

# CBC's Lorne Elliott to perform at the JET

Canadian humourist, storyteller, musician and playwright Lorne Elliott is bringing his show of comedy and music theatre to the John Elliott Theatre in Halton Hills on Saturday, Oct. 25.

For tickets go to the Box Office: [www.haltonhills.ca](http://www.haltonhills.ca)

Elliott's concert performance is a selection of his current monologues and songs dealing with life experience. Creating new stage material about having to re-define priorities in view of life events is a welcome challenge to this writer and stage performer, who enjoys shaking the perceived wisdom of the world around him.

His one-man show concert presentation is delightfully foolish, witty and thought-provoking. Combining dry humour with musical parodies and skits, Elliott is a shrewd observer of the human animal. Often self-deprecating, always silly and never profane, Elliott's funny is family friendly.

For the past 26 years, Elliott has been touring and performing in concert in theatres and arts centres across Canada, the U.S. and Australia. He is regularly featured on TV on such pro-

grams as The Just For Laughs Festival and Comedy Variety Specials in Canada and the US.

For 11 seasons, *Madly Off In All Directions*, was Elliott's own CBC Radio Comedy Series which went on till Fall 2006. Elliott is currently developing new projects.



**LORNE ELLIOTT**

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Elliott is also a playwright and he received the Playwrights Guild of Canada 2012 Best New Musical Award for his play, *Jamie Rowsell Lives*.

His first novel, *Beach Reading*, was published in July 2013 and was selected as a Finalist by Quebec Writers Federation for the Hugh MacLennan Fiction prize.

A new novel, titled, *The Goat in The Tree*, was launched in Toronto in March 2014.

"It's great to have nationally-known performers playing here in Halton Hills," said Mayor Rick Bonnette, "Taking in this show on the 25th will be an entertaining break during a busy time."

In September, Elliott was featured as a guest on CBC Radio's popular program, *Stuart Maclean's Vinyl Café*, and he is often heard as a columnist on CBC Radio's *The Next Chapter*.

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