

Here comes the Fall National Bridal Show

Betrothed couples all over the Greater Toronto Area will soon be flocking to the Fall National Bridal Show, and some Milton groups hope to reap the benefits.

The bridal show — which is held every year in the spring and fall — will take place next weekend, from September 9 to 11, at the International Centre, with exhibitions from more than 250 groups and businesses.

Booths with representatives from two local reception halls will be available for future brides and grooms.

Halton Hills Place and Banquet Hall and the Grand Chalet will try to woo couples looking for the perfect location for dinner and dancing after their wedding ceremony.

The bridal show, now in its seventh year, attracts more than 16,000 visitors during its three-day run. The show manager said the one-stop-shopping aspect of the event is its

main attraction.

"There's a lot of time and effort that goes into planning your wedding," said Marti Milks.

"Taking time to attend our show can cut down on the legwork for busy couples and help them discover fresh, creative ideas (to make) their big day extra special."

Couples will find vendors in wedding florals, music, photography, invitations, videography, hall rental, catering and formal attire.

Special events, such as bridal fashion shows and a \$299 to \$499 bridal gown sale are also planned throughout the weekend.

Admission costs \$15 per person per day, but two-for-one coupons are available at www.nationalbridalshow.com.

For more information and for event hours, visit the Web site or call (905) 815-0017.

Alfie Smith to entertain

Once again, the Halton Museum Foundation is planning an intimate evening with a stellar combination of dining and music.

September 17, as part of the foundation's Hearthside Dinner 'n Music Series, Alfie Smith, a musician from Hamilton, will perform in the cozy atmosphere of the historic Hearth Room at the Halton Region Museum in Kelso Conservation Area.

Doors will open at 6 p.m. with dinner at 7 p.m., followed by Mr. Smith's performance until 11 p.m.

Mr. Smith took up guitar at the age of 13 and he's been playing since. Today, his

music blends blues, folk, ragtime and jazz to create a unique sound. Instruments he's mastered include the seven-string slide guitar, dobro guitar, banjo and lap steel.

Proceeds from the Dinner 'n Music Series go to the Halton Region Museum building fund. The current goal is the building of an on-site artifact centre to house the museum's collection currently being stored in various facilities throughout Halton.

Tickets, which must be purchased in advance, cost \$45 each and are available by calling the museum at (905) 875-2200, ext. 21.



The Regional Municipality of Halton



Curb Appeal

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Labour Day

Holiday Waste Collection Notice

Please Note Collection Day Changes
September 2005

Monday, September 5 moves to Tuesday, September 6

Tuesday, September 6 moves to Wednesday, September 7

Wednesday, September 7 moves to Thursday, September 8

Friday, September 9 moves to Saturday, September 10

Due to the Labour Day Holiday, waste collection services the week of September 5th will take place the day after your regular collection day in the urban areas. Please check your 2005 Waste Management Calendar for details in your area or the Region's Waste Management website at www.region.halton.on.ca/ppw/waste.



Halton Waste Management Site

Will be closed on Monday, September 5

Regular Operating Hours
Open Monday to Saturday
8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

5400 Regional Rd. 25, Milton

Please check your 2005 Curb Appeal Waste Management Calendar for details in your area or the Region's Waste Management website at www.region.halton.on.ca/ppw/waste



Attention Halton Gardeners!

Fall Compost Give Away

Monday, September 12th - Saturday, September 17th

8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

While quantities last

Halton Residents are welcome to collect rich garden-friendly compost produced through Halton's yard waste program.

- All Halton households can collect a maximum of seven bags (or equivalent) of compost.
- Residents are responsible for shovelling and bagging their own compost.
- Please bring your own bags/containers and shovel.
- Non-perishable food items or cash donations will also be gratefully accepted on behalf of Halton area food banks.



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5400 Regional Rd. 25, Milton



