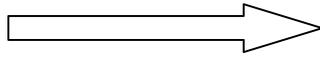




Roleystone Theatre
CALLBOY
November 2006



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AUDITIONS

Roleystone Theatre Inc.

Will be holding Auditions for the

2007 Junior Workshop

On **December 9th & 10th** 2006

At the Theatre - 587 Brookton Hwy. **ROLEYSTONE**

Workshop will commence on January 18th and end with performances on
March 16th & 17th

Participants must be aged

9 to 15 years old in January 2007

and have an audition piece "Song & Recitation" prepared

PLEASE TELEPHONE

Pauline on 93975498

Between 4.30pm to 7.30pm

For information and an appointment



Let people know you remember and appreciate them....

By nominating them (dobbing them in!) for a **Roley** or **Gold Roley award**.

Roley awards are set aside for those special or funny moments that occurred during a show or other theatre event this year, that deserve to be remembered. Traditionally the recipients are announced through a specially written piece of poetry (often written by the nominator).

The **Gold Roley** award is reserved for a special someone who has really gone above and beyond the call of duty to help make our theatre a better place to be. The Gold Roley recipient receives a medallion to keep and a trophy to grace their shelves for a year. More importantly they are the recipient of the membership's recognition.

So, put your thinking caps on, your poetry pen out and get to work. Nominations should be given to **Rachel Wright**. This can be done at any performance of 'Class of 77' or she can be contacted on **93900260**. Alternately your nominations can be given to any front of house member during the show to be passed on.

Submission Deadline: Please phone through or email your **submissions** for next month's callboy. **These need to be forwarded to me by the 25th of each month** so there is plenty of time to get the edition completed and to the printer. Any information or photos are welcome and remember the callboy is a great way to let other members know what is going on in the world of theatre *and* 'normal life'. Bree Hartley: 9495 2510 or 0402014666, email: bree_hartley@iprimus.com.au

President's Report

Thank you to all the members who attended the **General Meeting** on the 10th of October. As I read my presidents report, I was amazed on how much has been achieved this year. You don't realise at the time, but a big effort has been made to lift the profile of the Theatre. We have had various displays taking place thru out the year. Some for the very first time, and I'm sure it won't be the last. We have become more involved with community projects by letting various organisations use our facilities. A perfect example would be Kingsley Primary School's production of SHERWOOD, also, letting the Darling Range Wildlife Shelter use our car-park to raise much needed funds. Roleystone Youthcare has also been able to raise \$2500.00 during the Old Time Music Hall.

Our performances have been very well received this year, with strong ticket sales for every show. Even Class of '77 ticket sales have been very strong, which is pleasing seeing it's an unknown musical. Maintenance has always been a top priority at the theatre, and we have been quick to fix any items that have needed rectifying. The theatre was painted externally, gutters were cleaned, gardens were weeded and new plants installed. We have a new vacuum cleaner, as well as liquid soap dispensers introduced to all of the toilets, bar, green room & make up area. We have passed our Council inspections with flying colours.

We prepared a submission to the council listing our concerns with regards to urgent work to be carried out at the theatre. This was well received, and various discussions have taken place. The urgent items were the Theatre electrics, the retaining wall near the boundary & a new path from the car park to the green room. The council kindly let us have a copy of a report prepared for the Council by Architects Parry & Rosenthal. This makes for some great reading, as it is very detailed. I must thank Marg Bettenay, Kim Fletcher and Gerry Chapman for their contribution to this report. All in all a very active year so far, and I promise you it will continue. Hope to see you all at Class of 77.

Regards Zyg.

Early notice...

January - We will be having a busy bee in January, date yet to be decided. Please make the effort to come along.. You may not realise how much upkeep the theatre requires and we need help to do all the odd jobs.

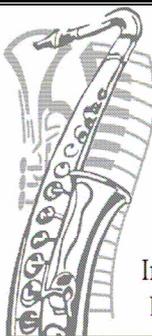
February - It will be Annual General Meeting time again. The year is almost over which means you need to start seriously thinking about who you would like to see steering the theatre for 2007-2008. You may want to nominate for a position yourself!

Self-promotion

The theatre is having a display at the Roleystone Combined School Fair. This is held at the Roleystone District High School grounds on the 11th of November. This is the very first time that we will be involved. We will have our usual display of previous productions as well as promote our current show as well as our next year's productions. Thanks to all who were keen to help.

On another matter in regards to publicity we are in the process of having brochures printed to go to the WA Visitor Centre. The visitor centre is located at 469 Wellington St Perth (cnr Forrest Place).

