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Trudeau Stories: an engaging encounter with two memorable personalities, not to be missed!

Critically acclaimed memoir comes to Saint John Theatre Company stage February 14-16

SAINT JOHN – When award winning writer and performer Brooke Johnson was asked about her raving production **Trudeau Stories** she said, “... everything in the play is true!” Brooke goes on to add “... the thickest memories are centred in the latter part of the 1980’s in Quebec, and have been culled from remembered days and conversations, from verbatim journal entries in old notebooks and from scribblings on napkins, cardboard coasters and paper place-mats. As for the letters in the play, the ones that were sent by me are read from rough drafts that I have kept through the years...”



Trudeau Stories is a private insight into the man and the times as seen through the eyes of a passionate artist. At once vital and charming; poignant and very funny, **Trudeau Stories** is about friendship and loss...and about who the heck we think we are. The show will run for three evening performances (February 14-16) at the BMO Rehearsal Hall, 112 Princess Street.

Trudeau Stories is part of the Saint John Theatre Company’s Presentation Series in which critically acclaimed guest artists are invited to perform for Saint John audiences. Funding from BMO Financial Group and the Province of New Brunswick have made this successful series possible for the last two seasons.

The Presentation Series was initiated to offer Saint John audiences more variety, a different atmosphere and an edgy perspective on live theatre. “One of the reasons for the existence of the Professional Presentation Series is to create an opportunity for our volunteers – those who are the most interested in theatre production – to see other styles of theatre,” notes Stephen Tobias, SJTC Artistic Director. “Saint John is a small market without access to a lot of different theatre. Unless

one regularly travels, it’s hard to see different kinds of work.”

Trudeau Stories tickets are on sale now by calling 652-7582 or visit: www.ticketpro.ca

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