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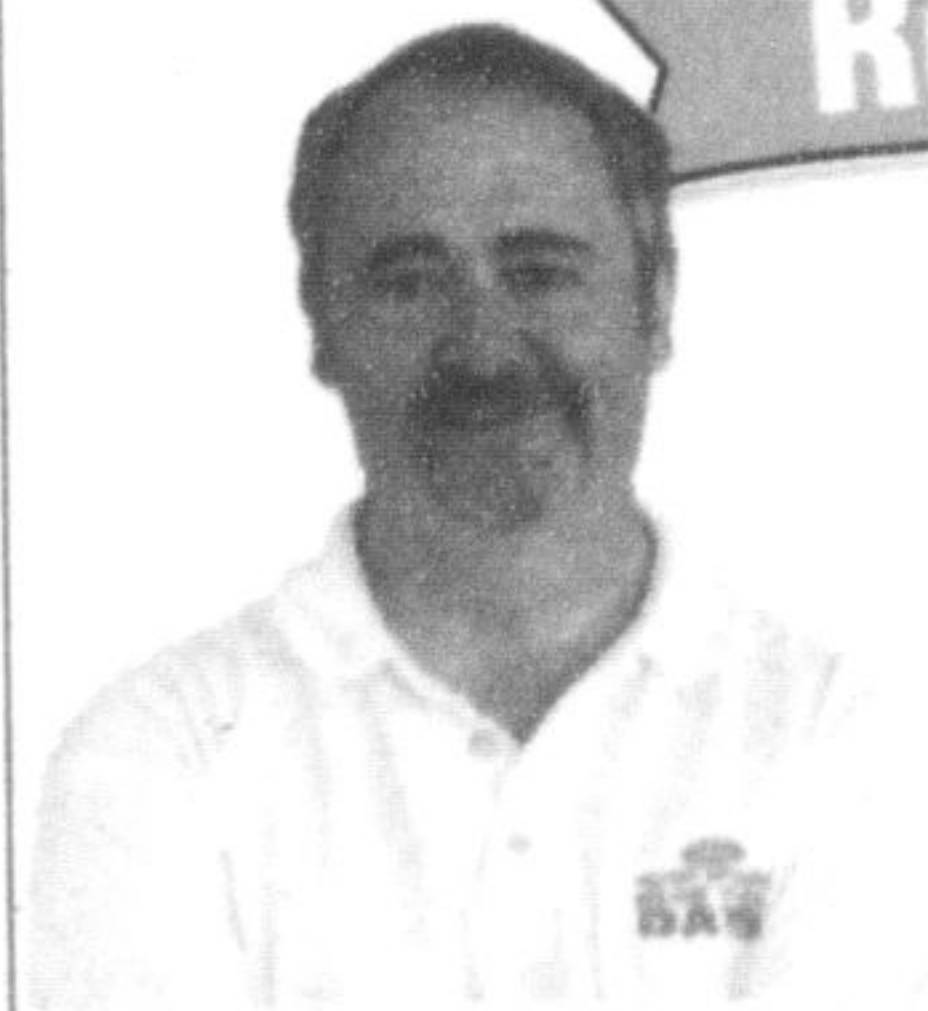
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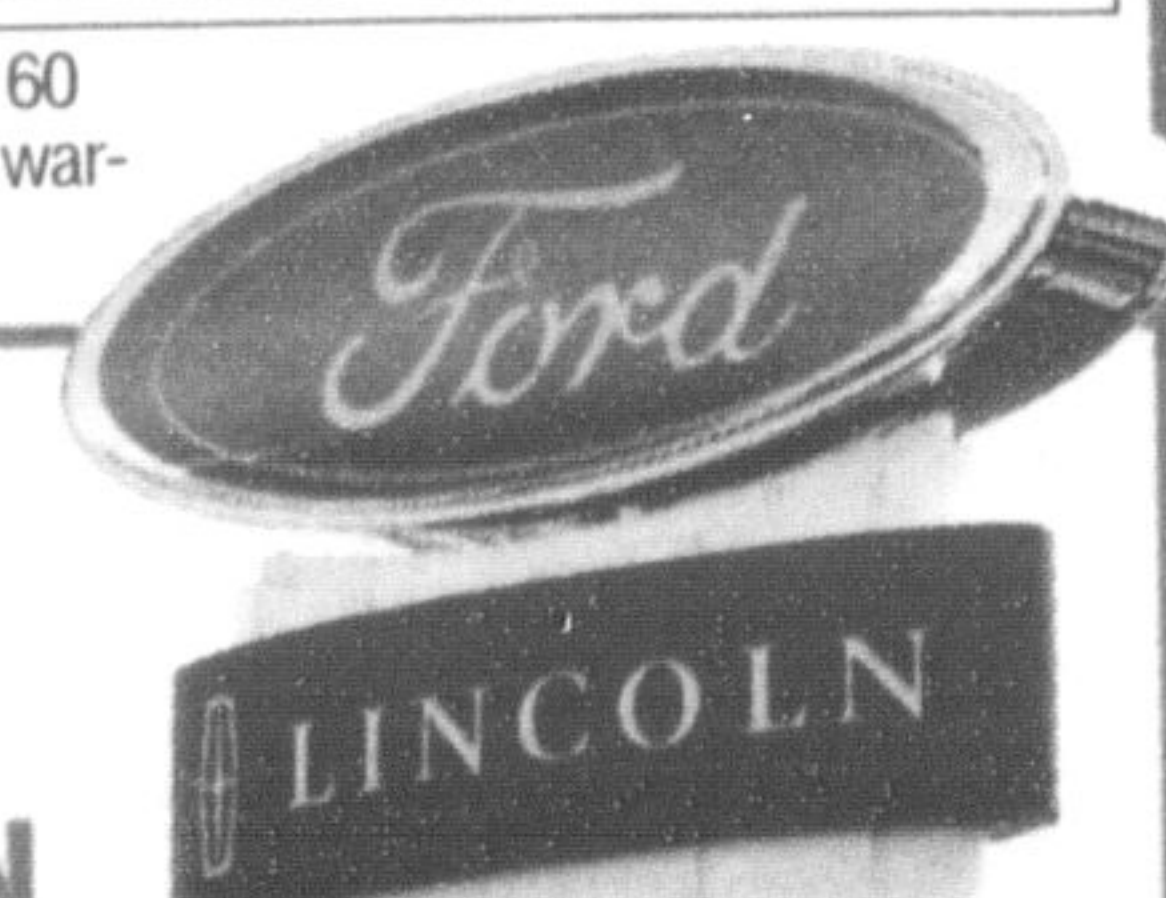
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