

GUIDE TO FOOD AND FUN

Ron Urban International Ice Show Entertains Audiences At Ghost Town

Dolores and Charles Younker were childhood sweethearts in Weatherly, Pennsylvania. In the sixth grade Charles began to carry Dolores' books home from school and carried her skates to a park pond where they met friends for hot dogs and marshmallows and happy spins on the ice. It was all for fun that they skated.

One day the Icecapades came to town and changed their lives.

The Younkners watched with fascination a type of skating called "adagio" -- an acrobatic form of skating both graceful and dangerous.

"We had the fantasy of doing it ourselves someday. We started working on it the day after," Younker said.

And so, the Younkners became professional ice skaters. This June they completed their 1000th performance for the Ron Urban International Ice Show, skating on the new ice rink at Ghost Town in the Sky at Maggie Valley.

Their 13-year old son Charles often performs with the company, making the audience laugh with the balloon sculptures he creates while skating.

There are seven other performers in

the four shows a day at Ghost Town, and two different shows each day. The other skaters include Renee Tesner, Megan Lopez, Jackie Farnese, Johanna Levitt, John Thorn, and Hugh and Eileen Busher.

In December, before coming to Ghost Town, the Ron Urban International Ice Show played for President Carter at the White House with Peggy Fleming.

The President, the Younkners said, congratulated them personally on their performance and joked with their son.

The shows at Ghost Town feature colorful, costumed skaters who make the audience gasp with their daring and grace and dissolve in laughter at their antics.

Ghost Town is located on US Highway 19 just west of I-40 near Maggie Valley, N.C.

Live entertainment and 20 different rides are all included in the admission price of \$7.95 for adults. Children four and under are admitted free. Season passes are available.

For more information call (704) 926-0256 or write Ghost Town in the Sky, PO Box 369, Maggie Valley, N.C. 28751.



DOLORES AND CHARLES YOUNKERS thrill audiences with their graceful, acrobatic skating. They perform for the Ron Urban International Ice Show, one of over 50 attractions at Ghost Town in the Sky, Maggie Valley, N.C.

BEFORE & AFTER by SELI GROVES

ALL MY CHILDREN — Palmer gave Sybil an ultimatum. Daisy and Myra concocted a plan for Daisy's hopefully blooming future. Upcoming: Brooke's discovery about Cobra raises even more problems for her. Donna makes a strange statement.

ANOTHER WORLD — Jamie was rushed to the hospital from a drug overdose given to him by Cecile. Sandy revealed in court that he was once a male prostitute. Upcoming: More than a bullet killed Jordan.

AS THE WORLD TURNS — John wavered between telling Sam Yee what the gentle psychiatrist already suspected was

true, or lying about the whole matter. Dr. Yee found a curious clue he hoped to pursue with John. Upcoming: Lyla wonders about her jealousy but tries to rationalize her mental dilemma.

THE DOCTORS — Kevin died in Nola's arms. The night watchman threatened to shoot her. So did Catherine. Mona found the two women together and questioned them. Catherine admitted she killed Jason and framed Nola. Upcoming: Mona makes new plans to run the hospital.

EDGE OF NIGHT — Raven worried about her gift to Sky. At Whitney

mansion she found photos of Sky and other young people taken in Switzerland; one of the people was Valerie Bryson. Upcoming: Jody turns up at the show. Deede impresses Calvin.

GENERAL HOSPITAL — Alex got the Ice Princess from Mrs. Lutz' apartment. Duvall planned to get out of town before Alex could find him. Hutch and Toby were still in danger. Upcoming: Edward discovers Alex' secret. Alan discovers that Monica discovered his secret.

GUIDING LIGHT — Morgan continued to feel anxious about her future with Kelly. Mike still hunted for the truth. Up-

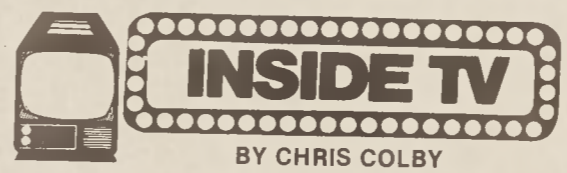
coming: Trish finds Andy's new life very interesting. Andy finds his wife very disturbing.

ONE LIFE TO LIVE — Asa managed to get over his original thought about how to handle Rafe and put him on probation instead. Bo Buchanan found himself admiring another lovely lady. Upcoming: Karen finds an old adversary turns into a new friend.

SEARCH FOR TOMORROW — Garth's strange moods continued to worry Cathy and her own sense of guilt over the baby custody battle began to overwhelm her. Upcoming: Liza and Travis find it difficult to accept the changes in their lives.

YOUNG & THE RESTLESS — The threat to Nikki's future appeared to become more ominous. Snapper felt cut adrift.

Upcoming: Greg takes a chance and makes that important phone call. Lori tries to explain things to Lance.

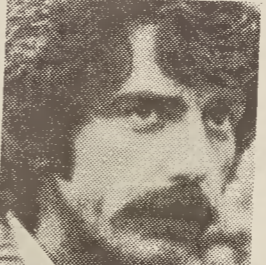


CLOSEUP — Harold Robbins' latest novel, "Goodbye Janette," has hit the best seller list and he can relax about that one. He is now planning to turn his "A Stone for Danny Fisher" into a miniseries. The book, which was published in 1952, was the basis for Elvis Presley's "King Creole." Robbins has bought back the rights... Susan Richardson of "Eight Is Enough" was one of the last to know the series was cancelled. Par for the course in Hollywood. Admitting it was a "big hurt," Susan says she's planning a singing career and is hoping for the best...

