

The Nancy News

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“Up and Coming News from Nancy Cartwright”

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“Festival Team:” (1 to r) Peter Kjenaas, Rose Goss, Nancy, Adam and Marshall Cordell

Having recently returned from a 4-week stint at the Edinburgh Fringe Festival, I have an enlightened perspective of what it means to commit to a project and how that commitment influences others.

The main difference in performing live and performing behind a mike is the vulnerability one feels. A dear friend told me that stage fright is simply what you get when you don't perform enough in front of an audience. The only antidote for this is to do more! As the clock was ticking we only had enough time to do the show for about a dozen people; pretty intense—going from 12 to 630 on opening night! Yeooooowie! That's one way to get over stage fright!

I had plenty of time between shows to see inspiring theater. Companies originating in South Africa, Belfast and Japan were there to entertain. I wore myself out “show jumping” from one venue to another.

The entire trip was an absolute treat, to travel the world and make people laugh at the same time. There is no question, artists influence the aesthetics of the culture, and without artists we would still be in caves. So, keep challenging yourself in whatever venue that may be, for you, the artists, are the ones who can make a difference!

And one more thing: I would like to thank my team who helped make this dream come true. Thank you!

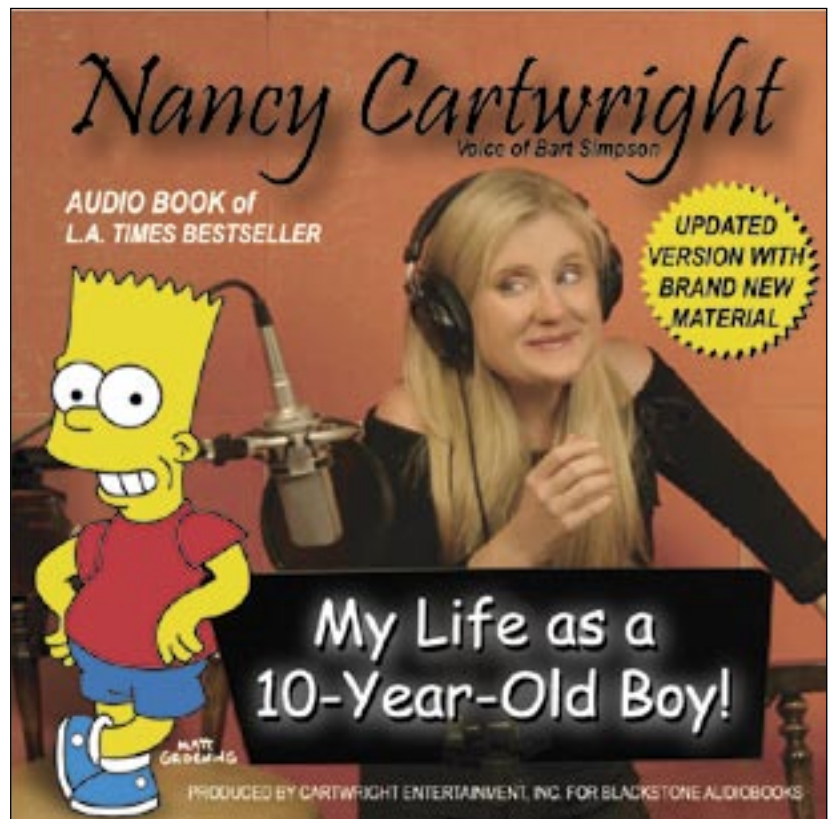
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PIXAR LIVE!

Nancy recently visited the staff at Pixar Studios. Director Andrew “Finding Nemo” Stanton was a gracious host, taking Nancy, assistant Janelle Hynes and agent Marcia Hurwitz (Innovative Artists) on a tour of the studio. Nancy said, “Pixar creates a positive message for all ages and is a center for revitalizing the art form itself.”



John Lassitar and Andrew Stanton



AUDIO BOOK OFFER!

The audio version of *My Life as a 10-Year-Old Boy* is now available! This revision of the best-selling book of the same name features Nancy reading her entire behind-the-scenes-at-*The Simpsons* book. Go to: www.nancycartwright.com and follow the instructions on the site for a discount on autographed copies!



