

The Guild Players



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Newsletter - July 2010

Spring Production (13th - 15th May)

Congratulations to the cast and production team of "Deliver Us From Evil" which generated positive audience feedback. The multi-purpose set was roundly appreciated and demonstrated what could be achieved without a 'traditional' box set. The final accounts have now been drawn up and we have made just over £1000 profit on this production.

The Archer, East Finchley's community newspaper, included a favourable review of the production in its June issue (page 10). www.the-archer.co.uk/archive.php

One Act Plays (30th - 31st July)

We are now approaching our presentation of three one act plays (plus a little something from Jack!) which we will be performing on Friday 30th July and Saturday 31st July. Tickets will only be available on the door and cost £5 each including refreshments. The three short plays are all very different from one another and have given three new directors a chance to show their skills. Should be a good evening out.

Green Room Redecoration (7th August)

The Committee have decided that the Guild Players will decorate the Green Room (behind the stage) on Saturday 7th August. We will be starting work at 9 am and go on until the room is completed. It will be of great benefit to us to have a clean fresh room to use as a dressing room, for read throughs, and for committee meetings. It would be very helpful to know who will be available during the day – you don't have to be there all day – a couple of hours would be appreciated. You should come in old clothes prepared to get a bit grubby and paint splashed. We will provide all the necessary kit and equipment, plus a lunchtime barbecue! Call Mike on 020 8449 7783 or send him an email on mike@mjsparks.co.uk to confirm whether you will be able to help.

Annual General Meeting (22nd September)

Make a note in your diary that the Guild Players AGM will be held at 8pm on Wednesday 22nd September following which there will be a rehearsal for the December production. Make a point of being there. Details and nomination forms for officers will be circulated in due course to all current members. Come prepared to pay your £15 annual membership fee for the 2010/11 season. Only fully paid up members are eligible to be cast in future productions.

Autumn Production 2010 (8th - 11th December)

We are considering the possibility of performing a Pantomime on 8th to 11th December 2010. However, this can ONLY take place if we have a full production team in place BEFORE we start. This means that we need people to volunteer their services as stage manager, set builders, props person, front of house manager, company manager, musical director, wardrobe assistants, prompter etc. Offers of help for any of these roles would be gratefully received. If everything is in place there will be a panto read through early in September. Alternatively we will produce a simple play or comedy for performance on those dates in December.

Contact Us

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