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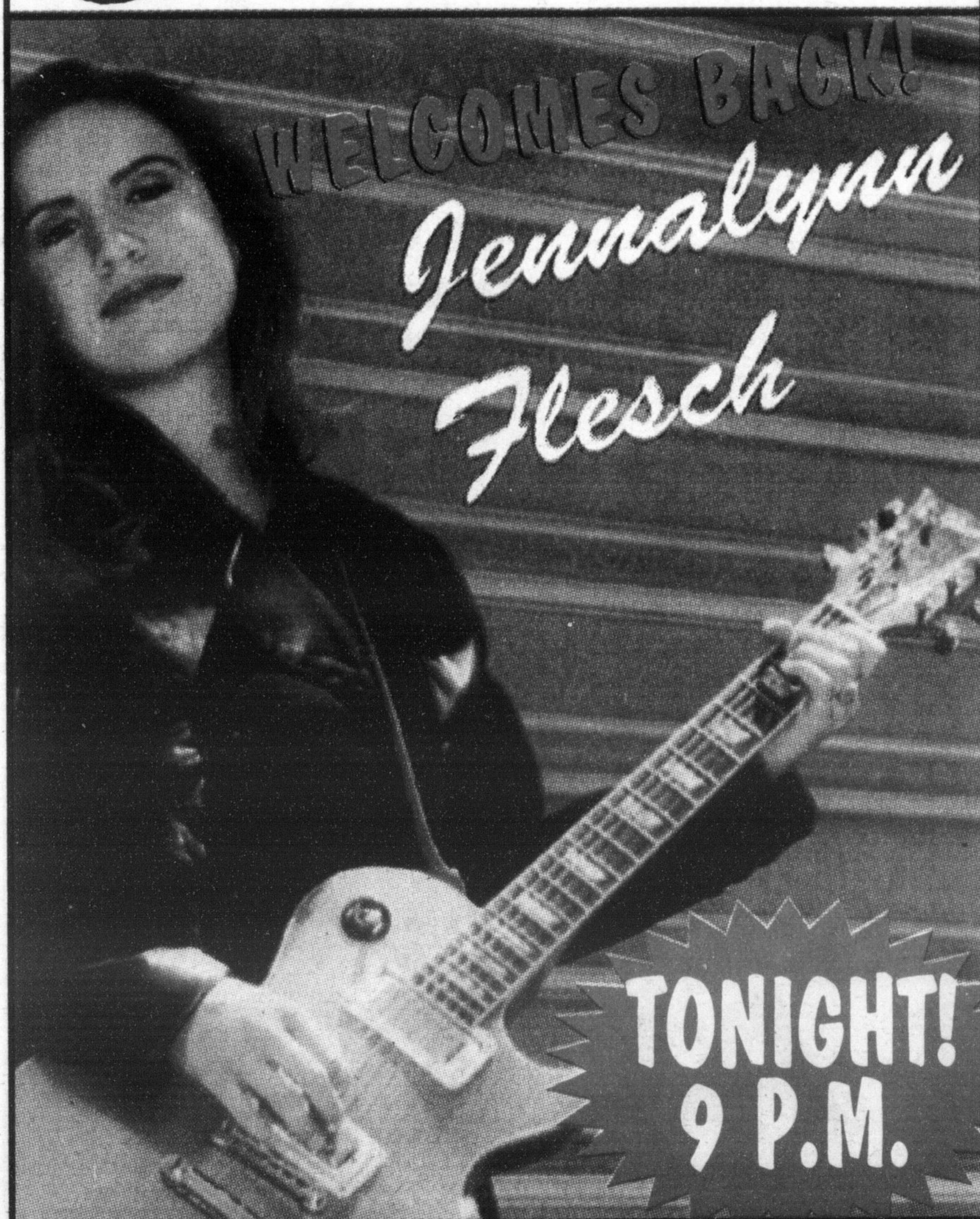
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# Local concert group almost folds due to lack of facilities

By FANNIE SUNSHINE  
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Milton needs a venue for the arts.

That's the message Milton Concert Presentations is trying to get across to the town, after the group nearly disbanded over a lack of available space for their performances.

"We were using Southside Community Church for our concerts last season," said Milton Concert Presentations member Caroline Konarzewski. "We put on five concerts and they were all sell-out crowds. We have plans for six concerts this coming season but the church told us they were no longer interested in renting out the space to us. It's left us in an awkward position because it was hard trying to find a place that would accommodate the orchestra."

