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Dear Sue,

Many thanks for your help in co-ordinating arrangements for us to film at the Queen-Saulter Branch of the Toronto Public Library. The afternoon we filmed there went very smoothly. The location was ideally suited to our needs and the scene we shot there looks terrific on film.

Please pass on a big "thank you" to your staff as well. Their co-operation and willingness to assist us was greatly appreciated.

As you probably know, it will take a few months for the film to be edited and completed. We will keep in touch as work progresses and let you know when "Martin Needs A Sitter" is ready for screening.

With best wishes.

PLAYING WITH TIME INC.

Sari Friedland Production Manager

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DEGRASSI

THE KIDS OF DEGRASSI STREET

A Television Series For Children

#### THE KIDS

#### OF DEGRASSI

#### STREET

#### I IDA MAKES A MOVIE

Ida's boredom disappears when she hears about a film-making contest for kids. Enlisting the help of her friend Cookie and her brother Fred, Ida makes a movie about pollution. Their movie wins the contest - but for the wrong reason! The judges think that it is about war and its effect on children. Should Ida accept the award? This is her decision.

#### II COOKIE GOES TO HOSPITAL

Ida and Noel's loyalty is put to the test when their clubmate and sworn bloodsister, Cookie, is taken to the hospital with appendicitis. They must overcome their fear of hospitals and a regulation prohibiting visitors under twelve in order to bring Cookie her doll in this, her time of need.

#### III <u>IRENE MOVES IN</u>

Ida decides that she doesn't like that new girl and is jealous when her pal Cookie and the new girl become fast friends. President Ida is firm: No, Irene can't join the club. Then they hear it—Big Foot is on the loose! The three of them must stand united or risk falling prey to Big Foot's appetite for young human beans.

Currently in Pre-Production:

#### IV BRADLEY BUYS A SUIT

Brad's father is re-marrying and Brad needs a new suit for the wedding. His unconventional choice threatens to mar the proceedings, and Brad fears that his clubmates may have been right about stepmothers. Will she send him away?

#### Now In Development:

SOPHIE MINDS THE STORE LISA MAKES THE HEADLINES NOEL BUILDS A PLATFORM ADAM STRIKES OUT

#### THE KIDS

Ida . . . . . Zoe Newman

Cookie . . . Dawn Harrison

Noel . . . Peter Duckworth-Pilkington II

Fred . . . . Allan Meiusi

Irene . . . . . Nancy Lam

WITH

Edna Sternbach as Mrs. Lucas

#### AND

Elwy Yost, Sue A'Court, Phil Williams, Annette Tilden, Lewis Manne, Clem Marshall, Cleo Marlatt, Fenna Hood, Ling Ng, and the students of Blake Street School.

#### THE KIDS OF DEGRASSI STREET

A Series for Children

Events from the daily lives of the "kids of Degrassi" are dramatized. Important issues concerning children as they grow and learn about themselves and others are explored in the lively variety of situations that require the kids to make decisions and solve their own problems.

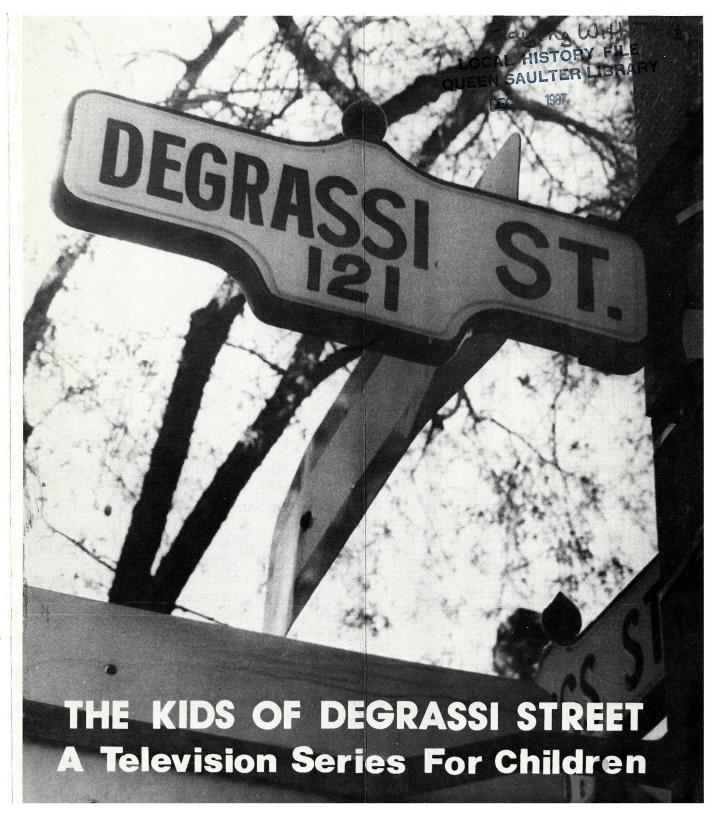
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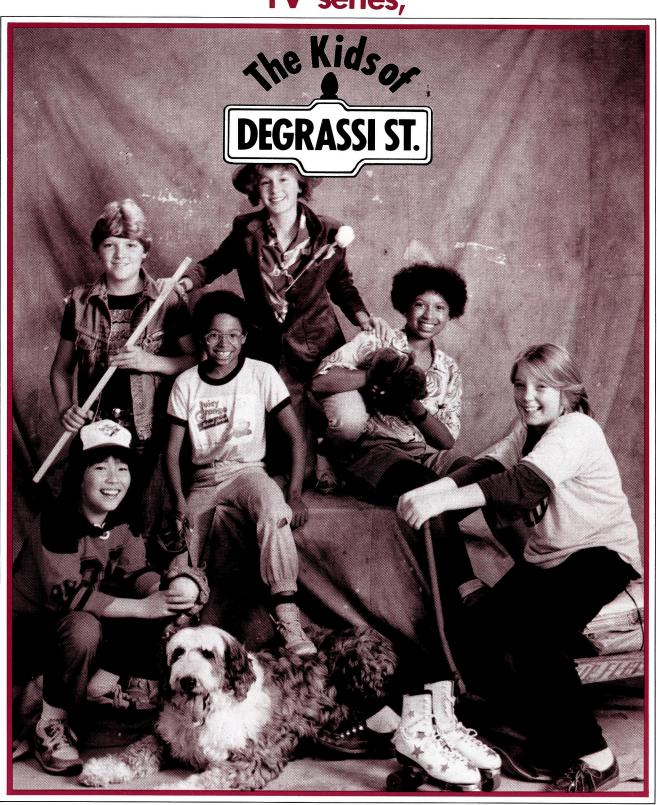


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### **ABOUT THE AUTHORS**

Linda Schuyler, a former public school teacher, and Kit Hood, a writer and former child actor, began their film production company, Playing With Time Inc., in 1976. The company first produced documentaries for use in the classroom, but Schuyler and Hood soon decided that their real interest was in dramatic films. Since that time, they have produced and directed 26 episodes of

The Kids of Degrassi Street, and the company has gained an international reputation for producing high quality, award-winning films for and about children.

In her spare time, Linda Schuyler relaxes on the tennis court, and dabbles in real estate and home renovations. Kit Hood loves to sail, and dreams of taking off on an extended voyage accompanied only by a couple of cats. Eve Jennings is an established writer of children's books who has followed the adventures of The Kids of Degrassi Street since the very first episode.

The talents of these people, who share a variety of skills and a genuine concern for kids, have been effectively combined to capture the gentle humour of the Degrassi Street characters and situations in these stories.

For more information contact Michael Connolly, publicity and promotion manager.

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