'Nothing is wrong' with playwright's new work

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Why are we so tired? Why do we need to drink so much coffee and why have we become jaded?

Those are just some of the questions Something is Wrong tries to answer in the way of a Greek tragedy.

The play was written and directed by former Whitchurch-Stouffville resident William Rasitsan-Powell. It opened yesterday and runs through Saturday at Toronto's Pia Bouman Theatre.

The play was inspired by Antonin Artaud's Theatre of Cruelty, Bertolt Brecht's Epic Theatre and the Absurdist Theatre of Harold Pinter and Samuel Beckett.

The play also incorporates choreographed dance and improvised movement.

Mr. Rasitsan-Powell, 24, along with his wife Beata, founded Naught. A Theatre-Company, which is "dedicated to putting up theatre that is cutting and cutting edge," according to the media release. The couple lives in Toronto.

Mr. Rasitsan-Powell's first theatrical experience was 20 years ago as the narrator in The Gingerbread Man at Mother Goose's pre-school in Stouffville.

He continued to act in plays at Ballantrae Public School. Mr. Rasitsan-Powell then attended Unionville's Arts York drama program and graduated from Ryerson University with an acting degree.

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While at Ryerson, Mr. Rasitsan-Powell staged his first production at the Ryerson New Voices Festival, To Be Free.

Tickets for Something is Wrong are \$15 each and \$12 with student ID and are available at the door or can be reserved by e-mailing naughttheatre@gmail.com or calling 647-668-0508.

For more information, go to http://somethingiswrongplay.blogspot.ca/ or www.facebook.com/NaughtTheatre

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Curator has show in Cobourg

The intersection of order and chaos is explored in Chai Duncan's new work, which is being exhibited in Cobourg's Impresario Artisan Market Gallery.

Mr. Duncan, who is the curator of

Stouffville's Latcham Gallery, said the new show reflects an interest in the way material expressions of culture imposed patterns of man-like organization onto nature and the natural world.

Mr. Duncan, who resides in Port Hope, works in multiple medias investigating territories arising from the junction and

occasional collision of nature and culture, according to the media release. He collects found landscapes and is interested in the discarded and obsolete built environment, according the release.

You can meet Mr. Duncan Saturday from 4 to 7 p.m. at the gallery. The exhibition runs the month of August.

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS OF ENBRIDGE GAS DISTRIBUTION INC.

Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. has applied to change its rates. Learn more. Have your say.

Enbridge has applied to the Ontario Energy Board with a 5-year rate plan. The plan would decrease rates in 2014 and then increase them in 2015 and 2016. The annual bill decrease for an average residential customer is \$3 in 2014 followed by increases of \$12 in 2015 and \$27 in 2016. The bill changes in 2017 and 2018 will be filed with the Board at a later date. The rate plan is proposed to begin on January 1, 2014. Other customers, including businesses, may be affected as well.

THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD IS HOLDING A PUBLIC HEARING

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) will hold a public hearing to consider Enbridge's request. We will question the company on its case for its rate plan. We will also hear arguments from individuals and from groups that represent residential and business customers. At the end of this hearing, the OEB will decide on the rate plan.

The OEB is an independent and impartial public agency. We make decisions that serve the public interest. Our goal is to promote a financially viable and efficient energy sector that provides you with reliable energy services at a reasonable cost.

BE INFORMED AND HAVE YOUR SAY

You have the right to information regarding this application and to be involved in the process. You can:

- · Review Enbridge's application on the OEB's website now.
- · Sign up to observe the proceeding by receiving OEB documents related to the hearing.
- File a letter with your comments, which will be considered during the hearing.
- Become an active participant (called an intervenor). Apply by August 17, 2013 or the hearing will go
 ahead without you and you will not receive any further notice of the proceeding.
- · At the end of the process, review the OEB's decision and its reasons on our website.

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These proposed charges relate to Enbridge's distribution services. Our file number for this case is EB-2012-0459. To learn more about this hearing, find instructions on how to file letters or become an intervenor, or to access any document related to this case please enter that file number at the OEB website www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/notice. You can also phone our Consumer Relations Centre at 1-877-632-2727 with any questions.

ORAL VS. WRITTEN HEARINGS

There are two types of OEB hearings - oral and written. The Board intends to hold an oral hearing on this matter.

PRIVACY

If you write a letter of comment or sign up to observe the hearing, your name and the content of your letter or the documents you file with the OEB will be put on the public record and the OEB website. However, your personal telephone number, home address and email address will be removed. If you are a business, all your information will remain public. If you apply to become an intervenor, all information will be public.

This rate hearing will be held under section 36 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, S.O. 1998 c.15 (Schedule B).



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