

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.

Notices for Dateline should be handed in at the office of The Champion, 875 Main St. E., faxed to (905) 878-4943 or e-mailed to miltoned@haltonsearch.com. The final deadline is noon Friday for Tuesday's edition and noon Wednesday for Friday's edition. Dateline items aren't accepted by telephone.

Saturday Sept. 9

The Khi Community of the Salvation

Army holds its fundraising **Quarter Carnival Day** from 3 p.m. until dark at Pineland Farms, 8300 Trafalgar Rd., just north of Hwy. 401. It includes games, a bouncy castle, a bake sale, vendors, cotton candy, face painting, balloon animals, a bonfire and more. For more information, call (905) 875-1022.

Euchre takes place at 7:30 p.m. at the Hornby Co-operative Nursery School. Everyone's welcome to attend.

The Milton branch of the Royal Canadian Legion holds a **meat roll** at the clubhouse, 21 Charles St., at 4 p.m.

Canadian Blood Services holds a **donor clinic** from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Milton Sports Centre, 605 Santa Maria Blvd. To book an appointment, call 1-888-2-

DONATE (1-888-236-6283).

Saturday Sept. 9 - 22

Literacy North Halton desperately needs volunteer tutors for its Read, Spell, Write Adult Literacy Program. No experience is necessary, and training is provided. It takes just three hours per week. For more information, call (905) 873-2200.

Sunday Sept. 10

Allendale holds its annual **Family Day Picnic** from 4 to 7 p.m. in the front parking lot off Ontario Street with a carnival theme featuring a barbecue, entertainers, games, prizes and more.

Nassagaweya Church, 3097 No. 15 Sideroad, just east of Guelph Line, holds its

annual **Community Breakfast** with continuous servings from 9 to 11:30 a.m. and games and activities for the kids. There's no cost and everyone's welcome. For more information, call Marilyn Coxe at (905) 876-3322.

Monday Sept. 11

Beaver registration for boys and girls aged five to seven takes place at 6:30 p.m. at Grace Anglican Church, 317 Main St. The club runs from September to June. Fees are \$175. For more information, call Gail at (905) 878-9048.

An orientation session for the **New Start Program** for Entrepreneurial Women — for women interested in starting their own businesses or refining their business skills —

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The Regional Municipality of Halton

Exhibit at the Halton Region

Job Fair . . .

Wednesday, Oct. 18, 2006
 Burlington Convention Centre
 1120 Burloak Drive, Burlington
 12 p.m. – 5 p.m.

- Promote Job Opportunities
- Meet Skilled and Motivated Job Seekers
- Receive Resumes on the Spot
- Registration and Parking are Free

Take Advantage of this Opportunity!!

Limited availability for companies dealing in commission based sales

For further information contact

Halton Region

905-825-6000, ext. 7121

or email: employmentservices@halton.ca

Business Development Centre

Upcoming Seminars, Workshops and Events

Starting a Small Business Information Seminars:

Mon., Sept. 11 (afternoon session) and Wed., Sept. 27 (evening session). As part of Public Library Week celebrations, Halton Region, in partnership with Oakville Public Library, is offering a special seminar to be held on Thurs., October 5 at the Central Branch Auditorium.

Consultant on Site Program: In partnership with Halton Hills Public Library, a business consultant will be available to meet with small business clients at the Halton Hills Library--Georgetown Branch on Thurs., Sept. 7, Thurs., Oct. 5, Thurs., Nov. 2 and Thurs., Dec. 7. Appointments must be booked in advance.

Access to Professionals – Ask the Expert: Professionals will be at Halton Region to answer your business questions on Tues., Sept. 12. Appointments must be booked in advance. (If you are a marketing professional, accountant or lawyer interested in assisting entrepreneurs in starting their business, please contact our office.)

Business Basics Seminar Series: In partnership with Burlington Public Library, this series is geared to the entrepreneur looking for the basics in starting their business. The series will be presented at Central Library. Participants can attend any or all of the seminars.

- Wed., Sept. 20 – Starting a Small Business
- Wed., Oct. 18 – Web Resources for Small Business
- Wed., Nov. 15 – Writing a Business Plan

Tool Box to Grow Your Business: In partnership with the Business Development Bank of Canada, this hands-on seminar on Wed., Sept. 20 will explain how business owners should prepare their company to apply for financing to grow their businesses.

Building a Marketing System: Learn how to build a marketing system that will relentlessly generate revenues for your business on Wed., Oct. 11.

Right from the Start Up: A seminar series for entrepreneurs who are thinking about or who have just started their own business. Entrepreneurs can attend any or all of the seminars.

- Wed., Oct. 11 – How to Create a Clear Business Vision and Business Plan
- Mon., Oct. 16 – 10 Low Cost Marketing Tools
- Wed., Oct. 18 – How to Cost and Price Your Products for Profit
- Mon., Oct. 23 – Understanding Financial Statements, Developing Sales Projections and Cash Flow Forecasts



Chairman
 Joyce Savoline

Halton Region helps businesses get it "Right from the Start up"

Are you thinking about starting or have already started your own small business? Halton Region wants to help you get it right. Join us for the "Right from the Start up" series, a seminar series specifically designed for people like you. Participants can choose to attend any or all of the seminars. Seminars are \$30/person/seminar, and are held at Halton Regional Centre from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.

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Space is limited, so register early. Contact Halton's Business Development Centre for more information, or visit www.halton.ca/business.

Halton Regional Meeting Schedule

Wednesday, September 13 - 9:30 a.m. - Regional Council