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President's Message

Joyce Hagevik



A celebration to honour our very own Mayor Krantz

On Saturday, September 24th, the Milton Chamber of Commerce will be hosting an important community event with a place in **Ontario history**. We have the honour of celebrating with our Mayor, Gord Krantz, the anniversary of his 25th year in office. I have had the privilege of knowing Gord since he was first elected Mayor and like Gord, I too have watched Milton experience many changes. But some things never change: Gord's **passion** for his **community** and its **citizens** was as strong in 1980 as it is now. Milton is still a wonderful Town in which to live, grow and do business.

During his tenure in public office, **25 years** as Mayor and **40**

years as an elected official, Mayor Krantz helped build a solid foundation for the future of this community. Being Mayor of such a rapidly growing community has been challenging but Gord has worked tirelessly at achieving balance. He has been able to ensure that our long residing citizens still feel at home and our new citizens feel welcome.

On September 24th, we will be giving all of the businesses and citizens in our community the opportunity to join us in showing our appreciation for all that Gord has done to help businesses old and new, large and small, flourish in this community over the past 25 years. I would be remiss not to wish a heartfelt congratulations to Gord's wife of 50 years, Mrs. Olive Krantz, better known as "**The Boss**" because as we all know, behind every good man, there is a great woman!"

Come celebrate and honour along with our Board of Directors, Chamber staff, our members and our most **generous SPONSORS** at Rattlesnake Point Golf Club on the 24th of September and raise a toast to 25 years of excellence.

Ticket details available at the Chamber office at 905-878-0581.

Upcoming Events

Milton Chamber of Commerce Farmers' Market

Every Saturday morning in
downtown Milton
Main Street from Martin to James
May 21 to October 29, 2005
7 a.m. to 12 noon
www.miltonfarmersmarket.com

The August Business After Hours

will be held on
Tuesday, August 23rd from
5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at
Parkway Auto Trade at
8215 Lawson Rd.
Business After Hours are for
Chamber members only.

The September Business After

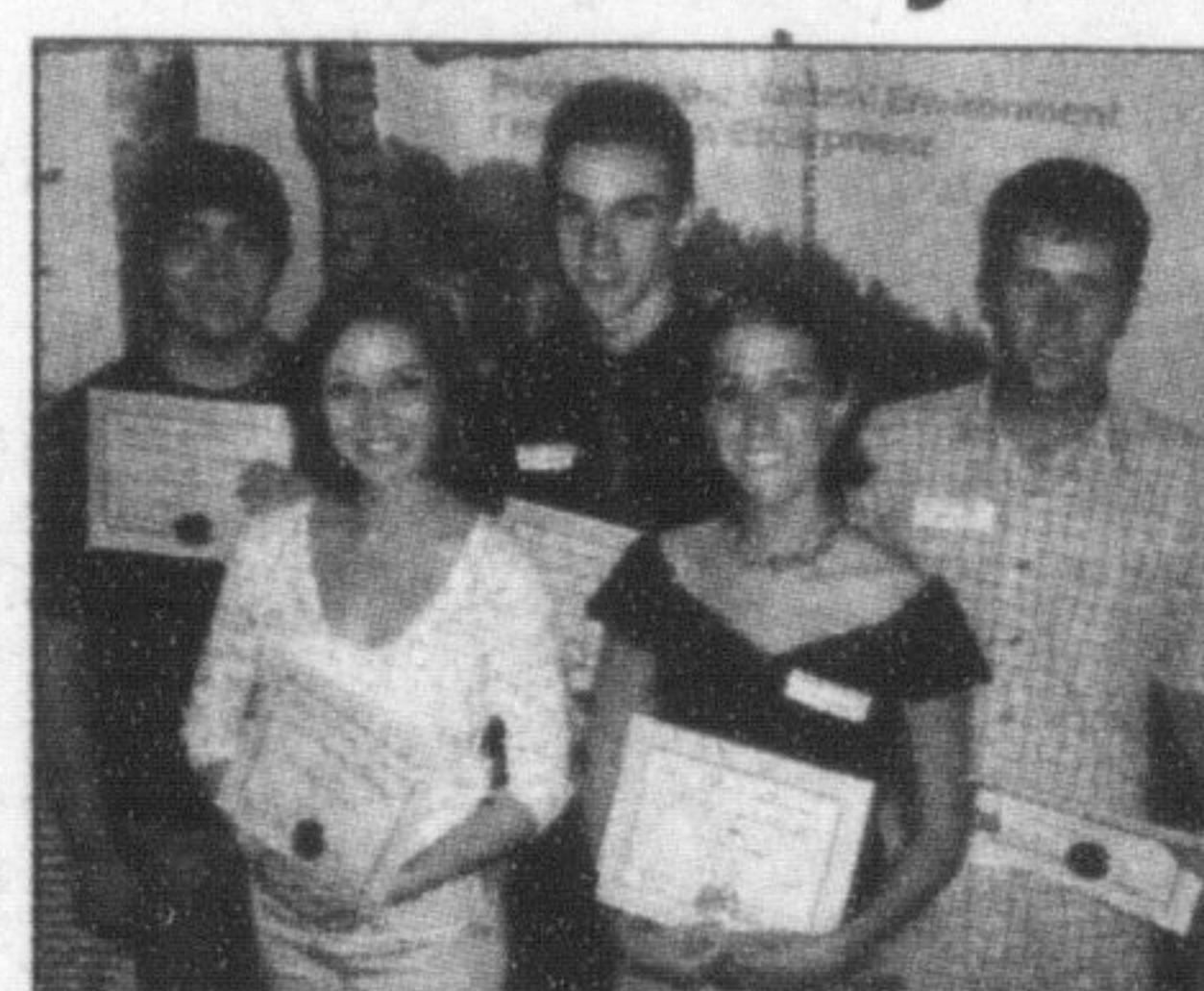
Hours will be held on
Tuesday, September 27th from
5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at
Cabinet Dimensions located at
17 Wilson Drive Unit #4.

