

ENTERTAINMENT

Globe and GLT win four Thea awards at ACT-CO gala

By **SAM HANCOCK**
GLT member

Georgetown Little Theatre Productions (GLT) and Georgetown Globe Musical Productions were well represented at the 2010/11 Association of Community Theatres— Central Ontario (ACT-CO) Gala on April 2.

The gala's highlight— aside from the boisterous camaraderie of theatre folk— were the annual Thea Awards celebrating professional-quality community theatre.

GLT's production of *Wait Until Dark* was nominated for four drama category awards,



CAT HEAVEN

with Cat Heaven winning Best Set Design, and Pam Curtis winning Best Costume Design. Ken Smith was nominated for



MIKE EMSON

Best Lighting Design for Mike Emson, who was also nominated for Sound Design both for this show and for *Wait Until Dark*. The entire company of *Bedtime Stories* was also nominated for two comedy adjudicator's awards: Cohesive Realization of the Director's Vision and Best Ensemble.

Kathryn DeLory, currently directing GLT's upcoming production of *Enchanted April* (opening April 15 at Christ the King High School), directed Erin Community Theatre's production of *Stepping Out*, which won the comedy adjudicator's award for Best Ensemble.

Globe's Mike Rainey, won

Best Lighting Design.

GLT's second show, *Bedtime Stories*, was nominated for another four comedy category awards, winning Best Lighting De-

for Best Lighting Design for a Musical for their fantastic production of *Into the Woods*. Be sure to catch their upcoming production of *Jesus Christ Superstar* opening May 6 at Christ The King High School.

We're lucky to have these pro-

fessional-quality theatre companies in our own backyard.

With the recent closing of the John Elliot Theatre to accommodate the library and Cultural Centre renovations, it's even more important that Halton Hills and area residents show

their support for local theatre. Cheaper than any show you can see in Toronto, better than what's on TV, and probably starring someone you know!

GLT celebrates 50 seasons this year and Globe celebrates 30 years of musicals.

Globe takes on rock opera Jesus Christ Superstar

By **BOBBIE FLATT**
GLOBE member

Georgetown Globe Musical Productions presents Andrew Lloyd Weber and Tim Rice's rock opera masterpiece *Jesus Christ Superstar*.

Jesus Christ Superstar is a completely sung modern recreation of the last five days in the life of Jesus Christ as seen through the eyes of Judas Iscariot. The music is spectacular, moving and haunting. *Jesus Christ Superstar* combines the greatest story ever told with an incomparable score.

The intensity of this story and

the quality of music has brought a diverse cast that ranges from Globe's local and very talented regulars to a new group of followers from all over the GTA.

The directorate includes award winners Danny Harvey, artistic director; John Pugh, musical director and Renee Beiforte, choreographer.

Cast which includes many globe veterans as well as several new faces: Chris Ning as Jesus, Max DeNardis as Judas, Jennifer Johnson as Mary, Robert Woodcock as Pilate, Thom Jaskula as Herod, Matt Willis as Caiaphas, Erica Feggans as Annas, Alana Bostock as Simon, Nick Petroff

as Peter. Also featuring: Alison Salinas, Allison Dwyer, Amanda Dwyer-Scarlett, Barb Slater, Bobbie Flatt, Danny Dalcourt, Cecily Restivo-Petroff, Gregg Shanks, Jackie Burns, Jeff Mendonca, Jordon Fagundes, Joseph Cochrane, JQ Smith, Kimm Fletcher, Nick Sabetti, Paul d'Entrement, Raylin Marcotte, Ryan Gauvin.

Jesus Christ Superstar will be performed at Christ The King High School May 6, 7, 12, 13, 14, 8 p.m. with a 2 p.m. matinee on May 8. Tickets are still available at the JET Box Office, 905-877-3700 or online at www.haltonhills.ca/theatre.



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