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Residents recognized for accomplishments in the community and beyond

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She said she was pretty sure with was women from the church who were behind her nomination.

"This is a special evening when we celebrate you," Thompson told the volunteers assembled.

He also pointed to the importance of volunteerism on a national level. People who give their time in Canada contribute five times what the Gross Domestic Product for the country comes to, he observed.

"I want to give you a big 'thank-you' for everything you do," he added. "I don't think we say 'thank you' enough."

"I see how active and engaged our volunteers are in our community," Dufferin-Caledon MPP Sylvia Jones remarked.

She added she sometimes asks people why they volunteer.

"It always comes back to 'I want to give back to my community,'" she said.

Other people were recognized in certain categories.

Those being recognized for community and social services included Marylin Adams, for her years as a community services representative for Caledon Community Services (CCS); Sonia D'Almonte, for creating an interactive program for pre-teen children, promoting development of life skills, financial literacy and entrepreneurial spirit, as well as being very busy organizing the Mayfield West Spring Fair; Gary Hall, who has volunteered with CMOW since 2007, delivering meals, helping with special events, as well as serving the board and governance committee; Linda Hall, for delivering meals from 2008 to 2105, and since helping out with Seniors' Wellness Programs; Helen Hydon, who has put in more than 1,300 hours at Bethell Hospice over six years, where she has become known for her caring heart and her willingness to part of every Sunday; Jane Lyndon, who has volunteered her time at CMOW for 12 years and in the Bethell Hospice kitchen for eight; Nora Martin, who as volunteered with both Caledon Seniors' Centre, where she's served as president, and Bethell Hospice, where she's a board member; Elizabeth Morton, who is known as a key volunteer, delivering for CMOW; and Barb Reynolds, who has offered much support over the last six years to the CCS food support program.

Those being recognized for their contributions to sports and recreation included Diana Nicholson, who has served as a coach, coordinator and on the executive of the Palgrave Youth Sports Group; Sherry Thomas, who has been involved in girls' hockey for more than 15 years, now serving as vice-president of the Caledon Coyotes; and Leigh Wingfield, who has been coaching with C3 Running for more than five years, and has recently become chairman, increasing the number of programs the club offers.

Those being presented with Arts and Culture Awards were Marion Johnston, who has been chair of the Albion-Bolton Agricultural Society's Decorating Committee for 10 years, adding creativity and colour to AGMs, Fall Fairs and other community events; and Shawna Ward, who has been involved in the Caledon Agricultural Society for 15 years, volunteering as a junior director, associate director, convenor, fair ambassador and director.

The Town added a category for Environmental Leadership this year. It's aimed at recognizing people who have made sustained efforts to enhance and preserve Caledon's environment in various areas, including air quality, natural ecology awareness of climate change, conserving resources, supporting local food production and encouraging sustainable transportation habits.

Those being recognized included Satya Evolve, who has been working with ecoCaledon for five years, establishing Unify Caledon and working to reduce the energy footprint in town; Richard Hunt, who has been involved in the Bolton and District Horticultural Society for more than 20 years, has lead beautification projects and contributes to the planting of thousands of trees; Jonathan Love, who has volunteered with ecoCaledon for five years, contributing to Unify Caledon and Walk the Talk Caledon; Kay MacDuffee, who continued to teach the community through ecoCaledon and numerous environmental campaigns; and John

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Kay MacDuffee received congratulations from Councillor Doug Beffort for her environmental work.



Community Events

A directory of what's happening in our community

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FRIDAY, MAY 5
Wellness, Interaction, Social and Exercise (WISE) is a health promotion and social program for seniors (55+) happening at the Palgrave United Church Friday mornings. Low impact exercise/falls prevention session starts at 9:30 a.m. with regular programming with refreshments starting at 10:15. Call 905-857-7651 for more information.

An evening of euchre is held the first and third Friday of the month at Terra Cotta Community Hall. Play will start at 7 p.m. sharp. The cost is $3 per person, and proceeds raised will go to the operation of the hall. For more information, contact John or Cheryl at 289-344-0033.

TUESDAY, MAY 9
Adjustments After Birth: This support group is for mothers needing additional support following the birth or adoption of a child meets from 10 a.m to noon. Registration is required. Group and child care are offered free of charge. To register, call the Caledon Parent-Child Centre at 905-857-0090 or email jvanandel@cp-cc.org

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 10
100 Women Who Care Caledon will be holding their next meeting at the Caledon Ski Club, West Lodge. Registration begins at 7 p.m. with the meeting to follow at 7:30 sharp. Visit the website at www.100womenwhocarecaledon.com or Facebook for more information and to register. Guests are always welcome.

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'Bolton and District PROBUS Club presents Katie Sawyer, administrator at Caledon 55+ Adult Programs, outlining the services offered to that group in Caledon. It will start at 9:45 a.m. at Albion-Bolton Community Centre, main auditorium. Everyone is welcome. Refreshments will be served.

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New General Manager at the Citizen

By Mike Pickford

There is a new, experienced face taking over the reins at the Caledon Citizen and other area newspapers, as London Publishing is pleased to announce Doug Rowe as its new General Manager for the Headwaters region.

Also responsible for the Citizen's sister papers in Orangeville and Shelburne, Rowe is experiencing something of a homecoming in what is a return to the Orangeville area — almost 16 years on from a stint with another area publication.

"It's great to be back in the area again after almost 16 years away," he said. "My wife and I met a lot of great people here in Orangeville that turned into lifelong friends. We have a lot of great memories of this place."

"Orangeville is also the birthplace of our daughter, who is now off to college, so it's really nice for us to be able to return to our roots a little bit and rediscover a community we grew to love," he added.

Rowe brings with him a wealth of management-level experience in the newspaper industry, having last managed several publications spread throughout southwestern Ontario. In his new role with London Publishing, he is keen to build on the Citizen's longstanding reputation as the true voice of the community.

"We have great newspapers each with fantastic, dedicated staff who work hard to deliver the best local news to their respective communities," Rowe said. "I look forward to coming in and reconnecting those communities and building on the success of all of our great, local newspapers."



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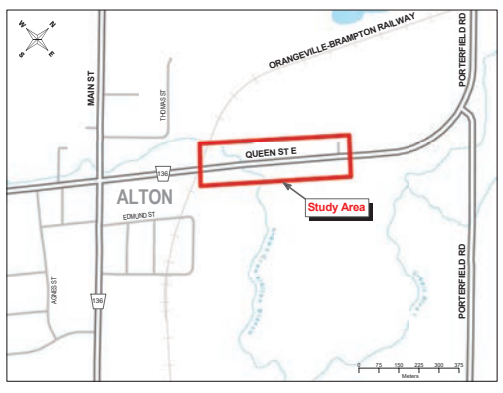
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With the exception of personal information, all comments will become part of the public record of the study. The study is being conducted according to the requirements of the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment, which is a planning process approved under Ontario's *Environmental Assessment Act*.



Councillor Gord McClure congratulated Aysia Maurice for many athletic achievements, including running up the stairs of the CN Tower in a time of 12:53.4.

Athletes recognized by Town

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MacRae, who has been active with a variety of programs over the last eight years, including the Waste Water Education Program, Climate Change Program, Paint a Picture for Water Conservation and Walk the Talk Caledon.

The Town also expressed thanks to volunteers who have served on various committees of council, including Kathleen Linch (Accessibility Advisory Committee), Doreen Beffort (Caledon Council Community Golf tournament Committee), Patti Foley (Caledon Public Library Board), Michael Gallo (Committee of Adjustment), Ian Anderson (Heritage Caledon), Gail Grant (Seniors' Task Force), Margot Scott (Seniors' Task Force) and Georgina Singh (Seniors' Task Force).

There was recognition for athletes who have gained success beyond the borders of Caledon, including nationally and internationally.

Yann Candele made his Olympic debut last year in Rio in equestrian show jumping, where the team just missed the bronze medal; Emma Everett finished the 2016 outdoor track season ranked first in the province and sixth in Canada in the 1,500-metre Steeplechase; Ashley Lawrence, who was a member of the bronze medal team in soccer in Rio last year; Aysia Maurice, who set Athletics Ontario records in the under-13 1,200 and 2,000 metre events, and the under-14 2,000, and who ended the year ranked at the top in the province in the bantam girls' 1,000 and 2,000 metre events, and climbing to the top of CN Tower in a time of 12:53.4; Tess Routliffe, who competed in several Paralympic events at Rio, winning a silver medal and setting a Canadian record in the womens 200-metre individual medley; Kelly Russell, who won Olympic bronze in rugby, and represented Canada in multiple Rugby Canada matches; and Andrew Yorke, who finished as one of the top 50 triathletes in the world at Rio.

Distinguished Citizen recognition went to Svetlana Lazareva, a new Caledon resident who has made several contributions tot he community over five years, including founding the ImmPress Institute which helps new Canadians, as well as helping new Canadians integrate to the culture; and Jason Scorcia, a highly-decorated special Olympian who has released an adult colouring book and has worked to raise awareness and funds for the Special Olympics Canada Foundation.



Mayor Allan Thompson and Community Champion Joanne Davis joined to cut this ceremonial cake.

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Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Schedule 'A+'

Various Locations – Structure Rehabilitations/Replacements

You are invited to an open house:

DATE: Wednesday, May 17, 2017
TIME: 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm
LOCATION: Caledon Community Complex – Lion's Den
6215 Old Church Rd, Caledon East, ON L7C 1J7

THE STUDY:
The Town of Caledon has initiated a study for the following locations. This study is intended to address the current structural deficiencies in order to prolong their service life, and to enhance roadside safety for the below mentioned locations.

Chinguacousy Road (3 Locations)
For the Detailed Design of the replacements of the Chinguacousy Road Culverts, approximately 0.45 km, 0.8 km and 1.1km south of Old School Rd.

The Grange Sideroad
For the Detailed Design of the rehabilitation of The Grange Sideroad Bridge, approximately 0.4 km east of McLaughlin Rd.

Amelia Street
For the Detailed Design of the rehabilitation of the Amelia Street Bridge, approximately 0.03 km north of Queen St. W.

Mill Lane
For the Detailed Design of the rehabilitation of the Mill Lane Bridge, approximately 1 km east of The Gore Road

Castlederg Sideroad
For the Detailed Design of the rehabilitation of the Castlederg Sideroad Culvert, approximately 0.5 km west of Mt. Pleasant Rd.

East Garafraxa/Caledon Townline
For the Detailed Design of the rehabilitation of the East Garafraxa/Caledon Culvert, approximately 1.7 km east of Shaws Creek Rd.

Duffy's Lane
For the Detailed Design of the rehabilitation of the Duffy's Lane Bridge, approximately 0.03 km south of Patterson Sideroad.

THE PROCESS:
The Municipal Class Environmental Assessment process (October 2000, as amended in 2007, 2011 & 2015) is approved under the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act and allows municipalities to follow a Class EA process when undertaking municipal infrastructure projects. The aforementioned projects are being carried out as a Schedule 'A+' undertaking. A Schedule 'A+' activity is pre-approved under the Class EA by the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change and the project can be implemented upon public notification of the project.

If you have any questions or comments about the project, please contact one of the following Project Team Members for more information.

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National Summer Safety Week is running from May 1 to 7, and the Canada Safety Council would like to remind Canadians about the inherent risk of being around water, the steps that can be taken to mitigate disaster before it occurs and the importance of taking swimming lessons.

In 2013, the last year in which full data is available from the Chief Coroner's and Medical Examiner's offices, there were 456 unintentional water fatalities in Canada. This represents a decline from 2012, and the second-lowest number of fatalities since 2004. Over the five-year timespan from 2009 to 2013, unintentional water fatalities account for a yearly average of 1.4 per 100,000 Canadians.

According to the Lifesaving Society, the underlying demographic information continues to stay static, with the most represented groups in these statistics remaining people between the ages of 20 and 24 (accounting for 9.6 per cent of the total in 2013,) people over the age of 65 (19.3 per cent) and men (81.4 per cent average over the last five years.)

A disproportionate amount of these fatalities occur as a result of recreational activities, including more than a quarter of all fatalities occurring while boating. Many of these fatalities involved alcohol consumption, which can impair judgment, reaction time and sense of balance. Not only is drinking and boating illegal, but it's also not smart. Don't do it.

Perhaps unsurprisingly, 82 per cent of those involved in boating-related fatalities were not wearing personal flotation devices. Lifejackets save lives. Having one present in the boat but not accessible in emergency situations isn't effective or useful. If you're planning on being near water, wear your lifejacket. You never know when something unexpected might happen and you're thrown in the water involuntarily.

To that point, only 25 per cent of unintentional fatalities were the result of aquatic activities where the victim intended on being in the water. This highlights quite clearly the importance of knowing how to swim. In an emergency, it's critical that you know how to get your head above the surface of the water and to keep it there. If you're anything less than 100 per cent confident in your swimming abilities, take swimming lessons. It's never too late, and it's a lifelong skill that may very well end up being the difference for you some day.

Drowning deaths are tragic and entirely avoidable, whether it's in relation to an unsupervised two-year-old child in a private pool, a 23-year old man on a boat or a 72-year old woman drowning in a bathtub. Do your part to keep yourself and those around you as protected as possible. A person can drown in just a few short seconds and very quietly. Be on hand to help in an emergency, and ensure that someone else is around for you. Together, we can make a difference.

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Serious collision on Dixie Road

A 57-year-old Caledon woman is in hospital with major injuries after a two-vehicle collision Monday afternoon on Dixie Road.

Caledon OPP reports the incident took place at about 4:50 p.m. north of Mayfield Road. They said a white Toyota Corolla was heading south when it collided head-on with a blue Ford Focus that was heading north. The Caledon woman was driving the Ford. The driver of the Toyota, a 27-year-old woman from Brampton, received non-life threatening injuries.

Police said the investigation is continuing, and charges might be laid. They are asking anyone who might have witnessed the crash to contact Constable Michael Overgaard at 905-584-2241.

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Emergency preparedness starts with everyone

Natural disasters may be beyond our control, but there are ways to reduce the risk and the impact of whatever emergency we may face, whether natural or human-induced.

Emergency Preparedness Week (May 7 to 13) encourages Canadians to be prepared to cope on their own for at least the first 72 hours of an emergency while rescue workers help those in urgent need.

By taking a few simple steps, one can become better prepared to face a range of emergencies.

It is important to:

• Know the risks specific to your community.

• Make a plan — it will help you to know what to do.

• Put together a 72 hour emergency kit. During an emergency, you will need some basic supplies. An emergency preparedness guide is available at www.caledon.ca/en/live/resources/fire/Emergency-Preparedness-Guide.pdf

• Visit www.getprepared.ca or www.caledon.ca/fire for more resources to help you and your family prepare for all types of emergencies.

Caledon Fire and Emergency Services encourages everyone to take concrete actions to be better prepared. Experience has shown that individual preparedness goes a long way to help people cope better, both during and after a major disaster. Get an emergency kit now — it can make a world of difference.

Caledon Fire and Emergency Services encourages residents to stop by to learn more about personal preparedness at the Bolton Canadian Tire May 12, from 5 to 9 p.m. and Bolton Home Depot May 13, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.



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Thanks to all the vendors who made the 2017 Caledon Home and Lifestyle Show a success, with a special thank you to Mars Canada who inspired our dog friendly show.



Our door prizes were supplied by Motor Home Travel and Canadian Tire.



James Dick Construction sponsored the Alpha Dog exhibit and the Meals on Wheels booth.



Banas Stone and Fleming Realty helped sponsor the book sale/penny raffle area.



Save the Date Business Excellence Awards – October 19, 2017

Once again the Caledon Chamber of Commerce is taking nominations for businesses and professionals whose business achievements or community involvement has made significant contributions to the economic and social well-being of the Town of Caledon.

Businesses and individuals are nominated and recognized in multiple categories that look to highlight the best and brightest in Caledon. The Business Excellence Awards remain a great opportunity to shine a light on those selected for their excellence as well as being the perfect occasion for informal networking with fellow business friends and colleagues.

For information on all events visit www.caledonchamber.com or email info@caledonchamber.com

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PAMA celebrates Museum Month with exciting programs and events

May is Museum Month at the Peel Art Gallery, Museum and Archives (PAMA).

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New May programs, events and workshops

What Makes this Country Tick? is a community art project with drop-in opportunities to create. It is running May 7 from 1 to 4 p.m., with displays going from May 4 to Aug. 31.

Share your favourite symbols or images of Canada by submitting an artwork that will be part of a community art project displayed at PAMA. Create your piece at PAMA on the activity date or at home. Artwork will be installed as they are received between May 4 and August 15. Check PAMA's website for full details.

Messages and Media will be the topic of an archives tour and talk tonight (Thursday) from 7 to 8:30 p.m. In this expanded edition of the exhibit of written correspondence, Archivist Samantha Thompson reflects on writing and technology that will make people think about how they communicate. A private viewing of the exhibit follows an informal talk interwoven with intriguing historical facts and images of a large array of communications documents. This event is included with the cost of admission.

The Art of Yoga for people aged 16 and older will also take place tonight from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Need relaxation? Join the art of yoga and let it all go. Bring your own yoga mat. All skill levels are welcome. Inspiration for each yoga practice will be based on current art gallery exhibitions. This program is included with the cost of admission.

Brampton Folk Club will present a musical evening entitled Winds Blowing and Waters Flowing, backed by a changing line-up of local musicians. it will be May 11 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Experience an in-the-round concert with stories for Canada 150. This event is included with the cost of admission.

The theme for Family Fun Days in May will be Journeys. The next day is May 20 from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Family art and yoga will run from 1 to 2:30 p.m.; family art and stories will be from 2:45 to 3:45 p.m.; the family tour will be from 4 to 4:30 p.m. and the family fun activity and colouring room will run all day. These activities are included in the cost of admission.

There will be a Journeys Comic Making Workshop that day from 1 to 3 p.m. Take a journey and be inspired by Terry Fox in this comic book-making workshop led by local artist Ricky Lima. Learn the art of storytelling, idea brainstorming and comic book panel composition. Join this fantastic workshop and get comic book creative. The cost is $29.75 for members of PAMA and $35 for non members.

Artists Open Studio

Calling all artists and art lovers! Come together to work in an open studio setting May 25 from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Work independently, share or collaborate in this supportive studio environment. All art forms are welcome. Bring your own supplies, no solvent based materials. Free admission to studio only.

There will be a reading and book signing with Steve Paikin, author of Bill Davis, Nation Builder and Not So Bland After All. It will be May 25 from 7 to 9 p.m. It promises to be an engaging evening with the chance to discover things you didn't know about Brampton Billy. William Grenville (Bill) Davis represented Peel at Queen's Park for 26 years and was the Premier of Ontario from 1971 to 1985. This event is included with the cost of admission.

There will be a Journeys Comic Marathon (drop-in) May 27 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Let your stories come to life in this comic book event with local artist Ricky Lima. Get ready to be an illustrator and be part of this marathon journey. The cost of this drop-in program is included with admission.

A Drawing Workshop will take place May 28 from 1 to 3 p.m. These art workshops are ideal for all skill levels — from the curious to experienced artist. Take part in hands-on activities and be inspired by the exhibitions and collections at PAMA. The cost is $29.75 for members and $35 for non-members.

Take in an artist talk with Charles Pachter May 28 from 3 to 4 p.m. He will be in conversation with PAMA's Art Gallery Curator Thomas Smart. This talk is included with the cost of admission. Enjoy his thoughtful, contemplative, ironic, humorous and deeply personal stories about his journey as a Canadian artist.

PAMA is a place to explore and learn about Peel Region's culture and heritage, as well as use conversation, questions and stories to help make new and fascinating connections to the surrounding community. Operated by the Region of Peel, PAMA is at 9 Wellington St. E. in Brampton. Visit pama.peelregion.ca to learn more.

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Bob Parkins Quartet at CrossCurrents

Bolton's own Bob Parkins will return to the CrossCurrents Cafe stage tomorrow (Friday).