Thanks to Helen Hunt for the inspiration. *Zyg*



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2006 Theatre Xmas 'Do

This year the theatre is hosting a **formal** event at the Roleystone Country Club on **Saturday the 16th December**. Cost is \$25 pp and includes 3-course meal, DJ and nibbles. All you need do is purchase your refreshments at the club bar. Dress is formal, so anywhere from cocktail to black tie is desirable. The idea is to make the occasion special. Payment is to be made to a Front of House member on any 'Class of 77' night. Please contact Marilyn for further details or to book on 9493 7423.



Cast and Crew Only

New signs stating that **cast and crew only** are permitted **backstage** during a show have been made and put up at the theatre. Could all members ensure that this protocol is followed. It has been long been accepted practised to help the performers stay focussed and the audience kept in a state of suspended reality.

Parking

A reminder that **all** cast and crew are required to park in the long, arrow section of the car park (up along the green room side of the theatre) during performances.

THANKYOU, *Committee.*

Bollards!!

The council have kindly installed bollards around the light pole at the main entry to the theatre. As you may have heard or seen, it was damaged by a vehicle some time ago. Our thanks must go to the council for their vision. Hopefully this should prevent any further incidents.



FOH VOLUNTEER LIST

If you think you could spare a couple of nights a year to work Front of House in 2006/7 please contact Daniel Ramsell to register for the volunteer list on 0405730029 or 9495 2510. Once we have a database of people it will be much easier to plan ahead for the coming seasons. Your help will be very much appreciated.

Daniel Ramsell

November/December Edition BIRTHDAYS

NOVEMBER

8th Peter Haley
8th Sarah Barker
10th Joy Martin



DECEMBER

16th Meghan Fuery

If your birthday is not here and you would like it to be please contact Sherrill with your details.

Roleystone Theatre Website Update

The theatre website has recently been updated. The committee is thrilled that we now have this necessary feature up and running. The address is www.roleystonetheatre.com.au Check it out!!

Brian Beresford (creator) is asking members to please email him any information or photos they think would be appropriate for the website. His email address is sandgrop@iinet.net.au

Theatre Phone Book

The Roleystone Theatre Phone Book is ready!! The phone book consists of all the members who ticked 'yes' on their membership forms to be included in it. To get your copy all you have to do is see the kiosk staff during the next show, pay them the \$2 fee and it's yours.

Want to run a kids theatre workshop?

Serpentine PCYC need a volunteer to start a drama class in after school time, though the timing is open to negotiation. It would be run at the Clem Kentish Hall in Serpentine on behalf of the PCYC, a non-profit organisation. If you are interested call on 9525 2734 or email: serpentinepcyc@bigpond.com.au

BABY NEWS

*Announcing a new addition to the Flanders Family.
Aaron & Kia had a baby girl, Kameka Joan, in the early hours on
Tuesday 24th October. Baby Kameka weighed in at 8lb 3oz.
Both are doing fine and went home on 26th October.*

Cheers from a proud 'Grampy'.....Warren Flanders



HAPPY BIRTHDAY...

to **Joy Martin** for the 10th November.

Joy is a **Roleystone Theatre** stalwart and honorary life member. She was also the person to give our newsletter its distinctive name 'the callboy'.

The Wedding of the Year!

Our immediate past President, Sonja Reynolds, and her lovely beau, Scott Burns, tied the knot on Sunday the 5th November at the Minnowarra Chapel, Armadale.

In a lovely service the couple officially became Mr and Mrs Burns with their gorgeous daughter Lilly-Anne doing the honours as flower girl.

Congratulations



Class of '77 up-date

The finishing touches are being put in place for the final production of the year. The set is just about complete, with only a few minor adjustments yet to be made. It has been a huge effort, but it is sounding & looking good. Ticket sales have been extremely good; so don't wait too long in booking.

See you at the show, *Sherrill & Maureen*



Left:
Most of the cast
of our next
production -
"Class of 77"

Committee Meeting Dates 2006

These meetings are on the *second Tuesday of the month* starting at 7:30pm at the theatre. They are marked in as: the 12th December.

All are welcome.

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Interact 2006... Was cancelled!!

Sorry for the inclusion of the details in the last callboy. We are unsure of the circumstances surrounding the cancellation, however, we hope that this fantastic event is resurrected for next year. It is just one of the events the ITA organises in a bid to support independent theatre groups in Western Australia.

2006 Finley Awards Night

The 2006 Finley Awards Presentation Night will be held on Saturday January 20th 2007. This will be held at the Performing Arts Centre Penrhos College, Thelma Street, Como.

Tickets will be available from November 1st through BOCs 9484-4811 and outlets.

All tickets are \$16.00.

Please note: Bocs and agents will be handling all the bookings for this event. Tickets will NOT be available through the ITA.

For general enquires about this event please contact the ITA on 0402-249249 or you can contact them by email: davisrn@cygnus.uwa.edu.au

****** If enough interest is expressed, the Theatre can do a group booking. The Finley Awards Night is the 'Tony Awards' of community theatre and it's interesting to see what other theatres have done over the year******

Alice in Wonderland T-shirts

Lys Tickner is asking anyone who has not received their show t-shirt to contact her to arrange a pickup. She can be contacted on 9496 0320.



