



At a recent Kiwanis club meeting, the service club handed over a cheque for \$1,700 to Debbie Boycott of the Halton Down's Syndrome Association. Seen here is service club president David Ashbee making the presentation on behalf of the Georgetown chapter. The money will be used for speech therapy. (Herald photo by Donna Kell)

Groundhog carnival full of activities

K.C. the Groundhog will be getting ready for his prediction when the Kortright Centre for Conservation hosts the annual Groundhog Day Winter Carnival, Sunday, Jan. 31 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A full day of activities have been scheduled for indoors and outdoors. There will be a variety of winter games, such as snow snakes, a traditional Indian game. Also, children can take the K.C. Challenge, a cross-country ski race especially for them.

On Carnival day only, Kortright will offer cross-country ski rentals and free ski lessons for novices.

Visitors who want to get around in a less energetic manner can enjoy the wagon rides around the Centre.

As well, Kortright will present its regularly scheduled weekend programming for January, including Winter Wildlife, which is a nature walk involving a search for animal signs and tracks.

The Kortright Centre is open daily, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. It is located just minutes from Metro Toronto, on Pine Valley Drive, south of Major Mackenzie Drive, three kilometres west of Highway 400 and Canada's Wonderland. For more information, call 416-661-6600.



Legion Lines

By JIM HAYES

Rock 'n roll dance

SPORTS: Zone B7 Cribbage held at Branch 15 Brampton on Saturday Jan. 9, was won by Branch 129 Streetsville. Branch 120 were the runners up. Hopefully the following team will be representing our Branch in the district at Branch 4 Welland on Sat. March 5, 1988: Ruby Bailey, Rae McCausland, Nancy Stevens and Mary Russell; well done ladies, good luck on March 5.

CAR CLUB: Jan. 7 draw - 191 Lorraine Jack, 105 Harry Brantford, 33 Josie Tost, 462 Anne Holmes and Isobel McDonald, 491 Ray McCartney, 259 Jack Presswood.

Anyone interested in a social game of darts Wednesday afternoon? Alice Elliot is organizing a game in the Legion auditorium starting on Wed. Jan. 19. Time 1-4 p.m. Any further details, give Alice a call at 877-8302.

MEMBERSHIP: The Early-Bird Draw will be made at the Branch general meeting on Jan. 28. The ten lucky winners will have their dues paid for 1988.

House chairman Steve Clayton will be changing the card locks on the clubroom doors at the end of the month. Effective Feb. 1 the new cards will be used.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON MEAT DRAW: Winners - Bob Waites, Frank Nicholson, Rhoda (mother) Clark, Rene Martin, T.S., Terry Bludd, Bob McBean, Peter Smith, Frank King, Joe Martin. Dennis McCartney won the roast.

Gib and Harry will be holding a Rock and Roll dance on Saturday Feb. 6 in the auditorium, tickets \$2 per person, at the bar or see Gib or Harry.

ENTERTAINMENT: In the lounge Jan. 16 Boots, Jan. 23 Sonic, Jan. 30 Mini-Bingo in the clubroom, Bob and Corey.

LATE ITEM: There will be a meeting of the Plymouth group, in the lounge on Thursday Jan. 14 at 8 p.m. Interested members are invited to attend.

Legion ladies

By MID BRUNSKI

Herald Special

It is hoped you all had a very happy New Year's. For all who called to inquire about the December news, I am sorry but I cannot dictate what the editor will have space for. Suffice it to say, the news was presented for publication as usual.

We did drape our charter in memory of our dear comrade, Ethel Murray and we also welcomed a new member to our auxiliary, Joan Gillespi. There will be zone crib in Georgetown Jan. 16. Our next meeting will be Jan. 21.

Jean Reid, your secretary, has asked me to let you know your dues are payable for the year 1988 before Jan. 31. Try and get your dues to her before this date, as she will then have to send out a reminder to you and as you know this can be a costly business.

Before closing I would ask you all to pray for Jean Reid's husband, Gord, as he is extremely ill and I do know that prayer works. Thank you. There will be meeting for the Plymouth group in the lounge on Thursday Jan. 14 at 8 p.m. All interested please attend.

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The Toronto Jazzmakers, an allstar Dixieland band, will be playing at the John Elliott Theatre Feb. 4 at 8 p.m. The band features Georgetown's own Bryan Day on bass, Bobby Talbot on saxophone and clarinet, Malcolm Higgins on trumpet, Brian Towers on trombone, Jack King on banjo, Janet Shaw on piano and Dennis Elder on drums.

This jazz band frequently plays at Jake's Boat House on Friday evenings. Members of this band also play in other popular Ontario jazz bands on other nights of the week: groups such as The Toronto Jazz Kings, The Sensation Jazz Band and The Clyde Valley Stompers.

Jim Broughton and Paul Brisley are organizing this concert on behalf of the Georgetown District High School Stage Band and Jazz Choir. Proceeds from the benefit concert will assist these two groups on their trip to the Canadian Stage Band and Jazz Festival in Calgary in May.

Tickets are \$8 and may be purchased at Oxbow Books or Nell's Music Center. You may also contact Jim Broughton, 877-0331 (evenings) or Georgetown District High School (877-8966) to reserve tickets.