When he last performed at CrossCurrents, the audience gave his band a standing ovation. They had covered a broad spectrum of jazz, with effortless mastery. This time, he's bringing the vibraphone, for a classic jazz sound rarely heard today.

Since coming to Canada in 1969, Parkins has played in many jazz groups, including a spell on vibes in the early 1980s with the Art Ellefson Quintet.

The Bob Parkins Jazz Quartet includes Bob Hewus on bass, Justin McHugh on drums and Jake Franiczek on guitar.

CrossCurrents cafe operates out of Bolton United Church at 8 Nancy St. (use side entrance). The doors will open at 7:30 p.m. and the music will start at 8.

Admission is free, but donations are accepted.

Steak and Lobster fest coming May 27

The Bolton and District Lions will be holding their 31st annual Steak and Lobster Fest.

It will be May 27 at Albion-Bolton Community Centre.

Dinner will be from 6 to 9 p.m., followed by dancing until 1 a.m.

Tickets are $60 each. Call 905-857-1711 for information or to order tickets.

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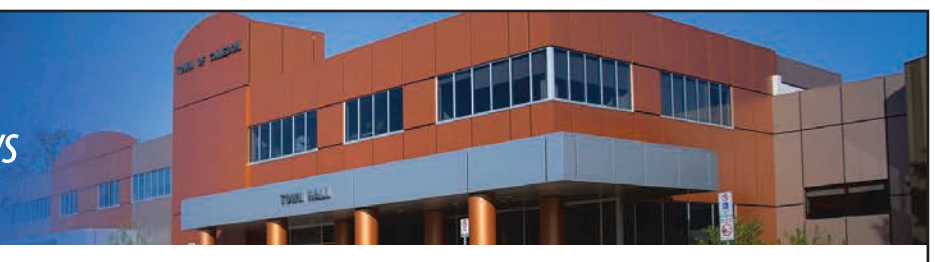
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2016 TOWN OF CALEDON Financial Highlights

The financial highlights have been extracted from the Town's 2016 Audited Consolidated Financial Statements which can be found on the Town of Caledon website

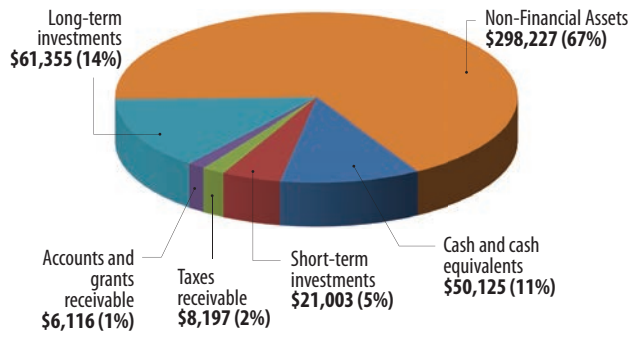
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Balance Sheet

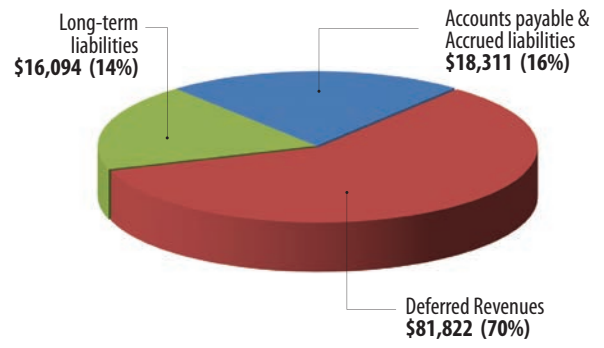
The following highlights outline the Balance Sheet as at December 31, 2016

Assets	$445,023
Liabilities	($116,227)
Net Worth / Accumulated Surplus	$328,796

WHAT WE OWN (ASSETS)



WHAT WE OWE (LIABILITIES)

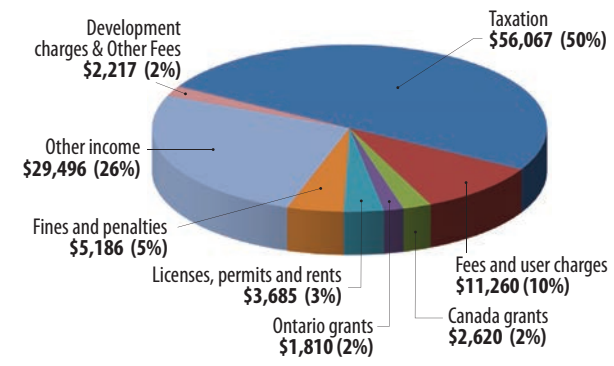


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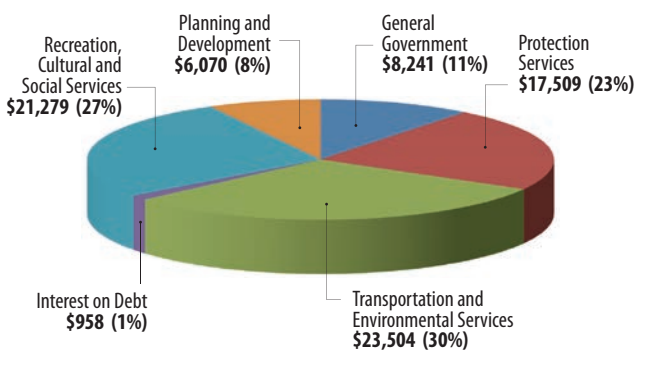
The following highlights outline the sources and uses of money for 2016 operations.

(all figures in thousands of dollars)

WHERE THE MONEY CAME FROM (REVENUES)



WHAT THE MONEY WAS USED FOR (EXPENSES)



The next property tax installment is due Thursday, May 4

Never worry about a missed payment again! Visit www.caledon.ca/tax and sign up for our pre-authorized payment plan.

If you have not received your interim tax bill, please call us at 905.584.2272 x.7750. Failure to receive a tax bill does not excuse a taxpayer from responsibility for payment nor relieve the taxpayer from liability to pay penalties and interest.

Late payment charges are applied one day following the due date and on the first day of each following month while property taxes are outstanding. Town of Caledon staff do not have the authorization to waive penalties or interest charges.

www.caledon.ca/tax

There are several other options for paying your taxes:

- Pay by telephone or internet banking with your financial institution.
- Go to **www.plastiq.com** and pay by credit card (a small service fee applies).
- Drop off a cheque in our 24-hour drop box at Town Hall.
- Visit Town Hall during business hours, Monday to Friday, and pay in person (Cash, Cheque or Debit only)
- Mail a post-dated cheque to us at 6311 Old Church Road, Caledon ON L7C 1J6

Your opportunity to serve

The Town of Caledon is seeking one (1) community-minded resident to serve on each of the following

- **The Accessibility Advisory Committee**
- **The Seniors' Task Force**

The **Accessibility Advisory Committee** provides recommendations and advice in accordance with the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA) regarding matters which have a direct or indirect impact on accessibility with the Town of Caledon.

The **Seniors' Task Force** advises Town staff on the development and implementation of the Town's Older Adult Strategic Plan. The Task Force may also provide advice regarding older adult matters within the municipality as needed.

Application deadline: Friday, May 26, 2017, at 4:30 p.m.

For more details about each position, including eligibility requirements, please visit **www.caledon.ca/committees.**

Half-load Season (March 15 to May 15)

Update (April 19, 2017) -- To protect Town roads during the spring thaw, half-load restrictions remain in place on all GRAVEL roads until May 15. Vehicles are restricted to a maximum of 5 tonnes per axle.

For PAVED roads, however, half-load restrictions have been lifted as of April 19, 2017.

Questions? Call Infrastructure Services at 905.584.2272 x. 4328 or visit **www.caledon.ca/roads.**



Kennedy Road reconstruction notice
(King Street to Olde Base Line Road)

Please note: Kennedy Road will be reconstructed from King Street to Olde Base Line Road. This work will include replacement of all cross culverts and road reconstruction with asphalt and paved shoulders. Temporary lane closures are expected, however, access to private property will be maintained. For more information about road construction projects in Caledon, visit **www.caledon.ca/roads**.

Scheduled start to end date: May 1, 2017 -September 1, 2017



Volunteer Firefighter Information Sessions

Caledon Fire and Emergency Services invites you to learn about opportunities as a Volunteer Firefighter.

DATE & TIME:	**Thursday, May 4, 2017 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.**
DATE & TIME:	**Saturday, May 13, 2017 9:00 - 10:30 a.m.**
LOCATION:	**Caledon East Fire Station 6085 Old Church Road Caledon East**

For information on minimum qualifications and requirements visit:

www.caledon.ca/fire-recruitment

Now recruiting for the following stations:

Alton, Bolton, Caledon East, Cheltenham, Inglewood, Palgrave, Valleywood, Mono Mills and Caledon Village.

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Our Readers Write

Thanks from O'Reillys

The O'Reilly family would like to sincerely thank the Caledon Citizen for publishing the article on the new Father Eugene O'Reilly Park.

We are proud of our ancestor's achievements, but also realize Wildfield has a rich heritage tapestry and there are many other early leaders worthy of recognition. And, in fact, the City of Brampton does have plans to name other parks after individuals who contributed to the community. With the never-ceasing onslaught of development throughout the Greater Toronto Area, it is imperative that the efforts and contributions of the people who came before us are commemorated and not erased by urban sprawl.

A formal dedication of the park, at 20 Leo Austin Rd., will be conducted May 28 at about 3 p.m.

Dan, Phyllis, David and
Eugene O'Reilly, Theresa and
Mary Rickett
(and a long list of cousins)

Shaughnessy acted improperly

It's nice to see that the Town of Caledon has not been forgotten when it comes to the phenomenon of "fake news."

I refer specifically to the letters to the editor that have been published in this newspaper over the past two weeks regarding the Integrity Commissioner's investigation against Ward 1 Regional Councillor Barb Shaughnessy.

This is an organized campaign by a dozen or so people to distract from the real issue of Shaughnessy's improper behavior towards numerous Town staff and two Regional councillors.

Eleven staff members who were represented by the Chief Administrative Officer Mike Galloway, and the two Regional councillors finally had enough and had the courage to come forward and ask the Integrity Commissioner to investigate. His report is clear — he found that Shaughnessy had acted improperly, clearly stated his reasoning, and applied sanctions.

No one is trying to muzzle Shaughnessy from representing her constituents to the best of her ability. What people are objecting to is her style and personality which is too often outright bullying, or to use the term from the report, intimidation.

To say that Shaughnessy was not given time to respond is nonsense. She had 10 full days to respond to the complaints and, it may be news to these supporters, she did so.

As clearly stated by most of the councillors, they took no glee in dealing publicly with this issue, but nevertheless voted 6-2 in favour of the report. The truth is there for everyone to see. Now let's move on to the numerous issues of real concern to the citizens of Caledon.

Duncan McCallum,
Ward 1,
Town of Caledon

Rotary Club of Palgrave's Weekly Rotary Minute

By Ross Farrelly

Every year, Rotary International (RI) holds an international convention where it elects the people who will lead Rotary for the following year.

This year, the convention will be held in Atlanta and the following year it will be in Toronto. This is a major event and usually draws 20,000 people or more from around the world.

Over the years, Kathy and I have attended RI conventions in Orlando, Brisbane, Salt Lake City, Chicago, Montreal and Lisbon. Due to its size, the convention is able to attract keynote speakers such as Ted Turner, Bill Gates or even Dolly Parton. All of these people do have a unique connection to Rotary and do not often speak to groups.

Another important part of the convention are smaller pre-conventions of the various Rotary programs, which we have attended due to our participation in the Rotary Youth Exchange program. The Youth Exchange preconvention was where many of our contacts were made which allowed us to add new countries to the exchange program. It is also really reassuring to the parents of outbound students to be able to be told that you have met the people who are in charge of the exchange program.

Another important part of all conventions is the House of Friendship, where all of the Rotary programs have displays and you can easily spend a few hours wandering, rather than attend one of the many breakout sessions that are also available.

The Toronto convention is very close to us, do plan to attend.

If you are interested in learning more about Rotary and how you can help create and foster moments of impact here in Caledon and around the world, please visit www.rotaryclubofpalgrave.com for more information on our Club and all the wonderful ways you could get involved.

How's your trivia?

By Bill Rea

1. What Canadian Prime Minister's face appears on the $50 bill?
2. Who was the first American President born in Illinois?
3. In what city was the '70s sitcom All in the Family set?
4. Prince Edward Island was named after Prince Edward. Who was his only child?
5. Who played the title role in the 1970s TV crime drama Kojak?
6. The Town of Caledon consists of five wards. In which ward would you be in if you were standing in the middle of Caledon Equestrian Park?
7. What is the capital of Alberta?
8. Who commanded the last manned mission to land on the moon?
9. What was the last horse to win the Canadian Triple Crown?
10. In the 1965 motion picture The Sound of Music, who played the role of Captain Georg von Trapp?

Answers

1 — William Lyon Mackenzie King; 2 — Ronald Reagan; 3 — New York; 4 — Queen Victoria; 5 — Telly Savalas; 6 — Ward 4; 7 — Edmonton; 8 — Eugene Cernan; 9 — Wando (2003); 10 — Christopher Plummer

It happened today

It was meant as a protest against President Richard Nixon's announcement that more men would have to be drafted to support the expansion of the war in Vietnam.

But the authorities were worried, and National Guardsmen were sent in. For some reason, 28 of them opened fire on the crowd, killing four and wounding nine.

The shootings at the campus of Kent State University took place this day, May 4, 1970.



Rhinos are worth the effort

There was a story in the news last week that I found rather amusing, while also being a bit depressing.

On the other hand, it just might be another case of reality as Nature makes her way through time.

It seems when it comes to the northern white rhinoceros, there are only three remaining. One is a male named Sudan, and the other two are females. And there are efforts to bring these critters together, let one thing lead to another, and maybe keep the species going. The efforts, from what I have read, include signing up Sudan with a dating app. What has anyone to lose?



Bill Rea

I like to think I have a decent layman's grasp of science, thus it is certainly limited. But from what I do know, I have to wonder if these efforts to repopulate the species are going to amount to much. The DNA pool seems rather small. But then again, miracles have been known to happen.

Please bear in mind that we're referring to the northern white rhino, which is a subspecies of the white rhino. Although the rhinoceros population throughout the world is not too abundant, we're currently only thinking of this one small group. According to Wikipedia, this surviving trio belongs to the Dv□r Králové Zoo in the Czech Republic but live in the Ol Pejeta Conservancy in Kenya and are protected round-the-clock by armed guards.

I'm operating on the assumption that the assertion that there are only three of these critters left is accurate. While one must assume that it must be pretty hard to miss a rhino (I didn't see one in person until I was in my early 30s, but more about that later), one has to face reality that their numbers are very low. Poachers have certainly taken their toll, but I also have to wonder if we're seeing out the scenario that Nature has planned. Some species of animals simply disappear because they do. I don't think we can blame poachers, or humanity in general, for the fact that none of us have seen a brontosaurus recently.

But the fact that these beasts are on the brink of extinction is depressing, no matter who or what is responsible.

Like so many people, I have a certain love for animals. That is more on an emotional level, as I appreciate that they play a significant role in the beauty of this world. Intellectually, I am the first to admit that my scientific knowledge of animals amounts to very little.

I used to fish a lot when I was a kid, but I haven't done that in more than a quarter of a century, and I'm not likely to take up the activity again. As I got older, my conscience balked at the thought of making sport by forcing fellow creatures to fight for their lives.

So the thought of a species being on the brink of extinction fills me with a certain amount of grief.

And the fact we're dealing with rhinos hits home with a bit too.

We're dealing with one beast that has always fascinated me.

I had been unaware that there was any such thing as a rhinoceros for the first couple of years of my life. I was in either Grade 1 or 2. An acquaintance of my mother had unloaded a bunch of books on her, and one of them was a picture book about zoo animals, and the rhino was prominent among the creatures featured. I will never be able to explain why I was so intrigued, but intrigued I was. Yet it was many years before I actually saw one.

I think it was in 1989 when a group of friends of mine were gathering together to visit what was then known as the Metro Toronto Zoo. I joined the group (a last-minute decision) and had a great time. There was a connection with one of the senior officials with the zoo. This fellow was able to get us in for free, got us onto one of the trains that toured the grounds, and by the end of the day, he arranged a behind-the-scenes tour of the zoo for the few of us who stuck out for the duration (not many — it was a long day). We got to engage in many activities, like feeding carrots and apples to a huge hippopotamus. The delightful creature even spat up on my hand. The next time you shake hands with me, remember that hand you are so warmly grasping was once covered with hippo goober. How many men do you know can brag about something like that, or want to?

But the day also memorable because I got to see a rhino for the first time. The group of us were leaning against the rails of the rhino pen, gazing at these magnificent beasts. I recalled my younger days, and let myself be filled with awe.

And then I dropped my sunglasses into the pen.

I briefly toyed with the idea of hopping the fence into the pen and retrieving the glasses, then scrambling out. I was much younger (and much more agile) in those days, and I am confident that I could have accomplished that task. But I also remembered I was guest of the zoo administration, and what I was contemplating would probably not have gone over well. Proper channels are in place for a reason, and my common sense told me to respect them in that instance.

I told one of the keepers of my problem, and he said he would take care of it. A couple of minutes later, I watched as he strolled, rather casually, through the rhino pen as if he were walking through a playground. The rhinos took no notice. I got my glasses back.

I'm not too optimistic that these efforts to introduce Sudan to parenthood are going to succeed, but it's worth a shot. These creatures are too impressive to give up on.

Results from last week's poll:

Do you think the Integrity Commissioner's report on Councillor Barb Shaughnessy was justified?

CaledonCitizen WEBPOLL
www.caledoncitizen.com

a) Yes — 82%
b) No — 18%

The results of this poll are in no way considered to be valid or infallible.

THIS WEEK'S QUESTION

The Provincial government came down with its budget last week. Is the government doing a good job of managing your tax dollars?

a) Yes
b) No

Go to the website and cast your vote!

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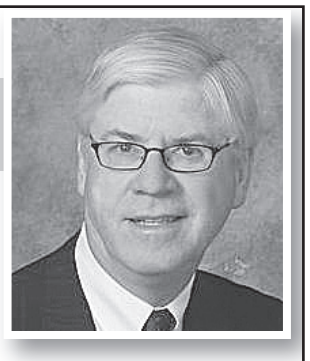
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U.S. imposes duties on softwood lumber

OTTAWA JOURNAL

David Tilson
MP Dufferin-Caledon



The U.S. Department of Commerce recently imposed countervailing duties as high as 24 per cent on Canadian softwood lumber imports.

This measure understandably raises serious concerns for the Canadian forestry industry and is yet, another example of the Liberal government's failure to take action to protect Canadian jobs and grow Canada's economy by failing to negotiate a new Softwood Lumber Agreement when it expired last fall. It's most unfortunate the current government's inaction of the last six months now places almost 400,000 Canadian jobs at risk.

Our previous Conservative government negotiated the Softwood Lumber Agreement by the end of April 2006, within just three months after coming into office, to solve the last softwood lumber dispute. It was also our previous Conservative government which negotiated an extension of the deal in 2012, to ensure market stability through to October 2016 when the agreement expired. We recognized the significant contribution the forestry sector makes to the Canadian economy, as it generates approximately 370,000 direct and indirect jobs in Canada. In 2014, 66 per cent of Canadian softwood exports were shipped to the U.S. Furthermore, 96 per cent of all softwood lumber imports into the U.S. are from Canada. Currently, Canada holds approximately 27 per cent of the U.S. market and the 2006 Softwood Lumber Agreement, negotiated by our previous Conservative government, capped the Canadian share at 34 per cent.

Instead of taking swift, decisive action to negotiate a new agreement like our previous Conservative government did when it came into office, the current Liberal government failed to take action last year and has now put whole communities that rely on the lumber industry at risk. The current government has a track record of failing to create jobs, grow the economy, and has now also failed forestry workers and their families, jeopardizing their livelihoods. Canadian forestry workers deserve stability and predictability from their government, which they haven't received from this Liberal government.

