



MDHS BIKE-A-THON started bright and early Sunday morning from the high school. It was promoted by the grade 12 ways and means committee to raise money for a trip to New York. On the first lap of their 25 mile ride are from left

Bill Russell, Marilyn Hood, Anne Lawson, Lucy LeDonne, Star Phillips, Chuck Graci, Maureen Devlin, Virginia Geist, Lindy Thomas and Jeanne Blacklock.

Library sets records circulation, members

Milton Central Library has been busy setting records, ever since the new library building opened on the site of the former Bruce St. School a year ago this week.

Circulation, services and membership are at all-time highs, reports Chief Librarian Shelagh Conway. Even the usually slack summer wasn't at all slack as members poured in and books poured out.

"It's not just books, we're noticing a general heavy increase in all the library's services," she said.

Circulation of materials (books, films, records) has reached 60,140 in the first eight months of this year, compared to just 43,702 circulation in the corresponding period of 1974 when the library was occupying cramped quarters in a former Main St. store. That's a 37 per cent increase!

Membership is also growing rapidly with 1,282 new members signed up to date in 1975 for an almost 100 per cent membership increase. Of these, 177 signed up in July and 155 in August, figures the librarian called "abnormal".

Film circulation reached 100 a month average this year, which is more than double the 1974 statistics. The lowest month for film rentals was April at 96—January was high at 132.

515 records in one month

Record circulation is averaging over 300 a month and ranges from a low of 110 to a high of 515 in that busy January.

Even film shows during the summer months played to larger than expected audiences. An average of 30 to 40 people attended free Friday night films. The preschool story hours through last winter were also successful, as a matter of fact they were all full and there was a waiting list of would-be participants.

Mrs. Conway said community service programs at the library are also highly successful. Hundreds have visited a Canadian Champion historical display in the local history room since labor day weekend, and there are 40 people signed up for a six week free lecture series on investments, wills and insurance.

More programs

A Canadian film festival got off to a successful start last week and continues Tuesday evenings to Sept. 30. Special programs in the future family film nights Oct. 6 and Nov. 4; a talk on ESP by Eileen Sonin Oct. 21, a talk on antiques and pioneer life in Canada by well-known author Una Abrahamson Oct. 30, a special evening dealing with fire safety in the home put on by Milton Fire Department Nov. 6, and a display of artist Frederick Coburn's work on loan from Hamilton Art Gallery Nov. 10 to 22.

Another family film night is scheduled Dec. 2 and a festival of Christmas music featuring Holy Rosary Folk Choir will be held Dec. 7.

Special children's programs are planned Saturdays from Sept. 27 to Dec. 13 including story hours, films, crazy crafts, puppet shows, a talk on caring for pets and a Hallowe'en program. Pre-schooler story programs are held every Monday at 2 and Wednesday at 10.30 a.m. and 2 p.m. starting the week of October 6. An eight-week series of discussion and film for mothers, "Understanding Your Child" starts Oct. 8 in co-operation with the Halton Health Unit.

Education Sunday observed by church

By Mrs. Cecil Patterson

A large congregation worshipped at Omagh Presbyterian church on Sept. 14 for Christian Education Sunday. Laura Marshall and David McCann read the scripture lesson and Mrs. Barry Cole offered the prayer. Rev. Rod Lewis was in the pulpit and for the children's story, told the history of the baptism font. Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Marshall presented their infant daughter Angela Marie for baptism. The choir rendered an anthem. Many visitors were welcomed to the worship hour.

The local 4-H Homemaking Club will hold the first meeting on Tuesday evening Sept. 16 at 6.30 p.m. in the church hall. The project is "Let's Bake Bread". All girls 12 years or over are welcome.

Birthdays

Birthdays greetings to Cheryl Wilson, Nancy Lawrence, Robert McKinnon, Mrs. Myrna Good and Michael Van De Boom.

Good wishes to those celebrating wedding anniversaries, Mr. and Mrs. Ed De Boer, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Pewtress, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Tasker, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pewtress 35 years on Sept. 21.

Anniversary services are at Omagh Presbyterian church on Sunday Sept. 28 at 11 a.m. and a fellowship hour is to follow the evening service.

Drumquin

Community Club reviews work

By Mrs. Cecil Patterson

The 54th annual meeting of the North Trafalgar Community Club was held on Sept. 11 at the home of Mrs. Alfred McCracken, Mississauga.

