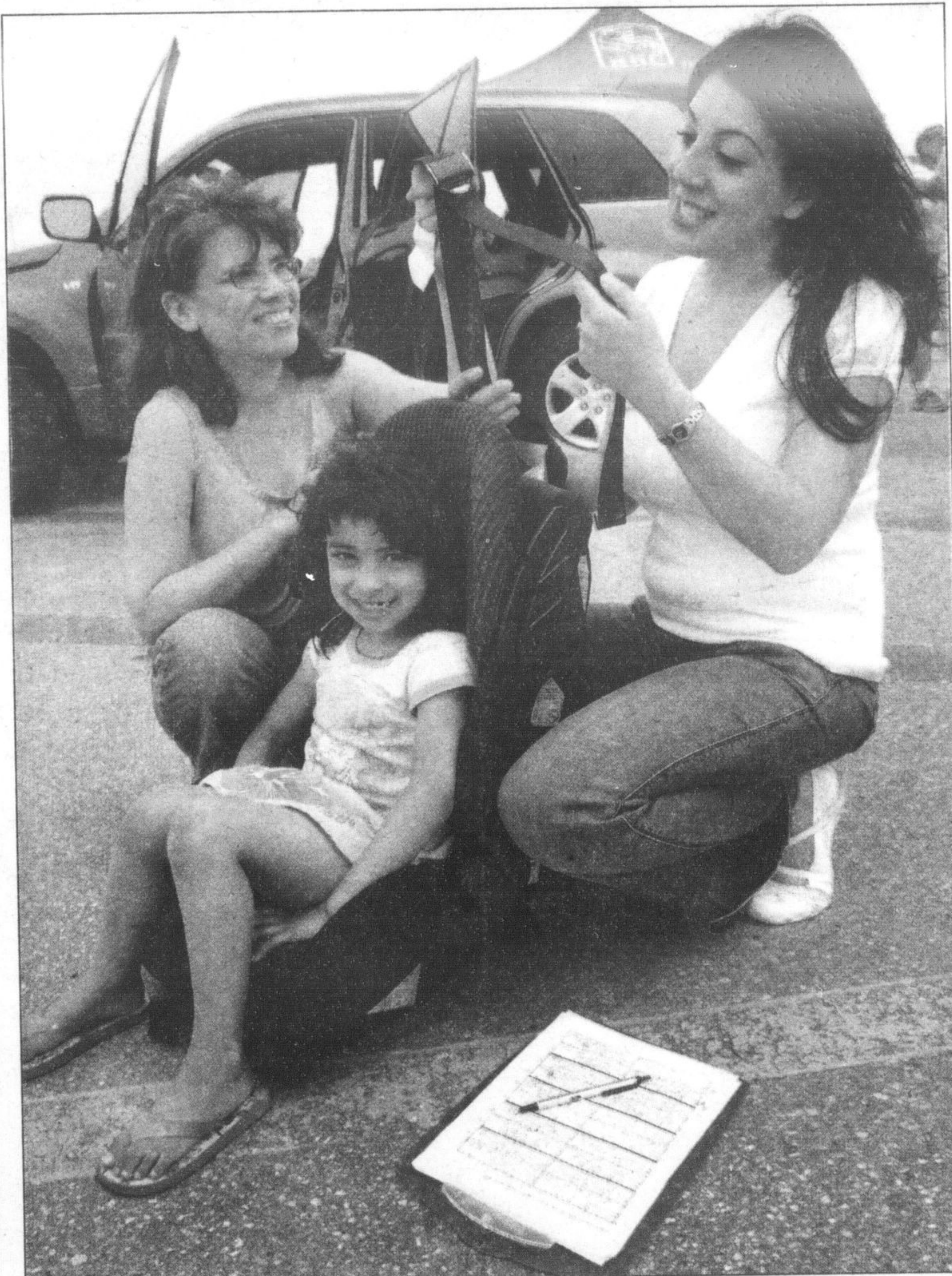


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SAFETY FIRST: RBC Insurance recently celebrated Community Week with a children's car seat safety clinic in the Milton Mall parking lot, with volunteers from St. John Ambulance checking and installing the car seats. Here Sabrina Mantel (right) and daughter Shae-Lyn, 5, go through the clinic, with RBC Insurance branch manager Lora Tanner helping out.

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GreenCart Summer Tips



At the Curb

- Put your GreenCart out at the curb every week, even if it is only partially full.
- Do not place your Kitchen Catcher or compostable bags at the curb; the Kitchen Catcher is more likely to blow away in the wind and compostable bags may leak or break apart, they are only meant as liners. Only put your GreenCart at the curb.

Avoid Odours and Pests

- Avoid insects and other pests by sprinkling a handful of salt, garden lime or powdered ginger in the GreenCart or Kitchen Catcher.
- Wrap food waste in newspaper or soiled paper towels or place in a cardboard box like a cracker or cereal box.
- Wrap meat and bones in paper and add additional layers of paper to the GreenCart each time you empty your Kitchen Catcher.
- To reduce odours, clean out your fridge the day before GreenCart collection.
- If space permits, store meat scraps in the freezer until collection day.
- Store your GreenCart where you store your regular garbage container (in the garage or at the side of your home). Keep it out of direct sunlight.
- Empty the contents of your Kitchen Catcher into your GreenCart daily.