Sadly, negotiating a new softwood lumber agreement has never been a priority for the current Liberal government. In addition, there is no leadership and no mention of securing a new agreement in any of the Ministers' mandate letters. However, at this time last year, the current Liberal government proclaimed "a real breakthrough on softwood lumber" with the previous U.S. administration and yet, we now face another softwood lumber crisis. What's worse is that the current government has pitted one region against another forcing some provinces to appoint their own U.S. envoys instead of demonstrating leadership on the issue.

The current Liberal government has once again failed to provide leadership to Canadians — this time for forestry workers and their families through its inaction to negotiate a new softwood lumber agreement. The Canadian lumber industry should be able to count on the government to provide stability and predictability, but instead have received inaction, which has resulted in a crisis. Canadians deserve better from their government.

Budget continues to expand Ontario's enormous debt



FROM QUEEN'S PARK

Sylvia Jones
MPP Dufferin-Caledon

The Liberal government introduced their 2017 budget April 27.

The presented budget showed with certainty that the government is misleading Ontarians on the state of our province's debt a year before the next election.

To be clear, despite the government's claims, this is not a balanced budget. This does not address the massive debt that Ontario has accumulated under the McGuinty and Wynne Liberal governments. Since the Liberals took office in 2003, they have increased the debt from $139 billion to $312 billion this year. The government is hiding a more than $5 billion operational deficit through cash grabs, one-time revenue like the selloff of Hydro One, and unauthorized pension assets, which the independent Auditor General said the government cannot count towards their bottom-line. This means that the debt is currently projected to be at $312 billion, and is expected to go up an additional $24 billion in the next two years.

The important question is why does this matter to you and your family? The problem with growing debt is that it's "crowding out" paying for the services we need and deserve, meaning the larger the debt becomes the more the government takes away from services to pay the interest on the debt. In practical terms this means that the province now pays more in debt interest ($12 billion) than they spend on post-secondary education ($8.4 billion) and community safety ($2.8 billion) combined. With interest rates at record lows, the cost of servicing that debt is only set to rise in the future.

The second problem with the growing debt is that we increasingly burden future generations with a massive debt obligation. Currently each and every Ontarian is responsible for $22,103 for the province's debt. That $22,103 is enough money to buy a new car; two and half years worth of groceries for the average family or 11 years of gas money for the average family.

The budget also failed to address the hydro crisis this government created. The government's scheme will do nothing to address the root cause of the hydro crisis: bad energy contracts which lock taxpayers into 20-year contracts for overpriced wind and solar power; the fire sale of hydro one and out of control executive contracts, like the CEO of Hydro One making $4.5 million in 2016.

In the end, the government's approaches to the debt and hydro are not what Ontarians need. Ontarians need real action on these issues that does not just kick the can down the road.

Balanced budget? Don't believe it!



NATIONAL AFFAIRS

Claire Hoy

It was the late American children's author and illustrator Robert McCloskey who wrote: "I know that you believe you understand what you think I said, but I'm not sure you realize that what you heard is not what I meant."

Obviously, McCloskey was not speaking of last week's Ontario Liberal budget. But he could have been.

For the main lesson the Liberals wanted to come out of that pre-election exercise is "we have balanced the budget. Hurrah for us!"

They hope that by making this specious claim — and repeating it over and over from now until the election next fall — Ontario voters actually will believe they understand what they think the Liberal message was.

But anybody who takes the time to go beyond the partisan talking point will realize that what you heard them say bears little, if any, relationship to the truth of the matter.

As a self-admitted small "c" conservative, I am routinely first in line to cheer on any government that actually does balance its books. But, alas, the only way the Liberal budget could be called "balanced" is for everybody to set aside everything they know about debt and spending and buy into this transparent attempt by the Liberals to present themselves as responsible guardians of your tax dollars.

Put it this way. Say you discovered, after years of borrowing to make ends meet, that your income and expenses for a year finally match. But before you break out the champagne to celebrate this happy development, you have to head down the street to your friendly banker to borrow money to keep your household going. Add to that, your history of building up a debt load for year after year — making the cost of just servicing the debt, not paying it down, your third most expensive item — and you may have second thoughts about celebrating your fiscal brilliance.

The debt — which has led to Ontario's credit rating being diminished (which means paying even more money to borrow) — has skyrocketed under Liberal rule, and is predicted to increase by $64 billion — that's billion, with a "b" — to an astronomical $370 billion by 2020-21 – is a serious load on both current and future taxpayers. But if you don't count it as an expense, well then, bring out the champagne and celebrate.

In order to claim a balanced budget, the Liberals pulled out every actuarial trick in the book. Fact is, public borrowing will increase by another $10 billion this year alone, added to the $180 billion they've already piled onto the debt so far. But their budget doesn't count this as an expense because — wait for it — borrowing will be for "investments" (which is what politicians like to call "spending") on capital assets. The fact that it's still spending and still one of the costliest parts of overall spending doesn't matter when you're out to con the public.

Not only that, the Liberals included one-time sales of various assets to prop up their revenue stream and make it appear as if they are doing better than they are.

With Premier Kathleen Wynne at a historically low 11 per cent in recent public opinion polls — and Liberals publicly grousing about the possibilities of dumping her before the next election (and Wynne herself insisting she's not going anywhere) — it is not surprising the Liberals are so desperate for good news that they'll try anything.

And so it was they trotted out even more large spending proposals, including a plan to provide free drugs to Ontarians 24 years old and younger and adding 24,000 new licensed child care spots, among other things.

The pharmacare plan brings back memories of the late Larry Grossman, then health minister under premier Bill Davis, who, with his party facing a tough upcoming electoral fight, introduced a plan to offer "free" drugs for seniors.

Like the "free" drugs for kids Liberal plan, it too was supposed to be a relatively modest expense. But, like pretty well all government programs, it too grow'd like topsy and quickly became one of the costliest parts of the health budget. Look for the Liberal plan to do the same. Why? Because they start modestly, but then people say "what about my drug?" And, rather than put a lid on it, the politicians give in, and before long what was meant to cover a few drugs ends up including thousands.

And so it goes.

Which is why even during the halcyon years of Ontario being the engine of Canada, Bill Davis never managed a balanced budget either. Then again, unlike Wynne, he didn't claim that he did.

Lots of grant money available

By Erin Britnell,
Senior Analyst
Town of Caledon Strategic Initiatives

What type of organizations do you typically think as eligible for grants?

Not-for-profits? Of course. Governments? Absolutely. Businesses? Umm . . .

Every grant program has its own restrictions, but yes, there are opportunities available for businesses if you know where to look. It's said that there is no such thing as free money, which is true, but put some effort into a good grant application, and you may be rewarded.

So where should you look to see if there is grant program that is right for you? Some great places to find grant opportunities for businesses include:

• The Canada Business Network (canadabusiness.ca/programs/). Operated by the government of Canada, this site lists more than 800 grant, financing and loan programs for businesses across Canada. You can search by industry and by province to narrow down your options.

• The Ontario Grants Portal (www.grants.gov.on.ca/GrantsPortal/en/OntarioGrants/GrantsHome/). The Ontario government has a tool for searching all grant programs offered by the Province, which you can also narrow down by grants which are most applicable to you.

• Community Improvement Plans (www.caledon.ca/cip). The Town of Caledon has Community Improvement Plans in place in Bolton, Caledon East and the Six Villages to help businesses to improve their properties' facades, landscaping, or redevelop the site.

• There are also private companies and foundations that offer grants or contests for innovative ideas or business start-ups. The best way to find these is to identify organizations that match your company's purpose. For example, if you have a company with environmental goals, look for foundations or companies whose focus is also environmental.

So how does one access these grants? Grants often have a reputation for being tedious and bureaucratic. To make your grant writing experience a bit easier, here are five tips for writing a great application:

• Alignment. Grant programs will have specific goals or problems they are trying to solve. Make sure you are applying to programs where your business goals align with the grant program's goals, and that your application clearly shows how.

• Follow Directions. Be sure to follow directions on the application. If it says a maximum of 200 words, do not write 201. Especially if they are submitted online, your submission might be cut off at the word maximum and all the great things you said afterwards will not be considered.

• Clear language. Assume the reader knows nothing about your business or your industry, so the more readable the application is the better chance of success. Think of it as a pitch to an investor versus a grant.

• Don't give up. You might have to apply to multiple applications, in hopes that one will be successful, but stick with it and continue to refine your application.

• Proofread.

If you still have questions, or are struggling to identify opportunities, our Economic Development team is happy to help. Contact us at edc@caledon.ca or 905-584-2272, ext.4286 to set up a consultation.

Acrow's modular steel bridge used in award-winning project

Acrow Bridge of Bolton, a leading international bridge engineering and supply company, announced that a project featuring one of its modular steel bridges has received an award from the Ontario Public Works Association (OPWA).

The City of Vaughan was presented with the 2016 Project of the Year Award in the Disaster/Emergency Construction/Repair, Less than $2 Million Category at an awards ceremony recently.

The project that won the award was a temporary bridge on King Vaughan Road across the Humber River. Because the existing single lane bridge was under-capacity for normal truck traffic, it was necessary for these vehicles to travel a longer route. More urgently, the bridge could not accommodate fire equipment, so an immediate solution was needed. A modular steel structure purchased from Acrow was selected as a long-term temporary solution while a new permanent two lane bridge is planned.

The 21.3 meter-long by 3.6 meter-wide single lane bridge was selected in part because of Acrow's ability to design and deliver the structure in a tight time frame. This was made possible by using components available from stock and because it was a typical configuration which Acrow has used on other projects. The project was completed in a two-week window in December 2015 and is currently in place. Another feature of the project is that the temporary bridge could be converted to a permanent two lane structure by adding new components, which would reduce the cost of an entire new bridge.

"It was a pleasure working with Acrow Bridge on this project," Jack Graziosi, Vaughan's director of infrastructure delivery, said. "The staff were very cooperative and provided excellent technical support throughout the procurement and the installation of the bridge."

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Saga continues over ruling against Shaughnessy

By Bill Rea

Councillor Barb Shaughnessy has her supporters in the community, but her husband Tim Forster took up the cudgels for her Tuesday night.

He made a final pitch to Town councillors not to ratify the acceptance of a report from John Fleming, integrity commissioner for the Town of Caledon. He had issued a report last month, in which he stated Shaughnessy had breeched Code of Conduct rules. The report had been accepted by the General Committee of council.

Complaints had been launched by Councillors Johanna Downey and Jennifer Innis, as well as CAO Mike Galloway.

Galloway had alleged Shaughnessy had repeatedly portrayed staff in a negative manner, requested confidential information that was not appropriate for her to have and had undermined staff, using her position to try to influence staff.



In his address to council Tuesday night, Forster said his wife had a number of supporters in the community who wanted to attend, but they had asked them not to.

"This Integrity Report has actually become a negative news story for all of council," he observed. "At the last session, councillors were falling all over themselves, taking some responsibility for council's dysfunctionality, but most voted to support the report."

He also pointed out that Councillor Gord McClure had commented at the April session that the report was an embarrassment, and should go in the garbage. Forster said those comments "crystalized public sentiment in the room that night."

Shaughnessy declared a pecuniary interest while her husband was speaking and while council dealt with the minutes of the April meeting, and left the council chambers. She had done the same thing while the issue was being discussed in April. But Forster pointed out Downey and Innis stayed in their seats. "They were, and still remain tonight, accuser, judge and jury," he said.

Forster also stated there was no clear violation of the code of Conduct on the part of his wife.

"There are no references to Councillor Shaughnessy's alleged poor behaviour in council or at events, ill treatment of employees in any form and no reference to any intimidation or threats against staff in any of the original complaints," he declared.

He added his wife should have been given the opportunity to respond to the report before it was issued, and her responses should have been incorporated in it. He also said there were no affidavits, reports or supporting emails to back up the conclusion that Shaughnessy showed disrespect to staff.

"We did not participate in any of the investigation," he told Councillor Annette Groves.

"These accusations would never hold up in court," he said.

"Councillor Shaughnessy will continue to serve the residents of Caledon in an open, transparent and straight forward manner," he concluded.

In dealing with the minutes, Groves repeated her concerns over the report.

"I don't think this was a fair report," she remarked, reiterating that Shaughnessy didn't get a chance to respond to it prior to it's being released.



PACKED HOUSE AT CROSSCURRENTS

Shannon Kingsbury (right) was accompanied by equally charismatic Gary Diggins and Tricia Brubacher as they played to a packed room last Friday at CrossCurrents Cafe, earning a standing ovation and an encore after two mesmerizing sets of original music plus covers of songs by Bruce Springsteen, Tom Waits, Colleen Peterson and others. The evening included thrilling harmonies, fascinating stories, a short poetry reading that merited its own applause, an intriguing array of mostly ancient and traditional instrumentation and a display of musicianship that audience rarely get to witness except at high-ticket events.

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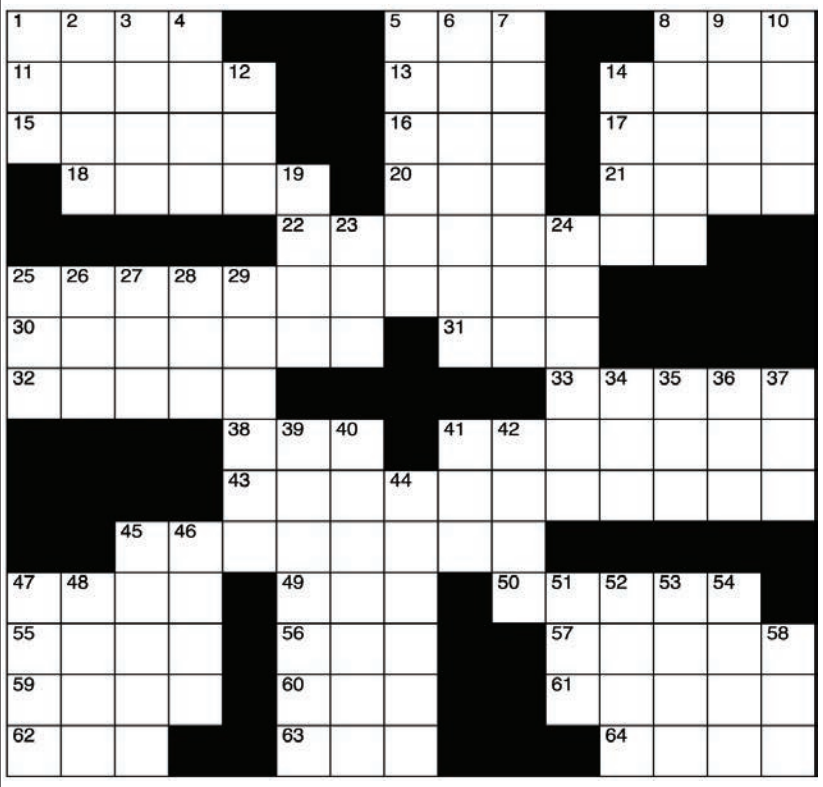
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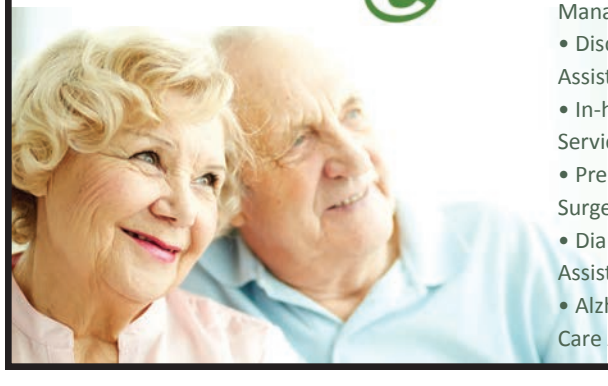
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Artist's inspiration comes from many sources: None better than Nature

Headwaters Arts Gallery presents Grounded, a two-person show featuring the paintings of Sonja Mortimer and the clay works of Ann Randeraad.

These local artists see nature as a springboard for artistic creation. Each interprets nature's colours, textures and movement in her own distinct manner. It is not just nature that speaks to these artists, but its resilience. Both Mortimer and Randeraad invite the viewer to pause and appreciate. Nature presents quiet beauty to those who will only remain still long enough to see . . . even hear it.

Windswept feral grasses, flaunting their strength and flexibility in sage greens, steely blues and brassy tones, are reflected in each brushstroke that Mortimer applies to a canvas. If one stops and takes a moment, one can even feel the breeze rustling through the leaves. Nature's rawness tests these grasses and they rise to the challenge season after season.

In Randeraad's works, contrasting textures and forms rise from earth itself, as clay is molded and directed into functional pieces. These forms develop almost magically from simple earth. Forms transition, gain strength and definition with each layer of growth. Wood firing is a major focus in her works. Many of her clay forms will travel through fire and back, boasting their resilience as they emerge from the final firing.

Grounded runs until June 4 in the Headwaters Arts Gallery in the Alton Mill Arts Center. There will be a reception this Saturday (May 6) from 1 to 4 p.m.

Alton Mill Arts Centre is at 1402 Queen St. in Alton.

St. Michael's Chaplaincy Leader receives prestigious award

By Bill Rea

Urszula Cybulko is very good at her job, and that has been recognized by her peers.

The Chaplaincy Leader at St. Michael Catholic Secondary School in Bolton was recently named the 2017 recipient of the Brian J. Halferty Award.

The award is presented to a Chaplaincy Leader currently serving in a school who contributes to the role of chaplaincy, above and beyond the regular demands of the position, which positively affects the role and position of all Chaplaincy Leaders in Ontario.

She said she received the award April 19 at the conference of the Catholic School Chaplains of Ontario (CSCO).

And it was a surprise.

"Actually, I was pretty shocked," she said.

Cybulko added it would have been her fellow chaplains and teachers who nominated her for the award, but she has not yet received her copy of the nomination package.

"I think it's just my work over the years," she observed.

This is Cybulko's 30th year working in education, and she added she's planning to retire in June. Those 30 years have included five years as Chaplaincy Leader at Father Michael Goetz Secondary School in Mississauga, and she was the first one to fill that role when St. Michael opened in 2010.

"I love faith," she said, explaining her success at her job. "It's the core of who we are."

"It's an honour to minister to school communities," she added. "I love ministering. I think it was a natural call for me."

"We're missing something if we don't acknowledge that we're separate beings," she commented, adding it's important to give people the chance to explore that.

"We are pleased and proud of Urszula for receiving this prestigious award," St. Michael Principal Michelina Battaglini said. "To be recognized by her peers across the province speaks volumes to the work she does and we congratulate her on this special occasion."

"The greatest blessing for me is that I get to go to work every day and actively be on a faith journey," Cybulko said. "I can't imagine who I would have become if I didn't work in a faith community."

Cybulko said she's not sure what's going to come for her after retirement, but she's looking forward to finding out.

"I'm going to just discover new things," she said.

"God has many plans for us," she added, anticipating what's coming next. "I'm just as excited to end as I waste start."



Urszula Cybulko holds her Brian J. Halferty Award.

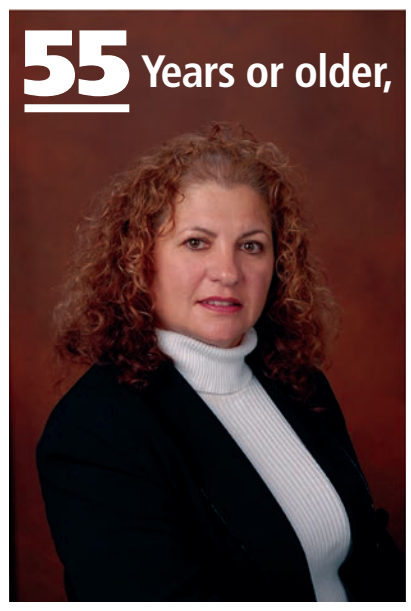


HOWARD THE BUTCHER IS 20

It was a time to celebrate recently as Howard the Butcher marked 20 years in operation in the village core in Caledon East. Dufferin-Caledon MP David Tilson and Mayor Allan Thompson were both on hand, offering congratulations to Ann and Howard Beckett on their 20 years of success.

