

Halton Hills Children's Chorus presents A Country Christmas

Children's Chorus will present A Country Christmas at the John Elliott Theatre.

Featured as their special guest, is local mezzo-soprano Debbie Tilson, a frequent performer and music director for Globe Theatre.

The choir director, Sharon Dutton, has chosen a piece for the chamber choir by celebrated Canadian Ruth Watson composer Henderson entitled The Barnyard Carols. The only other complete presentation

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of this work by a children's aware of is by the Toronto Children's Chorus, for whom it was written.

Peter Miller, director of the Oakville Chamber Ensemble, along with Elizabeth Rutter, member of the Mississauga Symphony Orchestra and Elaine McLeod, music teacher

at McMaster University, will p.m., the Halton choir that the composer is be present to accompany the work of viola, flute and cello respectively.

> Feeling left out, the parents of the choristers will make their debut performance with the children, comprising the Halton Hills Family Chorus.

> Tickets are at the JET box office, by calling 877-3700.

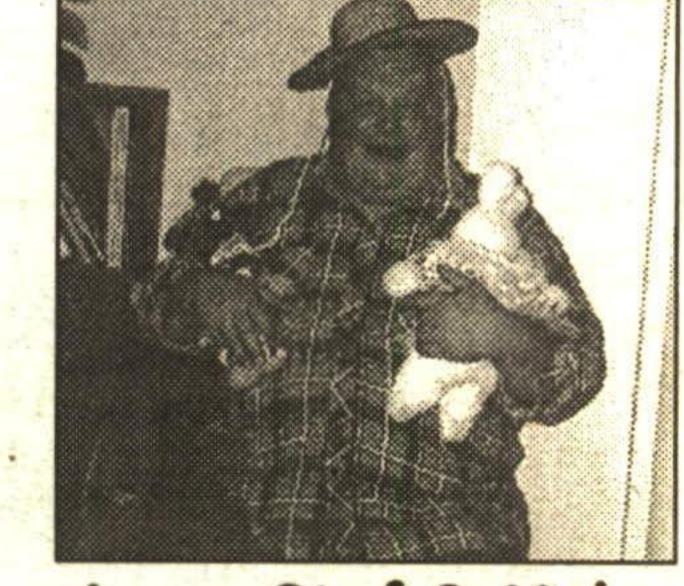
Audition deadline approaches

The National Youth information contact Svetlana Orchestra announced a Dec. 16 deadline for receipt of all audition applications for the orchestra.

