

Aldershot Players tackle tax dodgers in latest show

Local theatre group opens season with *Love, Sex and IRS* comedy

The Aldershot Players start their season next week with a production of *Love, Sex and IRS*, directed by Lisa Broe.

It's a comedy, or perhaps more accurately, a farce that involves a couple of roommates who try to save on income tax by telling the IRS they are a married couple.

In fact they are a couple of straight men (this was written long before same-sex marriages), so when the IRS decides to check up on them, some deception, such as appearing in drag, takes place.

Inevitably, that leads to all sorts of comic complications. As is normal in farce, there are mistaken identities, sight gags and more.

Appearing in this TAP comedy are Len Cain, Michelle LaHaise, Peter Gruner, Tyler Brent, Bruce Fleming, Dina Dametto, Connie Williams and Gerard Hass.

Love, Sex and IRS runs at West Plains United Church as dinner theatre on Friday, Oct. 12 and Saturday, Oct. 13 and continues the following two weekends (Oct. 19-20 and Oct. 26-27), with tickets costing \$35.

There's a show only performance on Thursday, Oct. 18, with tickets costing \$18.

For ticket information, call 905-381-1441.

• There is still time to catch a performance of

The Hobbit in Waterdown's Memorial Hall (905-690-7889) and *Opening Night* at the Dofasco Centre in Hamilton (905-522-7529). Both shows close on Saturday, Oct. 6.

Also across the bay, Players Guild will be continuing its production of *Stepping Out* until Saturday, Oct. 13 (905-529-0284).

Art scene

The October exhibit in the Artway (first floor centre hallway of Joseph Brant Memorial, Hospital) is *Heart to Heart*, a collection of art displayed by 21 artists participating from the Oasis Art Group.

In Artway on Two (second floor rampway leading to the Family Centre) this month's exhibition is *Discovery* by Tracy Carmichael.

Held over in Artway Three (in the Joseph Brant Community Health Centre) is *The Art of Emotion* by Travis Hulan.

• Burlington artist Deena Errampalli has a showing of watercolour paintings at Felmate, Delibato, Heagle law offices at 3600 Billings Ct., Ste. 200. It's a co-project of Burlington Fine Arts Association and the law firm

The exhibit is called *The Jupiter Garden* and includes paintings of florals and fruits from temperate and tropical regions of the world. The exhibition is on view until

Thursday, Nov. 1,

• In the Fireside Room at Burlington Art Centre, Callie Archer has an exhibition in four different media.

It focuses on local landscapes and others in Bhutan, the Arctic and Chile and continues until Tuesday, Oct. 30.

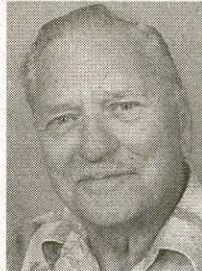
Teen musicians needed

The Burlington Teen Tour Band will participate again in the annual Rose Parade, slated for Tuesday, Jan. 1, 2008 in Pasadena, California. While the parade is only three months away there is still time for young musicians to join the band.

Brass instrument players are particularly needed, but all musicians are welcome.

New band members should be able to read and memorize music and attend numerous rehearsals between now and January.

Young people are also needed to complete the band's colour guard. For more information, call 905-335-7807.



Show Notes

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