

Oakville will say Happy Birthday to Barrett

By David Lea

OAKVILLE BEAVER STAFF

Oakville Mayor Rob Burton

is inviting residents to celebrate former Mayor Harry Barrett's 87th birthday and his many years of service with

a special dinner on Wednesday, Oct. 10.

The event will take place at the Seasons restaurant, located

at 134 Lakeshore Rd. E., beginning with a cash bar at 6:30 p.m. and dinner at 7:30 p.m.

Barrett served six terms as Oakville's mayor, from 1973 until 1985, and continues to serve as chair of Heritage Oakville.

"He did many things for the town, but the two biggest, were the work he did to build our appreciation and our protection and preservation of heritage, especially in the downtown," said Burton.

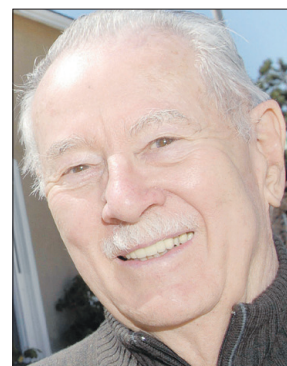
"The other thing we owe a huge debt to Harry for is Oakville's waterfront policy where we now have public access to more than 30 per cent of the waterfront and because generations of council have largely kept to following that policy, that amount of public access to the waterfront is increasing."

Burton said Barrett's dedication to heritage makes the venue for the dinner appropriate as the building Season's Restaurant is located in once served as Oakville's Town hall with council meetings taking place in the upstairs area and jail cells located in the basement where they apparently remain to this day.

The cost of attending the dinner, which consists of soup, salad, main, dessert and wine, is \$75 per person.

Following the dinner, presentations will be made outlining the impact Barrett has had on Oakville.

"This is a good opportunity to tell Harry what a good job he did," said Burton.



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Residents with interesting stories, pictures or souvenirs associated with Barrett are encouraged to share them with Burton so a proper tribute can be assembled.

For tickets, contact Oakville Historical Society President George Chisholm (905-842-5385), Oakville Heritage Advisory Committee Vice Chair Drew Bucknall (905-845-4475), or Burton (905-338-1200).

Cheques must be made out to Harry Barrett Dinner Account.

Those who wish to share their special memories of Barrett can also contact Burton by e-mail at oakvillemayor@gmail.com.



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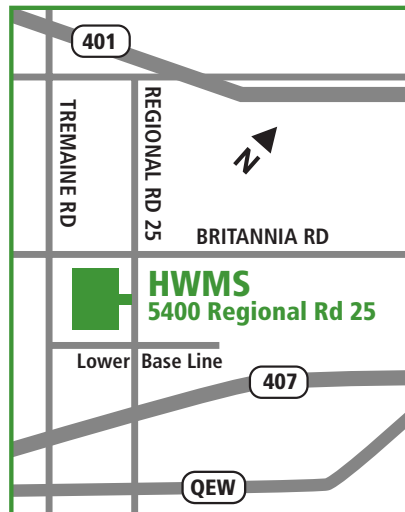
Saturday, September 29

Drop in between 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. • Cake cutting at 12 p.m.

Halton Waste Management Site, 5400 Regional Road 25, Milton

At the open house you will have the opportunity to:

- Have a guided bus tour of the state of the art Halton Waste Management Site (approximately 30 minutes)
- See the landfill and waste collection machinery up close and in action
- Find out why there are no seagulls at the landfill
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