

**BERNIE LANGILLE WANTS TO KNOW...**

**WHO KILLED BERNIE LANGILLE.**

"...layers upon layers...a dark fairytale..." Frameline

"...3 out of 4 stars...an engaging and very well made true crime story..." Onemovieourviews.com



***Bernie Langille Wants to Know...Who Killed Bernie Langille*** is a short documentary about the mysterious 1968 death of a military electrician - and the grandson who is trying to investigate what happened to the man he never met and who he's named after. Through the use of historically-researched and specially-built miniature sets, we are able to travel back to 1968 and gain access to a military base, as Bernie tries to put together the pieces of his bizarre family narrative. **The documentary premiered to great reviews at this year's Hot Docs and is currently on the film festival circuit. It will air on Bravo in 2019.**



**DIRECTOR' BIO:**

Jackie Torrens is a writer, actor, director and documentary filmmaker known for her strong visual style, empathetic portrayal of her subjects, and a keen appreciation for the offbeat. With producer Jessica Brown, Torrens is one half of Peep Media. Since 2012, they have completed four television documentaries which include: ***Small Town Show Biz: 2 Dreams from a Harbortown*** (CBC, Documentary Channel), ***Edge of East*** (CBC, Documentary Channel; Screen Nova Scotia Award nominee for Best Documentary), ***My Week on Welfare*** (CBC, Documentary Channel, Screen Nova Scotia Award nominee Best Documentary) and ***Bernie Langille Wants to Know... Who Killed Bernie Langille*** (BravoFACTUAL). Torrens has also directed two documentaries for Tell Tale Productions, ***Free Reins*** (CBC POV Docs) and the upcoming feature ***Radical Age*** (Vision). She

has been nominated for Best Actress at the Canadian Screen Awards for her acting work in Thom Fitzgerald's mini-series ***Sex and Violence***. Her radio documentary ***The Poet Youth Now*** won an Atlantic Journalism award and her radio documentary ***Camp Mini Ha Ha*** won a CBC Award of Excellence.

## **PRODUCER'S BIO:**

Jessica Brown has been working in the film and television industry since 2003. In 2012 she incorporated Peep Media Inc. with award winning Writer/Director Jackie Torrens. Since 2012, they have completed four television documentaries which include: ***Small Town Show Biz: 2 Dreams from a Harbortown*** (CBC, Documentary Channel), ***Edge of East*** (CBC, Documentary Channel; Screen Nova Scotia Award nominee for Best Documentary),



***My Week on Welfare*** (CBC, Documentary Channel, Screen Nova Scotia Award nominee Best Documentary) and ***Bernie Langille Wants to Know... Who Killed Bernie Langille*** (BravoFACTUAL). Brown also produces in the scripted world, and works as Field Producer for CBC's ***This Hour Has 22 Minutes***; she produced the low budget feature film ***Noon Gun***; the short films ***My Younger Older Sister*** and ***The Toll***, the short film/digital media project ***Hidden Window***; as well as line producing the feature film ***Bunker 6***, and producing the television series for Shaw Media ***TV with TV's Jonathan Torrens*** (Gemini Award nominee- Best Host). In 2008 she produced her first feature length documentary film ***Chasing Wild Horses*** (BRAVO, CBC, OASIS HD), which has screened around the world, and has won awards at the New York International Independent Film Festival- Best International Documentary), and Worldfest Houston (Platinum Remy Award).

## **Praise for Peep Media Work:**

For *Edge of East*:

**"...bizarre, funny, incredible moving...."** - Shameless Magazine

**"...wholly unexpected. Fresh, funny and cool."** - Ed MacDonald, writer Hatching, Matching and Dispatching

For *My Week on Welfare*:

**"I'm watching My Week on Welfare right now...an important, personal look inside the system."** - Graham Steele, CBC analyst

**"...crushes stereotypes...potent storytelling...an important piece of Nova Scotia journalism."** - Hank Van Leeuwen, CEO Easter Seals

For *Small Town Show Biz*:



**“...honest, unvarnished, charming...”** The Coast, Halifax

**“A wonderful film, beautifully told...”** C100, Halifax

**About Peep Media Inc.:**

Peep Media is an exciting and innovative production company spearheaded by producer Jessica Brown and director/writer Jackie Torrens. Intertwining Jessica Brown’s strong background in producing documentary, factual and scripted programming with Jackie Torrens’ award-winning story-writing, acting and documentaries, Peep Media Inc. is an original company with a mission to bring intelligent and unexpected factual content to Canadian and international audiences.

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