Sam Elliott will continue his role as Dr. John Hill when "Murder in Texas: Part II" starts filming. He is also set to star in the feature film, "Murder."

FOCUS — With no TV commitments at the moment, Redd Foxx, fresh from an unpleasant divorce, took off to the Caribbean and then to Canada... Tony Orlando, who's working on an upcoming TV special and appears regularly in Las Vegas, recently suffered a painfully inflamed achilles tendon but kept right on performing... Doris Roberts, who played the mother on ABC's now defunct "Angie" series, has been added to the cast of "Maggie." The ABC comedy, due to debut this fall, stars Miriam Flynn and Jane Hampton. It's about a middle class family in suburbia. Hmmmm. Doesn't sound too scintillating, does it?

FINE TUNING — Several of the "Hill Street Blues" cast members have hit the road during hiatus to travel for charitable and promotional appearances. Charles Haid (Officer Andy Renko) was guest of honor at the annual Elks Rodeo in Santa Maria, Calif. Michael Warren (Officer Bobby Hill) served as assistant emcee and Awards Presenter at Health Day ceremonies in Salinas, Calif., bestowing the "Heart and Sole" awards to the winners of the 5 and 10 kilometer races. James B. Sicking (Lt. Howard Hunter) played in the special Olympics baseball game at Las Vegas and then went to Minneapolis for a golf tourney to raise funds for convicts to complete their college education and Rene Enriquez traveled to New York, Philadelphia and New Orleans just to talk about the show... Ron Howard got the thrill of a lifetime when his star was added to Filmtown's famous Walk of Fame. Honored for his 25th anniversary in showbiz (Ron started when he was 2), his star is in front of the Paramount Theater on Hollywood Boulevard. This just happens to be where his first motion picture, "The Music Man," premiered when he was 6 years old.



ROCK TRACKS

If you're coming to New York this summer, one of the better rock bargains in town is the series of Dr. Pepper concerts. Tix are \$6.50 for general admission, available through Ticketron, and the concerts are held under the stars at Pier 84, 44th St. and 12th Ave. All headliners are preceded by opening acts. Snacks and soft drinks are available at moderate prices. Here's the schedule for July and August: 7/8 Santana; 7/10, Gary U.S. Bonds plus Robin Lane and the Chartbusters; 7/13 Emmylou Harris; 7/15 Stanley Clark; 7/18 Pointer Sisters; 7/27 Willie Nile with Roy Buchanan; 7/29 Rossington Collins; 8/3 and 4 Squeeze; 8/5 David Bromberg; 8/8 and 9 Pat Benatar; 8/14 Joan Jett; 8/17



Chuck Mangione; 8/29 The Ramones; 9/3 Bonnie Raitt; 9/8 Adam and the Ants; 9/11 Ian Hunter.

GREENVILLE MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM SCHEDULE OF ATTRACTIONS JULY 1981

- July 13 - Mid-Atlantic Wrestling at 8:15 P.M.
- July 20 - Mid-Atlantic Wrestling at 8:15 P.M.
- July 23 - AKC Dog Show - No Admission Charged - Greenville Kennel Club
- July 27 - Mid-Atlantic Wrestling at 8:15 P.M.
- July 31 - Chaka Kahn, Frankie Beverly & Maze R&B Concert at 8:00 P.M., Ltd. Adv. \$8.75 & G.A. \$9.75 (tax included) - Beach Club Booking, Inc.
- Coming Attractions - August, 1981
- Aug. 7 - Blackfoot and others at 8:00 P.M. - Beach Club Booking, Inc.

SOAP BUBBLES

By Seli Groves

A hearty welcome back to the soap scene for that super-fine actor, Donald May. He used to play Adam Drake on "The Edge of Night" before he went to Hollywood four years ago to make films and appear in several nighttime television series. "Texas" lassoed Donald and brought him back to play a new character on that exciting show. Donald portrays Grant Wheeler, a shrewd, sexy, wealthy horsebreeder with a shrewd, sexy and obviously very healthy daughter named Lacey (played by Linda Barnstone) who is going to cut quite a swath with the swains in "Texas."

Stalking the Stork — and this time we got the bird on the "One Life to Live" set. Erica Slezak (Vicki) expects her second child at the end of the year and will be taking several months off before she gives birth... Another little stork tells me that Kathleen Cullen's baby (Amanda, "Guiding Light"), due at the end of July, is actually expected on the same day her law-student husband takes his bar exam. As though the poor guy didn't have enough to worry about.

Cast-A weighs — Michael Storm and Andrea Evans-Massey (Larry and Tina, "One Life to Live") have resigned their contracts for at least another two years... Teenage model and actress Cusi Cram plays Cassie Callison, niece of Herb Callison (Anthony Call) on "One Life to Live." Her great granddad was a Canadian media genius who established a newspaper empire in Great Britain... Mitch Litrofski plays the newly returned Tom Bergman on "Search for Tomorrow," and "General Hospital" has added seven actors to the cast. Some or none may survive the 13-week contract period cut... Mariann Aalda (Deede Bannister, "Edge of Night") comes on the scene as a young, beautiful lawyer who knows how to do more than file legal briefs.

Cupid's Corner — Are David Hasselhoff (Snapper, "Young & Restless") and Roberta Leighton, his ex-roommate and ex-castmate (Casey) dating again?

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