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Knowing your enemy.

September 11, 2006

Halton Region: While conservatives attempt to get Canadian's on board with Canada's fight against its so-called terrorist threat, American's start to come to terms with their own administrations fallacies.

"In a World of universal deceit, telling the truth is revolutionary". George Orwell 1984.

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Why didn't Cynthia Gamble report all the inconsistencies in council's conflicts of interest?

August 27, 2006

Halton - Halton Hills: Cynthia Gamble, 'Staff Writer' for the [Georgetown Independent and Acton Free Press](#) wrote a column reporting on the abundant conflicts of interest our Town of Halton Hills Councillors have had over the years, called; "[Councillors declared several conflicts of interest during term](#)".

What conflicts were noticeably absent in Cynthia's report, which certainly could be indicative of her or her editor's own conflicts of interest,...

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Community moves to save the plight of region's historic tree

HEADLINES

"NAFTA works for the U.S., but not for Canada"

August 28, 2006.

Renegotiate NAFTA, new Green party leader says

Last Updated Sat, 26 Aug 2006 19:31:59 EDT
CBC News

Ottawa: The new leader of the Green Party of Canada has called on the government to give notice to the U.S. that it wants to end the free-trade deal.

That threat could be used as a lever to improve the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA), Elizabeth May told cheering delegates in her acceptance speech Saturday.

May, elected with 65 per cent of the votes at Saturday's convention, said NAFTA works for the U.S., but not for Canada.

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Taxpayers pay developer for construction of new parkette?

August 25, 2006

Halton Hills: Recently we read in a local newsprint publication; the Town of Halton Hills wrote a cheque for \$45,726 to a political campaign contributing developer. The cheque was to cover the cost for the preliminary development of the Dr. Charles Best Parkette in Mattamy's Arbor Glen subdivision. The article reported; rather than wait for the Town to build the park, Mattamy started building the parkette themselves.

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Canada News

[Van Doos ready for early arrival in Kandahar](#)

Soldiers from Canada's premier French regiment will be heading to Afghanistan earlier than anticipated, CBC News has learned.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 22:27 EST

[Man faces charge in Vancouver after 4th attack on homeless](#)

Vancouver police are recommending a charge of aggravated assault against a 45-year-old man in connection with the stabbing of a homeless man on Monday night.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 21:35 EST

[Brother of Johnathan a 'smouldering volcano': psychiatrist](#)

The Toronto teenager convicted of the brutal murder of his younger brother is a high risk to commit another violent offence, a forensic psychiatrist testified Tuesday.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 21:01 EST

World News

[NATO steps up pressure for more troops](#)

NATO's secretary general said Tuesday the alliance plans to put more pressure on members to contribute troops to its fighting force in southern Afghanistan, saying some countries are bearing more of the burden than others.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 13:34 EST

[U.S. thanks Syria for foiling embassy attack](#)

U.S. Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice has thanked Syrian forces for repelling an attack on the American Embassy in Damascus on Tuesday, saying it was too early to know who was behind the deadly assault.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 11:27 EST

[7 killed in Turkish bomb blast](#)

At least seven people, including children, were killed when a bomb blast rocked a southeastern Turkish city on Tuesday, the local governor's office said.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 17:43 EST

Ottawa News

[Canadian Forces women hit \\$5M lottery jackpot](#)



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August 25, 2006

Halton: [The great old white oak tree](#), which is visible from google [satellites](#) is located on Halton Region's administrative property where Regional Road 25 is slated for construction of additional lanes, was granted a reprieve when council passed a [resolution](#) that effectively allows it to remain standing, pending a citizen-led effort to fundraise the required \$343,000 to implement an alternative road widening design.

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Project "SAFE START"

August 25, 2006

Halton Region: The Halton Regional Police Service will be undertaking a high enforcement, educational traffic initiative that will commence Monday August 28th and conclude on Friday September 15th. The project dubbed "Safe Start" has been undertaken to remind our driving public of the need to be courteous to other drivers and our children particularly at this time when they make their way back to school.

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Plan on playing this fall with Recreation & Parks!

August 23, 2006.

Halton - Halton Hills: As families ready themselves for a new school year and getting back to business, the notion of having fun tends to take a back seat.

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Halton Region Museum to host

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Trapped Georgetown mosquitoes test positive for West Nile virus

August 23, 2006.

Halton: Nine batches of mosquitoes trapped by the Halton Region Health Department during the week of August 8th have tested positive for West Nile virus (WNV). Of these nine batches, six were from Oakville, **two were from Georgetown**, and one was from Milton. The results represent the first WNV positive mosquitoes found in both Oakville and Halton Hills. These recent test results, in addition to previous findings of positive birds in Burlington and Oakville, and an additional positive batch of mosquitoes in Milton, show that WNV has now been detected in all four municipalities in Halton.

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HALTON CITIZEN APPOINTED TO RE-EXAMINE ONTARIO'S ELECTORAL SYSTEM

August 23, 2006

Halton - Oakville: Halton residents will be represented on the Citizens' Assembly on Electoral Reform by Laura Wells, Kevin Flynn, MPP and Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister Responsible for Democratic Renewal announced today. "We believe that the shape of Ontario's democracy is a matter for Ontarians to decide," Flynn said. "That's why we're appointing these members of the Citizens' Assembly."

