

It was a Zoo at the Genies

TORONTO—It was an unprecedented sweep for *Un Zoo la nuit* as the feature won 13 of 14 categories in which it was nominated at the 1988 Genie Awards, March 22. The awards ceremony took place at Toronto's Convention Centre and was broadcast on the national CBC network.

A special merit award was given to Norman Jewison during the evening, underlining his commitment to Canadian film and his pivotal role in the founding of the Canadian Centre for Advanced Film Studies.

The hero of the evening was, however, Rock Demers who received the Air Canada Award for Outstanding Contribution to the Business of Filmmaking in Canada and brought the industry crowd to its feet with a rousing condemnation of the federal government's priorities. He called for more attention to be paid to the creators of films and programs, and less to the instruments of war.

The awards presented are as follows:

BEST MOTION PICTURE

UNZOO LA NUIT - p. Roger Frappier, Pierre Gendron

BEST PERFORMANCE BY AN ACTOR IN A LEADING ROLE

ROGER LEBEL - *Un Zoo la nuit*

BEST PERFORMANCE BY AN ACTRESS IN A LEADING ROLE

SHEILA MCCARTHY - *I've Heard the Mermaids Singing*

BEST PERFORMANCE BY AN ACTOR IN A SUPPORTING ROLE

GERMAIN HOUDE - *Un Zoo la nuit*

BEST PERFORMANCE BY AN ACTRESS IN A SUPPORTING ROLE

PAULE BAILLARGEON - *I've Heard the Mermaids Singing*

BEST ACHIEVEMENT IN DIRECTION

JEAN-CLAUDE LAUZON - *Un Zoo la nuit*

BEST ACHIEVEMENT IN CINEMATOGRAPHY

GUY DUFAUX - *Un Zoo la nuit*

BEST ACHIEVEMENT IN ART DIRECTION

JEAN-BAPTISTE TARD - *Un Zoo la nuit*

BEST ACHIEVEMENT IN FILM EDITING

MICHEL ARCAND - *Un Zoo la nuit*

BEST ACHIEVEMENT IN COSTUME DESIGN

ANDREE MORIN - *Un Zoo la nuit*

BEST MUSIC SCORE

JEAN CORRIVEAU - *Un Zoo la nuit*

BEST ORIGINAL SONG

ROBERT STANLEY, JEAN CORRIVEAU, DANIEL DE SHAIMES, JEAN-PIERRE BONIN - "Lost in a Hurricane", *Un Zoo la nuit*

BEST ACHIEVEMENT IN OVERALL SOUND

YVON BENOIT, HANS-PETER STROBL, ADRIAN CROLL - *Un Zoo la nuit*

BEST ACHIEVEMENT IN SOUND EDITING

MARCEL POTHIER, DIANE BOUCHER, VIATEUR PAIEMENT - *Un Zoo la nuit*

BEST SCREENPLAY

APRIL JEAN-CLAUDE LAUZON - *Un Zoo la nuit*

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TVO airs AIDS education programs

TORONTO—While the Canadian Association of Broadcasters is finding it difficult to get some

stations and networks across the country to air its AIDS awareness announcements, TV Ontario has launched its own comprehensive "Education About AIDS Project", which includes a series of programs about the disease.

TVO, the province's publicly funded education channel, will devote the week of April 17-23, Education Week, to informing parents and teachers about acquired immune deficiency syndrome. Three 25-minute programs, aimed at elementary teachers, secondary teachers, and parents, will be broadcast.

The two programs directed at teachers will

outline strategies for educating students about AIDS, while the parents' program will stress the need for AIDS education in the schools. A phone-in show will follow this program on April 20.

TVO is also collaborating with Ontario's ministries of Health and Education in implementing their AIDS education projects. It has recruited several teachers from around the province who will be trained to provide AIDS education workshops and videos to all of the province's schools.