

Dateline

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Tuesday June 1

The **Peel/Halton Vaginal Birth After Cesarean-Cesarean Awareness Group** meets at 7:30 p.m. For information or directions, call Cheryl at (905) 459-9804 or Adrienne at (905) 846-6453.

The **Milton Fibromyalgia group** holds a lunch meeting at Swiss Chalet on Market Drive at 1 p.m. Everyone is welcome. For more information, call Joanne at (905) 878-4371.

The Canadian Mental Health Association holds its first meeting of the **Milton Peer Support Group** at 7 p.m. in the second floor boardroom at Milton Mall. The group welcomes anyone who suffers from a mood/anxiety disorder. For more information, call (905) 693-4270 or (519) 853-9793.

Wellspring Halton-Peel, a support group for cancer patients and their families, holds its drop-in **Graduate Metastatic support group** from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at 2545 Sixth Line in Oakville. For more information, call (905) 257-1988.

Improve communication and leadership skills with the **Milton Toastmasters**. Everyone is welcome to attend the meeting at the Royal Canadian Legion, 21 Charles St. (upper level), at 7:30 p.m. For information, call Allan Lahue at (905) 877-3441.

Help for Parents, a Halton parent support group, holds its weekly evening meeting. This

non-denominational self-support group helps parents of children who are in trouble at home, at school or with the law or who are abusive or taking drugs. The group is a member of Association of Parent Support Groups in Ontario. For the meeting time and location, call 1-800-488-5666 or visit www.apsgo.ca.

Calling New Parents, a free program for parents and babies aged 6 months and younger, meets with a public health nurse to discuss parenting and infant care. The group meets at the Milton Community Resource Centre, 917 Nipissing Rd., from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. For more information, call (905) 693-4242, ext. 7899.

Milton District Hospital holds a **breastfeeding clinic** with a certified lactation consultant from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. For more information or to make an appointment, call Jean Gallen at (905) 878-2383, ext. 7030.

St. John Ambulance meets from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Norval community centre. For more information, call (905) 877-7658.

The Town of Milton Community Services Department holds its **Community Open House and Information Centre** to view and discuss proposed changes to Milton's existing transit system. This includes service for new subdivisions and improvements to the existing GO Transit feeder routes. It takes place at Hugh Foster Hall, 53 Brown St., next to Town Hall, from 4 to 8 p.m. with a presentation at 6:30 p.m. For more information, call (905) 878-7252, ext. 2165, or e-mail transit@milton.ca.

Wednesday June 2

The Women's Centre, 210-1515 Rebecca St., in Oakville holds its **Abuse Support Group** from 6 to 8 p.m. For more information or to register, call (905) 847-5520.

Mom's Morning Out meets at 123 Main St.

from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Caregivers find friendship and support while children are cared for in Graham Hall. For information, call (905) 878-8895.

Milton Mall holds its **Playdough, Painting and Parenting Information**, presented by the Ontario Early Years Centre, at Milton Mall near Bulk Barn from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Thursday June 3

Wellspring Halton-Peel, a support group for cancer patients and their families, holds its drop-in **Ovarian Cancer Support Group** from 10:30 a.m. to noon at 2545 Sixth Line in Oakville. For more information, call (905) 257-1988.

The Women's Centre, 210-1515 Rebecca St., in Oakville holds its **Women's Caring and Sharing Circle**, for sharing life's challenges, from 1 to 2 p.m. For more information or to register, call (905) 847-5520.

The Fine Arts Society of Milton's **Evening Group of Artists** meets from 7 to 10 p.m. at the Milton Mall, upper level. The informal environment provides artists with an opportunity to exercise their drawing skills. For more information, call (905) 878-8955.

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The Milton Seniors' Activity Centre, 500 Childs Dr., holds a public **foot care clinic** from 1 to 4 p.m. To make an appointment, call (905) 875-1681.

Friday June 4

Wellspring Halton-Peel, a support group for cancer patients and their families, holds its drop-in **Relaxation and Visualization group** from

10:30 a.m. to noon at 2545 Sixth Line in Oakville. For more information, call (905) 257-1988.

Saturday June 5

Martin Street School hosts its annual **Spring Fling** from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. with games, a giant jumping house, a raffle, a silent auction, karaoke, a tearoom, a dunk tank and plenty of food.

Hornby Euchre is held at 7:30 p.m. at the Hornby community hall on Steeles Avenue.

Nassagaweya Presbyterian Church holds a **chicken barbecue** from 4:30 to 7 p.m., which includes a half chicken, a baked potato, a roll, coleslaw, a beverage and homemade pie. Tickets cost \$12.50 in advance and \$15 at the door. Children under 12 receive a discount. For tickets, call (905) 854-1055, (905) 854-2375 or (905) 876-3322.

Sunday June 6

The Halton-Peel branch of the **Ontario Genealogical Society** meets at 2 p.m. on the lower level of the Chinguacousy branch library, 150 Central Park Dr., in Bramalea. Alan Rayburn speaks about 'Resolving Elusive Names in Genealogical Records'. Visitors are welcome.

The Toronto Bruce Trail Club presents the third annual **Bruce Trail Spring Hike Day** from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. with free guided hikes that depart every half hour. Participants are asked to meet at the Limehouse Memorial Hall, at Regional Road 43 and Fifth Line, west of Hwy. 7/Trafalgar Road, northwest of Georgetown. For more information and directions, visit www.torontobruceclub.org or call (416) 763-9061.

