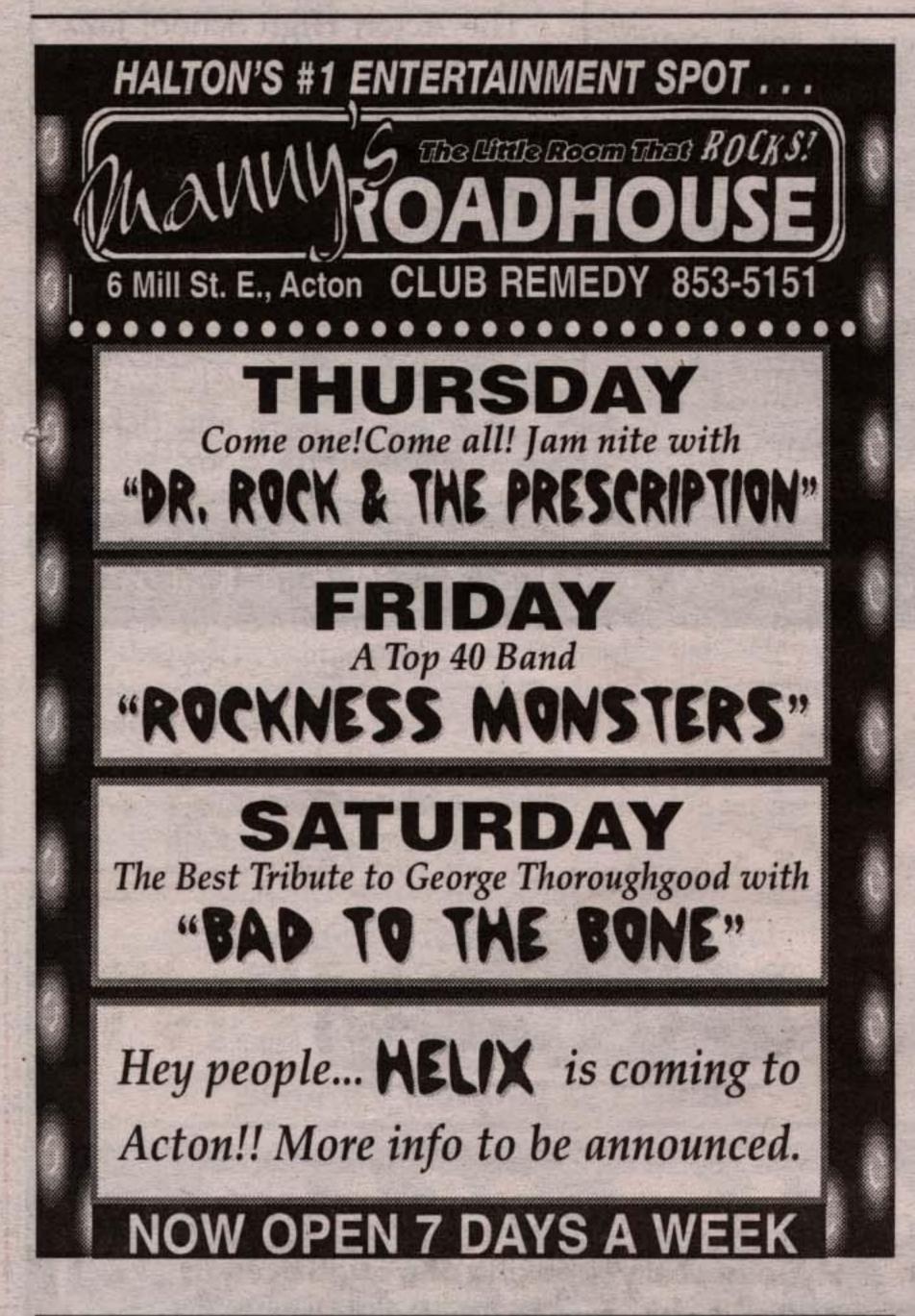
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Williams Mill hosts May Revelry Arts Festival

The Williams Mill Creative Arts Studios in Glen Williams is having its May Revelry Arts Festival this weekend, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Come and meet the artists in their studios and watch ongoing glass demonstrations. There will be a fashion show at 12:30 p.m. daily, featuring women's apparel from Joanna Dobbin's weaving studio and Studio Melange and children's book illustrators Karen Reczuch and Peter Perko will be there at 2 p.m. daily.

