



# The WLHA Newsletter

**West Lansing  
Homeowners Association**

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## Home Edition

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Dear Member,

Many things have happened since we last corresponded with you. On the development side, the convent site is still in progress. As you know a plan to construct two seven storey condo buildings has been proposed by the developer. This proposal has been rejected by the city. The developer has appealed to the O.M.B. but a hearing has not been scheduled.

We have been advised that the city and the developer are continuing their talks in an effort to come to a more equitable conclusion for the community.

In addition the Catholic school board has expressed an interest in purchasing the property. They have been in contact with the current owner/developer, however we have no current information as to how those discussions are progressing.

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**If you would like to join the association please contact a member of the Executive.**

#### Free Light bulbs

Toronto Hydro, in partnership with The Home Depot, is kicking off its "Bright Ideas" campaign - whereby every City of Toronto household can receive two free compact fluorescent light (CFL) bulbs and try them in their homes.

This initiative is meant to educate Torontonians on ways they can reduce their electricity consumption and save money. In fact, replacing two incandescent bulbs with CFLs will reduce a person's hydro bill by more than \$50 over the life of the bulbs.

See the schedule below for times and dates.

**YORKDALE**, 90 Billy Bishop Way  
**ETOBICOKE**, 193 North Queen St  
**STOCKYARDS**, 2121 St. Clair Ave W  
**GERRARD SQUARE**, 1000 Gerrard St E  
**LEASIDE**, 101 Wicksteed Ave  
**SCARBOROUGH**, 428 Ellesmere Rd.

Fri Sept. 16 11am-7pm  
Sat, Sun Sept. 17-18 10am-6pm  
Wed, Thur, Fri Sept. 28-30 11am-7pm  
Sat, Sun Oct. 1-2 10am-6pm  
Wed, Thur, Fri Oct. 12-14 11am-7pm  
Sat, Sun Oct. 15-16 10am-6pm  
Wed, Thur, Fri Oct. 26-28 11am-7pm  
Sat, Sun Oct. 29-30 10am-6pm

**DUFFERIN**, 2375 Steeles Ave. W.  
**REXDALE**, 1983 Kipling Ave.  
**CALEDONIA**, 825 Caledonia Rd.  
**CURITY**, 7 Curity Ave.  
**EGLINTON EAST**, 2911 Eglinton Ave. E.  
**MORNINGSIDE**, 60 Grand Marshall Dr.

Wed, Thur, Fri Sept 21-23 11am-7pm  
Sat, Sun Sept 24-25 10am-6pm  
Wed, Thur, Fri Oct. 5-7 11am-7pm  
Sat, Sun Oct. 8-9 10am-6pm  
Wed, Thur, Fri Oct. 19-21 11am-7pm  
Sat, Sun Oct. 22-23 10am-6pm

### Upcoming AGM

The annual General meeting will be held on Wednesday October 26 at Cameron Public School from 7 pm to 8:30 pm.

We still are looking for more volunteers to be directors of the association. In particular we are looking for someone to fill the President's role.

Please consider becoming involved.

### Skunks

The following formula was provided by Earth Rangers a wildlife advocacy group. It will remove skunk smell. Considering the number of skunks in the neighbourhood this year we thought it might be useful.

4 cups hydrogen peroxide  
1/4 cup baking soda, 1/4 cup vinegar  
1 tablespoon to 1/4 cup dish soap  
The above when mixed, is chemically unstable and must be used immediately.