

BUILD-UP

Shock radio



The WAVE 94.7 event cruiser team in Hamilton (L-R) — Kim Tullock, Terry Sweeny and Erin Clifford — with Hugh Heron.

Hamilton radio station WAVE 94.7 FM now has life-saving defibrillators aboard its event cruisers. The WAVE and its sister stations in Oshawa — KX96, 94.9 The Rock and CKDO — are all owned by Durham Radio Inc., which is the first broadcaster in Canada to join the Mikey Network, the non-profit network co-

founded by developer Hugh Heron of Heathwood Homes.

The public-access defibrillators are called “Mikeys” after Mike Salem, a former partner of Heathwood Homes who died in 2002 after suffering a heart attack while on a golf course.

Says Heron: “We are committed to placing Mikeys in as many high-

risk locations as possible so people affected by sudden cardiac arrest might have a second chance at life.”

Durham Radio's event teams will now be equipped to assist people at the many community events they attend and cover.

To learn more about the Mikey Network, visit the website at www.mikeynetwork.com.