

SINGING BIRCH
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ENTERTAINMENT

Centrepoint: Where two visions meet at Red Door Gallery

Red Door Gallery this week welcomes back one of its own.

Georgetown-raised Teresa Thompson now lives and paints in the Bronte neighbourhood of Oakville and shows her work across Ontario. Her work is in collectors' homes in the U.S. and Europe. The realist painter, whose meticulous brushstrokes depict wildlife and nature, also paints pet portraits, which

make wonderful gifts for Christmas.

"I am excited to return to my home town to exhibit my art and look forward to seeing you soon," said Thompson.

For this show, "Centrepoint: Where two visions meet", Thompson has teamed up with Guelph abstract artist Darlene Watson.

Watson's work makes a great contrast. Large scale canvases, with assured use of colour and texture, with use of Swarovski crystal and genuine copper, gold or silver leaf, give away her background in interior design. Often inspired by nature she describes herself as "an emotional, abstract expressionistic painter". Her work is held in private collections from British Columbia to Texas.

Red Door Gallery is open for extended hours for this show: Thursday and Friday, 12-8 p.m., Sat-



OCTAVIUS BY TERESA THOMPSON

urday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sunday 12-5 p.m. Opening Reception tonight, Thursday Sept. 17, 6-8 p.m. Info: www.reddoorgallery.ca

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New exhibits to open at the Cultural Centre

The public is invited to watch artists at work while viewing three new exhibitions at the Town of Halton Hills Cultural Centre.

Artists Among Us takes place on Sept. 26 (10 a.m. to 5 p.m.) and Sept. 27 (1-5 p.m.) in recognition of the nationally-celebrated Culture Days. Several local artists will demonstrate arts and crafts techniques in the Cultural Centre's Sisnett Lobby and an arts activity table will keep children entertained. The Cultural Centre will also participate

in Doors Open Georgetown by offering backstage tours of the John Elliott Theatre on Sept. 27, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Both events are free.

In the Helson Gallery, a new exhibition—World of Wonders—celebrates the diversity and beauty of our planet through works borrowed from local artists and local collectors, Phillip and Kat Taylor of Acton. Local artists are also featured prominently in two new exhibitions in the Sisnett Lobby: Celebrating Sports and Open the Door to Creativity.



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