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Caledon resident received Lincoln M. Alexander award

By Bill Rea

Inclusiveness is something that has always been very important to Tia John.

She has worked hard for it, and that was recently recognized when the young ValleyWood resident was one of the recipients of the Lincoln M. Alexander Award.

John is currently in her first year studying criminology at Wilfrid Laurier University, but she was part of a Planning for Independence Leadership Program while in Grade 12 at St. Edmund Campion Secondary School in Brampton. Through the program, she got the chance to work with fellow students who were physically or mentally challenged.

"I found an emotional attachment with my students," as he said.

John said she was among 15 students who had been selected by teachers to run the program.

She said she had been bothered by the way some of these students had faced exclusion. So among other things, she made a point of sitting with them in the school cafeteria at lunch. That idea spread to her friends and classmates.

"That made everyone think it was okay to interact with students," she said.

She added that some of the students at the school had not been involved.

"That's where I wanted to make a change in the school community," she said.

The program continues this year. She was at the school recently, and the students she worked with recognized her and are interacting is school activities.

"I wasn't surprised," she said.

As well, John helped coordinate school events to break down social barriers, raise awareness of discrimination and promote inclusiveness. she also played a key role in the school's annual Culturefest, which attracted more than 400 participants.

It was staff members at St. Edmund Campion who nominated John; specifically Guidance Counsellor Andrea Pearl, Principal Peter Cusumano and teacher Sanjeev Malhortra.

"I didn't do it for recognition," John commented about the award. "It was a complete shock when I received the call."

The award presentation took place Feb. 23 at the Lieutenant-Governor's Suite at Queens Park.

"It was a wonderful experience," she said.

The Lincoln M. Alexander Award is presented annually to three young people who have demonstrated exemplary leadership in promoting positive social change. The award was created in 1993 in honour of Ontario's 24th Lieutenant-Governor, who was in office from 1985 to 1991.



Tia John with her Lincoln M. Alexander Award.

Dufferin-Peel Board appoints David Amaral Associate Director

The Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board has announced the appointment of David Amaral as Associate Director, Instructional Services.

He replaces retiring Associate Director Sheila McWatters and assumes his new role on the board's executive team Aug. 1.

Amaral has had a 20-year career at Dufferin-Peel with extensive leadership experience. He began his career as a teacher in 1997. He has also served as vice-principal, principal, superintendent of schools, and superintendent of strategy, policy and global learning, the position he currently holds.

"David Amaral brings a wealth of high level experience, knowledge and leadership to the Associate Director's position," said Director of Education Marianne Mazzorato. "With his Catholic leadership experience, the board has solidified its senior management team and we look forward to working with him in his new capacity."

"The board is extremely pleased with the appointment of David Amaral to the position of Associate Director," said Board Chair Mario Pascucci. "He has the knowledge and experience, as well as the vision, to complement and add to the strong leadership we enjoy at Dufferin-Peel. We are well served by his appointment."

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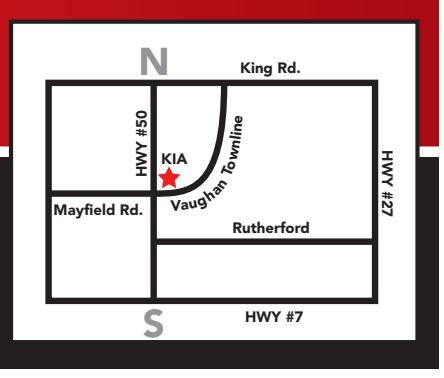
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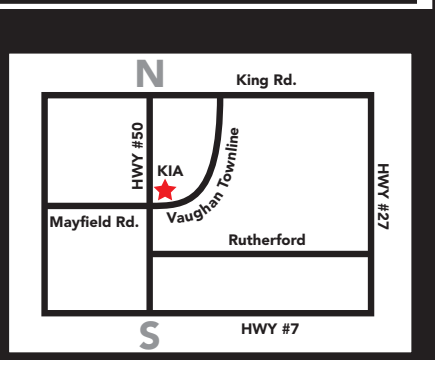
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SPORTS





Caledon Jr. C Bandits fall twice in opening weekend

By Jake Courtepatte

The Caledon Bandits met a heavy-handed Cornwall Celtics team to open the Ontario Junior C Lacrosse League season over the weekend, both offensively and physically.

In a constant parade to the penalty box for both clubs, the Celtics managed to pot a total of 32 goals over two games which featured very little five-on-five action.

The Benson Centre in Cornwall was the venue for the weekend back-to-back series, with Caledon drawing first blood in game one Saturday. Josh MacIssac, in his second year with the club, found the back of the net just more than five minutes into the first period.

The teams traded a few more to bring a 2-2 tie into the intermission, with newcomer Robert Cristello scoring his first as a Bandit.

Cornwall opened up a healthy lead in the second, outscoring Caledon 7-3, a lead they would not relinquish through the third. The Celtics took the season opener 14-9, while the teams split 127 minutes in penalties.

The bad blood spilled over into game two the following afternoon, with fighting majors and unsportsmanlike conduct penalties handed out like candy. Cornwall outscored the Bandits 8-0 in the first 20 minutes, with the teams playing much more evenly over the final 40, despite a final score of 18-6.

Jordan Oshowy led the Bandits with a goal and two assists in the contest.

The Bandits are looking to rebound from a 2016 season that saw them bounced from the first round of the playoffs by the Fergus Thistles for the second straight year, after managing just three regular season wins.

They bring a much more veteran squad to the floor in 2017, after losing only one player to age eligibility and seeing some familiar names make a return. Oshowy and Austin Heughan, both three-year veterans with the Bandits, should provide a healthy spark of offence, complimented by some talented rookie pickups.

A new season also brings a new home to the Bandits, who have moved out of Mayfield Arena and into the one in Caledon East. Home games will be split between Tuesday and Friday nights, with the return of the hardest shot competitions at intermissions.

With the first five games of the season on the road, the home opener is scheduled for May 23 against the Wilmot Wild, with the opening draw set for 8 p.m.

In the meantime, a pair of tough games lie ahead this weekend for the Bandits when they visit the Oakville Buzz Saturday, followed by the Six Nations Warriors Sunday.

The season schedule consists of 16 games and will run until the end of June.

For schedules, visit www.banditslacrosse.com/jrc


Jordan Oshowy leads the Jr. C Caledon Bandits in scoring through the OJCLL's opening weekend, notching a goal and four assists.

Dodgers, Brewers, to open NDBL season next week

By Jake Courtepatte

Bolton will once again have double the chances to bring home a North Dufferin Baseball League championship.

After two seasons in the AAA Greater Toronto Baseball League, the Bolton Brewers have returned to the AA North Dufferin League, joining the Bolton Dodgers in a league where they have found tons of success in the past.

Having won five consecutive NDBL championships between 2009-2013, the Brewers left to join the GTBL in 2015, but were never able to gain traction in the league, citing issues with roster depth and park arrangements.

New Lowell has emerged as the league's top team since the departure of the Brewers, winning back-to-back Strother Cups, and they will enter the 2017 season as the number-one contenders.

With Mike Wallace once again at the helm, the Brew Crew will be looking to return to the throne Tuesday when they open on the road against the Aurora Jays, before their home opener against the Jays the following Wednesday at the Innisfil Recreation Complex.

They will split their hosting diamonds between Innisfil, North Hill Park in Bolton, and Tottenham Park.

The Dodgers, meanwhile, are done licking their wounds from a sweep by the Knights in the 2016 first round and will open on the road against the Clearview Orioles next Wednesday.

Also splitting time between North Hill and Tottenham, they will not see home field advantage until May 24 when they host the Jays in Tottenham.

The two Bolton squads will clash for the first time this season July 6 at North Hill.

Each team in the NDBL will play 14 home games and 14 road games throughout the regular season, culminating at the end of July.

The Lisle Astros will host their annual Victoria Day weekend tournament May 20 to 22 while the New Lowell Knights have a tournament for the Civic Holiday weekend in August.

The league's All-Star Games are planned for July 8 in Midland with a senior and junior contest on the docket.

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ATHLETES OF THE WEEK



Moses Brajkovichn

Mayfield Secondary School

This 15-year-old made his mark this year in alpine skiing, consistently finishing in the top 10, and helping Mayfield win at ROPSSAA. He's also playing flanker on the junior rugby team, which has won its first two games. He also plays tennis at school Away from class, he recently competed in a province alpine meet in Alberta, finishing sixth out of 110 racers. The Grade 10 student lives in Caledon village.



Emily Pitcher

Robert F. Hall Catholic Secondary School

This Grade 11 student is captain of the varsity outdoor soccer team, playing centre back. The team opened the season with a couple of wins. She used to play on the school's field hockey team, but there is no squad this year. In the community, she plays rep soccer in and house league hockey for the Caledon Coyotes. The 16-year-old lives in the Caledon village area.



Sydney Beaton

St. Michael Catholic Secondary School

This 14-year-old has been finding success playing doubles badminton. She said they won their last game, and are improving. She also played on the school's indoor ultimate Frisbee team. In the community, she said she's been active with Sondra's Tri Dance company in Bolton for about 10 years. The Grade 9 student lives in Bolton.

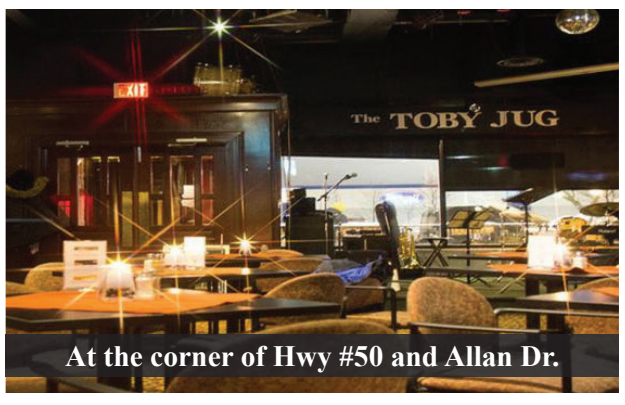


Troy Wilkinson

Humberview Secondary School

The Grade 12 student plays number eight on the senior boys' rugby team, which has opened the current season by splitting their first two games. He was also a wide receiver on the varsity football team in the fall. In the community, he plays club rugby in the Aurora Barbarians' organization. The 17-year-old lives in Palgrave.







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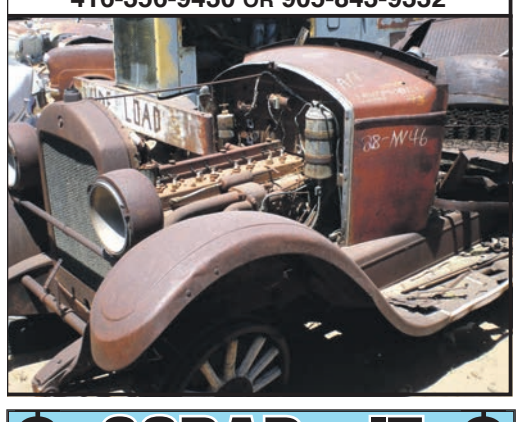
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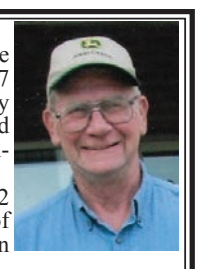
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Alan is survived by his daughters: Kimberley, Nicole (Robert) and Penny; as well as his granddaughters: Samantha (Jesse), Victoria, Jody and Abagail; and by his brother: Robert (Maryanne) and family. He will be deeply missed by the Littles: Gail, Kevin (Heather), Brian (Erin), Mark, and all those who think of him as Grumps.
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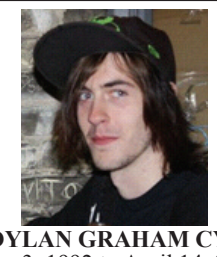
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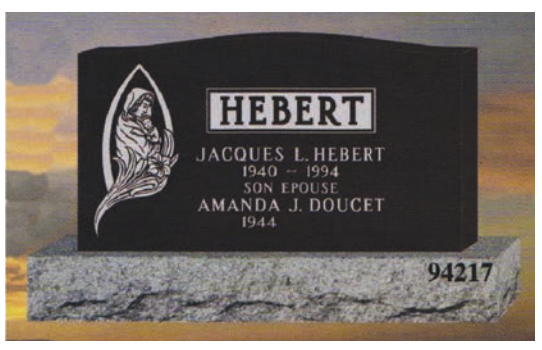
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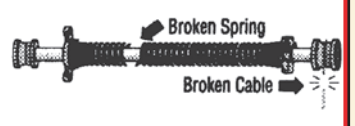


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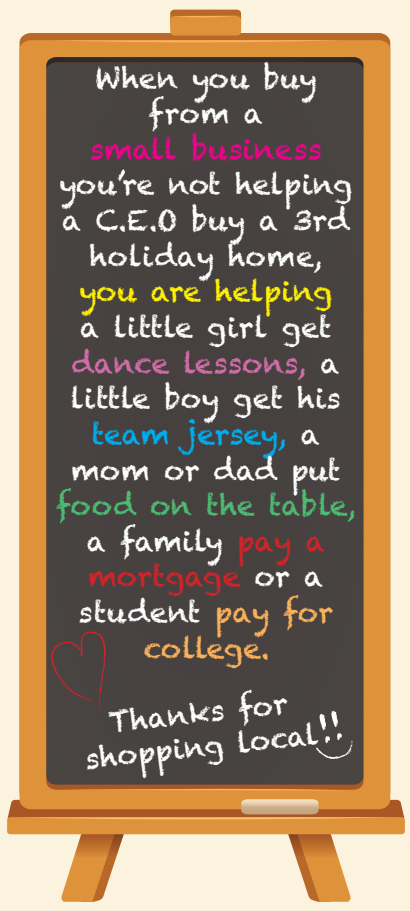




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Skating club celebrates the movies



A Night at the Movies was the theme recently at the annual Carnival put on by The Bolton Skating Club. Skaters representing a wide range of age groups got the chance to show their skills in front of the audience. The Senior Opening Line had these young folks dressed up as Chimney Sweeps, skating to the song from Mary Poppins.

Photos by Bill Rea



These young members of the CanSkate program were touring the ice to the sounds of Happy from Despicable Me.



The Intermediate Group were decked out appropriately to perform to the tune of the popular Pink Panther Theme Song.



These CanSkate skaters were performing to Do You Want to Build a Snowman/Let it Go from Frozen.

Hike for Bethell Hospice goes this Sunday in Inglewood

Lace up your shoes and get ready for this year's Hike for Bethell Hospice This Sunday.

Held each spring during national Hospice and Palliative Care Week, the hike is an important event for Bethell Hospice Foundation, raising awareness and funds for hospice palliative care in the community. The Foundation hopes to raise $130,000 through this year's hike.

In response to last year's success, the 2017 Hike for Bethell Hospice has been amalgamated into one huge event at a new, larger location — Lloyd Wilson Centennial Arena in Inglewood.

The event features a balloon ceremony at 10 a.m., an accessible five kilometre hike along the Caledon Trailway, and a barbecue expertly prepared by the Caledon Lions Club. Registration is $25 and hikers are encouraged to gather pledges of support, and post inspirational message and photos on the memory board. Registration includes lunch and a limited edition hike t-shirt, and is fully tax receiptable. To register for the hike, or to donate to a hiker, go to foundation.bethellhospice.org

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Residents recognized for accomplishments in the community and beyond

From page A1

She said she was pretty sure with was women from the church who were behind her nomination.

"This is a special evening when we celebrate you," Thompson told the volunteers assembled.

He also pointed to the importance of volunteerism on a national level. People who give their time in Canada contribute five times what the Gross Domestic Product for the country comes to, he observed.

"I want to give you a big 'thank-you' for everything you do," he added. "I don't think we say 'thank you' enough."

"I see how active and engaged our volunteers are in our community," Dufferin-Caledon MPP Sylvia Jones remarked.

She added she sometimes asks people why they volunteer.

"It always comes back to 'I want to give back to my community,'" she said.

Other people were recognized in certain categories.

Those being recognized for community and social services included Marylin Adams, for her years as a community services representative for Caledon Community Services (CCS); Sonia D'Almonte, for creating an interactive program for pre-teen children, promoting development of life skills, financial literacy and entrepreneurial spirit, as well as being very busy organizing the Mayfield West Spring Fair; Gary Hall, who has volunteered with CMOW since 2007, delivering meals, helping with special events, as well as serving the board and governance committee; Linda Hall, for delivering meals from 2008 to 2105, and since helping out with Seniors' Wellness Programs; Helen Hydon, who has put in more than 1,300 hours at Bethell Hospice over six years, where she has become known for her caring heart and her willingness to part of every Sunday; Jane Lyndon, who has volunteered her time at CMOW for 12 years and in the Bethell Hospice kitchen for eight; Nora Martin, who as volunteered with both Caledon Seniors' Centre, where she's served as president, and Bethell Hospice, where she's a board member; Elizabeth Morton, who is known as a key volunteer, delivering for CMOW; and Barb Reynolds, who has offered much support over the last six years to the CCS food support program.

Those being recognized for their contributions to sports and recreation included Diana Nicholson, who has served as a coach, coordinator and on the executive of the Palgrave Youth Sports Group; Sherry Thomas, who has been involved in girls' hockey for more than 15 years, now serving as vice-president of the Caledon Coyotes; and Leigh Wingfield, who has been coaching with C3 Running for more than five years, and has recently become chairman, increasing the number of programs the club offers.

Those being presented with Arts and Culture Awards were Marion Johnston, who has been chair of the Albion-Bolton Agricultural Society's Decorating Committee for 10 years, adding creativity and colour to AGMs, Fall Fairs and other community events; and Shawna Ward, who has been involved in the Caledon Agricultural Society for 15 years, volunteering as a junior director, associate director, convenor, fair ambassador and director.

The Town added a category for Environmental Leadership this year. It's aimed at recognizing people who have made sustained efforts to enhance and preserve Caledon's environment in various areas, including air quality, natural ecology awareness of climate change, conserving resources, supporting local food production and encouraging sustainable transportation habits.

Those being recognized included Satya Evolve, who has been working with ecoCaledon for five years, establishing Unify Caledon and working to reduce the energy footprint in town; Richard Hunt, who has been involved in the Bolton and District Horticultural Society for more than 20 years, has lead beautification projects and contributes to the planting of thousands of trees; Jonathan Love, who has volunteered with ecoCaledon for five years, contributing to Unify Caledon and Walk the Talk Caledon; Kay MacDuffee, who continued to teach the community through ecoCaledon and numerous environmental campaigns; and John

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Kay MacDuffee received congratulations from Councillor Doug Beffort for her environmental work.



Community Events

A directory of what's happening in our community

This column is provided as a free public service to non-profit organizations to announce up-coming events. Please contact Bill Rea at the Caledon Citizen at (905) 857-6626 or 1-888-557-6626 if you wish to have an announcement published.

THURSDAY MAY 4
Bolton Banter Toastmasters meet every first, third and fifth Thursday at the Albion-Bolton Community Centre at 7 p.m. Lose your fear of public speaking and build leadership skills. Everyone welcome. Email info@boltonbanter.org or visit www.boltonbanter.org

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FRIDAY, MAY 5
Wellness, Interaction, Social and Exercise (WISE) is a health promotion and social program for seniors (55+) happening at the Palgrave United Church Friday mornings. Low impact exercise/falls prevention session starts at 9:30 a.m. with regular programming with refreshments starting at 10:15. Call 905-857-7651 for more information.

An evening of euchre is held the first and third Friday of the month at Terra Cotta Community Hall. Play will start at 7 p.m. sharp. The cost is $3 per person, and proceeds raised will go to the operation of the hall. For more information, contact John or Cheryl at 289-344-0033.

