

# A Salute To



Marg Hynds

**YMCA**  
OF GREATER TORONTO  
Children's Services  
*A part of the family*  
225 Ontario Street South  
Milton, Ontario L9T 2M5  
878-1602

If you're looking for a fun and exciting place for your child to spend his or her summer, you need not look any further than the YMCA. Under the control of Director Marg Hynds, the "Y" offers programs for children from ages 2 to 12. Marg has 18 years experience in the early childhood education field and is accompanied by a fully qualified staff of 16 early childhood educators.

Full and part-time programs are available in daycare, nursery school and summer camp. The YMCA stresses the importance of positive interaction between children and between the caregiver and child in a healthy learning atmosphere.

YMCA Daycare and Summer Camps "It's Where Kids Belong."



Carole Murray

**CAROLE MURRAY'S SWIM ACADEMY**  
  
& SWIM BOUTIQUE  
250 Bronte St. S., Milton 878-9747

Every child can learn to swim. It's a natural progression, like learning to walk. When swimming becomes second nature at an early age, the child never develops a fear of the water. In stead, the growing child develops confidence, self-esteem and a love for swimming.

Parents can feel secure around water knowing their children are strong swimmers. Other sports are great, but if a child doesn't learn to swim, he or she has only a slim chance of surviving a fall into the water.

Swimming is a leisure activity which everyone can enjoy, especially in our warm water (90° F). At Carole Murray's Swim Academy we provide a safe, reassuring environment, where everyone, both adults and children, learn to swim and develop their skills.

All instructors at the school are fully qualified to teach, and share my belief that gentle encouragement and individual attention are the keys to success.



Myrna Twiss



**TWISS FUELS LTD.**

32 STEELES AVENUE,  
UNIT 15, MILTON  
878-6380

Since 1978 Twiss Fuels has been serving the heating needs of Milton residents. Standing behind the motto "Your comfort is our business", Myrna Twiss believes that customers should be treated the way she would like to be treated herself. That is why Twiss Fuels continually strive to upgrade the product and service they provide to their customers. In recent years new technology and computer know how have enabled them to identify customer needs before problems arise.

This combined with such services as 24 Hour Emergency Service, energy efficient testing, installations and equalized billing; Myrna Twiss and Twiss Fuels have identified the needs of their customers and dealt with them head on.



Lisa Clouter

**RICHARDSON CHEVROLET OLDSMOBILE**  
HWY. NO. 25, S. at Derry Road  
Milton, Ontario  
878-2393

When Lisa Clouter answered a Richardson Chev-Olds Wanted ad for an automotive salesperson in August of 1995 she had no idea what lay ahead, but she was looking forward to the challenge. Almost one year into her new career, Lisa is convinced she has made the right choice. Having left a business background to raise a young family, Lisa has adapted to the automotive industry with ease. Lisa has been a Milton resident for five years. She feels Milton is the perfect community for combining a career with the responsibilities of raising a family. When not on the floor of the car dealership, Lisa can be found either coaching her children's baseball team or playing on a local ladies team. Lisa feels GM offers a line of vehicles that are definitely "Tried, Tested and True" and will continue to be through the '90's and beyond. For a friendly car buying experience and a salesperson with a smile, come to Richardson Chev-Olds and see Lisa Clouter.



Melissa DeBrouwer B.Sc.

**Donaldson Bourgon Financial Services**  
"The Investment Centre"  
875-DBFS  
101-310 Main St. E.  
Trafalgar Square, Milton

Melissa came to Donaldson Bourgon in 1994 from a large tax planning firm. Melissa strives to involve each client in a detailed information exchange session, after which goals are set. Analyzing existing financial situations as well as the new goals will create a blueprint of how to proceed, along with a way to measure progress. Flexibility and an appropriate degree of safety are fundamental to Melissa's strategy. Accredited use of the Asset Allocation Analyst Software assists Melissa in achieving these strategies, making portfolio selection more objective.

Donaldson Bourgon Financial Services has been in business in the Milton area for 9 years. Some of the services provided include Mutual Funds, GICs, Group RRSPs, Individual RRSPs and RRIIFs, Life and Disability Insurance, Estate Planning, Tax Planning, Labour Sponsored Investment Funds and Tax Sheltered Investments.



Donna Melnechuk

**HALTON PARTY**



RENTAL

885 MAIN ST. E. TEL: 878-5750  
FAX: 878-6000

If in two and a half years as proprietor of Halton Party Rental, Donna Melnechuk has learned one thing; it is to be prepared for anything. Last minute changes and strange requests just go with the territory, but it is just part of the excitement that Melnechuk loves about the party rental business. A subsidiary of Halton Rent-All, Halton Party Rental provides items for weddings, banquets, business meetings, barbecues, company picnics and has even been sighted placing numerous pink flamingos on local resident's lawns on special occasions. The North Halton area and specifically Milton accounts for about 99% of Halton Party Rental's business. Donna recognizes the importance of customer service saying, "we are only as successful as the customer's opinions of our service." Judging by the sincere thank you cards she receives, customer's opinions must be positive.



Theresa Scharbach & Susan Kret

**Aquarius Hair Design**  
460 Steeles Avenue  
Dorset Park Plaza  
Milton, Ont.  
878-8637

As I began to speak to Theresa Scharbach she mentioned that one of her original customers had just left... that customer has been coming to Aquarius Hair Design for 21 years and according to Theresa she is not unique. Theresa and her business partner of 15 years Susan Kret attribute their longevity to their love of the community. From their 460 Steeles Ave. (Dorset Park Plaza) Location they have watched the community grow around them. Aquarius hair Design offers a range of hair care services from cutting and perms to highlights. Recently, they have introduced an esthetics service that operates with the salon. Aquarius carries hair care products from Joico, Matrix Biolage and Paul Mitchell. If you're looking for that perfect hair style for a wedding or formal event Aquarius is the right choice. Theresa and Susan are continually taking courses to upgrade their knowledge of the ever changing hair care and fashion world. They are also proud of their staff, Melissa, Kathy, Gayle and Erin. They welcome new customers and look forward to continuing a healthy relationship with their present clients.



June Wilson

**Decorating Den**



875-2617

You would probably think that being a busy mother of five would be more than enough to fill your days. Five children has not slowed this energetic woman down; she also has her own interior decorating business. June Wilson is very passionate about her decorating projects and puts her heart into each one. If you have any decorating projects on the go just call June, she will bring window treatments, custom bed spreads, fine furniture, wall coverings and floor coverings into the comfort of your own home. June will also deliver one more thing; the services of a professional decorating consultant to pull it all together for you. Plan to attend one of Decorating Den's monthly interior design seminars. They are free and provide some very effective home decorating tips. Watch for details in September when it comes to home decorating service, don't be bothered running all over town. Just call June!



# Women in Business