

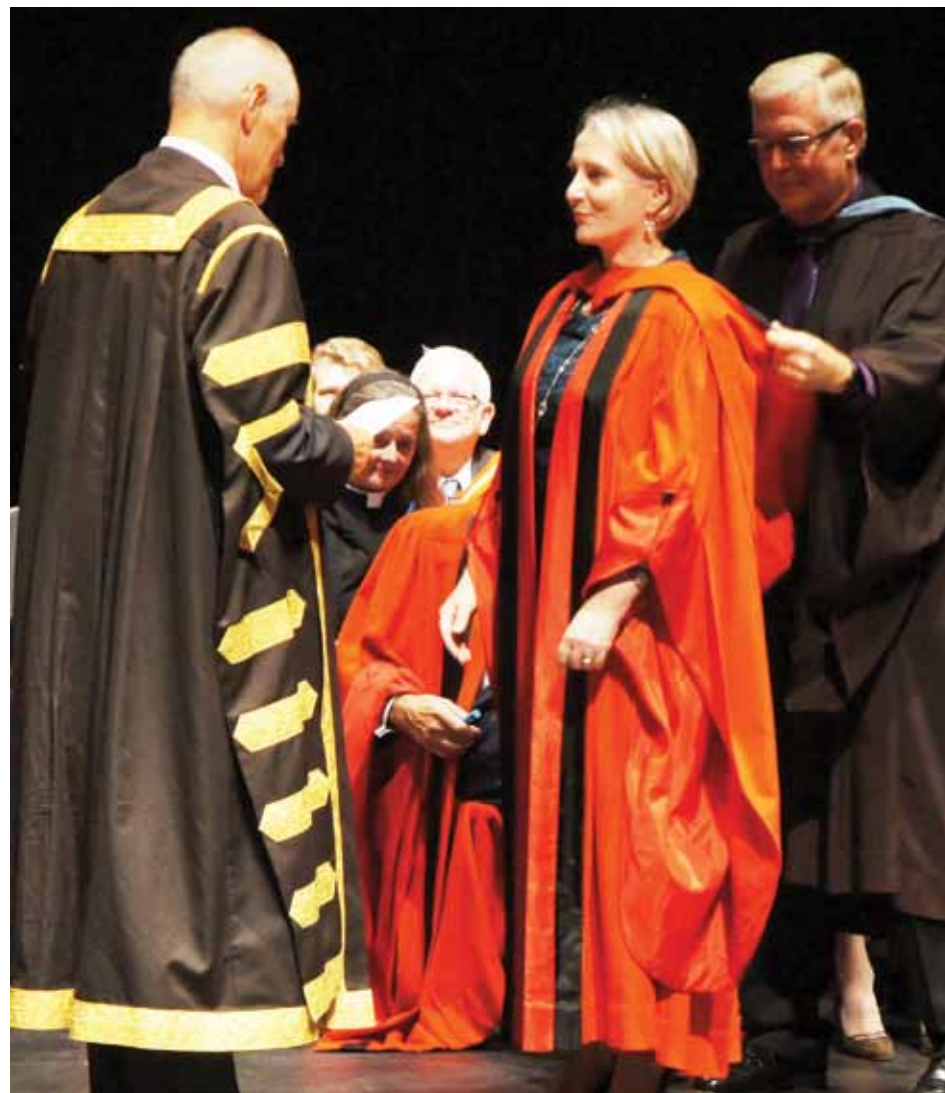


▲ Trevor McAlpine of Synergetic Management of Burlington had an amusing and attention-getting booth inspired by Charles Schultz characters, at the Joint Chamber of Commerce event on Aug. 7 at Halton Region's offices.



▲ Sheridan Nurseries held a free BBQ party on Aug. 10 at their Glen Williams' head office to celebrate their 100th anniversary. Hundreds of people attended.

Glen Williams' annual Shad Fly Party at the Credit River was held on Aug. 21 to celebrate the emergence of the flies from their aquatic life stage. "We stand in the stream of angelic shad flies with flashlights on our heads, just to feel them bouncing off us," says organizer Skytree Smith. ▼



Fallbrook Bridge, hand-built by early settlers north of Georgetown, crosses one of the creeks of the Niagara Escarpment, near the Bruce Trail at 27 Sideroad in Halton Hills. A funding partnership by the federal government and Town of Halton Hills is enabling the restoration of the old stonework, and was formally announced on Aug. 23. At the bridge during repair were, from left, Ted Arnett, MPP for Wellington-Halton Hills, Halton Hills councillor Joan Robson, Hon. Michael Chong, MP for Wellington-Halton Hills, and Halton Hills mayor Rick Bonnette. ►

Seana McKenna, renowned and award-winning actor and director, "the pride and glory of Canadian theatre," on Sept. 4 received an honorary degree of Doctor of Sacred Letters from The University of Trinity College, where she had been a scholarship student. She is a leading actor at Stratford Shakespeare Festival and other theatres, and a contributor to this magazine. Here, she is being hooded by theatre critic Richard Ouzounian while Chancellor Bill Graham confers the degree. ▼



◀ On Aug. 27, volunteers with Manitoulin Streams Association planted a riverbank at Providence Bay with a variety of bushes including willow, dogwood, nannyberry and alder.





Almost 100 people enjoyed live music and a silent auction on Sept. 7 at the Marsh Street Centre, Clarksburg, to support the creation of The Cedar Grove Labyrinth of Thornbury, off the Georgian Trail. From left, Gabriel Matamoros, Amy & Patrick Kitchen, Shawn Bergeron, Steve Couchman. PHOTO BY TERESA MATAMOROS. ▶



The 24th annual Feast of Fields drew hundreds of gourmands to Cold Creek Conservation Area, King Township, on Sept. 8, where plenty of organic food and drink was available for sampling. ▼



◀ The Governor General posed for photos on his Sept. 23 visit to Home Hardware's semi-annual dealers' market in St. Jacobs. From left, board member Jim Proudfoot, His Excellency David Johnston, board member Larry Yanchishyn, Darrin Noble, V.P. of Manufacturing, Doug Parsons, Sales & Marketing Manager for Beauti-Tone, and CEO Paul Straus.

Kim Higgins, Minna Schleifenbaum of Haliburton Forest and Wild Life Reserve with sled dogs Nelson and Meekin at the Cottage Life Show, Mississauga, on Nov. 1. ▼



▲ GREENing Niagara, formerly Climate Action Niagara, held a locally sourced Harvest Plate dinner on Sept. 10 at Stokes Community Village, St. Catharines, to raise funds for the Niagara Fruit Tree Trail. Bringing the diners to their feet was the quartet SisterLune.

▲ The Snowbirds, as part of their air show, fly over the 100th annual International Plowing Match held this year near Mitchell, Perth County on Sept. 18.



◀ On Sept. 14, Todd Shannon, left, and Matt Bujok were on the set of an Ontario Tourism video shoot at Big Tub Harbour, Tobermory. The custom-built octocopter was used to shoot low-level video. PHOTO BY PAULINE HEATON OF WATERSVISIONS.

