

Weekend Community Update

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SATURDAY JANUARY 24

Oakville Kiwanis Recruitment, Oakville Place Mall, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., contact Claude at 905-338-2124.

Robbie Burns Night at Bronte Legion, 79 Jones St., Victory Hall, 6:30 p.m., adults \$20, traditional Burns dinner and entertainment, call 905-827-4722.

Fun for kids fundraising event at Studio Time, noon-4 p.m., 231 Lakeshore Rd. E., second floor, three one-hour puppet shows and a magic show, Zumba dance time for kids, animal balloons by Squeaky the Clown, face painting, live music, food, raffles. Donations requested in lieu of admission, proceeds to Maria Sanchez, read her story at <http://www.studiotime.ca/freeClassesEvents.html>.

The Three Gifts Concert in support of \$Million or More Oakville campaign to fight AIDS/HIV in Africa. Andre Stre-liaev on piano, mezzo soprano Norine Burgess and tenor Mer-vyn Russell, 7:30 p.m., St. Jude's Anglican Church. Tickets \$20 at 905-

469-6415, millionormoreslf@sympatico.ca or at the door.

Peer Counselling, no appointment necessary, 10 a.m.-noon, The Women's Centre, Hopedale Mall 1515 Rebecca St., Suite 229. Call 905-847-9104.

Celebrate Robbie Burns' on the 250th anniversary of his birth at Barley and Burns, an evening of poetry, music and fine whisky, event is geared to adults, 7 p.m. Tickets \$50 by calling 905-338-4400 or at the Oakville Museum, 8 Navy St. (south of Lakeshore Road). For more information, visit www.oakvillemuseum.ca and www.oakvillehistory.org.

SUNDAY JANUARY 25

Celebrate Robbie Burns' on the 250th anniversary of his birth at A Wee Celebration, 1-4 p.m. Tickets \$7 by calling 905-338-4400 or at the Oakville Museum, located at 8 Navy St. (south of Lakeshore Road). Visit www.oakvillemuseum.ca and www.oakvillehistory.org.

Ontario Genealogical Society Halton-Peel Branch Meeting, speaker Linda Reid on saints in the family, 2 p.m., Four Corners Library (Auditorium), 65 Queen St. E., Brampton (east of Queen and Main, parking access from John or Mary street). Contact Bob Crawford at 905-877-1183 or Mike Payne at 905-877-7627.

Euchre at Bronte Legion, 79

Jones St., 1-3 p.m., all welcome, call 905-827-4722.

ARTbus to Oakville Galleries to experience this winter's exhibitions through the curators' eyes. Contact Tracey Shepherd at 905-844-4402, ext. 28, tracey@oakvillegalleries.com or oakvillegalleries.com.

MONDAY JANUARY 26

Tots and Us, for parents and grandparents taking care of a preschooler, free, St. Paul's United Church, 454 Rebecca St., 10-11 a.m. Call 905-845-3427.

Belonging Adoption Support Group, 2501 Eaglesfield Dr., Burlington, 7 p.m., Janet Ralph C.A.S. worker, contact Janice at 905-332-9469 themcdonalds@sympatico.ca.

Monday Night at the Movies presents Outsourced, AMC Winston Churchill 24, 7:30 p.m., \$8.

TUESDAY JANUARY 27

Sexual Assault and Violence Intervention Services of Halton (SAVIS) Volunteer Orientation, SAVIS office, Hopedale Mall, 1515 Rebecca St., Suite 227. Training begins Feb. 16. To register contact 905-825-36222 or administration@savisofhalton.org.

Halton Healthcare Services' free **Smoking Cessation: You Can Do It - We Can Help,** 7 p.m., Oakville-Trafalgar Memorial Hospital Auditorium, 327 Reynolds St. Reserve at 905-338-4379 or

905-873-0111, ext. 4379 or elittle@haltonhealthcare.on.ca.

Employment Network, The Women's Centre, Hopedale Mall, 1515 Rebecca St., Suite 229, free, 10 a.m.-noon. Call 905-847-9104.

Meditation, 9-10 a.m., The Women's Centre, Hopedale Mall, 1515 Rebecca St., Suite 229, call 905-847-9104.

Surpass, 7-9:30 p.m., parent support group for struggling students, speaker Kathy Schaffer, Halton Board of Education Special Education/Student Services, call 289-288-3167 to reserve.

HAPPEN - Linking People and Opportunities Networking, 8 a.m., Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Dr., Mississauga, \$10/members, \$30/non-members. contact 905-339-0268 or www.happen.ca.

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 28

Toronto GTA Chapter of eWomenNetwork is hosting an Accelerated Networking Dinner in Oakville at the Harbour Banquet AND Conference Centre, event to launch the group's search for the 2009 Emerging Leader, registration at 5:30 p.m. and dinner at 6:30 p.m. Tickets cost \$65 (\$55 early bird) and are available in advance.

Abuse Support Group, confidential, free, pre-registration required, 5:30-7:30 p.m., The Women's Centre,

Hopedale Mall, 1515 Rebecca St., Suite 229, call 905-847-9104.

HAPPEN - Linking People and Opportunities Networking support, meets at 8 a.m., Burlington Art Centre, 1333 Lakeshore Rd., Burlington, speaker Sunjay Nath, \$10/members, \$30/non-members, contact 905-339-0268 or www.happen.ca.

Alpha Course begins at St. Hilda's Church, 1258 Rebecca St., 7-9:30 p.m. (sharp), call Gord Clark at 416-991-8499.

Halton Infertility Support Group, free, informal discussion about living with an infertility issue and trying to conceive, 7:30-8:30 p.m. Contact Becky at rhodson@sympatico.ca.

Glen Abbey Toastmasters meets 7:30 p.m., Sheridan College Residence and Conference Centre, 1410 Trafalgar Rd., contact Justin Riem at 905-337-8829, Sean Connor at seanwconnor@gmail.com or visit www.glenabbeytoastmasters.org.

Women In Song, 8:30 p.m., Moonshine Café, 137 Kerr St., hosted by Julie Cutler and featuring Carolyn Lykkemark and Diane Raeside. Visit www.themoonshinecafe.com.

Hopedale Moms and Tots Drop-in Program, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., free drop-in, activities and play for children and caregivers, Hopedale Bible Chapel, 342 Sherin Dr., call 905-827-8327.

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