



STAGE WHISPER

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TRINITY THEATRE NEWSLETTER

May 2015

Trinity Theatre, Cowes
Community
Quiz
in aid of

ISLE OF WIGHT



SOCIETY FOR THE
BLIND

SAT. 9TH MAY
AT 7:30PM

Teams of 4, £2.50 per person.

Raffle. Loads of Fun.

Licensed Bar. Everyone Welcome.

To reserve a table,
email publicity@caods.org.uk. Or
Call or text 01983295229.

President's Notes

Can you believe that its almost time for the AGM, these first ten months have flown by, and as always I am so grateful to all of you who have encouraged me when I'm feeling overwhelmed by the range of issues , which fall to a president.I hope I have achieved some positives this year.

The theatre is certainly getting busier, although it may just be my imagination. However, rehearsals for two shows taking place simultaneously indicates something is happening. Since the last issue , we've hosted a 50th birthday party, (major thank you to Janet and Alex for the bar on a very fruitful evening,and by the time this has gone to print we will have had a hiring , bringing several groups into the theatre to perform, and like I always say its a team effort so thanks to all of you who missed out on sitting at home watching *Britain's Got Talent* to help run the theatre in some way.

Word is starting to filter through that our social secretaries will not be re standing this year, so if anybody fancies the task of organising some fun events please step forward. Again big thanks to Helen, Angela, and John for all your ideas time and planning, my favourite was definitely the plays and puddings but not necessarily in that order.(However that was before my diet which to date sees me 12.5lbs lighter)

Finally I must thank Andy Kay who has till now been editing the stage whisper, but due to work commitments has had to pass the keypad (albeit temporarily) over to John, once again if their are any aspiring editors out there..Hellooooooooooooo. Always looking to give people something to read , we will hopefully be utilising our archives to remember shows of bygone years and see if we can create some nostalgic reminiscences!! so watch this space

Anyway, That's me done for this month, so take care, and hopefully see you around the theatre soon , or at least at *Wind in the Willows* (due on stage before the next issue)

Mike

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Annual General Meeting

Tuesday June 9th at 7:30pm

Come along and have a say in how your theatre group is run or put yourself forward to stand on the committee. The success of the society relies on members standing and being effective committee members. Why not give it a go. All members welcome.

For those new to the way the society's AGM works, here are a few pointers.

- All officers and committee members stand down each year so all posts are vacant and are voted on at the AGM. Feel free to stand for any post you'd like to.
- All members are entitled to stand for any elected post, but must be proposed and seconded before the AGM starts.
- Only paid up current members may vote at the AGM. The membership secretary will be taking payments before the meeting for the subscriptions, so you can pay before the AGM starts and be able to vote.
- The posts up for election for general committee are president, secretary, treasurer, drama coordinator, musical coordinator, technical manager, front of house manager, buildings manager, membership secretary, social secretary, stage director, marketing manager & four general committee members.

If you have any questions about the AGM or the committee posts, please contact Mike on 07766410419.

Dates for your diary

Date	Event
Thursday 7th May at 7:30pm	Committee Meeting
Saturday 9th May at 7:30pm	<i>Community Quiz</i>
Monday 30th May 7:30pm	IWSC present <i>Henry IV</i>
June 5 at 7:30pm June 6,7 at 2:30pm	<i>The Wind in the Willows</i>
Tuesday 9th June at 7:30pm	Annual General Meeting
June 19 at 7:30pm June 20,21 at 2:30pm	<i>The Wind in the Willows</i>
July 15-18 at 7:30pm	<i>Stepping Out</i>

Stage Whisper - June Edition

All members are welcome to contribute to Stage Whisper. Please send entries for the next edition to stagewhisper@caods.org.uk. with attachments if necessary by **Sunday 24th May**.

Treasurer's Report



Glad to report a bit more action, especially on the income front. The Spring Fayre again made an important contribution to funds making a net profit of £580. Thanks to everyone involved. The one act plays also made a surplus of £421 and we have also done well with fees and bar sales from a couple of recent hires. We have finally received an electricity bill for the last six months of £1100.

The accounts for the year 14-15 have been completed and are with the auditor at present. These will be sent out with the AGM notice.

