

Ribbon cutting makes it official

Moreland Lynn, mayor of Midland along with chairman of the board of Sterling Trust Neils Peterson work together to cut the ribbon that officially opened the new location of

(Midland) Sterling Trust at the corner of King and Hugel. A draw for a 13" Panasonic color television was later won by Marilyn Bennett of Midland.

Oh!Heavenly Dog

by Terry Dupuis

Human actor Chevy Chase and canine actor Benji might sound like a very strange costarring team for a movie, but this bizarre casting works very well in a comedy fantasy called Oh Heavenly Dog. In fact Benji and Chase play the same character in this movie, but as I said it's a comedy fantasy, and anything is possible.

Private eye

In Oh Heavenly Dog, Chevy Chase plays an American private investigator who operates in London, England. One evening he is laid up with a cold, but he gets a phone call from his secretary.

She tells him that a man wanted to see him about undertaking a case, and he said it was urgent. So Chase goes into his office that night to meet his new client. The guy says that he wants to buy protection for a young lady.

Chase undertakes the case, and ends up getting murdered. It has been a frame-up. He awakens in the afterlife at a waystation, but he is told that before he can go on he will have to prove his worth by taking on an assignment. The assignment is for him to go back to earth and solve his murder.

The only problem is that the only body that is available for him to go back in is that of a small dog. This is where Benji's role enters the picture.

Misadventures

Numerous complications and misadventures occur when the detective returns to earth to try to find his murderer. Oh Heavenly Dog is both an amusing comedy and a whimsical fantasy, in the same style as the hit Warren Beatty film Heaven Can Wait. In addition, Oh Heavenly Dog could also be classified as a whodunit murder mystery.

Chevy Chase is a former television comedian, best remembered as a regular on the "Saturday Night Live" Show.

He made a successful transition to motion pictures two years ago with Foul Play in which he co-starred with Goldie Hawn.

Besides Oh Heavenly Dog, he recently made another popular comedy called Caddyshack. His next film will reteam him once more with Ms. Hawn, and it's due to come out this Christmas.

Chase's costar Benji in Oh Heavenly Dog is well remembered by audiences for his starring role in several movies that were made by film maker Joe Camp. Camp, incidentally, is also the writer-director of Oh Heavenly Dog.

Co-starring in Oh Heavenly Dog is Omar Sharif as a shady character whom Benji suspects of being a possible murderer and Robert Morley is amusing in a brief cameo role as a book publisher.

Photography

Oh Heavenly Dog contains some good photography of London, England, where the novie was photographed on location.

Scouts will 'ham' it up on radio

Now that a new Scouting season has started, plans are underway for two events which will be happening during October.

Calendar chairwoman Sandy Reynolds reports that the 1980-81 calendars have arrived and were put into circulation on Oct. 1. This year the price will be \$1 each. This is a fund raising event, so please help support Scouting in your community!

On Oct. 18 and 19, there will be a special event happening within our district. Jamboree on the Air is coming to our area.

This gives Scouts around the world a chance to join in a worldwide radio network through ham radio. Thousands of stations in more than 70 countries will take part. Depending upon radio conditions, Scouts can talk to other Scouts across Canada or across the globe.

This event is scheduled to start 0001 hours, Oct. 18 and finish 2359 hours, Oct. 19 (Greenwich Mean Time).

Two or three radio sets will be set up in a cottage, near Midland, which has plenty of room next door for camping. Plans are for a weekend camp (Oct. 17,18 and 19) at this location. The boys will assist in the set-up and dismantling of the radios and take turns talking with other coutries.

For troops that do not want to camp but just come for a few hours, times will be scheduled. If you are interested in participating in this nationwide event, contact Dave Robertson (534-7812).

Apple Day has been scheduled for Oct. 24 & 25. More details concerning this district event will be published shortly.



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