



In his youth David Gordon had a strong attraction to the outdoors – particularly fields, ponds and woodlots. He enrolled in watercolour classes where he learned the basic techniques and encouragement. David now works from his own studio and is devoted full time to his artistic pursuits, His interest is inspired from Georgian Bay and Muskoka Lakes areas. Rural scenes are still his calling, focusing on farm houses, barns and tractors.

J R Bernstein is a Canadian photographer known for his narrative images, who honed his photographic style and technique starting while growing up on the Niagara Escarpment and throughout his time at Acton District High School. His work demonstrates a perfectionist approach to lighting and storytelling. Each image, and each of the elements within it, is deliberate and plays a role in the story-telling process. Bernstein believes that each of these elements must fit within the context of the photo, imply something about the environment, or convey a particular mood



Simon Harris is 12 years of age and lives in Limehouse. He likes to draw, mostly things he creates in his head. He uses pastels. He likes to carve and build with wood. He likes making things with clay and painting. Simon attends St Francis of Assisi School and enjoys outside, climbing trees, playing soccer, volleyball and snowboarding.

Other Performers



Maggie Petru began writing fiction as an Acton High School student and continued throughout her journalist days covering Halton Region and Wellington County. While working for the Halton Hills Herald, the Guelph Daily Mercury, Canadian Press and finally The New Acton Tanner she was recognized by the Weekly Community Newspaper Association for excellence in agricultural writing and the Southwestern Ontario Daily Newspapers Association for investigative reporting. Her most recent award came from Crime Writers of Canada for a short murder mystery set on a farm near Acton.

Local Artist's Benefit Concert



Featuring: Marcel van Helden

Knox Presbyterian Church, Acton

Saturday January 14, 2017 7.00 p.m.