

ENTERTAINMENT

Lorraine Holland takes charge of GLT play

The Gingerbread Lady is coming to Georgetown! This classic Neil Simon play will be presented by the Georgetown Little Theatre, and produced by Lorraine Holland.

Although she has worked backstage on a number of productions, this is the first time that Lorraine has taken on the challenging job of producer, which entails finding and coordinating all the personnel required for the show. However, Lorraine has shown that she is more than equal to the task, and the

cast and crew are now in the final stages of preparing the show for the public. Don't miss this opportunity to see this play, and enjoy an evening of adult entertainment.

The Gingerbread Lady will be at the John Elliott Theatre (in the Cultural Centre) April 22, 23; and April 27 through 30. The box office will be open at the theatre Tuesday and Thursdays 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. or you may make reservations by calling 877-3700.



LORRAINE HOLLAND

April 16

The Bootle family headlines coffee house

By JANET DUVAL
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If you went to Georgetown High when the Bootle brothers were there a few years ago, or if you just like good music, you'll want to be at the Amnesty International Coffee House in St. John's United Church on Saturday, April 16.

David, Dwight, and John Bootle will join their father Fred to provide some easy listening that will entertain all ages.

After starring at GDHS as a natural athlete and an Ontario champion gymnast, David Bootle went on to become a professional musician in Toronto clubs. He'll be singing and playing synthesizer for the Amnesty fundraiser.

Brothers Dwight and John will add guitar and voice. Their father Fred, a popular performer for local seniors, will provide piano interpretations of some old favorites that go back to his early years in England during the war.

Also appearing during the evening will be the Civic Five, an informal group that performs occasionally at town functions. It includes Citizen of the Year Lou Darcie on bass fiddle, St. John's minister Barry Robinson on

drums, and St. George's organist Sharon Dutton on keyboard.

In the glow of candlelight, the audience can enjoy coffee, speciality teas, and some tasty home baking as they soak up the music.

The admission fee of \$5 or \$3 for students and seniors will support the work of Halton Hills Amnesty International to obtain the release of its Prisoner of Conscience, a young Cuban engineer sentenced to 10 years for peacefully opposing Communist policies.

The group also wants to draw attention to Amnesty's National Day of Presence, April 16. This campaign is for the "disappeared", peaceful dissidents in various countries who are dragged from their homes or left dying in ditches, never to be seen by their families again. Increasingly, intolerant governments use this form of civil control, before opponents ever reach trial or prison.

"We have to exert more pressure against these horrible governments," says Fred Bootle, "to let people know about them. Anyone that's politically motivated should never be incarcerated."

The Coffee House begins at 7:30 p.m. at 11 Guelph Street. Everyone is welcome.

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