So the organization went to St. Paul's United Church for help.

There was no problem finding the 380 seats needed to accommodate the audience for the concerts at the church, but fitting in the orchestra required a little maneuvering.

"The orchestra wouldn't fit unless we removed the first few pews or the choir's pews," Ms Konarzewski said.

"We were under pressure (to find a location) because our new season begins in September. Benson and Hedges offered to print our program free of charge but it had to be done quickly."

The choir pews were removed to allow for the orchestra, she said.

"The conductor of the Toronto Philharmonic Orchestra came in and said the orchestra would fit but they wouldn't be sitting in the proper layout; the string instruments would be spread out so they wouldn't be in the proper formation."

If the organization hadn't been permitted to hold the concerts at St. Paul's United Church then the Milton Concert Presentations would've folded, Ms Konarzewski said.

"They (St. Paul's United Church) came to our rescue. This really shows how important it is to have a centre for the arts in Milton."

Dean Martin, chairman of the Board of Elders at Southside Community Church, said rental of the church to outside groups such as the Milton Concert Presentations began to interfere with the scheduling of church-related events.

"As an Elder's Board, we reluctantly but definitely agreed that the key mission and ministry of Southside, as a Christian church in Milton, was of greater importance than the rental of the facility and the rental income this could provide," he said.



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## NOTICE

### TAXI LICENSING BY-LAW REVIEW

TAKE NOTICE THAT in accordance with Section 257.2 (5) of The Municipal Act, the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Milton has authorized a review of the current By-law No. 52-89, being a by-law to license, govern and regulate the owners and drivers of cabs, motor or other vehicles for hire.

Accordingly, individuals interested in receiving a copy of the 'draft' Taxi By-law (upon completion and/or being kept apprised of the progress of this matter, may register their name and forwarding address with the Clerks Office by no later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, June 8th, 2001. An opportunity will be provided for public review and comments prior to the proposed by-law being presented to Milton Council for consideration and approval. Taxi Owners, Taxi Drivers and residents of the Town of Milton are encouraged to provide input into the above noted review.

Milton Council has further directed that the Town Clerk/Licensing Commissioner provide a period of opportunity whereby individuals interested in having their names included on the Taxi Plate Waiting List may do so by making application to the Clerk's Office and, payment of the appropriate fee, until 4:30 p.m. on Friday, June 8th, 2001. Subsequent to this date, Milton Council has resolved that no further names shall be added to the list.

DATED at the Town of Milton, this 8th day of May, 2001.

Helen Lisi, Town Clerk  
and Licensing Commissioner  
Town of Milton  
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(905) 878-7252, Ext. 2132

## Request for Bid

01-075-T 2001 Sidewalk Reconstruction (closing June 6, 2001)

01-177-P Pre-qualification of Consultants for the Sheridan Survey Secondary Plan and Related Studies (closing June 8, 2001)

01-167B-T Millpond Landscaping (closing June 8, 2001)

01-156-T Bronte Meadows/Brian Best Park Lighting (closing June 13, 2001)

01-206A-T Meadowbrook Road/Anne Blvd. Wastewater/Sanitary and Storm Sewer Reconstruction and Charles Street Road Reconstruction (closing June 13, 2001)

01-209-Q Fitness Equipment and Miscellaneous Supplies (closing June 13, 2001)

Sealed Bids on forms supplied by the Town of Milton will be received by the Corporate Services Department, second floor until 11:00 am local time on the dates specified above.

Specifications and forms may be obtained at the Town Hall, 43 Brown Street, Milton, Ontario, Corporate Services Department, second floor. During normal business hours, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. There is a bid document fee of \$26.00 (\$24.30 + \$1.70 GST) for regular bids or \$52.00 (\$48.60 + \$3.40 GST) for bids with drawings. Payment can be made with cash, cheque, Interac or Visa/Mastercard.

Any inquiries regarding this tender may be directed to the Corporate Services Department, Purchasing at (905) 875-5404. If you would prefer that this bid be couriered to you please complete the Request for Bid Document form on the Town's Website: [www.town.milton.on.ca](http://www.town.milton.on.ca). Plan takers and current and upcoming bids are also posted on the web site.