Entertainment

Barbershop Chorus show to aid special charity

Royal City Ambassadors Barbershop Chorus is coming to Knox Church, Georgetown on Saturday, Nov. 26, 8 p.m.

This is a fund-raiser for Harmonize for Speech, which supports speech-related projects. Songs range from ballads to easy-beat and do-wop to sacred music. Tickets, $15, by calling 905-877-7585 or 905-877-4625 or at the door.

Strong cast saves *big: The Musical* from poor staging and weak material

When we are little, we dream of being 'big'... And *big: The Musical* was the name of the game as Georgetown Globe Productions opened its latest musical Thursday night at John Elliott Theatre.

The show, based on the Tom Hanks movie of the same name, centres around two young friends, Josh Baskin and Billy Kopecki as they endure the impatience of growing up. Josh, being a bit challenged in the size department, is the most upset with his present size, especially after he's embarrassed in front of a girl he's sweet on, when he's turned away from an amusement park ride, because he's not 'big' enough.

Dejected, Josh goes to the arcade, and placing a coin in the Zoltar the wizard machine, he is offered a wish— he wishes to be 'big.'

The next morning, Josh finds he's suddenly an adult— physically, with a 12 year-old boy inside.

And after experiencing life as 'big' he decides it ain't all it's cracked up to be, and has his friend Billy track down the old Zoltar machine with its traveling arcade, to reverse the wish.

Little Josh is ably played by Marc Wilson, while Adam Norton is a great Billy Kopecki. Both parts are somewhat demanding for such young cast members, especially from a singing point of view, but they handle the challenge well.

Big Josh is played by Scott Carmichael. Carmichael does the part justice, with a mix of good vocals and accomplished dance steps. His performance saves a show that definitely needs help running smoothly.

Opposite Carmichael is Sonia Bentivoglio, as Susan Lawrence, big Josh's love interest. Bentivoglio has a strong voice and stage presence that works well with Carmichael. Undeniably, they are well cast together.

Norm Douglas does a fine job as toy company magnate George MacMillan, especially as he and Carmichael play the giant piano keys on stage— probably the highlight of the performance.

Other smaller parts are well handled by Globe regulars like Jane Adair and Chris Gawley as Josh's parents, and Carolyn Sevigny and Pat Tunney as Billy's parents. And Kevin Liley is effective as the bull-headed two-faced Paul Seymour, Susan's ex-boyfriend, while Nanci McNeil Llewellyn gives a solid performance as the harried secretary Miss Watson.

The set is quite spartan and changes are made on the fly, and the costumes work

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NOTICE OF MEETING

USER FEES, LICENSING FEES AND SERVICE CHARGES

This is to advise that a public meeting will be held to obtain comments on the proposed 2006 User Fees, Licensing Fees, and Service Charges at the Council meeting to be held **Monday, November 28, 2005** at **9:00 p.m.** The report outlining the proposed fees may be obtained by contacting the Clerk's Department on or after **Friday, November 25, 2005** at (905) 873-2601 ext. 2333. If you wish to register to speak to Council at its meeting to be held **Monday, November 28, 2005** at **9:00 p.m.** please contact the Clerk's Department at (905) 873-2601 ext. 2333. 179

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NOTICE OF AN OPEN HOUSE INFORMATION SESSION

Proposed Telecommunication Tower
Town of Halton Hills File No. D11/Halton Hills Hydro Inc.

Halton Hills Hydro Inc. in cooperation with Halton Hills Fibre Optics Inc. and Hummingbird Wireless will conduct an open house information session regarding the proposed telecommunication tower and related facilities to be located at 13417 Fifth Line, Halton Hills in the former Township of Esquesing. The following information will be provided.

- The proposed structure's location
- The proposed structure's height
- Basis for the proposed location
- Estimated area serviced
- Potential benefits of the proposed structure and its services

Halton Hills Hydro Inc. has submitted a Site Plan Application to the Town of Halton Hills for approval. A location map of the proposed site is shown below.

Further information regarding the site plan application for the proposed tower is available in the Planning Department, Town of Halton Hills, 1 Halton Hills Drive, Halton Hills (Georgetown), Ontario L7G 5G2.

ALL INTERESTED CITIZENS ARE WELCOME.

DATE/TIME: **Wednesday, November 30, 2005 7:00 p.m.**

LOCATION: **Halton Hills Hydro Inc. 43 Alice Street Acton, Ontario L7J 2A9**

FILE NO: **D11/Halton Hills Hydro Inc.**

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For further information contact Daniel Edwards at 905-877-6457

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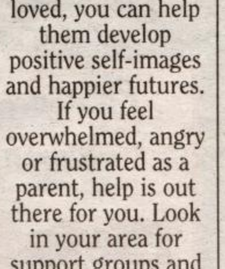
Where Child Abuse Hurts Most



Sometimes the worst scars of child abuse can't be seen. Whether physical or emotional, abuse attacks a child's self-esteem and emotional development, leaving long-term emotional trauma and pain. You can help prevent child abuse by being a nurturing parent or caregiver. By letting children know they are special, competent and loved, you can help them develop positive self-images and happier futures. If you feel overwhelmed, angry or frustrated as a parent, help is out there for you. Look in your area for support groups and services, or talk to a trusted friend, family member, pastor or doctor about what you can do to protect and support your child. If we all do our part to prevent child abuse, we'll get to the heart of the matter.