Twenty members were present and welcomed two visitors and former members Mrs. Fred Stephens of Troy and Mrs. Elmer McDowell, Milton. The president Mrs. Jim May opened the meeting with all singing the Ode and welcomed all to the first meeting since June.

Thank you letters were read from Mrs. Hasel Dalgleish and sons and Jack Miller who is in hospital. Several cards and gifts are to be sent to members, and a gift was to be sent to Mr. and Mrs. George Duncan celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary Sunday, Sept. 14.

Annual reports were given, which showed that four members had attended every meeting in the past year. These were Mesdames A. Ball, S. Barnstaple, J. May and E. Ball. The club had contributed to several local worthy causes and had helped with the Cancer Drive.

The treasurer reported that the club had raised their money by convening three euchres at Percy Merry school and had held a plant and white elephant sale, and that finances were adequate as the club prepares for a new year of community activities.

The retiring officers were presented with gifts for their untiring efforts during the past year, president Mrs. J. May, secretary Mrs. P. Vander Dussen, and treasurer Mrs. G. Leslie.

The nominating committee Mrs. J. Millar and Mrs. A. May presented the new slate of officers and officially installed them. A poem

"Nomination" composed by Mrs. Maybelle May was read and enjoyed by all.

The officers for 1975-76 are president Mrs. J. Hannah, first vice Mrs. Marion Leslie, second vice Mrs. J. D. Cordingly, secretary Mrs. Peter Vander Dussen, assistant secretary Mrs. S. Barnstaple, treasurer Mrs. G. Leslie, assistant Mrs. N. Sparling.

The newly elected president took the chair and presided for a brief meeting. Mrs. Dalgleish gave a report on the building of the new

Adult Rehabilitation Centre residence at Hornby. The construction is progressing well and the building should be finished by November. Several donations had been received.

The roll call was answered by the members telling how they had spent their summer vacation. At the close a dainty lunch was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held Oct. 8 at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Fred Near.

Congratulations and good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. George Duncan of Britannia Road on celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary Sept. 14.

Rev. Donald Cornish of the Bethel Church, Trafalgar Road, for anniversary service on Sunday, Sept. 21 at 10 a.m. Special music by guest choir.

Congratulations and good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ford Sr. celebrating their 52nd wedding anniversary and Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Jr. on their 16th anniversary.

Birthdays greetings to Englebert Nowak, Jennifer Northcote, Thomas Rippon (of Fort Saskatchewan), Ingrid Gott, Darryl Drewbrook and Bruce McMillan.

Okay new club signs

Milton Council's Community Service Committee agreed Monday night to have town works staff erect two signs at points of entry to the town. The signs have been paid for by the service clubs in town.

The large sign has smaller signs on it indicating that the Lions Club of Milton, Milton and District Kinsmen, Milton Optimists, Chamber of Commerce and Milton Rotary Club have clubs in town.

Rotarian Burke McNeill and Optimist Lou Berube said that the service clubs were willing to have planters built for the bottom of the signs if the town would provide maintenance for the plants.

Mr. McNeill noted that there wouldn't be any sense in putting the planters in unless the town did care for the plants. He suggested they would be left to wither and die otherwise.

The town declined to assure maintenance of the planters.

Remedial reading report filed

Following a brief presentation and a few questions from trustees Halton Board of Education members accepted a report from the ad hoc committee on remedial reading.

Among the committee recommendations were that the number of people employed to help children with reading problems be increased and that the readability of reading material in Halton schools be examined.

The committee also thought teacher training schools should place greater emphasis on reading and communications with parents concerning children's reading problems should be improved.

In addition, the committee wants testing procedures improved for diagnosing children with reading problems and greater consistency in reading training for Halton pupils.

MDHS riders in bike-a-thon

In just over an hour two of Milton District High School's bike-a-thon riders covered a 25 mile course Sunday morning. Rob Reed and Tod Corretti were two of 66 students who started the route from the school and of the 64 to finish.

A total of 71 students took part in the exercise with the hopes of collecting a total of \$1,500 in pledges. They are part of the grade 12 ways and means committee in charge of raising money for the student trip May 24.

Check points

Five of the students were located at check points throughout the route which went from the school to Campbellville, down Highway 25 to Drumquin and Boyne and back to the school. Teachers helping were Pat Zurbrigg, Dave Foster and Bob Pitt. The students are planning further fund-raising projects which include the sale of Hallowe'en candy in October.

