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STAGE WHISPER

TRINITY THEATRE NEWSLETTER

SEPTEMBER 2019

DRAMA COMMITTEE NOTICE



We are looking to plan the next year in our theatre and possibly beyond.

If you have a play you would like to direct, would like to offer a play for somebody else to direct, would like to direct but are not sure what or have an idea that you think would interest other members please contact me on the email address below. I look forward to hearing from you very soon.

Regards

Paul Stevens (drama coordinator)

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Dear Members,

Well, after a slightly quieter period during August, the theatre is now back in action and is buzzing again. The panto is rehearsing on Mondays and Fridays with a full compliment of cast and chorus, although they would like a couple of men for the chorus, so if you would like some fun please contact Daphne on 07900 507073 or go along to rehearsal night.

Read thru and auditions were held for 'Wife After Death' - see a report in this Stage Whisper.

There have been several requests for outside hires - exciting ventures. Watch this space! We do have Fusion Arts Dance School holding dance shows on October 12 and 13. Work nights continue on Wednesdays and they are currently planning the scenery and props for the panto so if you can give any help, it would be much appreciated, even if it's only for one night!

I'm sorry I keep harping on about "HELP" but honestly without it the theatre will grind to a halt and as members I'm sure you wouldn't want that!

Don't forget Coffee Morning on October 5th at 10 a.m. See you there!

Dinah

W A N T E D

Bar Manager/Managers

Our Bar Manager has departed for distant shores and we urgently need a new Bar Manager or Managers - 2 or even 3. The post can be shared and need not be onerous. It does not mean that you would have to man the bar every time it is needed. We do have some volunteers but it is always helpful to get more people to help.

I would like to remind members that the bar is one of our biggest money earners and can be fun! Please come forward and give it a go.

URGENT

We do actually need volunteers to run the bar on Tuesday November 12 and again on Tuesday December 10 for events to be held by The Foresters. Please let me know if you will help.

Thank you.

Dinah - 291459 or 07876 021194

Stage Whisper—Editorial

Production news and several social dates for your diary feature in this issue of Stage Whisper. There is also an appeal for people to take on the role of bar manager—a vital role, but one that can be shared. We have two productions listed and need directors to come forward so that we can plan ahead.

Cheryl

Stage Whisper— August Edition

All members are welcome to contribute to Stage Whisper. Please send entries for the next edition to stagewhisper@caods.org.uk. by **Thurs 17th October**

Social Dates for your Diary

Date	Event
<u>Coffee Morning</u>	Sat 5 th Oct from 10am
Coffee Morning	Sat 2nd Nov from 10am
Games Night	Sat 9 th Nov at 7:30pm
Christmas Party at New Holmwood Hotel	Sat 21 st Dec
Quiz Night	Sat 18 th Jan at 7:30pm
St. Patrick's Ceilidh	Sat 21 st March at 7:30pm
Community Quiz	Sat 9 th May at 7:30pm

Social News

Coffee Mornings

Our monthly coffee mornings continue on Saturday 5th October and as usual run from 10am and noon. Besides tea and coffee there will be yummy cakes and scrummy bacon rolls as well as a chance to sharpen up on your table tennis skills.

If you can help out at one of the coffee mornings then please contact

John on 07807165574.

Poem, Pints Open Mic Evening – Saturday 5th October at 7:30pm.

Unfortunately, this has had to be postponed and we are hoping to run an event like this next year.

Games Evening – Saturday 9th November at 7:30pm.

We will be holding a Games Night where you can come along and try your hand at a whole series of games of skill and maybe win a prize. Everyone welcome. £3 entry, Kids free. No previous experience is probably an advantage.

Christmas Party – Saturday 21st December at 7:00pm

Booked at Holmwood Hotel. Details available shortly.

Quiz – Saturday 18th January at 7:30pm

Ceilidh – Saturday 21st March at 7:30pm

Community Quiz – Saturday 9th May at 8:30pm

FUTURE PRODUCTIONS

ALADDIN

The cast for Aladdin.

Aladdin.	Annabelle Boag
Princess Pomegranate.	Mia Topping
Widow Twankey.	Steve Taverner
Wished Washee.	Jack Jenner
So-Shy.	Krystal Joy
Abanazer.	John Abraham
The Emperor.	Duncan Greaves
Feng.	Mo White
Shui.	Val Michalski
Spirit of the ring.	Pat Suttman
Genie of the lamp.	Adrian Peppitt

I had a great response to my request for more chorus, but we could still do with a few more men or teenage boys, as usual!

Daphne

PERFORMANCE DATES:

Friday 29th November 7.30pm
Saturday 30th November 2.30pm matinee
Friday 6th December 7.30pm
Saturday 7th December 2.30pm matinee
Sunday 8th December 2.30pm matinee

FUTURE PRODUCTIONS

WIFE AFTER DEATH

by Eric Chappell

We have currently held a read-thru for this black comedy play, followed by auditions. We were lucky to have a good number of people who attended both events and we were therefore able to cast the play which will start rehearsals early in January with show dates in the last week of March and the first week of April.

The cast is as follows:

Laura Thursby, the Widow	Rebecca Lennon
Harvey Barrett, a scriptwriter	Kevin Wilson
Vi Barrett, his wife	Cheryl May
Kevin Prewitt, an acting agent	Pete Harris
Jane Prewitt, his wife	Nessa Law
Kay, a funeral guest	Sarah Kellett

The Play will be produced by Carolyn Ferguson with assistance from Emma Shelley and Dinah Bowman.

PERFORMANCE DATES:

Friday 27th March 7.30pm
Saturday 28th March 7.30pm
Friday 3rd April 7.30pm
Saturday 4th April 7.30pm
Sunday 5th April 2.30pm matinee

Coffee Morning

featuring
tea, coffee, cake,
bacon rolls & table tennis

Saturday 5th October

10am to Noon

at

Trinity Theatre

Cowes

(off Bath Road)

**Everyone
Welcome**

