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## NEWS

### Acton's Leathertown Festival a hit.



Ward 3 Councillor Mike Davis enjoying the festivities.

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Aug. 14, 2006

**Halton – Acton:** Yesterday Acton hosted its 15th annual [Leathertown Festival](#).

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### Halton's 16th Annual Take Back the Night Event

Aug. 12, 2006

**Halton:** The Sexual Assault and Violence Intervention Services of Halton (SAVIS) will be hosting the 16th Annual Take Back the Night march for Halton. Each year, Take Back the Night brings our community together to speak out and march to end violence against women and children.

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### Popular Business Hit by Fire

## HEADLINES

### 2006 Halton Children's Water Festival!

Aug. 12, 2006

**Halton:** In its first year, the Halton Children's [Water Festival \(HCWF\)](#) provides elementary students in grades three to five with the opportunity to learn about the importance of ground and surface water.

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### Man goes on rampage, attacks Police Officer

Aug. 8, 2006

**Halton - Halton Hills:** On August 5th, a 38 year old male attempted to steal a bicycle by using force in Brampton. He was unsuccessful. He then went into traffic and pulled a driver away from his vehicle. The driver started screaming, drawing the attention of a Peel Regional Police Officer. The male drove away in a dangerous manner, with the driver and the Peel Officer attempting to stop him.

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### Single vehicle accident *Citizen report:*



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### Canada News

#### [Canadian troops brace for shooting backlash](#)

Canadian soldiers in Afghanistan were preparing on Wednesday for possible retaliation after the shooting death of an Afghan boy a day earlier.  
*Wednesday, 23 August 2006 6:50 EST*

#### [Pilot OK after crash landing in Labrador lake](#)

A pilot whose plane crash-landed in a Western Labrador lake Tuesday night is safe.  
*Wednesday, 23 August 2006 7:05 EST*

#### [Body of missing student found: family](#)

Family members have confirmed that a body discovered Tuesday morning in Edmonton's North Saskatchewan River is that of a university student missing for nine days.  
*Tuesday, 22 August 2006 16:31 EST*

### World News

#### [Reluctant Europeans ponder role in Lebanon](#)

Amid a shortage of volunteers, European Union officials met in Brussels on Wednesday to hammer out details of a peacekeeping contingent for southern Lebanon.  
*Wednesday, 23 August 2006 8:12 EST*

#### [Canadian troops brace for shooting backlash](#)

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#### [Investigators seek cause of deadly plane crash in Ukraine](#)

Investigators combed through wreckage in a Ukrainian field on Wednesday, a day after a crash that killed all 170 people on a Russian passenger plane.  
*Wednesday, 23 August 2006 7:55 EST*

### Ottawa News

#### [Ex-NHL agent David Frost arrested](#)

David Frost, the former agent of jailed NHL player Mike Danton, was arrested Tuesday by Ontario Provincial Police for sexual exploitation and assault.

*Tuesday, 22 August 2006 17:07 EST*

#### [Man falls to death while evading Ottawa police](#)



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Aug. 3, 2006

**Halton Hills - Georgetown:** An early morning fire has left a long-standing familiar business in the community with major damages. A fire has left Agram Meats at 10676 Trafalgar Rd. with very serious fire damage and loss of product. The fire was reported to Fire Services at approximately 04:30 this morning after smoke was noticed coming from the basement windows by a patrolling Halton Regional Police Officer.

[More ...](#)

## Region moving forward with "Energy from Waste Facility" initiative

Aug. 3, 2006

**Halton Region:** In order to implement its Solid Waste Management Strategy, Halton Regional Council will be moving forward on the long-standing direction of the Joint Board Decision from 1989 to establish an Energy from Waste Facility (EFW) at the Halton Waste Management Site on Regional Road 25 in Milton.

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## HOW DO YOU WANT TO HAVE FUN IN THE FUTURE?

Aug. 03, 2006

**Halton - Halton Hills:** Recognizing the growing need to promote healthy, active lifestyles, and to provide adequate recreational facilities and services, the Town of Halton Hills has initiated the Recreation and Parks Strategic Action Plan. Following up to the 1994 Recreation Master Plan, the Action Plan will update key issues by examining why the Town offers the programs and services and facilities that it does, ways to address recreational needs while being financially responsible, and what needs to be done in order to address the

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Aug. 3, 2006

**Halton Hills - Georgetown:** Truck hit rock and flips on Armstrong Ave.

## A taste of Scotland for the ears.

August 3, 2006

**Fergus - ON.:** You've heard of Scotch Nosings. Well, the musical line up at this year's Fergus Scottish Festival & Highland Games is a veritable Scotch Hearing! If it's robust, rich and full-bodied music you're after, make sure you're at the Sleeman's Highland Pub on August 11, 12, and 13.

[More ...](#)

## 2006 Municipal Election Update

Aug. 03, 2006.