Mayor's 25th Anniversary Celebration

Saturday, September 24, 2005
6:00 p.m.
Rattlesnake Point Golf Club
Tickets are \$125 per person
Call Sandy or Allison for more
details 905 878 0581

We couldn't have done it without you!

Thanks to the overwhelming community support of the Chamber Scholarship Fund, the Chamber was able to offer five \$1,000 scholarships to students this year. The Chamber proudly funds this program from the Scholarship Café at the Milton Farmers' Market (sales of the "bacon-on-a-bun") and from the Annual Sports Celebrity Dinner & Auction. Proceeds from these initiatives allow the Chamber to ensure an ongoing endowment fund for advancing post-secondary education in our community. Presentations were made at the recent Business After Hours held at Crawford Lake Conservation Area.



2005 Chamber Scholarship Recipients:
back row: Stephen DeMedicis, Marc Coulombe, David Gooding
front row: Kathryn Longley, Christine Marshall

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Kathryn Longley of E.C. Drury High School who has been accepted into the Theatre Administration program at Queen's University. Kathryn's goal is to pursue a career in Arts Management.

Stephen DeMedicis of St. Michael's College School who has been accepted into the Schulich School of Business at York University. Stephen's goal is to receive his MBA and to become a successful businessman. Stephen is the son of Chamber member Angelo and Vincenza DeMedicis of Milton Home Hardware.

Christine Marshall of Bishop Reding High School who has been accepted into the Advertising and Communications Media Program at Mohawk College. Christine aspires to be an Art Director for an advertising firm.

Marc Coulombe of Milton District High School who has been accepted into a joint Business Administration and Math program offered through Wilfred Laurier and the University of Waterloo. Marc's career goal is to have "success in every possible way"

David Gooding of Milton District High School who is currently enrolled in the Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Electrical program. David's long term goal is to become an electrician and to own his own business!

Do we have your updated business information?

DEADLINE IS FRIDAY, AUGUST 12, 2005

Calls have been made to all businesses in Milton and area during the past few months to ensure that we have all of your correct information for the 2006 Business Directory.
Do you have a new address? A new website? We want to know!

All non-Chamber members are given a **FREE** listing in the category of your choice in the directory. Chamber members are given two **FREE, BOLDED** category listings.
Please call Jennifer Clarke at 905-878-0581 to ensure your business is listed correctly.

The Milton Chamber of Commerce presents



This year marks Mayor Gord Krantz' 25th year as mayor. Residents, businesses, friends and colleagues are invited to join the Milton Chamber of Commerce in commemorating Mayor Gord Krantz for his leadership and lifetime of service. The net proceeds of this event will be

directed to the Chamber Legacy Fund in the name of Gordon Krantz to improve and maintain community landmarks.

Mayor's 25th Celebration

Saturday, September 24th, 2005

Rattlesnake Point Golf Club

5407 Regional Road #25

Cocktails at 6:00 p.m. Dinner at 7:00 p.m.

Tickets \$125.00 per person (GST incl.)

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