So keep supporting the theatre activities and don't forget subs for next year are due on 1/5/15.

John

HIRE YOUR THEATRE...

You can hire the auditorium or clubroom:

Theatre:

- 199 seats
- Social area
- Bar
- Stage Lighting
- Performance Sound System
- Hearing Loop

Clubroom:

- 100 capacity
- Bar
- Meeting/Function/
Rehearsal Room
- Kitchen

For more information, contact secretary@caods.org.uk

So What is an Actor?

"My only regret in the theatre is that I could never sit out front and watch me."
John Barrymore

"Acting is all about honesty. If you can fake that, you've got it made."
George Burns

"All actors are cattle. Actually, all actors are not cattle, but should be treated as such."
Alfred Hitchcock

"Acting is merely the art of keeping a large group of people from coughing."
Ralph Richardson

"You can recognise Actors by the glazed look that comes into their eyes when the conversation wanders away from themselves."
Michael Wilding

Keep in Touch



Website www.caods.org.uk Information about the society, events calendar and online ticket booking.



Facebook Group Trinity Theatre: Information on events and messages.

Facebook Page Trinity Theatre: Information on events, ticket booking and access to the website.



Twitter Follow us @Trinity_Theatre.



Emails about events are sent out. If you would like to be added to the list send an Email to info@caods.org.uk

Toad, Ratty & Mole need some help to
find props for
THE WIND IN THE WILLOWS .

Please contact
Dinah 291459 or Becky 07557 962360
if you are able to help with any items on the list
below.

“Home Sweet Home” embroidery picture in a
frame

Lots of hanging plastic ivy

1 wing chair

Old wooden small stepladder (not to be stood
on)

Old fashioned brocade fringed tablecloth

Brown workman’s apron

Old fashioned megaphone

Birdcage with bird

Old fashioned car horn

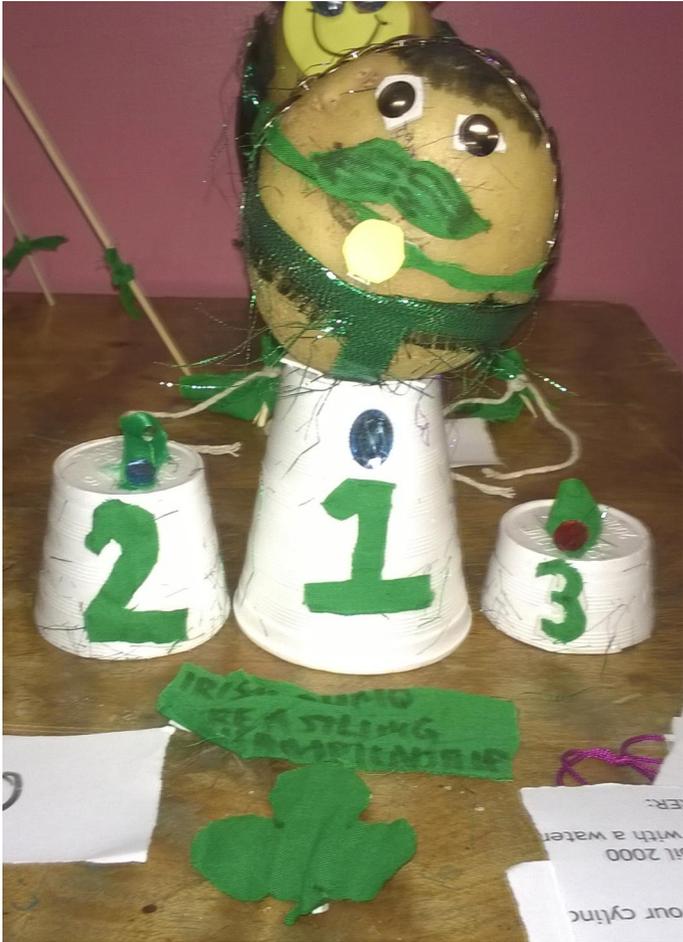
Old fashioned gun

Old blanket

Cricket bat and silver cup

2 lamps

And the Winner is.....



Here is the winner of the 'Dress the Murphy' competition at the St. Patrick's Party which triumphed over a strong field of entries.

Well done!