**Halton - Halton Hills:** Due to release of the Preliminary List of Electors by Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC), which identifies those individuals with unconfirmed Citizenship, the Town of Halton Hills has recently sent a letter to those residents that may be affected.

[More ...](#)

## Halton Police Tactical Rescue Unit Recognized For Excellence

Aug. 3, 2006

**Halton Region:** The Provincial Government, has formally recognized that the training efforts of the Halton Regional Police Service Tactical Rescue Unit meet the highest standards.

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## HEAR THE ROARS OF THE JUNGLE IN "MUNGLE JUNGLE" THE MUSICAL THEATRE PRODUCTION

A man died Tuesday evening after falling from an Ottawa apartment balcony while apparently trying to evade police.

**Wednesday, 23 August 2006 8:27 EST**

### [Ottawa loses bid for photo radar](#)

Ottawa has been turned down by the province in its bid to install photo-radar cameras on city streets.

**Wednesday, 23 August 2006 8:46 EST**

### Money News

#### [Domtar and Weyerhaeuser unveil \\$3.3B US merger](#)

Domtar Inc. said Tuesday it will merge with the fine paper business of U.S. forest products company Weyerhaeuser Co. in a \$3.3 billion US cash-and-stock deal.

**Wednesday, 23 August 2006 8:35 EST**

#### [Calgary company buys Come By Chance refinery](#)

A new owner has been found for North Atlantic Refining, the only refinery in Newfoundland and Labrador.

**Wednesday, 23 August 2006 8:44 EST**

#### [Consumer prices rise despite GST cut](#)

Consumer prices actually increased by a 10th of a percentage point last month, despite the one percentage point cut in the GST that went into effect on Canada Day.

**Tuesday, 22 August 2006 15:57 EST**

### Health News

#### [Weight linked to where you live: Statistics Canada](#)

Canadian adults who live in rural areas are more likely to be obese than city dwellers, Statistics Canada reported Tuesday.

**Tuesday, 22 August 2006 10:28 EST**

#### [Bedsores cost billions, defy easy treatment](#)

Painful bedsores or pressure ulcers cost billions of dollars to treat each year, but little is known about how to prevent them, Canadian researchers say.

**Tuesday, 22 August 2006 18:19 EST**

#### [Sleep apnea harms children's brains, study finds](#)

Children who suffer from obstructive sleep apnea (OSA) did poorly on IQ and other tests, compared with a control group, a U.S. study reports.

**Tuesday, 22 August 2006 13:00 EST**

### Arts & Entertainment News

#### [Celebrities, world media to descend on Toronto film fest](#)

Heavyweights from Hollywood, Bollywood, European and Asian cinema — and the media who cover them — are set to arrive this September at the Toronto International Film Festival, a sign to organizers the event is strengthening its reputation as an international launch pad for films.

**Tuesday, 22 August 2006 15:49 EST**

#### [Mike Duffy recovering after open-heart surgery](#)

Veteran broadcast journalist Mike Duffy is recovering at home in Ottawa after undergoing open-heart surgery.

**Tuesday, 22 August 2006 21:32 EST**

#### [Man in BBC mix-up nets film deal](#)

Guy Goma, the man the British Broadcasting Corp. interviewed on air when someone mistook him for an internet expert, will see his story told in film.

**Tuesday, 22 August 2006 18:04 EST**

### Toronto News

public's needs.

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**UPDATE:**

## Missing Acton Man - Found

Aug. 3, 2006

**Halton - Halton Hills:** A 71 year old Acton man that left home July 19th, has contacted family and returned safely.

George "Arthur" Wheatley who left his home on July 19th after a disagreement with his wife has returned. Mr. Wheatley contacted his daughter on July 30th and arranged to stay with her. He was found to be fine and in good health.

[Original Release..](#)

## Roofing contractor receives jail sentence of 29 months

July 31, 2006

**Halton - Milton:** On July 17, 2006, a local roofing contractor attended at the Ontario Court of Justice in the Town of Milton and plead guilty to numerous fraud related charges.

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## Will Halton Hills Hydro – ‘Load Shifting’ initiative really benefit consumers?



July 17, 2006

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## Urban-based columnist too critical of Agri-marketing boards.

Aug. 3, 2006

**Halton - Halton Hills:** The Town of Halton Hills Musical Theatre Camp presents a theatrical performance complete with song and dance. This production is created and presented by the campers in this year's Musical Theatre Camp.

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## Large Fire at Banquet Hall

July 31, 2006

**Halton - Halton Hills:** District One Fire Fighters responded to a structure fire at Halton Place , 9328 15 Side in Halton Hills July 28. At 03:06 a.m. the Halton Hills Fire Protection and Prevention Services received a 911 call from staff of Halton Place reporting a fire in the banquet hall with exposure problems to a fuel tank. Numerous other calls from passerbys were also reporting flames and smoke visible. Arriving crews found the structure with heavy fire and smoke concentrated in the west section of the structure and into the attic.