TUESDAY, MAY 9
Adjustments After Birth: This support group is for mothers needing additional support following the birth or adoption of a child meets from 10 a.m to noon. Registration is required. Group and child care are offered free of charge. To register, call the Caledon Parent-Child Centre at 905-857-0090 or email jvanandel@cp-cc.org

The Caledon Parent-Child Centre is offering a program called Growing Together at Stationview Place in Bolton. Each Tuesday, a small group of families and their children will meet to share a meal, play and learn from 4:30 to 7 p.m. Staff will also be available to provide information and support to parents. Activities will include topics like healthy foods, active living and wellness. This program is designed for families with children up to six years of age who have a total household income of less than $45,000. Growing Together in Peel is funded by CAP-C. Contact the Caledon Parent-Child Centre to determine if you qualify at 905-857-0090.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10
100 Women Who Care Caledon will be holding their next meeting at the Caledon Ski Club, West Lodge. Registration begins at 7 p.m. with the meeting to follow at 7:30 sharp. Visit the website at www.100womenwhocarecaledon.com or Facebook for more information and to register. Guests are always welcome.

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Chapter #ON1381 meets every Wednesday from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., at the Friendship Room of Knox United Church in Caledon village. This non-profit weight loss group meets to learn about nutrition and exercise. Call Barbara at (519) 927-5696.

Caledon East Seniors Club #588 meets every Wednesday at 1:15 p.m. at the Caledon Community Complex, Caledon East. Everyone welcome for an afternoon of friendly euchre and lunch. For more information, call (905) 951-9376.

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) ON 1344 Bolton is looking for new members who want to lose weight in a healthy way and keep it off! We're a non-profit group and meet in Bolton United Church at 8 Nancy Street. Hours: Weigh in 6:45-7:20PM, followed by a meeting at 7:30 PM. We look forward to meeting you! For more information call Marion at 905-857-5191 or Lorraine at 905-857-1568.

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THURSDAY, MAY 11
The Caledon Horticultural Society will meet at 7:30 p.m. at Cheltenham United Church, 14309 Credit View Rd. Talk about a relaxed way of gardening. Come listen to Dan Cooper and Elan Novak talk about Gardening from a Hammock. They will be selling their book of the same name after their presentation. The guest fee is $3 per meeting.

'Bolton and District PROBUS Club presents Katie Sawyer, administrator at Caledon 55+ Adult Programs, outlining the services offered to that group in Caledon. It will start at 9:45 a.m. at Albion-Bolton Community Centre, main auditorium. Everyone is welcome. Refreshments will be served.

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FRIDAY, MAY 12
Caledon Area Families for Inclusion (CAFFI) organizes a "social" the second Friday of every month (of the school year) at the Exchange (55 Healey Rd., Unit 10, Bolton) from 7 to 9 p.m. These events are open to developmentally disabled young adults, as well as their friends and families in order to provide an opportunity for socializing and fun in an inclusive environment.

SATURDAY, MAY 13
Plant and bake sale at Palgrave United Church It will run from 8 a.m. to noon The church is at 34 Pine Ave.

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Let's Get Together: Sharing the Journey of Raising a Child with Special Needs. An inclusive program for families presented by the Caledon Parent-Child Centre and Brampton/Caledon Community Living. It runs the first and third Tuesdays of each month, from 5:45 to 7:15 p.m. Come play and connect with other families to explore the various issues that surround parenting a child with special needs. Registration is required. To register call 905-857-0090 or email ailsa@cp-cc.org

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New General Manager at the Citizen

By Mike Pickford

There is a new, experienced face taking over the reins at the Caledon Citizen and other area newspapers, as London Publishing is pleased to announce Doug Rowe as its new General Manager for the Headwaters region.

Also responsible for the Citizen's sister papers in Orangeville and Shelburne, Rowe is experiencing something of a homecoming in what is a return to the Orangeville area — almost 16 years on from a stint with another area publication.

"It's great to be back in the area again after almost 16 years away," he said. "My wife and I met a lot of great people here in Orangeville that turned into lifelong friends. We have a lot of great memories of this place."

"Orangeville is also the birthplace of our daughter, who is now off to college, so it's really nice for us to be able to return to our roots a little bit and rediscover a community we grew to love," he added.

Rowe brings with him a wealth of management-level experience in the newspaper industry, having last managed several publications spread throughout southwestern Ontario. In his new role with London Publishing, he is keen to build on the Citizen's longstanding reputation as the true voice of the community.

"We have great newspapers each with fantastic, dedicated staff who work hard to deliver the best local news to their respective communities," Rowe said. "I look forward to coming in and reconnecting those communities and building on the success of all of our great, local newspapers."



Doug Rowe

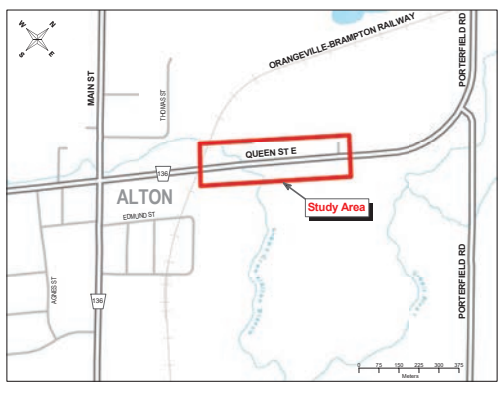
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Public Notice

QUEEN STREET EAST

Bridge and Culvert Replacement over Shaw's Creek, in the Village of Alton, Town of Caledon

This is a **Public Information Centre** for a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study to present proposed improvements to Queen Street East (Highway 136), including the bridge and culvert replacement over Shaw's Creek, in the Village of Alton, Town of Caledon, as shown on the Key Plan.
The proposed improvements include replacing both structures to increase hydraulic capacity, raising the road profile and streetscape enhancements.



Please join us at the
Public Information Centre
Wednesday, June 7, 2017
At the Alton Public School
19681 Main Street
Alton, ON L7K 0E1
6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

Your opinion matters and we welcome your participation!

For study background details call:
Serguei Kabanov
905-791-7800, ext. 8754

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This notice was first issued on May 4, 2017.

With the exception of personal information, all comments will become part of the public record of the study. The study is being conducted according to the requirements of the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment, which is a planning process approved under Ontario's *Environmental Assessment Act*.



Councillor Gord McClure congratulated Aysia Maurice for many athletic achievements, including running up the stairs of the CN Tower in a time of 12:53.4.

Athletes recognized by Town

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MacRae, who has been active with a variety of programs over the last eight years, including the Waste Water Education Program, Climate Change Program, Paint a Picture for Water Conservation and Walk the Talk Caledon.

The Town also expressed thanks to volunteers who have served on various committees of council, including Kathleen Linch (Accessibility Advisory Committee), Doreen Beffort (Caledon Council Community Golf tournament Committee), Patti Foley (Caledon Public Library Board), Michael Gallo (Committee of Adjustment), Ian Anderson (Heritage Caledon), Gail Grant (Seniors' Task Force), Margot Scott (Seniors' Task Force) and Georgina Singh (Seniors' Task Force).

There was recognition for athletes who have gained success beyond the borders of Caledon, including nationally and internationally.

Yann Candele made his Olympic debut last year in Rio in equestrian show jumping, where the team just missed the bronze medal; Emma Everett finished the 2016 outdoor track season ranked first in the province and sixth in Canada in the 1,500-metre Steeplechase; Ashley Lawrence, who was a member of the bronze medal team in soccer in Rio last year; Aysia Maurice, who set Athletics Ontario records in the under-13 1,200 and 2,000 metre events, and the under-14 2,000, and who ended the year ranked at the top in the province in the bantam girls' 1,000 and 2,000 metre events, and climbing to the top of CN Tower in a time of 12:53.4; Tess Routliffe, who competed in several Paralympic events at Rio, winning a silver medal and setting a Canadian record in the womens 200-metre individual medley; Kelly Russell, who won Olympic bronze in rugby, and represented Canada in multiple Rugby Canada matches; and Andrew Yorke, who finished as one of the top 50 triathletes in the world at Rio.

Distinguished Citizen recognition went to Svetlana Lazareva, a new Caledon resident who has made several contributions tot he community over five years, including founding the ImmPress Institute which helps new Canadians, as well as helping new Canadians integrate to the culture; and Jason Scorcia, a highly-decorated special Olympian who has released an adult colouring book and has worked to raise awareness and funds for the Special Olympics Canada Foundation.



Mayor Allan Thompson and Community Champion Joanne Davis joined to cut this ceremonial cake.

Empty Nesters: FREE Special Report Reveals 9 Costly Mistakes to Avoid When Selling Your Caledon Home

CALEDON - Are you an "Empty Nester" who needs a home for the future? Is it time to downsize or to move into another home more suitable for your glorious retirement years?

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To help you understand the issues involved in making such a move, and how to avoid the 9 most common and costly mistakes most Empty Nesters make, a new report called "Empty Nester: How to Sell the Place You Call Home" has been prepared which identifies these issues, and shows you how to steer clear of the mistakes that could cost you literally thousands of dollars.

To hear a brief recorded message about how to order your FREE copy of this report call toll-free 1-855-217-7810 and enter ID# 219. You can call any time, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

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OPEN HOUSE

Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Schedule 'A+'

Various Locations – Structure Rehabilitations/Replacements

You are invited to an open house:

DATE: Wednesday, May 17, 2017
TIME: 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm
LOCATION: Caledon Community Complex – Lion's Den
6215 Old Church Rd, Caledon East, ON L7C 1J7

THE STUDY:
The Town of Caledon has initiated a study for the following locations. This study is intended to address the current structural deficiencies in order to prolong their service life, and to enhance roadside safety for the below mentioned locations.

Chinguacousy Road (3 Locations)
For the Detailed Design of the replacements of the Chinguacousy Road Culverts, approximately 0.45 km, 0.8 km and 1.1km south of Old School Rd.

The Grange Sideroad
For the Detailed Design of the rehabilitation of The Grange Sideroad Bridge, approximately 0.4 km east of McLaughlin Rd.

Amelia Street
For the Detailed Design of the rehabilitation of the Amelia Street Bridge, approximately 0.03 km north of Queen St. W.

Mill Lane
For the Detailed Design of the rehabilitation of the Mill Lane Bridge, approximately 1 km east of The Gore Road

Castlederg Sideroad
For the Detailed Design of the rehabilitation of the Castlederg Sideroad Culvert, approximately 0.5 km west of Mt. Pleasant Rd.

East Garafraxa/Caledon Townline
For the Detailed Design of the rehabilitation of the East Garafraxa/Caledon Culvert, approximately 1.7 km east of Shaws Creek Rd.

Duffy's Lane
For the Detailed Design of the rehabilitation of the Duffy's Lane Bridge, approximately 0.03 km south of Patterson Sideroad.

THE PROCESS:
The Municipal Class Environmental Assessment process (October 2000, as amended in 2007, 2011 & 2015) is approved under the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act and allows municipalities to follow a Class EA process when undertaking municipal infrastructure projects. The aforementioned projects are being carried out as a Schedule 'A+' undertaking. A Schedule 'A+' activity is pre-approved under the Class EA by the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change and the project can be implemented upon public notification of the project.

If you have any questions or comments about the project, please contact one of the following Project Team Members for more information.

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National Summer Safety Week is a time to beware of how to avoid drowning

Almost nine per cent of Canada is covered by freshwater.

According to Environment Canada, this accounts for more than 890,000 square kilometers. Such a significant water presence in the country makes it absolutely critical that Canadians everywhere take measures to prevent drowning and avoid putting themselves and others in danger.

National Summer Safety Week is running from May 1 to 7, and the Canada Safety Council would like to remind Canadians about the inherent risk of being around water, the steps that can be taken to mitigate disaster before it occurs and the importance of taking swimming lessons.

In 2013, the last year in which full data is available from the Chief Coroner's and Medical Examiner's offices, there were 456 unintentional water fatalities in Canada. This represents a decline from 2012, and the second-lowest number of fatalities since 2004. Over the five-year timespan from 2009 to 2013, unintentional water fatalities account for a yearly average of 1.4 per 100,000 Canadians.

According to the Lifesaving Society, the underlying demographic information continues to stay static, with the most represented groups in these statistics remaining people between the ages of 20 and 24 (accounting for 9.6 per cent of the total in 2013,) people over the age of 65 (19.3 per cent) and men (81.4 per cent average over the last five years.)

A disproportionate amount of these fatalities occur as a result of recreational activities, including more than a quarter of all fatalities occurring while boating. Many of these fatalities involved alcohol consumption, which can impair judgment, reaction time and sense of balance. Not only is drinking and boating illegal, but it's also not smart. Don't do it.

Perhaps unsurprisingly, 82 per cent of those involved in boating-related fatalities were not wearing personal flotation devices. Lifejackets save lives. Having one present in the boat but not accessible in emergency situations isn't effective or useful. If you're planning on being near water, wear your lifejacket. You never know when something unexpected might happen and you're thrown in the water involuntarily.

To that point, only 25 per cent of unintentional fatalities were the result of aquatic activities where the victim intended on being in the water. This highlights quite clearly the importance of knowing how to swim. In an emergency, it's critical that you know how to get your head above the surface of the water and to keep it there. If you're anything less than 100 per cent confident in your swimming abilities, take swimming lessons. It's never too late, and it's a lifelong skill that may very well end up being the difference for you some day.

Drowning deaths are tragic and entirely avoidable, whether it's in relation to an unsupervised two-year-old child in a private pool, a 23-year old man on a boat or a 72-year old woman drowning in a bathtub. Do your part to keep yourself and those around you as protected as possible. A person can drown in just a few short seconds and very quietly. Be on hand to help in an emergency, and ensure that someone else is around for you. Together, we can make a difference.

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$300,000	$1,015.55	$468.49
$320,000	$1,083.25	$499.72
$340,000	$1,150.95	$530.95
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Serious collision on Dixie Road

A 57-year-old Caledon woman is in hospital with major injuries after a two-vehicle collision Monday afternoon on Dixie Road.

Caledon OPP reports the incident took place at about 4:50 p.m. north of Mayfield Road. They said a white Toyota Corolla was heading south when it collided head-on with a blue Ford Focus that was heading north. The Caledon woman was driving the Ford. The driver of the Toyota, a 27-year-old woman from Brampton, received non-life threatening injuries.

Police said the investigation is continuing, and charges might be laid. They are asking anyone who might have witnessed the crash to contact Constable Michael Overgaard at 905-584-2241.

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Emergency preparedness starts with everyone

Natural disasters may be beyond our control, but there are ways to reduce the risk and the impact of whatever emergency we may face, whether natural or human-induced.

Emergency Preparedness Week (May 7 to 13) encourages Canadians to be prepared to cope on their own for at least the first 72 hours of an emergency while rescue workers help those in urgent need.

By taking a few simple steps, one can become better prepared to face a range of emergencies.

It is important to:

• Know the risks specific to your community.

• Make a plan — it will help you to know what to do.

• Put together a 72 hour emergency kit. During an emergency, you will need some basic supplies. An emergency preparedness guide is available at www.caledon.ca/en/live/resources/fire/Emergency-Preparedness-Guide.pdf

• Visit www.getprepared.ca or www.caledon.ca/fire for more resources to help you and your family prepare for all types of emergencies.

Caledon Fire and Emergency Services encourages everyone to take concrete actions to be better prepared. Experience has shown that individual preparedness goes a long way to help people cope better, both during and after a major disaster. Get an emergency kit now — it can make a world of difference.

Caledon Fire and Emergency Services encourages residents to stop by to learn more about personal preparedness at the Bolton Canadian Tire May 12, from 5 to 9 p.m. and Bolton Home Depot May 13, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.



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Once again the Caledon Chamber of Commerce is taking nominations for businesses and professionals whose business achievements or community involvement has made significant contributions to the economic and social well-being of the Town of Caledon.

Businesses and individuals are nominated and recognized in multiple categories that look to highlight the best and brightest in Caledon. The Business Excellence Awards remain a great opportunity to shine a light on those selected for their excellence as well as being the perfect occasion for informal networking with fellow business friends and colleagues.

For information on all events visit www.caledonchamber.com or email info@caledonchamber.com

Thanks to all the vendors who made the 2017 Caledon Home and Lifestyle Show a success, with a special thank you to Mars Canada who inspired our dog friendly show.



Our door prizes were supplied by Motor Home Travel and Canadian Tire.



James Dick Construction sponsored the Alpha Dog exhibit and the Meals on Wheels booth.



Banas Stone and Fleming Realty helped sponsor the book sale/penny raffle area.



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PAMA celebrates Museum Month with exciting programs and events

May is Museum Month at the Peel Art Gallery, Museum and Archives (PAMA).

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New May programs, events and workshops

What Makes this Country Tick? is a community art project with drop-in opportunities to create. It is running May 7 from 1 to 4 p.m., with displays going from May 4 to Aug. 31.

Share your favourite symbols or images of Canada by submitting an artwork that will be part of a community art project displayed at PAMA. Create your piece at PAMA on the activity date or at home. Artwork will be installed as they are received between May 4 and August 15. Check PAMA's website for full details.

Messages and Media will be the topic of an archives tour and talk tonight (Thursday) from 7 to 8:30 p.m. In this expanded edition of the exhibit of written correspondence, Archivist Samantha Thompson reflects on writing and technology that will make people think about how they communicate. A private viewing of the exhibit follows an informal talk interwoven with intriguing historical facts and images of a large array of communications documents. This event is included with the cost of admission.

The Art of Yoga for people aged 16 and older will also take place tonight from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Need relaxation? Join the art of yoga and let it all go. Bring your own yoga mat. All skill levels are welcome. Inspiration for each yoga practice will be based on current art gallery exhibitions. This program is included with the cost of admission.

Brampton Folk Club will present a musical evening entitled Winds Blowing and Waters Flowing, backed by a changing line-up of local musicians. it will be May 11 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Experience an in-the-round concert with stories for Canada 150. This event is included with the cost of admission.

The theme for Family Fun Days in May will be Journeys. The next day is May 20 from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Family art and yoga will run from 1 to 2:30 p.m.; family art and stories will be from 2:45 to 3:45 p.m.; the family tour will be from 4 to 4:30 p.m. and the family fun activity and colouring room will run all day. These activities are included in the cost of admission.

There will be a Journeys Comic Making Workshop that day from 1 to 3 p.m. Take a journey and be inspired by Terry Fox in this comic book-making workshop led by local artist Ricky Lima. Learn the art of storytelling, idea brainstorming and comic book panel composition. Join this fantastic workshop and get comic book creative. The cost is $29.75 for members of PAMA and $35 for non members.

Artists Open Studio

Calling all artists and art lovers! Come together to work in an open studio setting May 25 from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Work independently, share or collaborate in this supportive studio environment. All art forms are welcome. Bring your own supplies, no solvent based materials. Free admission to studio only.

There will be a reading and book signing with Steve Paikin, author of Bill Davis, Nation Builder and Not So Bland After All. It will be May 25 from 7 to 9 p.m. It promises to be an engaging evening with the chance to discover things you didn't know about Brampton Billy. William Grenville (Bill) Davis represented Peel at Queen's Park for 26 years and was the Premier of Ontario from 1971 to 1985. This event is included with the cost of admission.

There will be a Journeys Comic Marathon (drop-in) May 27 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Let your stories come to life in this comic book event with local artist Ricky Lima. Get ready to be an illustrator and be part of this marathon journey. The cost of this drop-in program is included with admission.

A Drawing Workshop will take place May 28 from 1 to 3 p.m. These art workshops are ideal for all skill levels — from the curious to experienced artist. Take part in hands-on activities and be inspired by the exhibitions and collections at PAMA. The cost is $29.75 for members and $35 for non-members.