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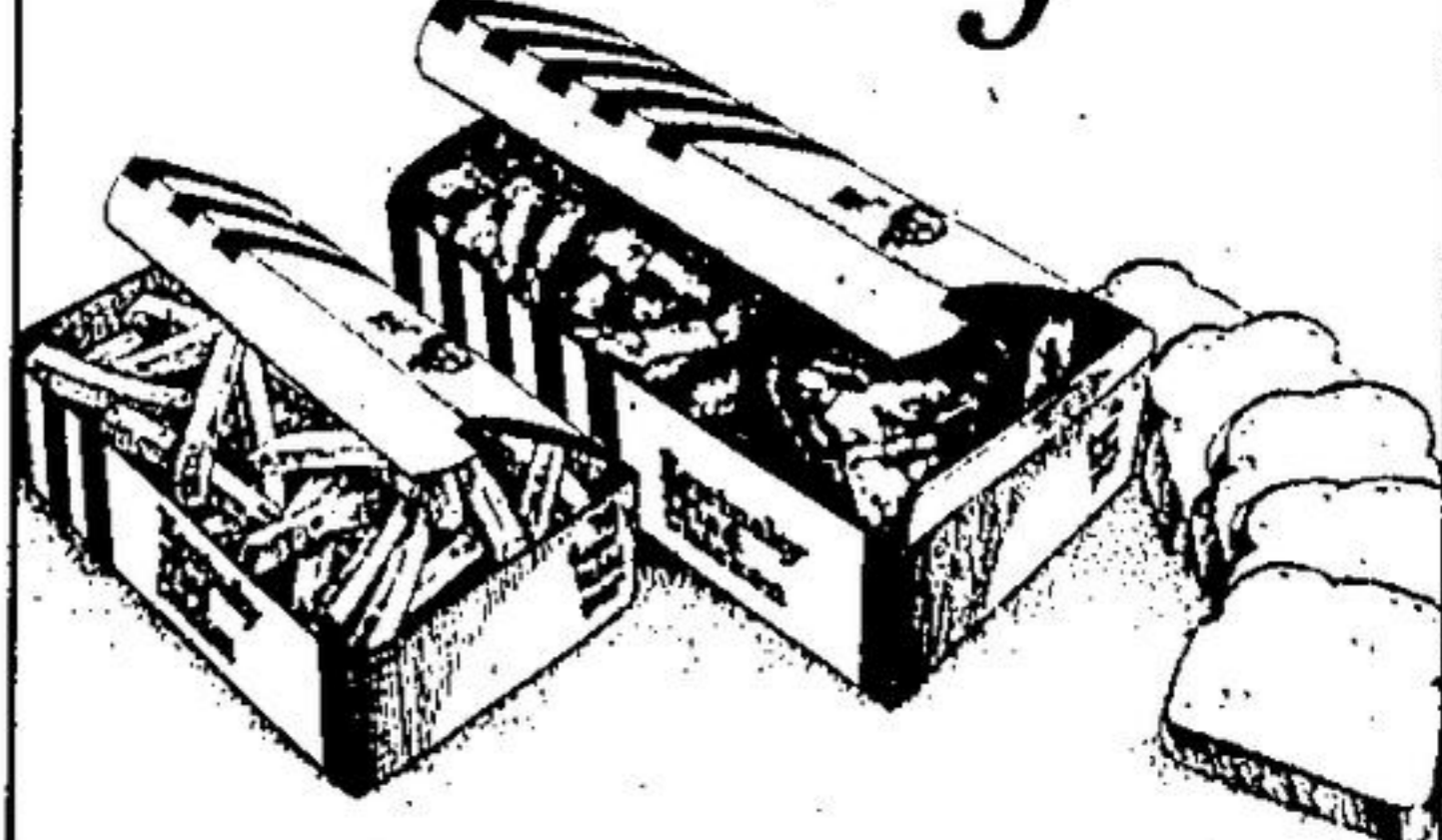
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AT THE MOVIES

Nuts

By DIAHANN NADEAU

Herald Special

At last, after the tripe offered up for Christmas this year, we have a movie we can sink our teeth into. Nuts is a raw, intense, gutsy film that challenges the audience and doesn't back down. Barbra Streisand's character, Claudia Faith Draper, forces the audience to give up its prejudices about a lot of things. This is not an easy, comfortable escapist movie. But watching it is a very rewarding experience.

Claudia Draper has been charged with manslaughter. She is not yet on trial for this crime, she is being forced to defend her sanity first. Her parents and the prison psychiatrist are convinced that she is sick. After she seeks the high-priced lawyer her father hired, the court assigns Aaron Levinsky, (Richard Dreyfuss), a legal aide lawyer, to defend her.

Everyone is ready to commit her, and Claudia fights with everything in her power to defend herself. Levinsky decides to believe her, and the movie follows the competency trial and all the harrowing emotional issues that are uncovered.

Claudia Draper is not a sweet, pliable woman who meekly submits to the male professionals who are trying to decide her future. Clearly these men - lawyers, doctors, judges, father - would be a lot more comfortable if she would behave as a woman should behave and not fight back. Levinsky is the one male in the bunch who does not demand submission.

What does Claudia do that makes these men so mad? For starters, she is a very high-priced hooker who has been making \$100,000 a year for the last three years and she shows no remorse about this. And she is from a wealthy family, a 'happy and loving' family. How can she do these things? Robert Webber, the defense attorney, tries to imply that she is obviously crazy to be practising such a dreadful profession. And she is clearly not a hooker with a heart of gold. Claudia makes no apologies.

Bridge winners

Duplicate Bridge winners at the Legion Hall for Jan. 11 were: In first place Harry Arbic and Mike Loruse, second place Agnes McGregor and Blayne Hillock and in third place Jock Brown and Earl Ryder.

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