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## Marijuana Grow Op Raided

July 31, 2006

**Halton - Milton:** In July 2006 the Halton Regional Police Service began investigations into a suspected marijuana grow operation located in a residence at 1079 McNeil Drive in the town of Milton.

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## Halton - Three Charged with Abduction from December 2005

July 31, 2006

**Halton:** On December 21, 2005 at approximately 8:30 a.m. a 22 year old female was walking to work on Park St. N in the City of Hamilton. This female was surrounded by a group of males who forced her into a nearby van which then sped off. This was witnessed by several citizens.

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### Judge's ruling in Caledonia dispute an 'opinion': appeal judge

A judge's apparent order to end negotiations in an aboriginal land dispute in Caledonia was nothing more than a suggestion, an Ontario Court of Appeal panel said Tuesday.

Tuesday, 22 August 2006 16:40 EST

### Sports News

#### Blue Jays win behind Burnett

The bickering Toronto Blue Jays succeeded in putting their differences behind them — and putting their support behind starter A.J. Burnett.

Tuesday, 22 August 2006 23:28 EST

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#### Gatlin agrees to 8-year track ban

Olympic and world champion sprinter Justin Gatlin, co-holder of the 100-metre world record, has agreed to an eight-year ban from track and field following a positive doping test.

Wednesday, 23 August 2006 0:05 EST

Schedules - Radio + Television



## The Halton Hills Fire Department's Weekly summary report.



[July 24 – July 31, 2006](#)

From: the Herald's [community reports](#) section:

July 18, 2006

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## Georgetown's industrial sector under(water) siege



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## Glen William's Canada Day Parade organisers; raining on our parade.

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## Oversight Proposal Fatally Flawed

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## 519 area code prompt.

June 21, 2006

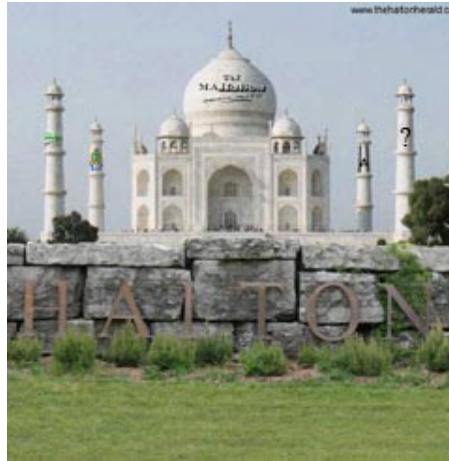
**Halton - Halton Hills:** Residents in the 519 area code are experiencing prompts, informing Bell customers that soon they will soon have to include the area code when

## Halton Regional Council sets - 2007 Budget Directions

July 18, 2006

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## 'Taj MaHalton's' plans forging forward, regardless.



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## Despite opposition, Green Cart trials will continue in Halton

July 4, 2006

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## Editorial in the Georgetown Independent & Free Press lowers its editorial cannon at Community Bloggers.

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## Family doctor shortage worsens in Ontario

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## Should corporate political contributions be a conflict of

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dialing locally. The change comes as no surprise to customers within the 519 area as Bell has been alluding to the necessary changes due to development for over a year now

## More hate and discrimination rooting from Halton Hills.

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## Eye on the Legislative Assembly

[Bills before the Assembly ...](#)

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## Halton Region's C.A.O. Brent Marshall - credentials - **TOP SECRET?**



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## Halton Hills Mayor Bonnette; "I've proved to be a good leader in the community"



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## interest?

Who's filling our politicians campaign pockets, and more importantly, why?

\$750.00 is the maximum any corporation or individual can contribute, however, as was the case with one politician, a corporation can contribute it's maximum, and individuals behind those Corporations can contribute their maximums too.

Mayor Rick Bonnette - Link  
Line Construction \$750.00 -  
Nellis Construction  
\$400.00 ... Acto-2  
Investments ... \$750.00  
Greater Toronto Sewer &  
Water - \$750.00 ...Mattamy  
Homes ... \$750.00

Why are developers contributing to our Mayor's campaign? Why are municipal contractors contributing to our Mayor's campaign?

Clarke A. Somerville ...  
Mattamy Homes ...  
\$400.00 ... Greater Toronto  
Sewer & Water... \$375.00 Tri-  
Cav Investments... \$500.00  
Dufferin Aggregates ...  
\$500.00 Maple Lodge  
Farms ... \$300.00 Acton East  
Housing Corporation \$500.00

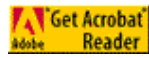
Why is Dufferin Aggregates so interested in helping our Regional Councillor's election campaign? Why are developers contributing to Regional Councillor Somerville's campaign? Why are municipal contractors contributing to our our councillor's campaigns?

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