SCOTLAND SELL OUTS!

The premiere run of Nancy's one-woman-show, *My Life as a 10-Year-Old Boy*, played throughout the month of August to capacity audiences at the Edinburgh Fringe Festival. The Assembly Rooms hosted the show in their premium venue, The Music Hall, which seats over 600.

< **The block-long line ran down George Street, around the corner and down the hill.**

FANTASTIC MEDIA

The television, radio and press coverage that lead up to the launch of the show generated a real buzz with a whirlwind of positive stories. Nancy appeared on several national and regional programs, including the BBC.



FANS OF ALL AGES!

Hundreds of fans mobbed Nancy in the street requesting autographs and she did her best to oblige by giving special cards directing them to visit her website to get an autographed 8x10 of their choice.

< **Kids pose with Nancy at The Simpsons Memorial Maternity Ward.**

THANK YOU, EDINBURGH

"I love Scotland and the people," said Nancy. "I can't wait to go back." Nancy sends a big "Cheers!" to all that made this extraordinary experience possible and hopes to return soon.

At the Simpsons Maternity Unit with one of its newest residents! >





FAREWELLS AND WELCOMES

All of us at Cartwright Entertainment bid a very fond farewell to Jared Bentley who has moved on after three years with the company. He is now editing full time and we wish him the best and know that we'll be hounding him soon to do some freelance work for us.

In turn, we offer a greeting to our newest team member, Adam Steele (human pictured above with our mascot, Buddy). Adam, an aspiring writer, is a great addition to our production staff.

JUST LIKE NEW!

For those of you who have witnessed some of the upgrades and transformations to our conference room as well as the addition of our audio studio, you will be pleased to know that our "Admin Central" (also known as our conference room) has been given an extraordinary makeover.

Gabo, Estates In-Charge, has accomplished no small miracle in transforming a room that had, shall we say, lost its luster, into a showpiece. From the classy fresh paint job, to the sleek new blinds and all the way down to the cushy berber carpets the eye is delighted.

It's a joy to walk in and see Janelle hoisting a triple espresso and Adam looking so at home. Without all those filing cabinets, elbow-room abounds!

CARTWRIGHT ENTERTAINMENT WINS

For the second year CE has won the Model of Admin Know-How Award. This award is given to companies that operate using the simple and effective precepts of organization developed by humanitarian, L. Ron Hubbard.

Staff members of Cartwright Entertainment, Janelle Hynes, Karl Wade and Gabo attended the gala event in Universal City on August 6th.

Nancy was unable to attend as she was in Edinburgh doing her show, but she sent a recorded message that was well received by an enthusiastic crowd.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS

- **Metropolitan Toronto Convention Center.** Nancy will be doing two performances of her one woman show, *My Life as a 10-Year-Old Boy* on Saturday October 16th. For more info, please go to www.SimpsonsMania.com.
- Nancy delivers a lecture at Texas Tech University in Lubbock, TX on November 11 at 8:00 pm.
- New Season of The Simpsons begins this Fall on FOX.
- Rugrats "All Grown Up" can be seen afternoons on Nickelodeon.
- "Kim Possible" can be seen on Disney Channels throughout the Fall and there will be a DVD release in December.

CONTEST-FUN-PRIZES!

Okay, fans, what is the caption for this picture? The person with the catchiest phrase will win something **totally cool!** Just address your answer to the Cartoon Contest at: fanmail@thenancyshow.com and please include your mailing address. Or mail your entry to our return address above. Go to www.appliedsilliness.com for more great works by this gifted artist, Jim Meskimen.

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“SHEEE’S BAAAAACK!!”

Dear Fans... Thanks for the great response to cartoon contest number 3. The caption winner is: **Billy Weathersby** of Camilla, Georgia. “You go, Billy!”

Honorable Mentions go to:

- “Hey Mary! I need a price check! Bart Simpson wants to buy a dress!” **Lisette Gonzalez**, Fairfield, CA
- “Hey Joe, do they REALLY issue credit cards to blondes?” **Ed Goss**, Glendale, CA
- “I just unloaded your Grandmother’s dress.” **Dennis Laughlin**, Brantford, Ontario