

# Upstage One's Wizard of Oz ready to go at Bayview

Once again Bayview School's Drama Club, "Upstage One" is "Ready To Go".

The club will be presenting "The Wizard of Oz" next week. All performances will be at Bayview. Monday, 26 April, there will be two shows to allow all Bayview students to see the play.

Wednesday, and Thursday afternoon shows will be given to visiting schools, and Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 28, 29 and 30 April at 7:30 p.m. there will be public performances.

Tickets are available in Midland at Huronia Office Services, Books Unlimited, Field's Hardware, and Perrin's Flower Shop and in Penetang at Gignac's Children's Wear.

This is a "Company" show in which everyone has backstage duties as well as his or her part in the show.

Older students are

paired with younger ones - Family style - to assist with make-up, check costumes and see to their concerns. April 26-30 is Education Week and all this is in keeping with the theme of Education Week '82 "Growing Together".

Not only are the older students working with the young, but there are also two staff members in the Show. Mrs. Sue Presse plays Aunt Em and Mr. Ray Brien - Uncle Henry. Mrs. Val MacMenemey and Mr. John McCallum are Directors of the company and Mrs. Peggy Dove of Elmvale is the choreographer. Parents are also involved doing costuming and publicity. In Val MacMenemey's first year with the Drama Club, she produced The Wizard of Oz.

Now, eight years later she is producing a new version of that play. Dorothy is played by Jennifer Giles, a

newcomer to the Drama Club and her dog Toto is Tammie Latondress.

The Tin Man is Andrew MacMenemey, The Scarecrow is Jennifer McCallum and The Lion is played by Brad Taylor. The Wicked Witch is Beth Teskey, Walter Stewart plays The Wizard and Corinne Losch - Nora.

The Drama Club in 1981 were invited to an International Festival in Westchester, New York where other competitors were mostly adult Drama Companies from all over the world.

"Speaking for all the children in the Drama Club, teachers and parents involved," Val says, "it is hard work, exhausting at times, but the friendships and bonds created, the learning experience and the exhilaration and joy of the first full performance under the lights make it very worthwhile."



Here are some of Upstage One's star performers

## Failed to reapply

### Could suffer interruption of payments

Health and Welfare officials in Toronto said today that more than 40,000 recipients of the department's Guaranteed Income Supplement (GIS) in Ontario, failed to reapply for the program by the March 31 deadline.

According to W.A. Wright, Assistant Director General of the program, more than 400,000 applications were mailed out in January and people

have repeatedly been urged to reapply as quickly as possible so that they will continue to receive the payments to which they are entitled.

"Unfortunately, those who have not yet reapplied will now suffer an interruption in

payment" said Mr. Wright. "Seniors will note a marked difference in their April check" he continued "but as soon as the applications are completed and sent in, checks will be issued retroactively."

GIS is an assistance

program supplementary to Old Age Security and requires annual reapplication by recipients because of possible changes in income during the year. Pensioners who qualify can receive up to \$233.63 in addition to the Old Age Security.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

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in Midland

plan to attend an information meeting

7:30 p.m. Wed., April 28

at *2:00*

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## Workshop

Georgian College Employer Services is presenting a one-day workshop featuring the current issues of the nursing process for Registered Nursing Assistants (R.N.A.) at the Orillia Campus, 825 Memorial Avenue, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on May 14. The registration fee of \$25 includes coffee and lunch.

## Bahá'í Faith

It teaches:

"It is incumbent upon all the people of the world to reconcile their differences, and with perfect unity and peace abide beneath the shadow of the Tree of His care and loving kindness."

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