

Nonie Crete returns to Hearthside

Join the Halton Museum Foundation on Saturday, Nov. 19 for an evening of delicious food and a beautiful collection of favourite Celtic songs in the intimate atmosphere of the Halton Region Museum's historic Hearth Room, located in Kelso Conservation Area, Milton.

Internationally recognized singer, songwriter Nonie Crete of Fergus returns, with Eugene Rae of Ireland's famed Sands family and Jay Wheeler of Failte.

The Hearthside Dinner and Music Series is one of a number of fund-raising events held throughout the year by the Halton Museum Foundation. Proceeds from these events are directed to the Halton Region Museum Building Fund with the current goal being to build an on-site Artifact Centre to house the Museum's extensive collection, currently being stored in various facilities throughout Halton.

The Hearthside format remains unchanged; doors open at 6 p.m., dinner at 7 p.m. and entertainment begins at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$45/person, available by advance sale only and can be reserved by calling the Museum at 905-875-2200 ext. 21.

Future Hearthside events include a 20-piece Sentimental Swing Orchestra. Tickets for this special evening are available through the John Elliott Theatre Box Office at 905-877-3700.

Globe cast shows 'big' heart

Toy drive during musical's run at JET

In keeping with the upcoming holiday season, *big, The Musical* has come up with a charitable idea. The cast and crew have donated new toys to be showcased on stage in this production. Once the production is over, all of these new toys will be donated to the Salvation Army toy drive to help brighten the lives of some of the less fortunate children in the area.

Globe is also inviting anyone

attending the show to help out some children this Christmas by bringing in a new unwrapped toy to add to their donation. A donation box will be set up in the theatre lobby and all toys donated by the audience will be added to those given by the cast and crew and then presented to the Salvation Army for distribution.

big, The Musical is a funny and touching musical based on the 1987 hit movie starring Tom Hanks. When frustrated adolescent Josh Baskin wishes he were "big" and wakes up the next morning a 30-year-old man, he discovers there's much more to being an adult than he's bargained for and learns we must all grow up at our own pace, in our own time!

big, The Musical runs for seven performances at the John Elliott Theatre (JET). Evening performances, which start at 8 p.m., are on November 17, 18, 19, 24, 25 and 26. There is just one matinee performance at 2 p.m. on Sunday, November 20.

Tickets can be ordered with Visa or MasterCard from the JET Box Office, 905-877-3700. You may also purchase tickets in person from 2-6 p.m. Tuesdays through Saturdays. The box office is also open one hour before each performance.

Mystery dinner aids Extencicare

Extencicare Halton Hills and Georgetown Optimist Club are putting on a Murder Mystery Dinner on Saturday, Nov. 19.

Cocktails are at 6:30 p.m., the roast beef dinner "To Die For" starts at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$35 each. For information call Clay or Nancy, 905-873-1709. Tickets also available at Extencicare at 905-702-8760. No wheelchair accessibility unfortunately.

See if you can help solve the mystery. It is interactive mystery dinner, meaning that the actors and guests sit all together. The handsome man or lovely lady beside you just may turn out to be the murderer. Keep your wits about you.

All the money raised goes to recreational initiatives at Extencicare Halton Hills.



Melissa Fischer, co-producer of *big, The Musical*, accepts donations at the John Elliott Theatre for the Salvation Army Christmas Toy Drive during the two-week run of the musical, opening tomorrow night.