Take in an artist talk with Charles Pachter May 28 from 3 to 4 p.m. He will be in conversation with PAMA's Art Gallery Curator Thomas Smart. This talk is included with the cost of admission. Enjoy his thoughtful, contemplative, ironic, humorous and deeply personal stories about his journey as a Canadian artist.

PAMA is a place to explore and learn about Peel Region's culture and heritage, as well as use conversation, questions and stories to help make new and fascinating connections to the surrounding community. Operated by the Region of Peel, PAMA is at 9 Wellington St. E. in Brampton. Visit pama.peelregion.ca to learn more.

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Students in all grades at Allan Drive Middle School in Bolton are putting on a major performance this week, entitled Hairspray Jr. A performance is planned at the school for tonight (Thursday) at 7 p.m. Call the school at 905-857-9144 for more information.

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Bob Parkins Quartet at CrossCurrents

Bolton's own Bob Parkins will return to the CrossCurrents Cafe stage tomorrow (Friday).

When he last performed at CrossCurrents, the audience gave his band a standing ovation. They had covered a broad spectrum of jazz, with effortless mastery. This time, he's bringing the vibraphone, for a classic jazz sound rarely heard today.

Since coming to Canada in 1969, Parkins has played in many jazz groups, including a spell on vibes in the early 1980s with the Art Ellefson Quintet.

The Bob Parkins Jazz Quartet includes Bob Hewus on bass, Justin McHugh on drums and Jake Franiczek on guitar.

CrossCurrents cafe operates out of Bolton United Church at 8 Nancy St. (use side entrance). The doors will open at 7:30 p.m. and the music will start at 8.

Admission is free, but donations are accepted.

Steak and Lobster fest coming May 27

The Bolton and District Lions will be holding their 31st annual Steak and Lobster Fest.

It will be May 27 at Albion-Bolton Community Centre.

Dinner will be from 6 to 9 p.m., followed by dancing until 1 a.m.

Tickets are $60 each. Call 905-857-1711 for information or to order tickets.

Don't miss the 20th annual
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6:00 - 8:30 p.m. - Caledon Equestrian Park
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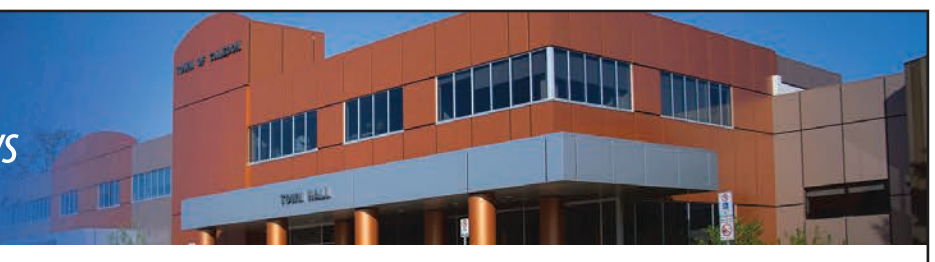
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2016 TOWN OF CALEDON Financial Highlights

The financial highlights have been extracted from the Town's 2016 Audited Consolidated Financial Statements which can be found on the Town of Caledon website

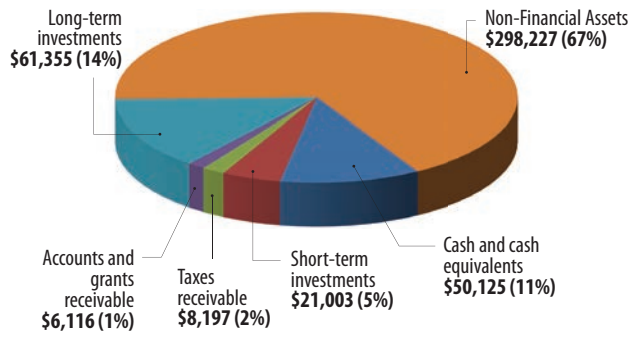
The Town also prepares an Annual Report that is designed to meet the needs of the general public. The 2016 Annual Report is available on the Town website at **www.caledon.ca/annualreport .**

Balance Sheet

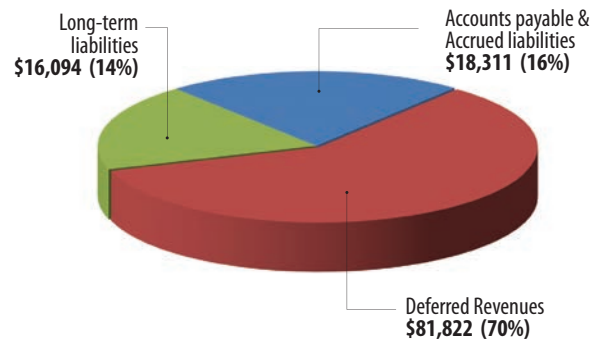
The following highlights outline the Balance Sheet as at December 31, 2016

Assets	$445,023
Liabilities	($116,227)
Net Worth / Accumulated Surplus	$328,796

WHAT WE OWN (ASSETS)



WHAT WE OWE (LIABILITIES)

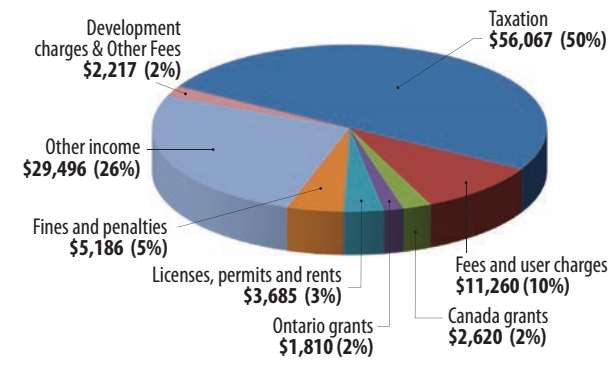


Revenues & Expenses

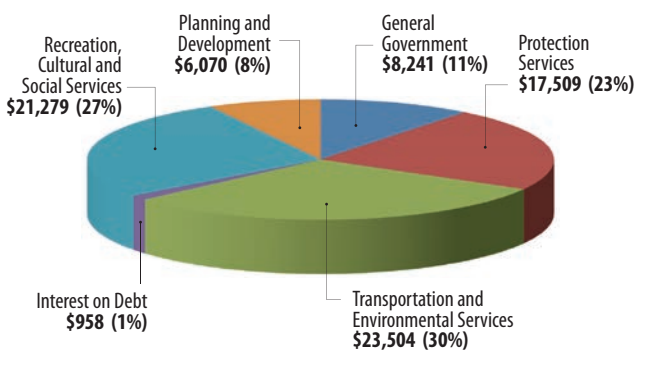
The following highlights outline the sources and uses of money for 2016 operations.

(all figures in thousands of dollars)

WHERE THE MONEY CAME FROM (REVENUES)



WHAT THE MONEY WAS USED FOR (EXPENSES)



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If you have not received your interim tax bill, please call us at 905.584.2272 x.7750. Failure to receive a tax bill does not excuse a taxpayer from responsibility for payment nor relieve the taxpayer from liability to pay penalties and interest.

Late payment charges are applied one day following the due date and on the first day of each following month while property taxes are outstanding. Town of Caledon staff do not have the authorization to waive penalties or interest charges.

www.caledon.ca/tax

There are several other options for paying your taxes:

- Pay by telephone or internet banking with your financial institution.
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Your opportunity to serve

The Town of Caledon is seeking one (1) community-minded resident to serve on each of the following

- **The Accessibility Advisory Committee**
- **The Seniors' Task Force**

The **Accessibility Advisory Committee** provides recommendations and advice in accordance with the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA) regarding matters which have a direct or indirect impact on accessibility with the Town of Caledon.

The **Seniors' Task Force** advises Town staff on the development and implementation of the Town's Older Adult Strategic Plan. The Task Force may also provide advice regarding older adult matters within the municipality as needed.

Application deadline: Friday, May 26, 2017, at 4:30 p.m.

For more details about each position, including eligibility requirements, please visit **www.caledon.ca/committees.**

Half-load Season (March 15 to May 15)

Update (April 19, 2017) -- To protect Town roads during the spring thaw, half-load restrictions remain in place on all GRAVEL roads until May 15. Vehicles are restricted to a maximum of 5 tonnes per axle.

For PAVED roads, however, half-load restrictions have been lifted as of April 19, 2017.

Questions? Call Infrastructure Services at 905.584.2272 x. 4328 or visit **www.caledon.ca/roads.**



Kennedy Road reconstruction notice

(King Street to Olde Base Line Road)

Please note: Kennedy Road will be reconstructed from King Street to Olde Base Line Road. This work will include replacement of all cross culverts and road reconstruction with asphalt and paved shoulders. Temporary lane closures are expected, however, access to private property will be maintained. For more information about road construction projects in Caledon, visit **www.caledon.ca/roads**.

Scheduled start to end date: May 1, 2017 -September 1, 2017



Volunteer Firefighter Information Sessions

Caledon Fire and Emergency Services invites you to learn about opportunities as a Volunteer Firefighter.

DATE & TIME:	**Thursday, May 4, 2017 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.**
DATE & TIME:	**Saturday, May 13, 2017 9:00 - 10:30 a.m.**
LOCATION:	**Caledon East Fire Station 6085 Old Church Road Caledon East**

For information on minimum qualifications and requirements visit:

www.caledon.ca/fire-recruitment

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Our Readers Write

Thanks from O'Reillys

The O'Reilly family would like to sincerely thank the Caledon Citizen for publishing the article on the new Father Eugene O'Reilly Park.

We are proud of our ancestor's achievements, but also realize Wildfield has a rich heritage tapestry and there are many other early leaders worthy of recognition. And, in fact, the City of Brampton does have plans to name other parks after individuals who contributed to the community. With the never-ceasing onslaught of development throughout the Greater Toronto Area, it is imperative that the efforts and contributions of the people who came before us are commemorated and not erased by urban sprawl.

A formal dedication of the park, at 20 Leo Austin Rd., will be conducted May 28 at about 3 p.m.

Dan, Phyllis, David and
Eugene O'Reilly, Theresa and
Mary Rickett
(and a long list of cousins)

Shaughnessy acted improperly

It's nice to see that the Town of Caledon has not been forgotten when it comes to the phenomenon of "fake news."

I refer specifically to the letters to the editor that have been published in this newspaper over the past two weeks regarding the Integrity Commissioner's investigation against Ward 1 Regional Councillor Barb Shaughnessy.

This is an organized campaign by a dozen or so people to distract from the real issue of Shaughnessy's improper behavior towards numerous Town staff and two Regional councillors.

Eleven staff members who were represented by the Chief Administrative Officer Mike Galloway, and the two Regional councillors finally had enough and had the courage to come forward and ask the Integrity Commissioner to investigate. His report is clear — he found that Shaughnessy had acted improperly, clearly stated his reasoning, and applied sanctions.

No one is trying to muzzle Shaughnessy from representing her constituents to the best of her ability. What people are objecting to is her style and personality which is too often outright bullying, or to use the term from the report, intimidation.

To say that Shaughnessy was not given time to respond is nonsense. She had 10 full days to respond to the complaints and, it may be news to these supporters, she did so.

As clearly stated by most of the councillors, they took no glee in dealing publicly with this issue, but nevertheless voted 6-2 in favour of the report. The truth is there for everyone to see. Now let's move on to the numerous issues of real concern to the citizens of Caledon.

Duncan McCallum,
Ward 1,
Town of Caledon

Rotary Club of Palgrave's Weekly Rotary Minute

By Ross Farrelly

Every year, Rotary International (RI) holds an international convention where it elects the people who will lead Rotary for the following year.

This year, the convention will be held in Atlanta and the following year it will be in Toronto. This is a major event and usually draws 20,000 people or more from around the world.

Over the years, Kathy and I have attended RI conventions in Orlando, Brisbane, Salt Lake City, Chicago, Montreal and Lisbon. Due to its size, the convention is able to attract keynote speakers such as Ted Turner, Bill Gates or even Dolly Parton. All of these people do have a unique connection to Rotary and do not often speak to groups.

Another important part of the convention are smaller pre-conventions of the various Rotary programs, which we have attended due to our participation in the Rotary Youth Exchange program. The Youth Exchange preconvention was where many of our contacts were made which allowed us to add new countries to the exchange program. It is also really reassuring to the parents of outbound students to be able to be told that you have met the people who are in charge of the exchange program.

Another important part of all conventions is the House of Friendship, where all of the Rotary programs have displays and you can easily spend a few hours wandering, rather than attend one of the many breakout sessions that are also available.

The Toronto convention is very close to us, do plan to attend.

If you are interested in learning more about Rotary and how you can help create and foster moments of impact here in Caledon and around the world, please visit www.rotaryclubofpalgrave.com for more information on our Club and all the wonderful ways you could get involved.

How's your trivia?

By Bill Rea

1. What Canadian Prime Minister's face appears on the $50 bill?
2. Who was the first American President born in Illinois?
3. In what city was the '70s sitcom All in the Family set?
4. Prince Edward Island was named after Prince Edward. Who was his only child?
5. Who played the title role in the 1970s TV crime drama Kojak?
6. The Town of Caledon consists of five wards. In which ward would you be in if you were standing in the middle of Caledon Equestrian Park?
7. What is the capital of Alberta?
8. Who commanded the last manned mission to land on the moon?
9. What was the last horse to win the Canadian Triple Crown?
10. In the 1965 motion picture The Sound of Music, who played the role of Captain Georg von Trapp?

Answers

1 — William Lyon Mackenzie King; 2 — Ronald Reagan; 3 — New York; 4 — Queen Victoria; 5 — Telly Savalas; 6 — Ward 4; 7 — Edmonton; 8 — Eugene Cernan; 9 — Wando (2003); 10 — Christopher Plummer

It happened today

It was meant as a protest against President Richard Nixon's announcement that more men would have to be drafted to support the expansion of the war in Vietnam.

But the authorities were worried, and National Guardsmen were sent in. For some reason, 28 of them opened fire on the crowd, killing four and wounding nine.

The shootings at the campus of Kent State University took place this day, May 4, 1970.



Rhinos are worth the effort

There was a story in the news last week that I found rather amusing, while also being a bit depressing.

On the other hand, it just might be another case of reality as Nature makes her way through time.

It seems when it comes to the northern white rhinoceros, there are only three remaining. One is a male named Sudan, and the other two are females. And there are efforts to bring these critters together, let one thing lead to another, and maybe keep the species going. The efforts, from what I have read, include signing up Sudan with a dating app. What has anyone to lose?



Bill Rea

I like to think I have a decent layman's grasp of science, thus it is certainly limited. But from what I do know, I have to wonder if these efforts to repopulate the species are going to amount to much. The DNA pool seems rather small. But then again, miracles have been known to happen.

Please bear in mind that we're referring to the northern white rhino, which is a subspecies of the white rhino. Although the rhinoceros population throughout the world is not too abundant, we're currently only thinking of this one small group. According to Wikipedia, this surviving trio belongs to the Dv□r Králové Zoo in the Czech Republic but live in the Ol Pejeta Conservancy in Kenya and are protected round-the-clock by armed guards.

I'm operating on the assumption that the assertion that there are only three of these critters left is accurate. While one must assume that it must be pretty hard to miss a rhino (I didn't see one in person until I was in my early 30s, but more about that later), one has to face reality that their numbers are very low. Poachers have certainly taken their toll, but I also have to wonder if we're seeing out the scenario that Nature has planned. Some species of animals simply disappear because they do. I don't think we can blame poachers, or humanity in general, for the fact that none of us have seen a brontosaurus recently.

But the fact that these beasts are on the brink of extinction is depressing, no matter who or what is responsible.

Like so many people, I have a certain love for animals. That is more on an emotional level, as I appreciate that they play a significant role in the beauty of this world. Intellectually, I am the first to admit that my scientific knowledge of animals amounts to very little.

I used to fish a lot when I was a kid, but I haven't done that in more than a quarter of a century, and I'm not likely to take up the activity again. As I got older, my conscience balked at the thought of making sport by forcing fellow creatures to fight for their lives.

So the thought of a species being on the brink of extinction fills me with a certain amount of grief.

And the fact we're dealing with rhinos hits home with a bit too.

We're dealing with one beast that has always fascinated me.

I had been unaware that there was any such thing as a rhinoceros for the first couple of years of my life. I was in either Grade 1 or 2. An acquaintance of my mother had unloaded a bunch of books on her, and one of them was a picture book about zoo animals, and the rhino was prominent among the creatures featured. I will never be able to explain why I was so intrigued, but intrigued I was. Yet it was many years before I actually saw one.

I think it was in 1989 when a group of friends of mine were gathering together to visit what was then known as the Metro Toronto Zoo. I joined the group (a last-minute decision) and had a great time. There was a connection with one of the senior officials with the zoo. This fellow was able to get us in for free, got us onto one of the trains that toured the grounds, and by the end of the day, he arranged a behind-the-scenes tour of the zoo for the few of us who stuck out for the duration (not many — it was a long day). We got to engage in many activities, like feeding carrots and apples to a huge hippopotamus. The delightful creature even spat up on my hand. The next time you shake hands with me, remember that hand you are so warmly grasping was once covered with hippo goober. How many men do you know can brag about something like that, or want to?

But the day also memorable because I got to see a rhino for the first time. The group of us were leaning against the rails of the rhino pen, gazing at these magnificent beasts. I recalled my younger days, and let myself be filled with awe.

And then I dropped my sunglasses into the pen.

I briefly toyed with the idea of hopping the fence into the pen and retrieving the glasses, then scrambling out. I was much younger (and much more agile) in those days, and I am confident that I could have accomplished that task. But I also remembered I was guest of the zoo administration, and what I was contemplating would probably not have gone over well. Proper channels are in place for a reason, and my common sense told me to respect them in that instance.

I told one of the keepers of my problem, and he said he would take care of it. A couple of minutes later, I watched as he strolled, rather casually, through the rhino pen as if he were walking through a playground. The rhinos took no notice. I got my glasses back.

I'm not too optimistic that these efforts to introduce Sudan to parenthood are going to succeed, but it's worth a shot. These creatures are too impressive to give up on.

Results from last week's poll:

Do you think the Integrity Commissioner's report on Councillor Barb Shaughnessy was justified?

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a) Yes — 82%
b) No — 18%

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THIS WEEK'S QUESTION

The Provincial government came down with its budget last week. Is the government doing a good job of managing your tax dollars?

a) Yes
b) No

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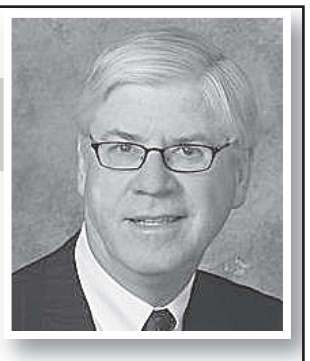
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U.S. imposes duties on softwood lumber

OTTAWA JOURNAL

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The U.S. Department of Commerce recently imposed countervailing duties as high as 24 per cent on Canadian softwood lumber imports.

This measure understandably raises serious concerns for the Canadian forestry industry and is yet, another example of the Liberal government's failure to take action to protect Canadian jobs and grow Canada's economy by failing to negotiate a new Softwood Lumber Agreement when it expired last fall. It's most unfortunate the current government's inaction of the last six months now places almost 400,000 Canadian jobs at risk.

Our previous Conservative government negotiated the Softwood Lumber Agreement by the end of April 2006, within just three months after coming into office, to solve the last softwood lumber dispute. It was also our previous Conservative government which negotiated an extension of the deal in 2012, to ensure market stability through to October 2016 when the agreement expired. We recognized the significant contribution the forestry sector makes to the Canadian economy, as it generates approximately 370,000 direct and indirect jobs in Canada. In 2014, 66 per cent of Canadian softwood exports were shipped to the U.S. Furthermore, 96 per cent of all softwood lumber imports into the U.S. are from Canada. Currently, Canada holds approximately 27 per cent of the U.S. market and the 2006 Softwood Lumber Agreement, negotiated by our previous Conservative government, capped the Canadian share at 34 per cent.

