fundraiser April 13

The Halton Child and Youth Services is holding its sixth annual fundraising evening at Hamilton's Theatre Aquarius April 13.

The event begins at 6:30 p.m. and includes a silent auction, dinner and a sneak preview of the comedy *Noises Off*. A number of prizes will be given away, including weekend get-a-ways and a diamond ring.

Tickets cost \$40 per person and are available by call Kirsten Dougherty at (905) 639-2800, ext. 221.

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