## CANADIAN ARTISTS ABROAD -CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Asia Pacific

DATE EVENT / PLACE DESCRIPTION		
<b>12/07/96</b> 21/07/96	La La La Human Steps Japan Tour Saitama Arts Theatre Saitama, <b>Japan</b>	LaLaLa performs two shows, "Infante - C'est Destroy" & "2".
<b>25/07/96</b> 09/08/96	Festival international du film de Melbourne divers endroits Melbourne, Australie	Le 45è Festival international du film de Melbourne présentera de nombreuses productions canadiennes.
<b>26/07/96</b> 05/08/96	Japan tour of the National Youth Orchestra of Canada International Youth Music Festival, Kumamoto/Tokyo/Osaka, Japan	Good luck to the NYO's first Japanese experience!
<b>27/07/96</b> 22/09/96	10th Biennale of Sydney Art Gallery of New South Wales, Powerhouse Museum and other venues, Sydney, Australia	International exhibition of contemporary art. Canadian artists represented include Stan Douglas & John Massey.
<b>02/08/96</b> 11/08/96	Brisbane International Film Festival multiple venues Brisbane, Australia	Brisbane's 5th Annual International Film Festival will feature several Canadian films.
<b>27/08/96</b> 01/12/96	Where is Canada? Musée d'art contemporain Sydney, Australie	Expositions des œuvres des canadiens Stan Douglas, Robert Houle, Ken Lum & Liz Magor.
<b>30/08/96</b> 08/09/96	Brisbane Writers' Festival multiple venues Brisbane, Australia	Canadian writer Karen Connelly (Touch the Dragon) is among the Canadian authors invited to the annual international writers' festival.
1 <b>2/09/96</b> 25/10/96	Exhibition "White on White" - Group Show of Canadian Ceramists The Embassy Gallery, Tokyo, <b>Japan</b>	Curated by the Canadian Clay and Glass Gallery of Waterlo. After the show in the gallery, this exhibition will tour China and eventually be in Hong Kong.
<b>10/96</b> 12/96	Cirque du Soleil Victoria Park, Île de Hong Kong Hong Kong	Présentation spéciale qui suit les 222 performances d'Alegria au White Theatre de Yoyogi Park, Tokyo, Japon, du 22/03/96 au 08/09/96.

## A TIRELESS TENOR: BENJAMIN BUTTERFIELD

Benjamin Butterfield, the young Canadian tenor who has everyone raving about his past recitals, opera performances and recordings, seems to be indefatigable. Upcoming engagements include a performance at the Carmel Bach Festival in California and roles like Alfred in Die Fledermaus with the Edmonton Opera and Don Ottavio in Don Giovanni with Toronto's Opera Atelier. Due for release on CDs are Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 and Haydn's Lord Nelson Mass with The American Classical Soloists (Koch International).

## CANADIAN RETROSPECTIVE AT THE SLOVAK INTERNATIONAL ART FILM FESTIVAL TRENCIANSKE TEPLICE

The National Film Board of Canada bas been invited to present a major collection of its films, both new productions and classics, at the International Art Film Festival Trencianske Teplice (Bratislava, Slovak Republic) which takes place June 21 to 27, 1996. For one day during this prestigeous artistic film festival, three of the festival's theatres will show exclusively NFB productions chosen from the NFB's vast collection of 50 years of Canadian cinema. Canada Day at the festival will also feature a Canadian cultural evening where Canadian artists will be received by their Slovak counterparts.