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NEWS

Three wins, eight nominations for Milton Players' 'Noises Off'

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With three wins and nine nominations, the Milton Players' achievements at this year's Act-co Awards April 7 were the loftiest in its history.

The awards recognize outstanding performances and achievements in local community theatre, with Thea Awards given to the winners.

Milton Players' second show of the season, *Noises Off*, earned eight nominations and three wins.

The three Theas went to Arleigh Curran for best supporting actress in a comedy, Sandra Curran for best stage manager and the change crew for winning an Adjudicator Award for best set change.

Those nominated for an award for *Noises Off* included Dennis Curley for best supporting actor, Kim



Milton Players photo

Milton Players were nominated for nine Act-co Awards and won three. Among those honoured were (from left) Esther Chung, Bridgette Audette, Ryk Simpson, James Laird, Kim Evans, Huw Evans, Sandra Curran, Arleigh Curran and Dennis Curley.

Evans for best actress in a comedy, Huw Evans for best actor in a comedy, Ryk Simpson for best director and producer Melodie Rose for best comedy production.

Milton Players' other nomination was an Adjudicator Award to Calendar Girls for best set change crew.

While *Noises Off* was the most decorated play of the season for Milton Players, *Calendar Girls* broke all attendance records.

The *Odd Couple*, the final production of the season, runs May 4-12.

Visit www.miltonplayers.com or www.firstontarioartscentremilton.ca for more information.



Chief Librarian's Remarks

Spring is a time of new beginnings and MPL has a lineup of exciting new programs including: **Mommy & Me High Tea** (ages 4-10), **Technology Petting Zoo** drop-in for teens, and a fresh language resource called **Transparent Languages® Online**.

MPL is also pleased to co-sponsor the new multi-day **Celebrating Stories** free family literacy series. Don't miss zoologist-turned-author Jess Keating when she comes to the Beaty Branch on May 26. Visit www.mpl.on.ca/CelebratingStories for upcoming events and to register.

The season finale of the **Milton Philharmonic Orchestra** at MPL will be taking place on May 6 at Main. Be sure to register to save your spot at www.mpl.on.ca.

And finally, my **reading challenge** will conclude in June. I look forward to talking about what it has meant to me at that time.

Leslie

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What's On



Saturday, May 5: ComicCon

12:30 – 4:30 pm, Main Library (drop-in, all ages)

Drop by for an afternoon celebrating comics with an art contest, crafts, games, character visits, and more!

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Wednesday, May 9: Laurier Milton Lecture Series

7:00 – 8:30 pm, FirstOntario Arts Centre Milton (Ages 18+)

Just Trying to Fit in: The Importance of Friendship for Immigrant Youth in Canada
 Dr. Stacy Wilson-Forsberg, Department of Human Rights & Human Diversity, Faculty of Liberal Arts
 Please register online or in-person.



Halton Community Legal Services

Friday, May 11: Halton Community Legal Services

3:00 – 4:30 pm, Main Library (drop-in)

If you are seeking help with Ontario Works, Human Rights, Tenants' Rights, Disability Benefits, Government Pensions, Employment Insurance or Employment Standards, drop-in with your questions.

If you need assistance but cannot make the session, please call Halton Community Legal Services at 905-875-2069.



Changes to Library Hours

Delayed Opening: Friday, May 4 until 1pm for Staff Development Session
Closed: Monday, May 21 for Victoria Day

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