



For Immediate Release  
Pour distribution immédiate  
February 28, 2001

## Media Release / Communiqué

### TVO KIDS GISELE AND JULIE 2 AT SCIENCE NORTH THIS SATURDAY

---

Popular TVO Kids Gisèle and Julie 2 will visit Science North this Saturday, March 3, to launch National Engineering Week. The TVO Kids hosts will emcee a special multimedia stage show in the Science North INCO Cavern from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. An autograph session will follow in the main lobby of Science North, from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m.

The "Engineering Blast-off Show" in the INCO Cavern will feature Canadian contributions to space exploration through the fascinating science of engineering. Fans will be treated to a sneak preview of new episodes of "Engineers are Everyday Heroes" for broadcast on the TVO Kids Crawlspace and live demonstrations of amazing Canadian space technology.

Joining Gisèle and Julie 2 for the "Engineering Blast-off Show" are Luigi Cotesta of Laurentian University with a demonstration of ground penetrating radar, Dr. Greg Baiden of INCO Ltd. with telemining and Ross Gillet of MD Robotics with space robotics. Admission to the show is \$13 for adults and \$10 for children ages 12 and under. Science North Members and children age 2 and under are admitted free of charge.

Admission includes a special "Engineering Heroes" K'NEX Workshop in the Science Centre. Join in the fun of building a K'NEX space station, space shuttle or Canadarm with the help of local engineers and Science North staff. Special K'NEX workshops will be offered Saturday and Sunday, March 3 and 4 and every day through March Break, March 10 to 18. Participants will be entered in a draw for six K'NEX "moon rover" kits.

Tickets to the "Engineering Blast-off" INCO Cavern show are limited to the first 250 visitors. Please arrive early to avoid disappointment. Tickets go on sale at 10 a.m. Doors to the INCO Cavern open at 1:30 p.m.

Following the stage show, Gisèle and Julie 2 will sign autographs from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. in the main lobby of Science North. There is no charge for this autograph session but line-ups may be long. Please arrive early to avoid disappointment.

For more information about the TVO Kids and National Engineering Week, call Science North at 522-3700.

Media contact:  
Pat McCauley, Communications,  
Science North, 522-3701, ext. 239.

100 Ramsey Lake Road, Sudbury ON P3E 5S9 • Tel: (705) 523-4629 or 1-800-461-4898  
Fax: (705) 522-4954 • General Inquiries • [contactus@sciencenorth.ca](mailto:contactus@sciencenorth.ca)