



**JUST FOR KIDS:**  
 Nine-year-old twins Lisa and Sara Oikawa take a peek inside the Ginger Bread House before its official opening last week at Oakville Place last week. The Gingerbread House is open for children (ages 10 and under) from Tuesday to Friday from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. All items are \$10 and under (including tax) and 10% of the proceeds goes to the Halton Children's Aid Foundation. Santa's elves are also available to provide free gift wrapping and tagging.  
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**CHRISTMAS CALENDAR**

Oakville Big sisters looking for volunteers to help with two major fundraisers, *Charity Gift Wrap* and *Stuff A Stocking*. Individuals, religious groups, students, businesses and others welcome, over 100 volunteers needed to gift wrap, bag candy and delivers bags of candy. Call Susan at 338-0238.

**WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 8**  
*Carolling in the Park*, with Oakville Chorists and Salvation Army Citadel Brass Band, and Santa Claus, at George's Square, 7:30 to 8:30 p.m., hosted by St. John's United Church, 845-0551.

**SATURDAY DECEMBER 11**  
*Grace Chapel Christmas Café*, Dec. 11th and 12th, 4 to 7 p.m., Pilgrim Wood School, 1551 Pilgrim's Way. Lobby transforms into marketplace - greenery, lights, flavoured coffees, holiday goodies, cider, popcorn, festive music, photos with Santa, magician, Elves Workshop, discover Baby Jesus. Call 827-5011.

Oakville Suzuki Association holds *Suzuki Strings Christmas Concert*, 3 p.m., at Glen Abbey United Church, Nottinghill Gate and Upper Middle, at 3 p.m. Concert to feature young violin, viola and cello students, and new advanced fiddle group, the Oakville Ceilidh Fiddlers. Free admission.

*Christmas Bazaar*, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., St. Joseph's Portuguese Church, 2451 Bronte south of Hwy. 25. Arts and crafts, hand crocheted lace doilies, table coverings. Lunch.

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