Have you thought about taking advantage of the equity in your home to **consolidate debt AND help you pay off your mortgage quicker?**

The time has never been better to consider refinancing your mortgage at today's historically low rates for home improvements or consolidate outstanding debt.

Consider this:

CURRENT SITUATION	BALANCE	PAYMENT
Mortgage (6% interest rate)	\$200,000.00	\$1279.61
Car Loan	18,000.00	600.00
Line of Credit	5,500.00	165.00
Visa	5,500.00	165.00
Furniture Store Loan	4,500.00	225.00
Penalty to break mortgage	3,000.00	0.00
Total balance & payments	\$ 236,500.00	\$ 2,434.61

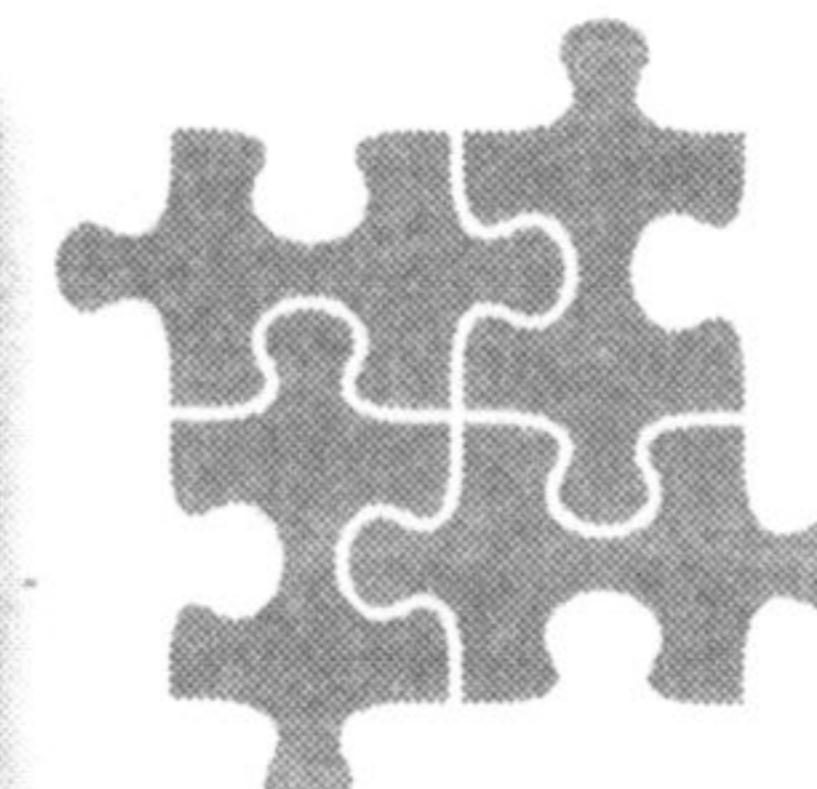
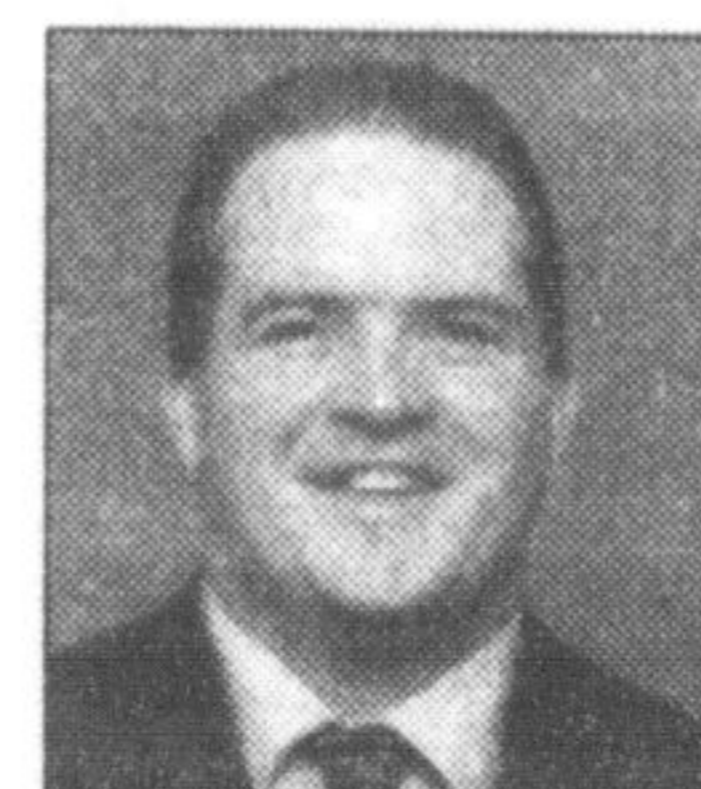
NEW MORTGAGE	BALANCE	PAYMENT
Mortgage(5.15% 5 year rate)	\$236,500.00	\$ 1,392.81
Car loan	Paid off	0.00
Line of Credit	Paid off	0.00
Visa	Paid off	0.00
Furniture Store Loan	Paid off	0.00
Total balance & payments	\$236,500.00	\$ 1,392.81

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\$1,041.80
 If you take \$325 of the payment savings and add this to your mortgage payment, your mortgage will be paid off **8 years earlier!** That's **96 monthly payments sooner** than scheduled.

My name is Tom Hickey. I am a mortgage consultant living and working in your community. I would be proud to assist you with your mortgage financing needs. My goal is to provide you with the most confidential, courteous and professional mortgage service possible. Please call or e-mail me any questions.

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