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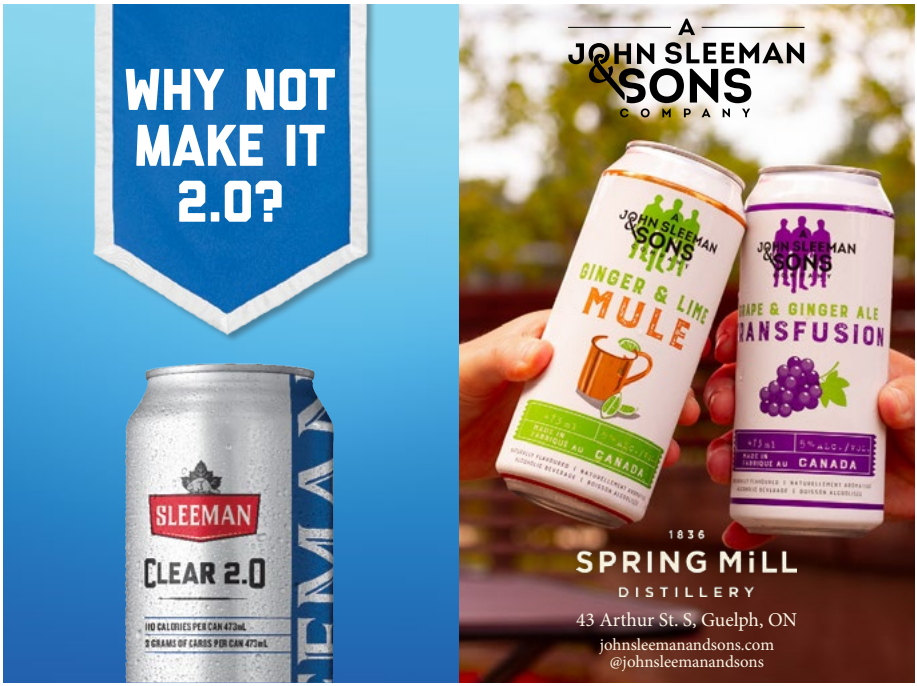
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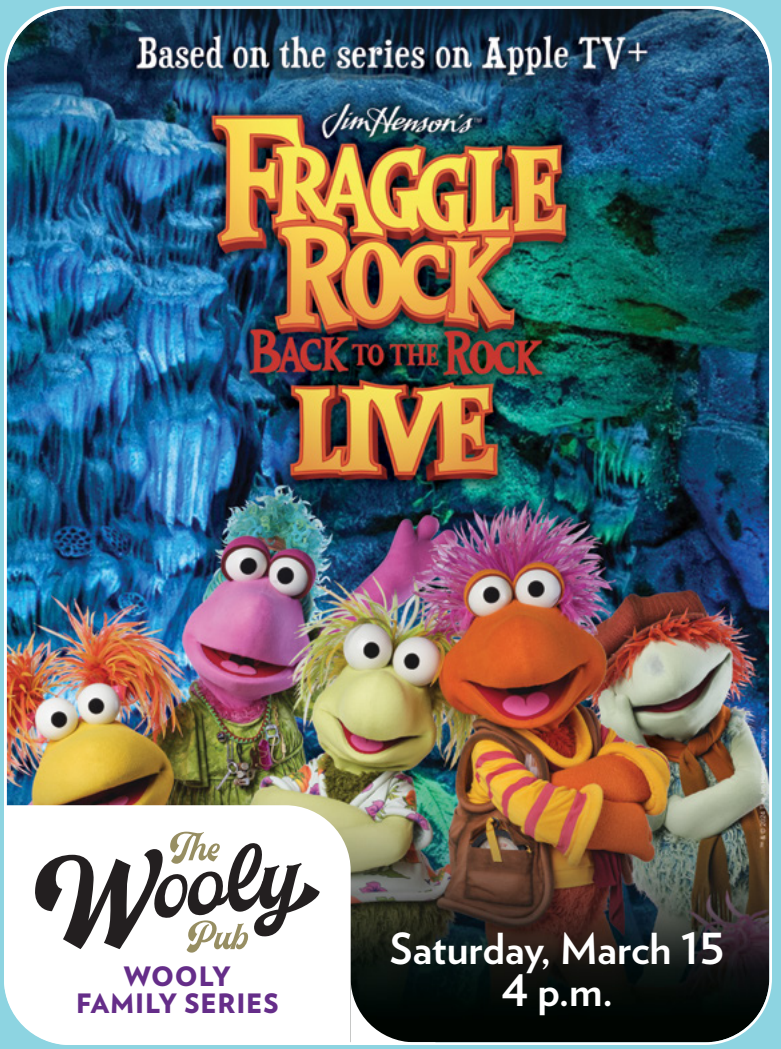

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Beloved Characters, Brand New Tech

Jim Henson's acclaimed Creature Shop brings back everyone's favourite Fraggles — and they are more lifelike than ever! The gang is all here, from Gobo, Red, Mokey, Wembley, and Boober Fraggle, to the Doozers, the Gorgs, and even some new fuzzy faces. Expect sophisticated, immersive special effects while these beloved characters explore exciting new caves and magic in Fraggle Rock.

What's the Story?

Join the Fraggles on an adventurous journey as they discover the legend of the Celebration Stone! This ancient Fraggle treasure has the power to bring everyone together for the greatest party of all time, but it was shattered and lost generations ago. Now, the Fraggles set off on an adventure to try to unite the lost pieces of the magical artifact. Can they succeed in their quest to bring the Celebration Stone back to Fraggle Rock? And along the way, will they find something even more memorable and heartfelt than they could have imagined?