A missing tape...

Joanne Padgett (nee Oxley) is looking for the person she lent an audio cassette to some time back. It contained British songs and had a pictures on the sleeve including one of Big Ben. Please call Jo on 9495 2726

Clever words

- The guy who fell onto an upholstery machine was fully recovered.
- You are stuck with your debt if you can't budge it.
- Local Area Network in Australia: The LAN down under.
- He broke into song because he couldn't find the key.
- A calendar's days are numbered.
- A boiled egg is hard to beat

Gerry

What's On and Where

▪ **State Fair**

Director: Carole Dhu & Musical Director: Merle Brown

November 10,11,17,18,19,24,25

Start time – 8pm

Bookings – 95301314

Prices - \$19 and \$17

Venue – Pinjarra Civic Centre

• **The Bed Before Yesterday** – a comedy

Melville Theatre

Directed by Pat Stroud

8pm 23,24,25,26,30 Nov and 1,2 Dec

Bookings: Joan Scafe 93304565

Prices: \$15 and \$12

Cnr Stock rd/Canning Hwy, Palmyra

• **The Scarlet Pimpernel** – a musical

Limelight Theatre

Directed by Bob Mainwaring

23,24,25,30 Nov and 1,2,6,7,8,9 December

Bookings: 93055336 or admin@limelighttheatre.com

Limelight Theatre, Civic Drive Wanneroo

• **Sweet Charity** – a musical

Stirling Theatre

Book by Neil Simon, music by Cy Coleman, Lyrics by Dorothy Fields

1,2,7,8,9,14,15,16, December at 8.00pm and

Matinees on Dec 3 and 10 commencing at 2.00pm

Bookings: Morris Newsagency 94401040

Prices: \$18 and \$15

Stirling Theatre, Innaloo

▪ **Audition**

A Few Months – a locally written play

By Kate Millett

Ages males and females 18-30 and one female 30-50

Auditions on the 25,26 Nov and 2,3 Dec

Bookings: Kate Millett 0412987083

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<http://theatre.asn.au>**

We can email your callboy...

If you would like to save the theatre **money** and save a few **trees** you can have your callboy sent to you via your **email** account. Most email inboxes these days are large enough to receive the callboy so that problem has been resolved.

If you are interested please either email Bree (callboy editor) or let Sherrill Wallis (our secretary, details on back page) know and we will get you onto the electronic mailing list and off the paper mailing one!

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Gas Bottles

Just a quick note... if you are at the theatre and the gas bottles that supply our heaters or oven run out please contact Daniel Ramsell on 0405 730029. Thankyou, *Committee*

Theatre Jackets

The company making our theatre jackets are no longer able to supply us. They have issued the design to another company in Maddington. The good news is that we are able to purchase any quantity with deliver in 2 weeks. If you require Theatre Jackets please phone me with your order as I wish to place an order soon. Zyg.

Committee Responsibilities

At the March committee meeting the committee responsibilities were decided. If you have a query related to a certain area then this list shows you the people to call. They are as follows:

Maintenance – Zyg Woltersdorf

Publicity – Zyg Woltersdorf and Mark Peacock

Website – Brian Beresford

Front of House – Daniel Ramsell

Library – Sherrill Wallis and Bree Hartley

Garden Care – Kim Fletcher, Sherrill Wallis and Daniel Ramsell

Building Committee – Zyg Woltersdorf, Jack Barker and Daniel Ramsell

Fundraising and social events – Marilyn Hermet, Brian Beresford, Rachel Wright and any interested members!!

Membership – Sherrill Wallis

Youth Development – Rachel Wright

Stock 'boy' – Daniel Ramsell

Bar – Bree Hartley

Musical Instruments – Bree Hartley

The Roleystone Theatre Committee 2006

President	Zyg Woltersdorf	0407993176 Zyg@westnet.com.au
Vice-President	Mark Peacock	9397 5489
Treasurer	Jack Barker	9497 3501
Secretary	Sherrill Wallis	0419935178

Committee Members

Rachel Wright	Brian Beresford	Kim Fletcher
Daniel Ramsell	Bree Hartley	Marilyn Hermett

Life Members

Jock Pettigrew	Mavis Hart	Jack Hart
Margaret Bettenay	Naomi Gates	Paul Ossenton
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Mary Webb	Albert Chambers	Maureen Plummer
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Teahouse of the August Moon	May 5, 6, 10, 12, 13, 17, 19, 20
Alice in Wonderland	July 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22
Old-Time Music Hall	September 8, 9, 13, 15, 16
Class of '77	Nov 17, 18, 22, 24, 25, 29, Dec 1,2

Bookings: Bobbie & Gerry Chapman 9397 5730