We fix Sunday dinner seven days a week

Colonel Harland Sanders fixes Kentucky Fried Chicken for about a million folks every day. His chicken goes home with more people more often than any other chicken in the world.

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Lawn Party

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HALTON HILLS INDOOR SWIMMING POOLS

Recreation swimming schedules for 1975-June 1976

ACTON POOL (853-3140)

MISS ANNE PICKERING, POOL SUPERVISOR

Monday	Family and Adult	7.00-8.00 p.m. 8.00-9.00 p.m.
Tuesday	Public	7.00-8.00 p.m.
Wednesday	Adult	9.00-10.00 p.m.
Thursday	Family and Adult	7.00-8.00 p.m. 8.00-9.00 p.m. 9.00-10.00 p.m.
Friday	Public	7.00-9.00 p.m.
Saturday	Public	2.00-3.30 p.m.
	Family and Adult	3.30-5.00 p.m.
Sunday	Public	1.30-3.30 p.m.
	Family and Adult	3.30-5.00 p.m.

GEORGETOWN POOL (877-7721)

MR. VIC STODDART, POOL SUPERVISOR

Monday	Public	7.00-8.00 p.m.
Tuesday	Adult	8.00-9.00 p.m.
Wednesday	Family	6.00-7.00 p.m.
Thursday	Adult	9.00-10.00 p.m.
Friday	Public	7.10-8.30 p.m.
Saturday	Family	6.00-7.00 p.m.
	Public	7.10-8.30 p.m.
	Adult	2.15-3.15 p.m.
Sunday	Public	2.10-4.00 p.m.
	Family	7.10-8.30 p.m.
	Teen	8.30-9.30 p.m.
	Senior Citizens	1.30-2.30 p.m.
	Public	2.40-4.30 p.m.
	Family	6.00-8.00 p.m.
	Adult	4.30-6.00 p.m.
	Adult	8.00-9.00 p.m.

Note: Adults are also welcome during Family swims

Car-cow accident termed "act of God"

Harris Elliott of R.R.1 Campbellville and his wife were motoring down the Guelph line last Wednesday night when their car was in collision with a cow. A "large cow" according to Milton O.P.P.

No one was injured in the accident, but the cow valued at \$200 left this life shortly afterwards.

The Elliott's 1967 Dodge received \$900 in damages to the front end when it piled into the rear of the cow. The animal was standing in their lane, police said.

And if that's not enough to ruin a week, the Elliott's found out later the accident may end up costing them some money.

Same insurance company

Mrs. Elliott said Monday in an interview both they and the owner of the cow, John Simpsone of R.R.1 Campbellville, are insured with the same firm.

A flabbergasted Mrs. Elliott said the insurance company told her 45-year-old husband that he will have to pay the \$900 to repair the car, as the collision with the cow was "an act of God".

"We thought this whole thing was funny at the time," she said, "but we sure don't now."

They have retained a lawyer to contest the insurance company's ruling.

The accident occurred at 8.45 p.m., one-half mile south of No. 20 Sideroad, police said. It was dark at the time.

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Friday, Sept. 26, 8 p.m.

GRANDSTAND — MILTON FAIR GROUNDS

\$300 in cash prizes plus Chamber of Commerce Trophy for overall best performance.

SIX ENTRY CATEGORIES:

- Vocal
- Dance
- Instrumental
- Elocution, drama, stand-up comedian
- Novelty acts
- Under 12, all categories

Mail your entry form to The Canadian Champion, 191 Main St. Milton by September 25.

Name: _____ Phone: _____
Address: _____ Age: _____
Category: _____

Admission Fees — Children (12 & under) \$.25
Students (13-17) \$.35
Adults (18 & over) \$.50
Families (immediate only) \$1.25
Sauna (Acton pool only) \$.50

Public Swimming Memberships — (good for 365 days) Children (12 & under) \$13.00
Students (13-17) \$18.00
Adults (18 & over) \$25.00
with Sauna (Acton only) \$30.00
Families (immediate) \$55.00
with Sauna (Acton only) \$60.00

Rental Fees

The pools are available for rentals outside program times. Contact the pool supervisors for further information. \$10.00 initial fee; \$15.00 0-20 people; \$20.00 20-75 people; \$25.00 76-150 people.

Lockers

Lockers are available in changerooms for checking clothes and valuables. Cost: one dime. NOTE: The Recreation and Parks Department is not responsible for articles brought to, or lost in the Pool.

Please note that lockers are attached to the high schools in their respective community.