Meet John Tartaglia, Writer/Director

This live show is written and directed by John Tartaglia, who has been involved in numerous renowned productions such as *Avenue Q*, *Shrek the Musical*, Stephen Schwartz's *The Secret Silk*, *Sesame Street*, and more. He executive produced and performed as Gobo Fraggle in the Emmy Award-winning Apple TV+ series, *Fraggle Rock: Back to the Rock*, and serves as The Jim Henson Company's Creative Supervisor for all things Fraggle Rock!

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DID YOU KNOW?

The executive music producer of this show is Harvey Mason Jr., an extremely distinguished producer and songwriter who has worked with artists including Aretha Franklin, Michael Jackson, Beyoncé, Whitney Houston, Justin Bieber, and Ariana Grande, among many, many others.

The Apple TV+ series, *Fraggle Rock: Back to the Rock*, currently has a 100% rating on Rotten Tomatoes.

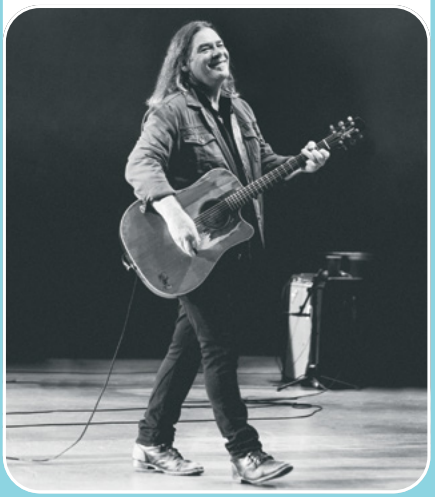
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Accessibility
River Run Centre is fully accessible for patrons and performers. Assistive Listening Devices are available at Coat Check (free). Access 2 Entertainment and CNIB cards are accepted at participating events; details on participating events' web pages. Please contact Box Office with questions or for accessible seating.

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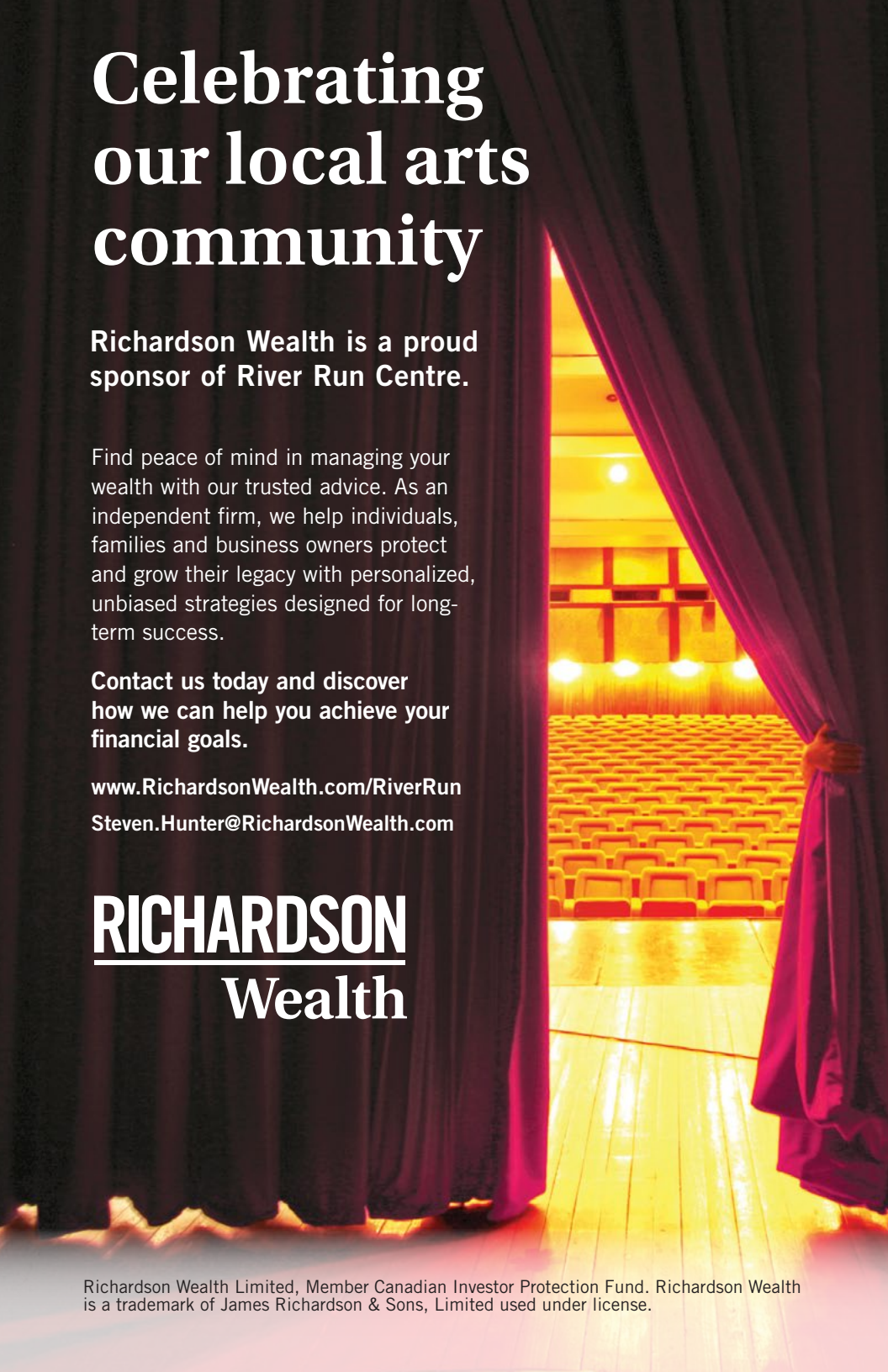
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