Williams Mill is a community of more than 30 artists with studios in a group of restored historic buildings in the centre of Glen Williams. There are painters and printmakers, glass blowers, potters, wood workers, weavers and textile artists, a silversmith who makes sterling jewelry, and stained glass artists. New additions are: Bonnie Glass of Melange, Maureen Castellar in Millrun, Halton Carvers in their newly renovated workshop, and Marilyn Laugesen in her enlarged studio.

Many of the studios are open to the public, and art can be bought directly from the artists in the studios.

The Williams Mill Gallery is the focal point for the complex. The gallery showcases the work of the artists in the complex, and also retails the works of other outstanding Canadian craftspersons.

Opening in the Gallery tomorrow (Thursday), 5-8 p.m. is The Awakening Earth. This is a collaborative show of recent works by potter Carol-Ann Michaelson and painter Sherrill Girard.

Michaelson, recognized for her elegant, functional work, was recently featured on the cover of Contact, the premier Canadian ceramics magazine. Michaelson, an avid gardener who lives beside the Credit River, uses colors which reflect her love of nature and her environment.

Girard uses watercolors to capture the vivid hues of nature. Her brilliant flowers seem almost alive. Girard has had several successful shows in Toronto. She is represented in collections throughout North America and the world.

A common approach and similar inspiration encouraged Girard and Michaelson to explore this connection in an exhibition. The

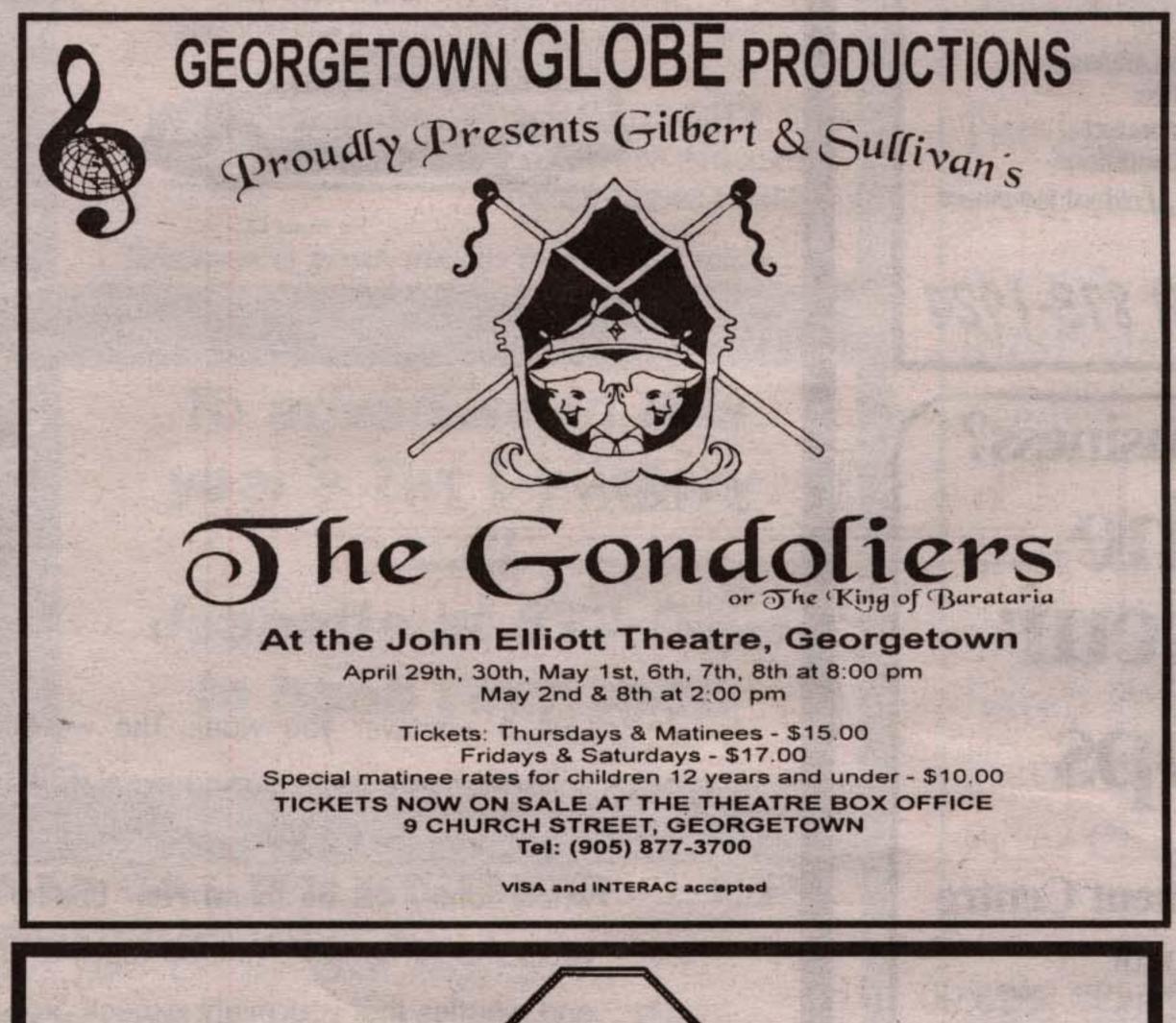
theme of spring and nature allowed them the opportunity to explore the natural environment that is so integral to their work.