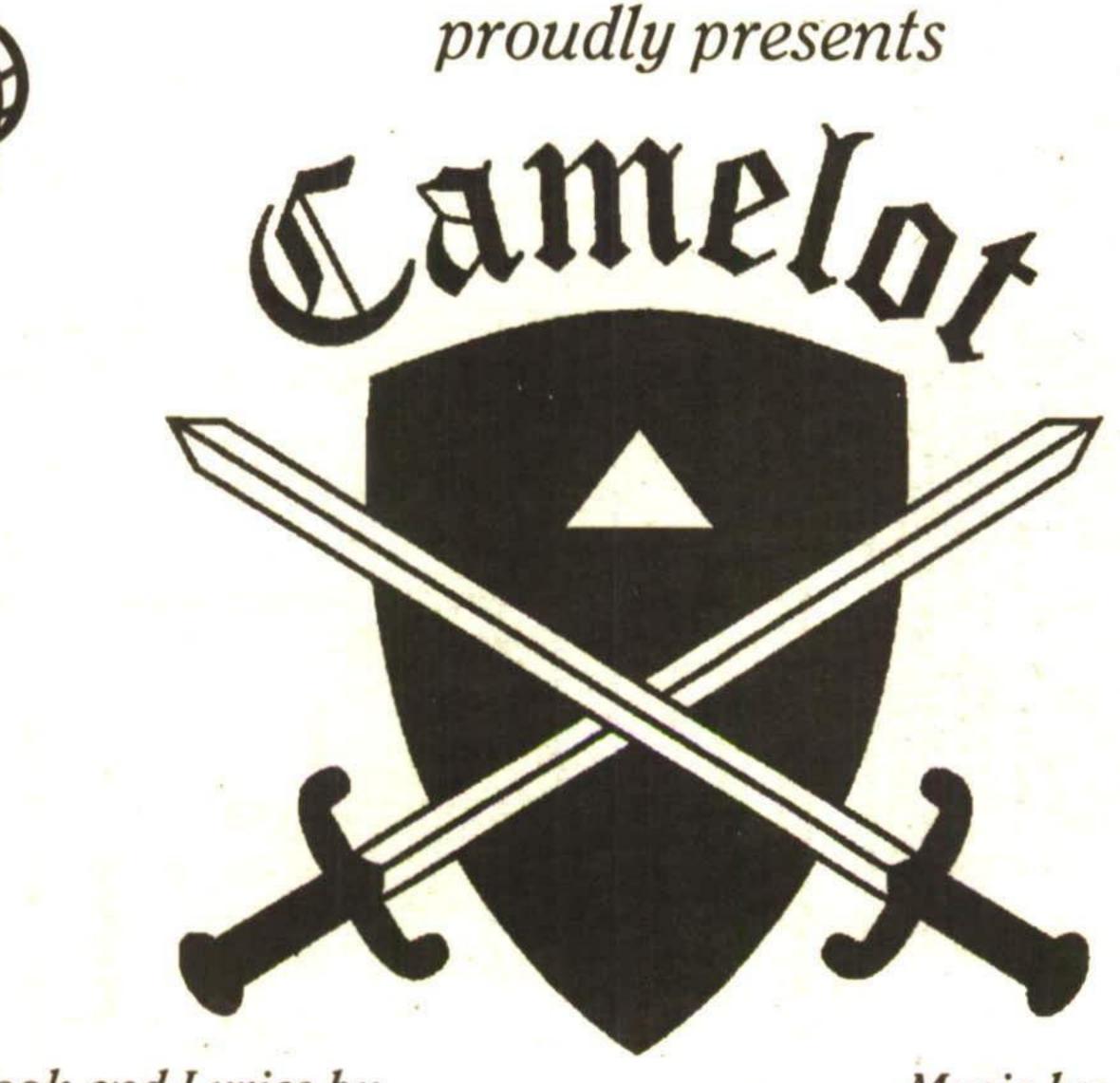
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Music by Frederick Loewe

November 28-30, December 5-7 8:00 p.m. December 1 & 7 2:00 p.m.

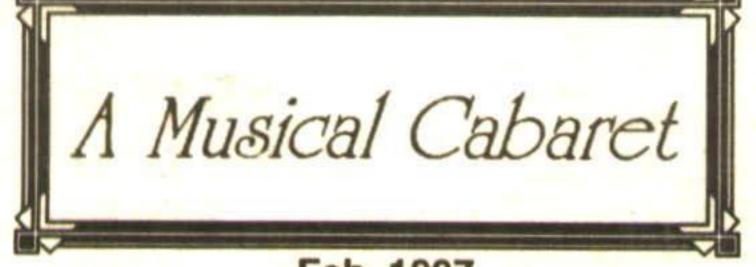
at the John Elliott Theatre (Halton Hills Cultural Centre)

All Tickets \$15.00 (incl. service charges)

Available at the John Elliott Theatre Box Office (905) 877-3700

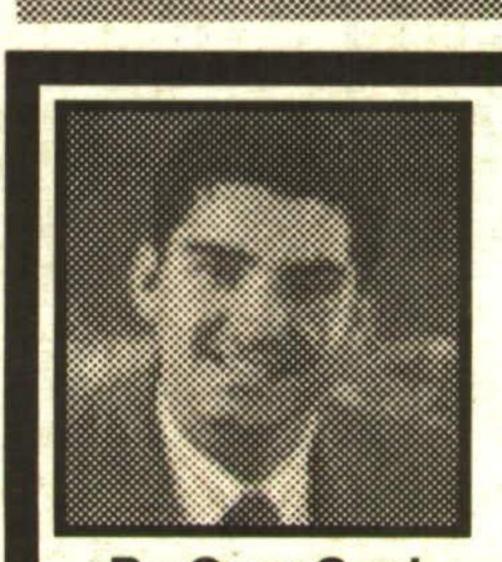
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