

Entertainment

Auditions now under way for new Canadian musical

Auditions are under way at Century Church Theatre in Hillsburgh for an exciting new Canadian musical, written by Erin playwright and composer Barb Perkins, orchestrated by Brett Girvin, and directed by Nick Holmes.

Home Child is based on a true story, and recounts the experience of a Doctor Barnardo child sent to Canada in the early part of the last century. The produc-

tion will be staged at The Theatre at Erin Centre 2000 October 20-23, and will be a showcase for possible future producers. Rehearsals will start at the end of August.

Singers, actors and dancers are needed, ages 10 to 60 plus, for principal and chorus roles. Auditions will continue on Sunday, May 29, and are by appointment only. Anyone interested should call Barb Perkins at 519-833-6810.

June 11

Writers to hold creative writing workshop

Nothing is more important to a good story than dialogue that moves both the plot and the reader.

The West Side Writers Coalition will help budding authors perfect this skill at You can Write Great Dialogue, a creative writing workshop to be held on Saturday, June 11.

In this workshop writers will be shown how to avoid common mistakes, how to get your characters to speak up, and how to heighten your dialogue's dramatic impact so that the reader will hang on every word your people say.

Workshop leader Brian Henry has been a book editor for more than 20 years. He teaches creative writing at Ryerson University and George Brown College and has led workshops from Boston to Buffalo and from Sarnia to Ottawa. He has helped many of his students get published.

The workshop will be held 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Mississauga Central Library, 301 Burnhamthorpe Rd., W. Advanced registration is preferred: fee \$36 in advance or \$39 at the door. Phone Diana Revelins: 905-891-2354 or e-mail: bhenry_ed@hotmail.com

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