

# Volunteers needed at local women's shelter

At Halton Women's Place, volunteers make all the difference.

With limited staff, the volunteers provide much-needed support in all its programs working with abused women and their dependent children.

But more volunteers are needed. Currently, the

organization is looking for new blood to assist with the child and youth program and with frontline duties for the shelters in Milton and Burlington.

New volunteers are asked to attend three orientation sessions on January 9, 11 and 17 from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Before the first day of volunteering, three references, a current police check and a TB test are required. Volunteers must be at least 18 years old.

Those interested are asked to call Carm Bozzo at (905) 332-1200, ext. 244 or e-mail her at cbozzo@haltonwomensplace.com.

## Dateline

Dateline is a free listing of coming events only. The column is available to local community groups to assist in promoting their future events. Only charitable or non-profit community groups may use this service. We can only guarantee one issue of publicity closest to the date of the occurrence although more insertions are possible if demand is low.

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### Tuesday Dec. 27

**Help for Parents**, a Halton parent support group, meets in the evening in the basement of the church at 5720 New St. in Burlington. 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 the Association of Parent Support Groups in Ontario. For more information, call 1-800-488-5666 or visit [www.apsgo.ca](http://www.apsgo.ca).

### Wednesday Dec. 28

Milton District Hospital holds a one-on-one **breastfeeding clinic** with a certified lactation consultant from 1:30 to 3 p.m. To make an appointment, call Jean Gallen at (905) 878-2383, ext. 7030.

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

### Thursday Dec. 29

Milton District Hospital holds a one-on-one **breastfeeding clinic** with a certified lactation consultant from 7 to 9 p.m. For more information or to make an appointment, call Jean Gallen at (905) 878-2383, ext. 7030.

**The Deck youth centre**, 200 Main St. E. (rear entrance), invites high school students interested in playing a game of pool to drop by between 7 and 10 p.m.

The Fine Arts Society of Milton's **Evening Group of Artists** meets from 7 to 10 p.m. The informal environment pro-

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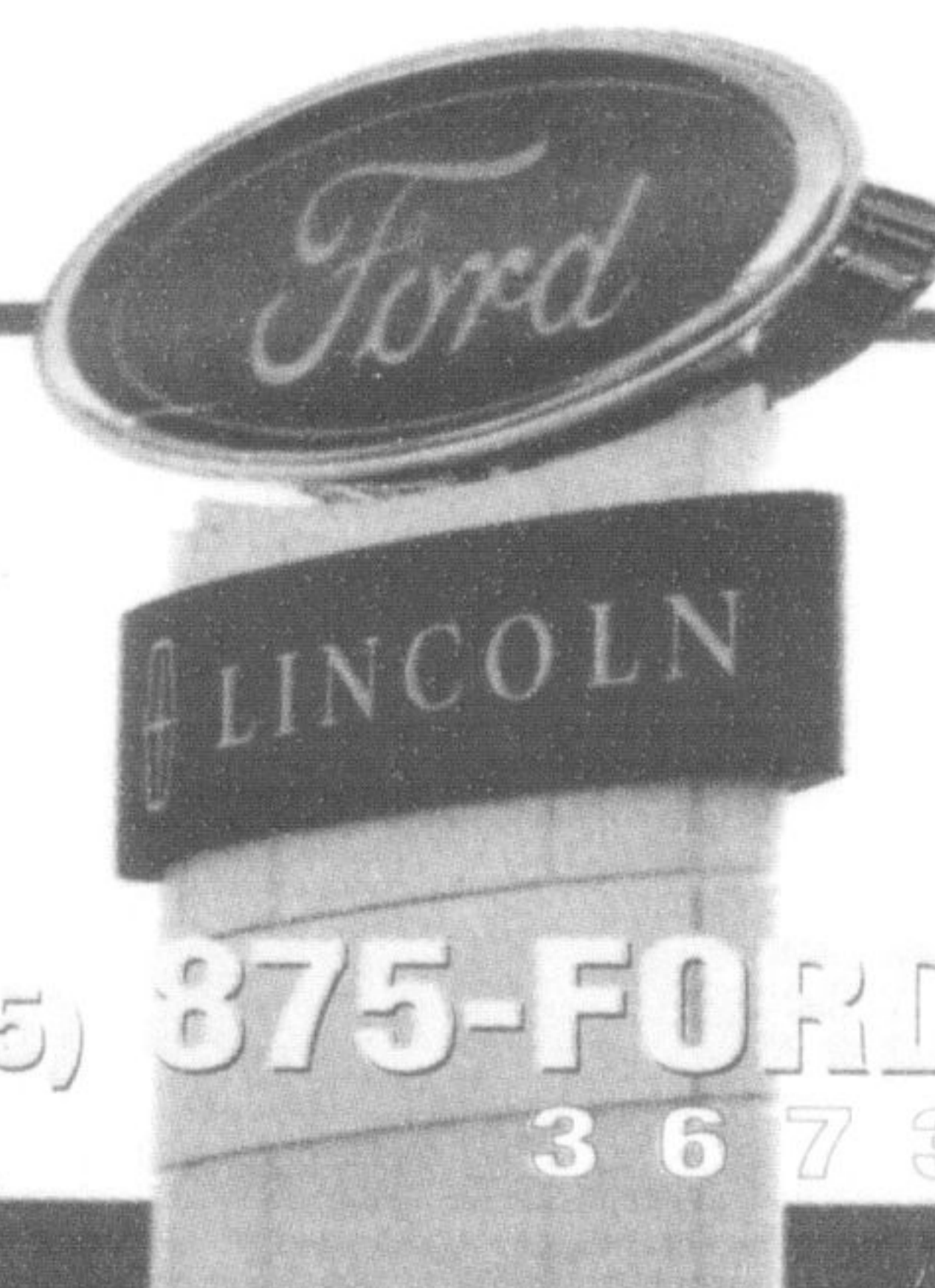
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