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Region focuses on the business development needs in South Halton

August 23, 2006

Halton Region: Despite the booming industrial development in Milton and the deprived business development needs in

A group of Canadian Forces women shared a \$5-million payout on Tuesday, but not from the government.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 14:25 EST

[Ottawa's royal swans to be set free](#)

Ottawa's royal swans will be set free next spring, city officials have decided.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 13:15 EST

[Canada, U.S. sign softwood deal](#)

Trade representatives from Canada and the United States on Tuesday signed the document to end the countries' long-running dispute over Canadian softwood lumber.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 18:39 EST

Money News

[Canada, U.S. sign softwood deal](#)

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Tuesday, 12 September 2006 18:39 EST

[Gasoline prices continue to fall](#)

The average price of gasoline has fallen by almost four cents a litre in the past week, according to a national survey of pump prices.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 15:00 EST

[HP chair resigns following leak investigation](#)

The chair of Hewlett-Packard Co. has apologized for an inappropriate internal investigation and will leave her post in January.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 10:42 EST

Health News

[Cancer rates fall in young men, stable in women: Canadian report](#)

Fewer young men in Canada are being diagnosed with cancer but the number of young women afflicted is unchanged, according to a comprehensive report released Tuesday.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 11:11 EST

[Waiting stops excess use of antibiotics for child ear infections](#)

Children with ear infections recover just as well when their parents wait 48 hours before filling a prescription — a finding that could help curb unnecessary use of antibiotics.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 17:18 EST

[Boost anti-TB programs in Africa, report urges](#)

The World Bank is neglecting to help African countries fight tuberculosis, public health experts said in a report Tuesday.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 16:23 EST

Arts & Entertainment News

[U.K. letter writers to get Beatles stamps](#)

Beginning in January, letter writers in Britain will be able to send their missives with the stamp of the Beatles.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 12:40 EST

[Passion of the Christ distributor scores Death of a President at TIFF](#)

A company with plenty of experience handling a provocative film has picked up the U.S. rights for Death of a President, the controversial movie that depicts the assassination of U.S. President George W. Bush.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 9:56 EST

[Orthodox protesters vow to disrupt Madonna concert in Moscow](#)

British Saloon Car Club of Canada Display

August 23, 2006.

Halton: On Sunday, August 27 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., British cars from the pre-war era to the present-day will be showcased on the scenic Halton Region Museum grounds in Kelso Conservation Area in Milton.

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Halton's 16th Annual Take Back the Night Event

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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?

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Will Halton Hills Hydro – 'Load Shifting' initiative really benefit consumers?



July 17, 2006

Halton Hills, the Region of Halton, in typical fashion, focuses its business development resources south of Dundas.

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PERFORMING ARTS CAMP PRESENTS A SHAKESPERIAN ADVENTURE

August 23, 2006.

Halton Hills - Georgetown: Town of Halton Hills Recreation & Parks Performing Arts Camp is a group of returning campers that loved Theatre Camp so much that they have returned to build on their skills. These campers have been working hard for the past three weeks to develop a final performance for all to see.

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CELEBRATE THE ARTS IN HALTON HILLS

August 23, 2006.

Halton Hills - Georgetown: The Halton Hills Library & Cultural Centre marks its Silver Anniversary in 2006 with a nine-day celebration of the arts event "Celebrating Silver ... Going for Gold". The Halton Hills Library & Cultural Centre has been the centre of cultural activity in Halton Hills for the past 25 years, and is the perfect venue to host the celebrations that will occur between Friday, October 13th and Sunday, October 22nd.

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Spots still available in the upcoming Citizen Police Academy

August 23, 2006

Halton Region: Are you interested in seeing learning more about the court system and seeing a mock criminal trial? Curious to know what it is really like to be a police officer? Want to know about fraud and identity theft prevention or forensics?

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Pop superstar Madonna is scheduled to perform for the first time in Russia despite protests and threats to disrupt her performance because of the mock crucifixion that ends the concert.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 12:32 EST

Toronto News

[Police identify hotel victims as 2 Swiss, 1 German](#)

Toronto police have identified the three people found dead Monday in a "bloody mess" at the Delta Chelsea Hotel as two Swiss tourists and a man from Germany.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 15:17 EST

[Brother of Johnathan a 'smouldering volcano': psychiatrist](#)

The Toronto teenager convicted of the brutal murder of his younger brother is a high risk to commit another violent offence, a forensic psychiatrist testified Tuesday.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 21:01 EST

[Hospital for Sick Children to get new theatre](#)

Some of Canada's sickest children will enjoy top-notch entertainment thanks to a new first-run movie theatre being built at the Hospital for Sick Children in Toronto.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 18:53 EST

Sports News

[DiPietro inks 15-year deal](#)

It didn't take long for Garth Snow to conjure up memories of his predecessor, former New York Islanders general manager Mike Milbury.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 10:20 EST

[Jays' Marcum eyes strong finish](#)

Shaun Marcum began the season pitching in minor-league baseball but has emerged to play a prominent role in the back end of the Toronto Blue Jays' rotation late in 2006.

Tuesday, 12 September 2006 13:06 EST

[NASCAR unveils Canadian series](#)

NASCAR, the popular American stock car property, is veering north of the border to launch a new Canadian racing series.

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Schedules - Radio + Television



The Halton Hills Fire Department's Weekly summary report.



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

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

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Georgetown's industrial sector under(water) siege

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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 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

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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.

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Halton Police Tactical Rescue Unit Recognized For Excellence

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Halton Regional Council sets - 2007 Budget Directions

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



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Despite opposition, Green Cart trials will continue in Halton

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Family doctor shortage worsens in Ontario

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Should corporate political contributions be a conflict of 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.

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 Homes ... \$750.00

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 Cav Investments... \$500.00
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 Farms ... \$300.00 Acton East
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