Theatre by the Sea 3<sup>rd</sup> of July

#### **President's**

#### Message

Well, here we are, halfway through 2019 already. I'm sure it only started last week.

We are well into rehearsals for *Where There's A Will*, which is another Australian first. It will open on the 9th of August. Book your tickets for a great show.

Auditions are coming up for our November production, *The Full Monty*, on the 17th and 20th of July. Come on down! We need about 16 cast members for this one.

We will have a stall at the Einbunpin Festival this year, so if you want to volunteer some time to man the stall, let us know.

That's all for now folks, I look forward to seeing you all again real soon.

Peter Murray





# Newsletter

# Willing to Take a Crack at Sandgate's Murder Mystery?

Our second main house show of the year, *Where There's a Will* by Alan Tibbles, is in rehearsals and only a month away from hitting the Sandgate Stage. Think you can guess who the murderer is? Why not grab a ticket and test your little grey cells!

Click <u>here</u> for tickets! \$22.00 for adults, \$18.00 for concession card holders, and \$10.00 for children and members.



The full cast of Where There's a Will.



Wendy Kemp plays Betty Parr



John Honey as Carter Smythe

### Our Committee

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Peter Murray

# On the Hunt for Props for Where There's a Will

The director and props master of *Where There's a Will* are looking for props and set pieces for our upcoming production. The items we are looking to source are:

- Empty drinks bottles with screwcaps/corks (Vodka, Gin, Whisky)
- 1950s Briefcase
- 1950s Small suitcase x 4
- Analog wristwatch with leather strap
- Analog wristwatch with leather strap detached
- Dresser cupboard for alcohol and glasses. (Preferably light in weight, two-door, two shelves.)



If you are able to lend us these items for the show, or know where we might be able to source them, you can contact us on the company email <u>sandgatetheatre@yahoo.com.au</u>.

### **Our New Subscriber Tickets!**

What could be better than buying a ticket for one Sandgate Theatre show? Well, how about our new Subscriber 5-show ticket? \$80 for 5 shows (this does not include the Yarrageh Festival). Valid for the next 5 shows we put on, from the date of purchase. Perfect for the avid theatregoer or a wonderful gift for a friend.



Newsletter Editor John Da Cruz

Bookings Chris Packman

#### Webmaster

Greg Jones

Yarrageh Festival Wendy Thomas assisted by Kerry Heath, Michelle Whitmore, Christine Duncan-Linning, and Glenda Lawrence.

### **Auditions for The Full Monty**



Audition time is upon us again, this time for our final main house show of this year. Lillian Harrington will be directing our production of *The Full Monty*. The play calls for a large cast that can act, sing, and dance.

Auditions will be held at the Sandgate Town Hall July 17<sup>th</sup> at 7pm and July 20<sup>th</sup> at 11am.

Performance dates will be the 8th, 9th, 15th, 16th November at 7.30pm and 9th, 12th November at 2.00pm

Book your place and come along with a song, a dance, and a short monologue.

#### Available Roles (Playing Age)

Jerry Lukowski: (30 – 40) an unemployed mill worker, strong singer. Nathan Lukowski: (11-13) Jerry's Son. Teddy Slaughter (30 -40) Jerry's ex -wife's live-in boyfriend. **Dave Bukatinsky** (40s) Jerry's unemployed friend, out of shape. Harold Nichols (50s) an unemployed supervisor. Malcolm McGregor (25-30) unemployed, lacks confidence. Ethan Girard (25 – 30) becomes friends with Malcom. Noah "Horse" T. Simmons (60 – 70) retired mill worker. Buddy "Keno" Walsh (20s) a dancer and stripper. **Reg Willoughby (20 – 40)** an unemployed mill worker. Tony Giordano (40 – 50) Buffalo Club owner. Pam Lukowski (30 – 40) Jerry's estranged wife. Georgie Butakinsky (40s) Dave's wife. Vicki Nichols (50s) Harold's bossy wife. Molly MacGregor (60 – 70s) Malcolm's ailing mother. Jeanette Burmeister (20-70s) a piano player. Estelle Genevose (30s) Jerry's casual girlfriend. Susan Hershey (30s) a friend of Pam and Georgie'. Joanie Lish (20 – 40) a friend of Pam and Georgie's.

Note that some of these roles can be doubled up. For more information contact Lillian Harrington on 0411 753 892.

If you have articles, promotions, or general information you would like included in future newsletters contact our Newsletter Editor through our company email:

<u>sandgatetheatre@yahoo.com.aι</u>

"All the best performers bring to their role something more, something different than what the author put on paper. That's what makes theatre live. That's why it persists."

Stephen Sondheim

# Submissions are Still Open for our 2020 Season



The Committee of Sandgate Theatre is calling for submissions for our upcoming 2020 season. We are looking for expressions of interest from directors or recommendations for plays we could perform.

As the committee will be required to read all submissions, please ensure you are able provide us with a copy of the script you are proposing.

## Four Great Reasons to Become a Member

Thinking of becoming a member of Sandgate Theatre Company, or perhaps you have let your membership lapse? Well, if you are a member of Sandgate, on top of joining one of the friendliest theatre companies in Brisbane, you will also gain reciprocal rights at ACT 1 Theatre, Mousetrap Theatre, and King Street Players. This means you can see plays at all these venues at Members' prices. That's a pretty sweet deal!

Membership forms can be downloaded at our website: http://www.sandgatetheatre.net/images/Membership.pdf

Or you can send an email to Jane-Louise Turner: <a href="mailto:sandgatetheatre@yahoo.com.au">sandgatetheatre@yahoo.com.au</a>



### **Around the Traps**

Wonderful nights of entertainment in the North Brisbane Area

## Mousetrap Theatre Company's Amdram is Murder

**By Karen Ince Directed by Karen Christl and Susan Harding-Smith** An interactive comedy murder mystery with alternate endings!

27<sup>th</sup> of July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, and 10<sup>th</sup> of August at 7.00pm 28<sup>th</sup> of July 4<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> of August at 2.00pm

Tickets from \$12!

Book online or phone 0439 954 719

## Act 1 Theatre 2019 TheatreFest

