



Bulletin

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INTRODUCING YOUR NEW COMMITTEE.....

From L to R: Kim Anderson, Corinne Dobinson, Jean Pinkney, Dave Yetton, Christine Yorke-Edwards, Dannii Carr, Claire Carr (not related!) Peter Hockley, Cassie Estall, Diana Easton & Jessica Broad (Brad Wendes not photographed). Details of individual roles can be found on the website or noticeboard.



.....**AND THE NEWBIES!** Back: Phil Spurgeon, L to R: Katie Doran, Keiran Bacon, Jane Pavett, Lacey-Anne Murfet, Hollie Rawlins, Olivia Bentley & Laura Miller. Welcome to all of you and hope you are enjoying being with us!

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

ANYTHING GOES: a reminder that the **PUBLICITY DAY** is on Saturday 28th January - as many hands on deck as possible, please!!! Performance times are: 10.30am/midday/2pm & 3.30pm. Current ticket sales are at around 30% but we need **80%** just to break even, so this is a crucial event for us. If you can help with **publicity boards**, please refer to the email that has already gone out. The **AFTER SHOW PARTY** will take place at HQ with hot food and entertainment - details to follow.....

ALL SHOOK UP: due to un petit faux pas, the **AUDITION DATE** has now been changed to **20TH MAY**.....Clare Penfold will be our **MD** & Becki Wendes, our **Dance Captain**.... **More important info on page 3....**



Dead chuffed to report that our production of 'Legally Blonde' was nominated at the NODA awards eastern region for **Best Musical** in region 8!

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December winners: Dave Yetton (fix!) £30, Pat Day £20 & Abbey Carr £10

January winners: Corinne Dobinson £30, Sharon Cartwright £20 & Helen Hart £10

Christmas draw winners:

Susan Clarke £75 & Jacky Smith £50



60 years! Mary and Ted Heath celebrated their **diamond** wedding anniversary at the end of 2016..... Lots of love to you both xxx



Our next coffee morning will be held on Monday **6th February** - children & grandchildren welcome!



New Members' Evening

Wednesday 15th March @ 8pm

AMAZING!



Helen & Barbara converted their Civil Partnership and got **married** on 2nd December! Much happiness to you both xxx



Jean, our Treasurer/Vice Chairman, recently handed over a cheque for **£384.50** to our chosen charity. Thanks to all who donated. On another note, Jean would also be keen to hear any suggestions members have for **theatre trips** this year, not just to the West End, but also perhaps to the Cliffs Pavillion in Southend....?



After umpteens years at the helm, our former Chairman, Tracey Perry, stepped down from the committee and much to her surprise, was presented with **Life Membership** of the Society for services rendered.... All the best, Tracey xxx

OTHER STUFF



By kind permission of Audrey Hinton, here is a picture of Ray getting a pie in the face during a break from rehearsals at the NODA **summer school** in York a few blue moons ago! Many thanks for sharing, Audrey.....

Why not come along to meet & greet people interested in joining us.....?

ALL SHOOK UP

REVISED SCHEDULE:

Fri 5th May	Talk in and set dance auditions with Sallie
Wed 10th May	Pre-audition music call
Fri 12th May	Pre-audition music call
Wed 17th May	Pre-audition
Fri 19th May	Pre-audition
Sat 20th May	AUDITIONS

Sallie will be at most Wednesday and Friday rehearsals, which will be a combination of setting and revision.

Saturday setting calls are:

3rd June	10 - 5
10th June	10 - 5
1st July	10 - 5
8th July	10 - 5
5th August	10 - 5
16th Sept	10 - 5
23rd Sept	10 - 2
24th Sept	Band call/tech
25th Sept	Dress
26th - 30th	Show week

Call sheet will be issued in due course.