Instead of taking swift, decisive action to negotiate a new agreement like our previous Conservative government did when it came into office, the current Liberal government failed to take action last year and has now put whole communities that rely on the lumber industry at risk. The current government has a track record of failing to create jobs, grow the economy, and has now also failed forestry workers and their families, jeopardizing their livelihoods. Canadian forestry workers deserve stability and predictability from their government, which they haven't received from this Liberal government.

Sadly, negotiating a new softwood lumber agreement has never been a priority for the current Liberal government. In addition, there is no leadership and no mention of securing a new agreement in any of the Ministers' mandate letters. However, at this time last year, the current Liberal government proclaimed "a real breakthrough on softwood lumber" with the previous U.S. administration and yet, we now face another softwood lumber crisis. What's worse is that the current government has pitted one region against another forcing some provinces to appoint their own U.S. envoys instead of demonstrating leadership on the issue.

The current Liberal government has once again failed to provide leadership to Canadians — this time for forestry workers and their families through its inaction to negotiate a new softwood lumber agreement. The Canadian lumber industry should be able to count on the government to provide stability and predictability, but instead have received inaction, which has resulted in a crisis. Canadians deserve better from their government.

Budget continues to expand Ontario's enormous debt



FROM QUEEN'S PARK

Sylvia Jones
MPP Dufferin-Caledon

The Liberal government introduced their 2017 budget April 27.

The presented budget showed with certainty that the government is misleading Ontarians on the state of our province's debt a year before the next election.

To be clear, despite the government's claims, this is not a balanced budget. This does not address the massive debt that Ontario has accumulated under the McGuinty and Wynne Liberal governments. Since the Liberals took office in 2003, they have increased the debt from $139 billion to $312 billion this year. The government is hiding a more than $5 billion operational deficit through cash grabs, one-time revenue like the selloff of Hydro One, and unauthorized pension assets, which the independent Auditor General said the government cannot count towards their bottom-line. This means that the debt is currently projected to be at $312 billion, and is expected to go up an additional $24 billion in the next two years.

The important question is why does this matter to you and your family? The problem with growing debt is that it's "crowding out" paying for the services we need and deserve, meaning the larger the debt becomes the more the government takes away from services to pay the interest on the debt. In practical terms this means that the province now pays more in debt interest ($12 billion) than they spend on post-secondary education ($8.4 billion) and community safety ($2.8 billion) combined. With interest rates at record lows, the cost of servicing that debt is only set to rise in the future.

The second problem with the growing debt is that we increasingly burden future generations with a massive debt obligation. Currently each and every Ontarian is responsible for $22,103 for the province's debt. That $22,103 is enough money to buy a new car; two and half years worth of groceries for the average family or 11 years of gas money for the average family.

The budget also failed to address the hydro crisis this government created. The government's scheme will do nothing to address the root cause of the hydro crisis: bad energy contracts which lock taxpayers into 20-year contracts for overpriced wind and solar power; the fire sale of hydro one and out of control executive contracts, like the CEO of Hydro One making $4.5 million in 2016.

In the end, the government's approaches to the debt and hydro are not what Ontarians need. Ontarians need real action on these issues that does not just kick the can down the road.

Balanced budget? Don't believe it!



NATIONAL AFFAIRS

Claire Hoy

It was the late American children's author and illustrator Robert McCloskey who wrote: "I know that you believe you understand what you think I said, but I'm not sure you realize that what you heard is not what I meant."

Obviously, McCloskey was not speaking of last week's Ontario Liberal budget. But he could have been.

For the main lesson the Liberals wanted to come out of that pre-election exercise is "we have balanced the budget. Hurrah for us!"

They hope that by making this specious claim — and repeating it over and over from now until the election next fall — Ontario voters actually will believe they understand what they think the Liberal message was.

But anybody who takes the time to go beyond the partisan talking point will realize that what you heard them say bears little, if any, relationship to the truth of the matter.

As a self-admitted small "c" conservative, I am routinely first in line to cheer on any government that actually does balance its books. But, alas, the only way the Liberal budget could be called "balanced" is for everybody to set aside everything they know about debt and spending and buy into this transparent attempt by the Liberals to present themselves as responsible guardians of your tax dollars.

Put it this way. Say you discovered, after years of borrowing to make ends meet, that your income and expenses for a year finally match. But before you break out the champagne to celebrate this happy development, you have to head down the street to your friendly banker to borrow money to keep your household going. Add to that, your history of building up a debt load for year after year — making the cost of just servicing the debt, not paying it down, your third most expensive item — and you may have second thoughts about celebrating your fiscal brilliance.

The debt — which has led to Ontario's credit rating being diminished (which means paying even more money to borrow) — has skyrocketed under Liberal rule, and is predicted to increase by $64 billion — that's billion, with a "b" — to an astronomical $370 billion by 2020-21 – is a serious load on both current and future taxpayers. But if you don't count it as an expense, well then, bring out the champagne and celebrate.

In order to claim a balanced budget, the Liberals pulled out every actuarial trick in the book. Fact is, public borrowing will increase by another $10 billion this year alone, added to the $180 billion they've already piled onto the debt so far. But their budget doesn't count this as an expense because — wait for it — borrowing will be for "investments" (which is what politicians like to call "spending") on capital assets. The fact that it's still spending and still one of the costliest parts of overall spending doesn't matter when you're out to con the public.

Not only that, the Liberals included one-time sales of various assets to prop up their revenue stream and make it appear as if they are doing better than they are.

With Premier Kathleen Wynne at a historically low 11 per cent in recent public opinion polls — and Liberals publicly grousing about the possibilities of dumping her before the next election (and Wynne herself insisting she's not going anywhere) — it is not surprising the Liberals are so desperate for good news that they'll try anything.

And so it was they trotted out even more large spending proposals, including a plan to provide free drugs to Ontarians 24 years old and younger and adding 24,000 new licensed child care spots, among other things.

The pharmacare plan brings back memories of the late Larry Grossman, then health minister under premier Bill Davis, who, with his party facing a tough upcoming electoral fight, introduced a plan to offer "free" drugs for seniors.

Like the "free" drugs for kids Liberal plan, it too was supposed to be a relatively modest expense. But, like pretty well all government programs, it too grow'd like topsy and quickly became one of the costliest parts of the health budget. Look for the Liberal plan to do the same. Why? Because they start modestly, but then people say "what about my drug?" And, rather than put a lid on it, the politicians give in, and before long what was meant to cover a few drugs ends up including thousands.

And so it goes.

Which is why even during the halcyon years of Ontario being the engine of Canada, Bill Davis never managed a balanced budget either. Then again, unlike Wynne, he didn't claim that he did.

Lots of grant money available

By Erin Britnell,
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What type of organizations do you typically think as eligible for grants?

Not-for-profits? Of course. Governments? Absolutely. Businesses? Umm . . .

Every grant program has its own restrictions, but yes, there are opportunities available for businesses if you know where to look. It's said that there is no such thing as free money, which is true, but put some effort into a good grant application, and you may be rewarded.

So where should you look to see if there is grant program that is right for you? Some great places to find grant opportunities for businesses include:

• The Canada Business Network (canadabusiness.ca/programs/). Operated by the government of Canada, this site lists more than 800 grant, financing and loan programs for businesses across Canada. You can search by industry and by province to narrow down your options.

• The Ontario Grants Portal (www.grants.gov.on.ca/GrantsPortal/en/OntarioGrants/GrantsHome/). The Ontario government has a tool for searching all grant programs offered by the Province, which you can also narrow down by grants which are most applicable to you.

• Community Improvement Plans (www.caledon.ca/cip). The Town of Caledon has Community Improvement Plans in place in Bolton, Caledon East and the Six Villages to help businesses to improve their properties' facades, landscaping, or redevelop the site.

• There are also private companies and foundations that offer grants or contests for innovative ideas or business start-ups. The best way to find these is to identify organizations that match your company's purpose. For example, if you have a company with environmental goals, look for foundations or companies whose focus is also environmental.

So how does one access these grants? Grants often have a reputation for being tedious and bureaucratic. To make your grant writing experience a bit easier, here are five tips for writing a great application:

• Alignment. Grant programs will have specific goals or problems they are trying to solve. Make sure you are applying to programs where your business goals align with the grant program's goals, and that your application clearly shows how.

• Follow Directions. Be sure to follow directions on the application. If it says a maximum of 200 words, do not write 201. Especially if they are submitted online, your submission might be cut off at the word maximum and all the great things you said afterwards will not be considered.

• Clear language. Assume the reader knows nothing about your business or your industry, so the more readable the application is the better chance of success. Think of it as a pitch to an investor versus a grant.

• Don't give up. You might have to apply to multiple applications, in hopes that one will be successful, but stick with it and continue to refine your application.

• Proofread.

If you still have questions, or are struggling to identify opportunities, our Economic Development team is happy to help. Contact us at edc@caledon.ca or 905-584-2272, ext.4286 to set up a consultation.

Acrow's modular steel bridge used in award-winning project

Acrow Bridge of Bolton, a leading international bridge engineering and supply company, announced that a project featuring one of its modular steel bridges has received an award from the Ontario Public Works Association (OPWA).

The City of Vaughan was presented with the 2016 Project of the Year Award in the Disaster/Emergency Construction/Repair, Less than $2 Million Category at an awards ceremony recently.

The project that won the award was a temporary bridge on King Vaughan Road across the Humber River. Because the existing single lane bridge was under-capacity for normal truck traffic, it was necessary for these vehicles to travel a longer route. More urgently, the bridge could not accommodate fire equipment, so an immediate solution was needed. A modular steel structure purchased from Acrow was selected as a long-term temporary solution while a new permanent two lane bridge is planned.

The 21.3 meter-long by 3.6 meter-wide single lane bridge was selected in part because of Acrow's ability to design and deliver the structure in a tight time frame. This was made possible by using components available from stock and because it was a typical configuration which Acrow has used on other projects. The project was completed in a two-week window in December 2015 and is currently in place. Another feature of the project is that the temporary bridge could be converted to a permanent two lane structure by adding new components, which would reduce the cost of an entire new bridge.

"It was a pleasure working with Acrow Bridge on this project," Jack Graziosi, Vaughan's director of infrastructure delivery, said. "The staff were very cooperative and provided excellent technical support throughout the procurement and the installation of the bridge."

"Acrow is pleased that OPWA has recognized the structural integrity and utility of this much-needed solution for a serious municipal infrastructure issue," Acrow President Ken Scott commented. "All Acrow bridges are galvanized steel and engineered to support heavy loads and frequent use, and are practically maintenance-free under even the most rugged conditions. Built to last, our bridges can be installed as permanent or long-term temporary structures, depending on the customer's needs."

Saga continues over ruling against Shaughnessy

By Bill Rea

Councillor Barb Shaughnessy has her supporters in the community, but her husband Tim Forster took up the cudgels for her Tuesday night.

He made a final pitch to Town councillors not to ratify the acceptance of a report from John Fleming, integrity commissioner for the Town of Caledon. He had issued a report last month, in which he stated Shaughnessy had breeched Code of Conduct rules. The report had been accepted by the General Committee of council.

Complaints had been launched by Councillors Johanna Downey and Jennifer Innis, as well as CAO Mike Galloway.

Galloway had alleged Shaughnessy had repeatedly portrayed staff in a negative manner, requested confidential information that was not appropriate for her to have and had undermined staff, using her position to try to influence staff.



In his address to council Tuesday night, Forster said his wife had a number of supporters in the community who wanted to attend, but they had asked them not to.

"This Integrity Report has actually become a negative news story for all of council," he observed. "At the last session, councillors were falling all over themselves, taking some responsibility for council's dysfunctionality, but most voted to support the report."

He also pointed out that Councillor Gord McClure had commented at the April session that the report was an embarrassment, and should go in the garbage. Forster said those comments "crystalized public sentiment in the room that night."

Shaughnessy declared a pecuniary interest while her husband was speaking and while council dealt with the minutes of the April meeting, and left the council chambers. She had done the same thing while the issue was being discussed in April. But Forster pointed out Downey and Innis stayed in their seats. "They were, and still remain tonight, accuser, judge and jury," he said.

Forster also stated there was no clear violation of the code of Conduct on the part of his wife.

"There are no references to Councillor Shaughnessy's alleged poor behaviour in council or at events, ill treatment of employees in any form and no reference to any intimidation or threats against staff in any of the original complaints," he declared.

He added his wife should have been given the opportunity to respond to the report before it was issued, and her responses should have been incorporated in it. He also said there were no affidavits, reports or supporting emails to back up the conclusion that Shaughnessy showed disrespect to staff.

"We did not participate in any of the investigation," he told Councillor Annette Groves.

"These accusations would never hold up in court," he said.

"Councillor Shaughnessy will continue to serve the residents of Caledon in an open, transparent and straight forward manner," he concluded.

In dealing with the minutes, Groves repeated her concerns over the report.

"I don't think this was a fair report," she remarked, reiterating that Shaughnessy didn't get a chance to respond to it prior to it's being released.



PACKED HOUSE AT CROSSCURRENTS

Shannon Kingsbury (right) was accompanied by equally charismatic Gary Diggins and Tricia Brubacher as they played to a packed room last Friday at CrossCurrents Cafe, earning a standing ovation and an encore after two mesmerizing sets of original music plus covers of songs by Bruce Springsteen, Tom Waits, Colleen Peterson and others. The evening included thrilling harmonies, fascinating stories, a short poetry reading that merited its own applause, an intriguing array of mostly ancient and traditional instrumentation and a display of musicianship that audience rarely get to witness except at high-ticket events.

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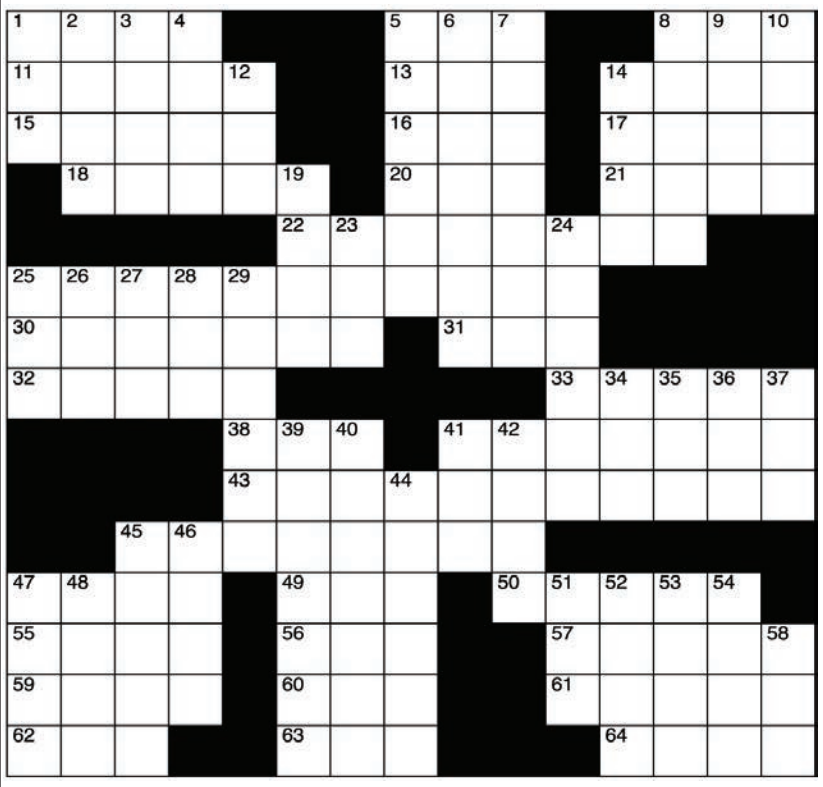
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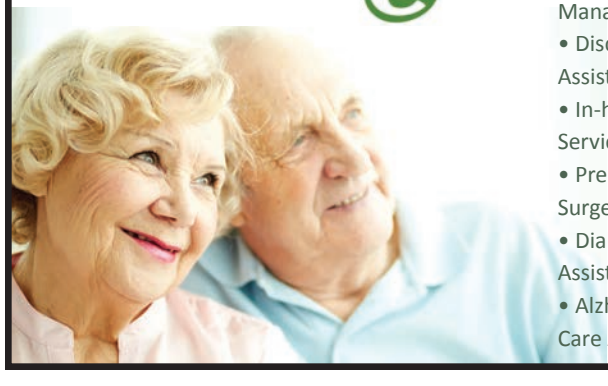
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18. Confined
20. __ Farrow, actress
21. One point east of southeast
22. Kinetic and elastic are two
25. Taking possession of a property
30. Associate of same rank
31. Uganda
32. Heads the department
33. Assistants
38. I (German)
41. Small vessel
43. Home to Deadwood
45. Vetoed
47. Wings
49. Vestment
50. Heavy cavalry sword
55. Deer native to Japan
56. Spy agency
57. Was hurting
59. Famous New Yorker film critic
60. Liquefied natural gas
61. Jewish spiritual leader
62. Male offspring
63. Sense of self-esteem
64. Cheek

CLUES DOWN

1. Engine additive
2. Fashionable
3. Region
4. "Friday Night Lights" director Peter
5. __ fatale, French seductresses
6. A treeless grassy plain
7. Large flat rectangular strips of pasta
8. Eating houses
9. Divulge a secret
10. Beget
12. Midway between east and southeast
14. Container for shipping
19. Deceased basketballer Bison __
23. Neither
24. Large lizard
25. Licenses TV stations
26. Express delight
27. Refusal of medical assistance
28. Upon
29. Bright or deep red
34. A way to sign
35. Zhou Dynasty state
36. Shock therapy
37. Ocean
39. Basketlike boat
40. Irish sport
41. Doctor
42. Middle day
44. Autonomous island
45. Made of wood
46. Meat from a calf
47. Inquires
48. Chinese dynasty
51. Swiss river
52. Prejudice
53. "The Wire" actor Idris
54. Resistance fighters
58. Criticize

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Artist's inspiration comes from many sources: None better than Nature

Headwaters Arts Gallery presents Grounded, a two-person show featuring the paintings of Sonja Mortimer and the clay works of Ann Randeraad.

These local artists see nature as a springboard for artistic creation. Each interprets nature's colours, textures and movement in her own distinct manner. It is not just nature that speaks to these artists, but its resilience. Both Mortimer and Randeraad invite the viewer to pause and appreciate. Nature presents quiet beauty to those who will only remain still long enough to see . . . even hear it.

Windswept feral grasses, flaunting their strength and flexibility in sage greens, steely blues and brassy tones, are reflected in each brushstroke that Mortimer applies to a canvas. If one stops and takes a moment, one can even feel the breeze rustling through the leaves. Nature's rawness tests these grasses and they rise to the challenge season after season.

In Randeraad's works, contrasting textures and forms rise from earth itself, as clay is molded and directed into functional pieces. These forms develop almost magically from simple earth. Forms transition, gain strength and definition with each layer of growth. Wood firing is a major focus in her works. Many of her clay forms will travel through fire and back, boasting their resilience as they emerge from the final firing.

Grounded runs until June 4 in the Headwaters Arts Gallery in the Alton Mill Arts Center. There will be a reception this Saturday (May 6) from 1 to 4 p.m.

Alton Mill Arts Centre is at 1402 Queen St. in Alton.

St. Michael's Chaplaincy Leader receives prestigious award

By Bill Rea

Urszula Cybulko is very good at her job, and that has been recognized by her peers.

The Chaplaincy Leader at St. Michael Catholic Secondary School in Bolton was recently named the 2017 recipient of the Brian J. Halferty Award.

The award is presented to a Chaplaincy Leader currently serving in a school who contributes to the role of chaplaincy, above and beyond the regular demands of the position, which positively affects the role and position of all Chaplaincy Leaders in Ontario.

She said she received the award April 19 at the conference of the Catholic School Chaplains of Ontario (CSCO).

And it was a surprise.

"Actually, I was pretty shocked," she said.