Keep it Clean

- Wash your GreenCart and Kitchen Catcher with mild detergent as required. The Kitchen Catcher is dishwasher safe.
- To reduce odour and minimize mess, you can line your Kitchen Catcher and GreenCart with newspaper, cardboard, paper towels, a paper bag or a certified compostable bag.

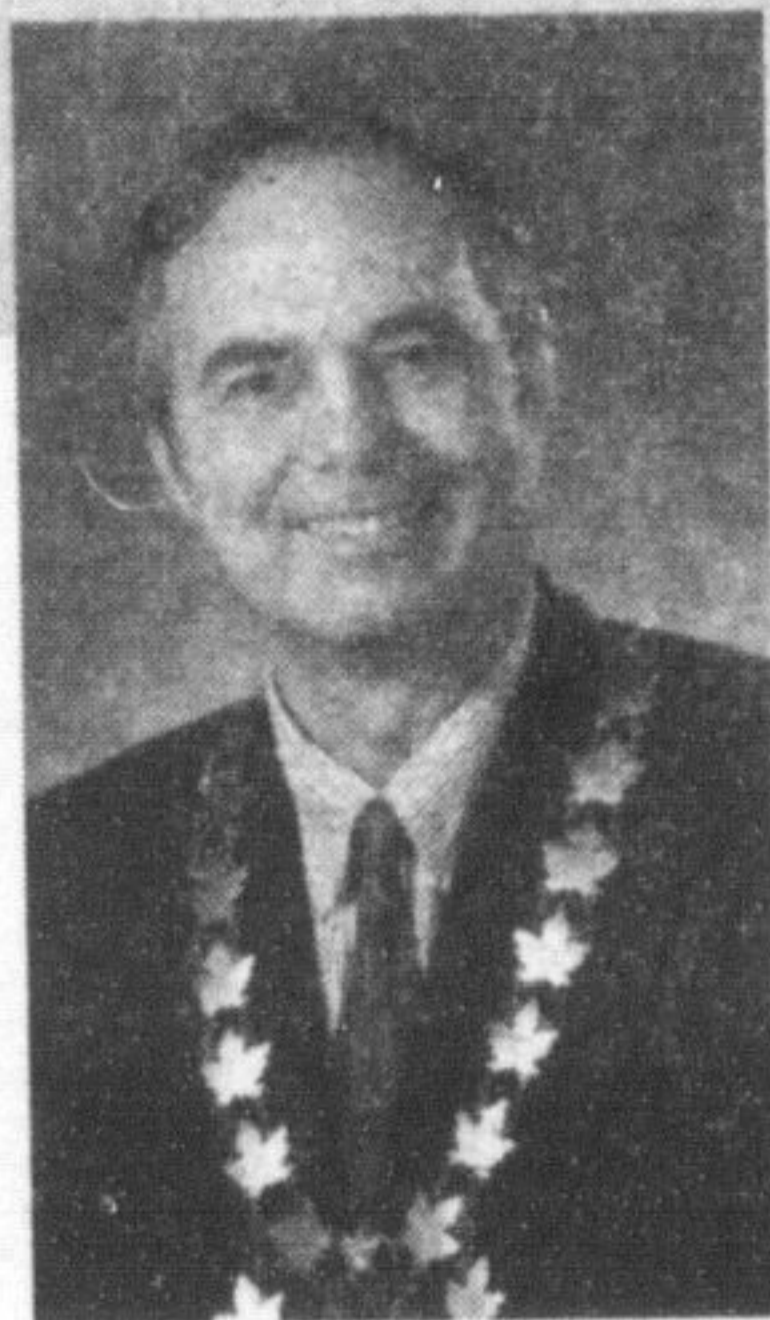
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Remember to Share the Road

In Halton Region, we are fortunate to have a beautiful natural environment with the Niagara Escarpment, Lake Ontario and an abundance of creeks, rolling hills, open spaces and trails. Many people like to get outside and enjoy nature by hiking or cycling.

I would like to remind everyone to share the road while traveling throughout Halton. Be safe, be aware and be courteous. Leave enough room on your right to pass cyclists safely and watch for pedestrians crossing the road.

To learn more about cycling in Halton Region or to obtain a copy of our cycling map visit our website, www.halton.ca/cycling. Thank you for sharing the road. Have a safe and enjoyable summer.



Gary Carr
Gary Carr - Regional Chair

Halton Regional Meeting Schedule

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| July 8 Health & Social Services 9:30 a.m. | July 9 Admin. & Finance Committee 1:30 p.m. |
| July 9 Planning & Public Works Committee 9:30 a.m. | July 16 Regional Council 9:30 a.m. |

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