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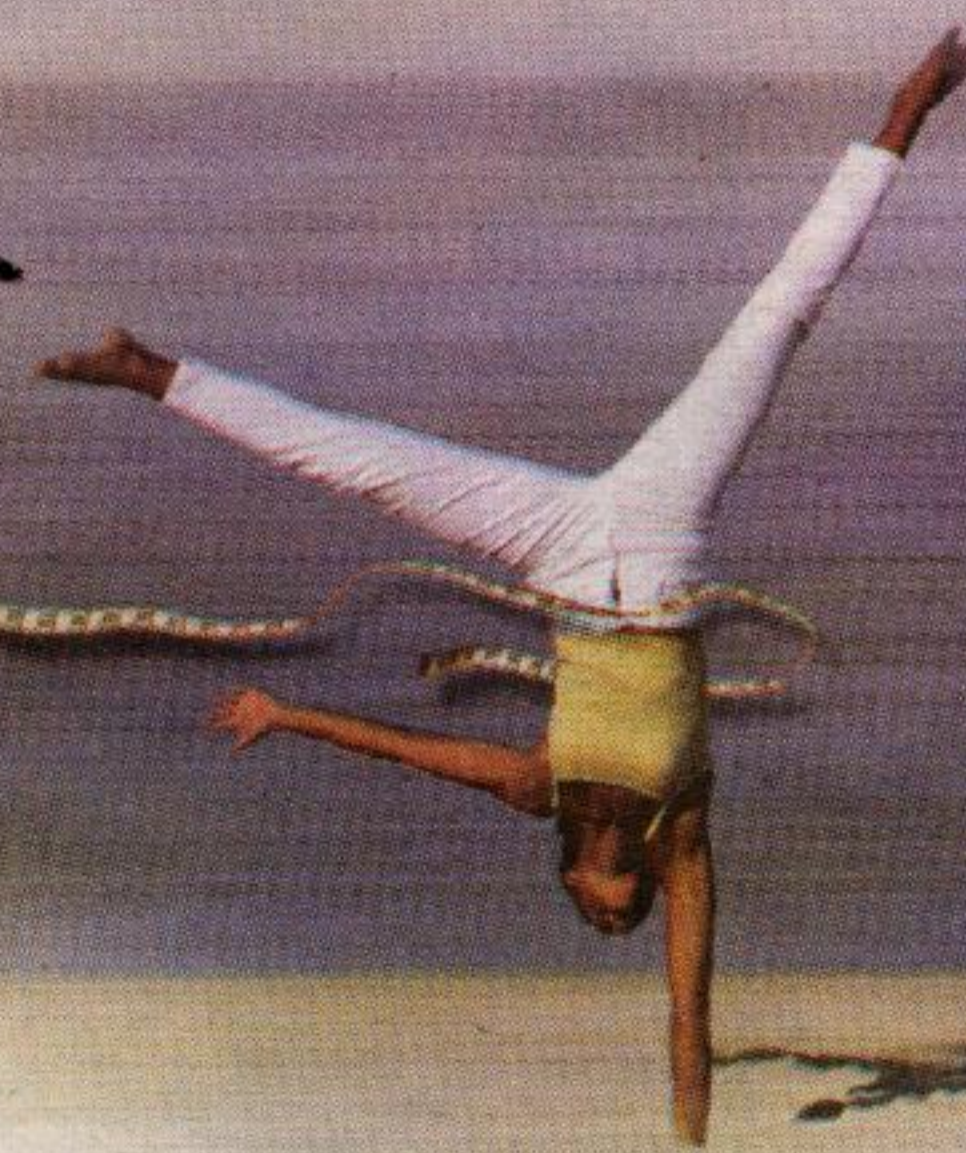
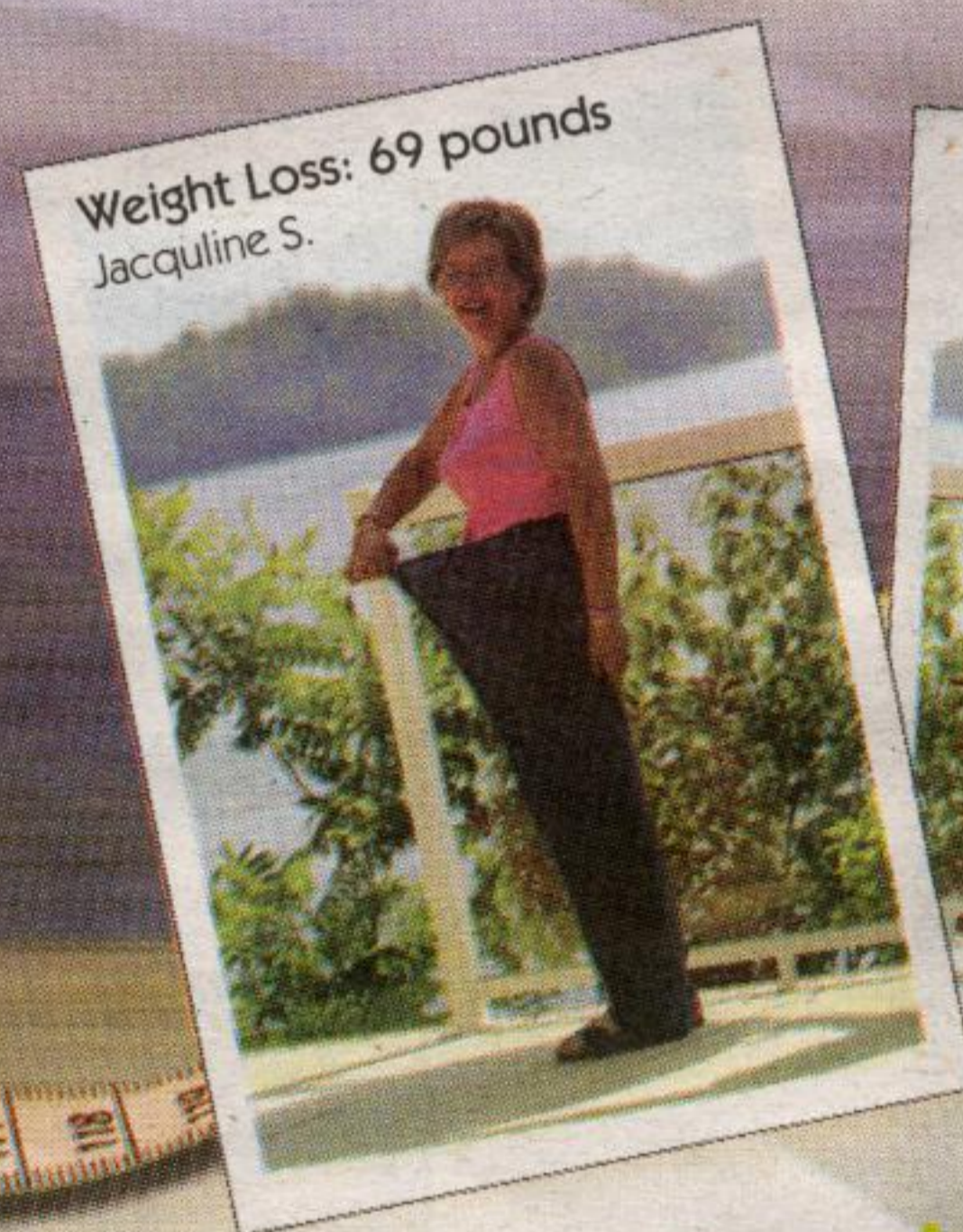
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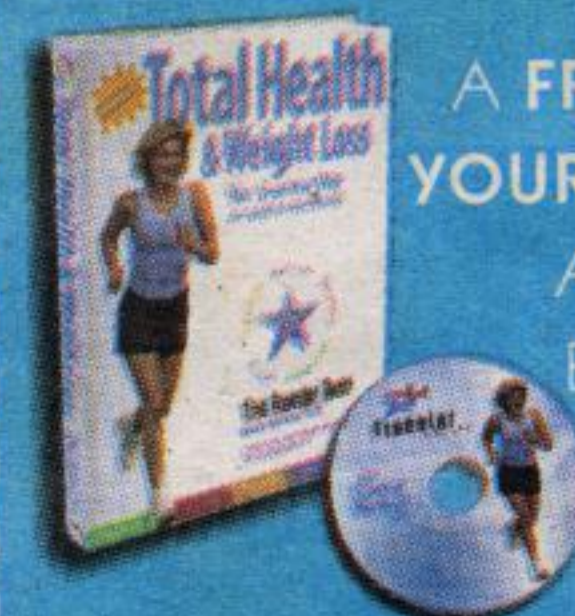
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