The Awakening Earth is the culmination, and the exhibit continues until May 16, Wednesday to Sunday, noon to 5 p.m.

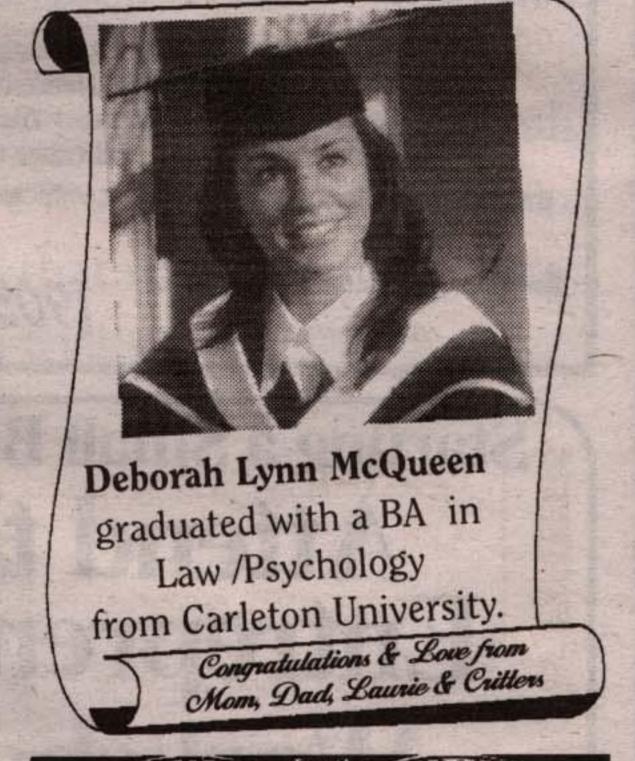
The Williams Mill is located at 515 Main St. in the Glen. For more information, call 873-8203 or visit: www.williamsmill.com.

In brief

- Voices in the Wilderness, a new gospel group, will perform April 30, 8 p.m. at Ballinafad United Church. Also performing Ballinafad Youth Choir and Erin High Grad Choir.
- An opening reception will be held April 30, 7-9 p.m. at the Halton Hills Cultural Centre gallery for the new exhibit, Image After Image. Meet the artists, Nancy Farrell, Doris Whitlock, Sharon Stock Feren and Suzette Terry. Exhibit of paintings, prints and collages.









Sat. & Sun.

2:00 p.m.