Cybulko added it would have been her fellow chaplains and teachers who nominated her for the award, but she has not yet received her copy of the nomination package.

"I think it's just my work over the years," she observed.

This is Cybulko's 30th year working in education, and she added she's planning to retire in June. Those 30 years have included five years as Chaplaincy Leader at Father Michael Goetz Secondary School in Mississauga, and she was the first one to fill that role when St. Michael opened in 2010.

"I love faith," she said, explaining her success at her job. "It's the core of who we are."

"It's an honour to minister to school communities," she added. "I love ministering. I think it was a natural call for me."

"We're missing something if we don't acknowledge that we're separate beings," she commented, adding it's important to give people the chance to explore that.

"We are pleased and proud of Urszula for receiving this prestigious award," St. Michael Principal Michelina Battaglini said. "To be recognized by her peers across the province speaks volumes to the work she does and we congratulate her on this special occasion."

"The greatest blessing for me is that I get to go to work every day and actively be on a faith journey," Cybulko said. "I can't imagine who I would have become if I didn't work in a faith community."

Cybulko said she's not sure what's going to come for her after retirement, but she's looking forward to finding out.

"I'm going to just discover new things," she said.

"God has many plans for us," she added, anticipating what's coming next. "I'm just as excited to end as I waste start."



Urszula Cybulko holds her Brian J. Halferty Award.

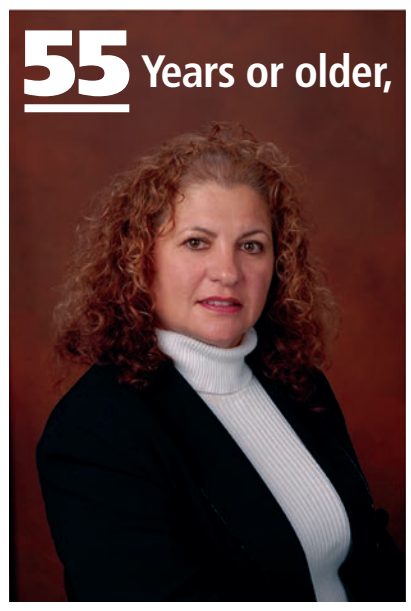


HOWARD THE BUTCHER IS 20

It was a time to celebrate recently as Howard the Butcher marked 20 years in operation in the village core in Caledon East. Dufferin-Caledon MP David Tilson and Mayor Allan Thompson were both on hand, offering congratulations to Ann and Howard Beckett on their 20 years of success.

Photo by Bill Rea

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Caledon resident received Lincoln M. Alexander award

By Bill Rea

Inclusiveness is something that has always been very important to Tia John.

She has worked hard for it, and that was recently recognized when the young ValleyWood resident was one of the recipients of the Lincoln M. Alexander Award.

John is currently in her first year studying criminology at Wilfrid Laurier University, but she was part of a Planning for Independence Leadership Program while in Grade 12 at St. Edmund Campion Secondary School in Brampton. Through the program, she got the chance to work with fellow students who were physically or mentally challenged.

"I found an emotional attachment with my students," as he said.

John said she was among 15 students who had been selected by teachers to run the program.

She said she had been bothered by the way some of these students had faced exclusion. So among other things, she made a point of sitting with them in the school cafeteria at lunch. That idea spread to her friends and classmates.

"That made everyone think it was okay to interact with students," she said.

She added that some of the students at the school had not been involved.

"That's where I wanted to make a change in the school community," she said.

The program continues this year. She was at the school recently, and the students she worked with recognized her and are interacting is school activities.

"I wasn't surprised," she said.

As well, John helped coordinate school events to break down social barriers, raise awareness of discrimination and promote inclusiveness. she also played a key role in the school's annual Culturefest, which attracted more than 400 participants.

It was staff members at St. Edmund Campion who nominated John; specifically Guidance Counsellor Andrea Pearl, Principal Peter Cusumano and teacher Sanjeev Malhortra.

"I didn't do it for recognition," John commented about the award. "It was a complete shock when I received the call."

The award presentation took place Feb. 23 at the Lieutenant-Governor's Suite at Queens Park.

"It was a wonderful experience," she said.

The Lincoln M. Alexander Award is presented annually to three young people who have demonstrated exemplary leadership in promoting positive social change. The award was created in 1993 in honour of Ontario's 24th Lieutenant-Governor, who was in office from 1985 to 1991.



Tia John with her Lincoln M. Alexander Award.

Dufferin-Peel Board appoints David Amaral Associate Director

The Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board has announced the appointment of David Amaral as Associate Director, Instructional Services.

He replaces retiring Associate Director Sheila McWatters and assumes his new role on the board's executive team Aug. 1.

Amaral has had a 20-year career at Dufferin-Peel with extensive leadership experience. He began his career as a teacher in 1997. He has also served as vice-principal, principal, superintendent of schools, and superintendent of strategy, policy and global learning, the position he currently holds.

"David Amaral brings a wealth of high level experience, knowledge and leadership to the Associate Director's position," said Director of Education Marianne Mazzorato. "With his Catholic leadership experience, the board has solidified its senior management team and we look forward to working with him in his new capacity."

"The board is extremely pleased with the appointment of David Amaral to the position of Associate Director," said Board Chair Mario Pascucci. "He has the knowledge and experience, as well as the vision, to complement and add to the strong leadership we enjoy at Dufferin-Peel. We are well served by his appointment."

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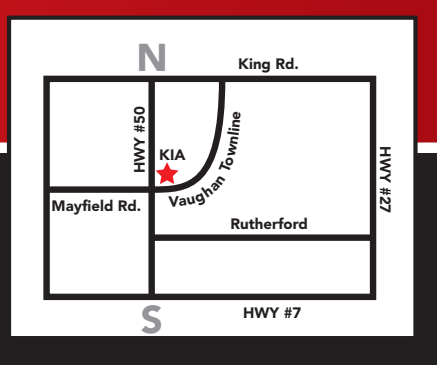
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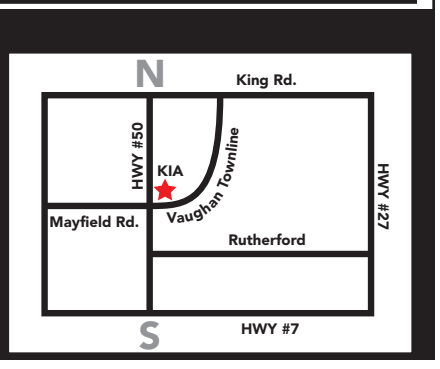
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SPORTS





Caledon Jr. C Bandits fall twice in opening weekend

By Jake Courtepatte

The Caledon Bandits met a heavy-handed Cornwall Celtics team to open the Ontario Junior C Lacrosse League season over the weekend, both offensively and physically.

In a constant parade to the penalty box for both clubs, the Celtics managed to pot a total of 32 goals over two games which featured very little five-on-five action.

The Benson Centre in Cornwall was the venue for the weekend back-to-back series, with Caledon drawing first blood in game one Saturday. Josh MacIssac, in his second year with the club, found the back of the net just more than five minutes into the first period.

The teams traded a few more to bring a 2-2 tie into the intermission, with newcomer Robert Cristello scoring his first as a Bandit.

Cornwall opened up a healthy lead in the second, outscoring Caledon 7-3, a lead they would not relinquish through the third. The Celtics took the season opener 14-9, while the teams split 127 minutes in penalties.

The bad blood spilled over into game two the following afternoon, with fighting majors and unsportsmanlike conduct penalties handed out like candy. Cornwall outscored the Bandits 8-0 in the first 20 minutes, with the teams playing much more evenly over the final 40, despite a final score of 18-6.

Jordan Oshowy led the Bandits with a goal and two assists in the contest.

The Bandits are looking to rebound from a 2016 season that saw them bounced from the first round of the playoffs by the Fergus Thistles for the second straight year, after managing just three regular season wins.

They bring a much more veteran squad to the floor in 2017, after losing only one player to age eligibility and seeing some familiar names make a return. Oshowy and Austin Heughan, both three-year veterans with the Bandits, should provide a healthy spark of offence, complimented by some talented rookie pickups.

A new season also brings a new home to the Bandits, who have moved out of Mayfield Arena and into the one in Caledon East. Home games will be split between Tuesday and Friday nights, with the return of the hardest shot competitions at intermissions.

With the first five games of the season on the road, the home opener is scheduled for May 23 against the Wilmot Wild, with the opening draw set for 8 p.m.

In the meantime, a pair of tough games lie ahead this weekend for the Bandits when they visit the Oakville Buzz Saturday, followed by the Six Nations Warriors Sunday.

The season schedule consists of 16 games and will run until the end of June.

For schedules, visit www.banditslacrosse.com/jrc


Jordan Oshowy leads the Jr. C Caledon Bandits in scoring through the OJCLL's opening weekend, notching a goal and four assists.

Dodgers, Brewers, to open NDBL season next week

By Jake Courtepatte

Bolton will once again have double the chances to bring home a North Dufferin Baseball League championship.

After two seasons in the AAA Greater Toronto Baseball League, the Bolton Brewers have returned to the AA North Dufferin League, joining the Bolton Dodgers in a league where they have found tons of success in the past.

Having won five consecutive NDBL championships between 2009-2013, the Brewers left to join the GTBL in 2015, but were never able to gain traction in the league, citing issues with roster depth and park arrangements.

New Lowell has emerged as the league's top team since the departure of the Brewers, winning back-to-back Strother Cups, and they will enter the 2017 season as the number-one contenders.

With Mike Wallace once again at the helm, the Brew Crew will be looking to return to the throne Tuesday when they open on the road against the Aurora Jays, before their home opener against the Jays the following Wednesday at the Innisfil Recreation Complex.

They will split their hosting diamonds between Innisfil, North Hill Park in Bolton, and Tottenham Park.

The Dodgers, meanwhile, are done licking their wounds from a sweep by the Knights in the 2016 first round and will open on the road against the Clearview Orioles next Wednesday.

Also splitting time between North Hill and Tottenham, they will not see home field advantage until May 24 when they host the Jays in Tottenham.

The two Bolton squads will clash for the first time this season July 6 at North Hill.

Each team in the NDBL will play 14 home games and 14 road games throughout the regular season, culminating at the end of July.

The Lisle Astros will host their annual Victoria Day weekend tournament May 20 to 22 while the New Lowell Knights have a tournament for the Civic Holiday weekend in August.

The league's All-Star Games are planned for July 8 in Midland with a senior and junior contest on the docket.

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ATHLETES OF THE WEEK



Moses Brajkovichn

Mayfield Secondary School

This 15-year-old made his mark this year in alpine skiing, consistently finishing in the top 10, and helping Mayfield win at ROPSSAA. He's also playing flanker on the junior rugby team, which has won its first two games. He also plays tennis at school Away from class, he recently competed in a province alpine meet in Alberta, finishing sixth out of 110 racers. The Grade 10 student lives in Caledon village.



Emily Pitcher

Robert F. Hall Catholic Secondary School

This Grade 11 student is captain of the varsity outdoor soccer team, playing centre back. The team opened the season with a couple of wins. She used to play on the school's field hockey team, but there is no squad this year. In the community, she plays rep soccer in and house league hockey for the Caledon Coyotes. The 16-year-old lives in the Caledon village area.



Sydney Beaton

St. Michael Catholic Secondary School

This 14-year-old has been finding success playing doubles badminton. She said they won their last game, and are improving. She also played on the school's indoor ultimate Frisbee team. In the community, she said she's been active with Sondra's Tri Dance company in Bolton for about 10 years. The Grade 9 student lives in Bolton.



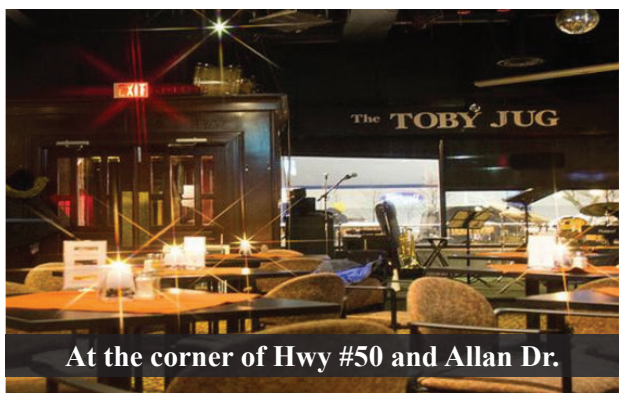
Troy Wilkinson

Humberview Secondary School

The Grade 12 student plays number eight on the senior boys' rugby team, which has opened the current season by splitting their first two games. He was also a wide receiver on the varsity football team in the fall. In the community, he plays club rugby in the Aurora Barbarians' organization. The 17-year-old lives in Palgrave.









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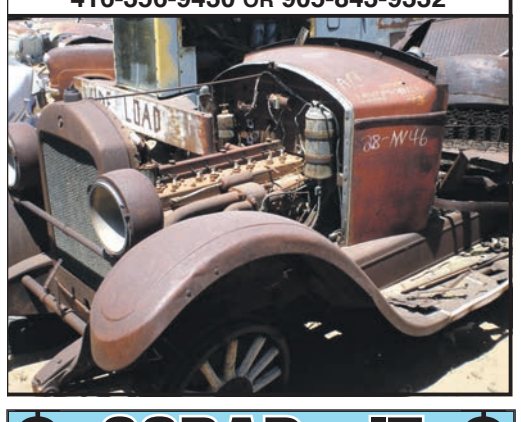
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- Ensuring a professional image is maintained throughout all areas.

Qualifications:
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- Exceptional customer service and desire to excel
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We are currently looking for a **full time DZ Driver** to join our team. We are also looking for part time drivers available for afternoons and weeekends.

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- Deliveries to commercial and retail customers
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- Ensure the accuracy and safety of all loads
- Loading and unloading deliveries as required
- Completing all necessary paperwork as required. Internal and governmental
- Represent Orangeville Home Hardware Building Centre in a professional and courteous manner both on and off site.
- Maintain vehicles inside and out as well as reporting any operational issues.

Qualifications:
- Clean driving record. Interested applicants should submit an abstract with application unless already on file
- Enthusiastic with excellent customer service skills and professional presentation
- Not afraid of hard work with the ability to lift/carry reasonable weights
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Please submit resume, salary expectations, along with a copy of your police background check (including a vulnerable sector screen) by fax or email before May 19, 2017 to:

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We thank all those persons who apply; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted

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Route OH118
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Route OE68
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Route SF5
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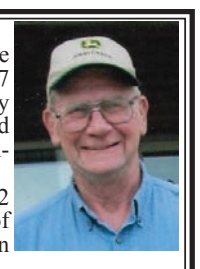
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OBITUARIES

SAUNDERS Alan Orr (Al)



Passed away peacefully at home on Wednesday, April 19, 2017 in his 75th year, after a lengthy battle with cancer. He enjoyed his last days with extended family members and friends.
He was born August 11, 1942 in Toronto, Ontario, the son of the late Helen (Orr) and Vernon Saunders.
He graduated from Queen's University in the Civil Engineering program. He worked on many project throughout Ontario and Quebec for various construction companies before partnering in Drillco Foundations LTD. In 1972 he moved his family to a working farm in East Garafraxa. As a child he loved to be connected with the earth, a passion he pursued throughout his life. He was an integral part of many communities, both professional and personal and made lasting contributions to many lives.
Alan is survived by his daughters: Kimberley, Nicole (Robert) and Penny; as well as his granddaughters: Samantha (Jesse), Victoria, Jody and Abagail; and by his brother: Robert (Maryanne) and family. He will be deeply missed by the Littles: Gail, Kevin (Heather), Brian (Erin), Mark, and all those who think of him as Grumps.
A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, June 3, 2017 from 1:00 - 5:00 p.m. on his farm. Please feel free to drop by to share your memories and final wishes. Light refreshments will be offered. In lieu of flowers please make a donation to a charity of your choice or a donkey sanctuary.
Condolences may be offered to the family at www.dodsandmcnair.com

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Auction Small Farm Sale

Monday May 15th at 6pm, 2017
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Of farm machinery, butcher shop items, household etc.

Viewing day of the sale at 4pm
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AUCTIONS

Auction Sale

for the Estate of

George & Margaret Hodgson

Saturday May 13 at 9:30am

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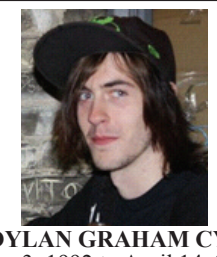
Time may help ease the bitter pain
Of the loss of both held so dear

But only a few know how much we miss them
And the loneliness of each passing year
How constantly we think of both of you
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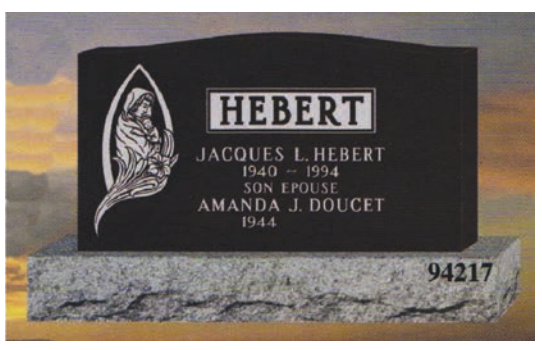
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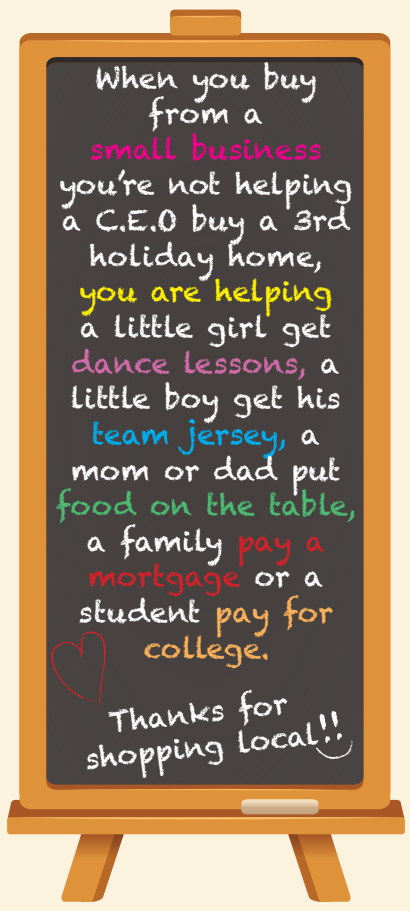




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Skating club celebrates the movies



A Night at the Movies was the theme recently at the annual Carnival put on by The Bolton Skating Club. Skaters representing a wide range of age groups got the chance to show their skills in front of the audience. The Senior Opening Line had these young folks dressed up as Chimney Sweeps, skating to the song from Mary Poppins.

Photos by Bill Rea



These young members of the CanSkate program were touring the ice to the sounds of Happy from Despicable Me.



The Intermediate Group were decked out appropriately to perform to the tune of the popular Pink Panther Theme Song.



These CanSkate skaters were performing to Do You Want to Build a Snowman/Let it Go from Frozen.

Hike for Bethell Hospice goes this Sunday in Inglewood

Lace up your shoes and get ready for this year's Hike for Bethell Hospice This Sunday.

Held each spring during national Hospice and Palliative Care Week, the hike is an important event for Bethell Hospice Foundation, raising awareness and funds for hospice palliative care in the community. The Foundation hopes to raise $130,000 through this year's hike.

In response to last year's success, the 2017 Hike for Bethell Hospice has been amalgamated into one huge event at a new, larger location — Lloyd Wilson Centennial Arena in Inglewood.

The event features a balloon ceremony at 10 a.m., an accessible five kilometre hike along the Caledon Trailway, and a barbecue expertly prepared by the Caledon Lions Club. Registration is $25 and hikers are encouraged to gather pledges of support, and post inspirational message and photos on the memory board. Registration includes lunch and a limited edition hike t-shirt, and is fully tax receiptable. To register for the hike, or to donate to a hiker, go to foundation.bethellhospice.org

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