



ST PETER'S HILL NEWSLETTER

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Glorious! 9 – 12 November

With only 12 rehearsals to go, *gulp* it is all hands on deck or stage!

We need stage hands, see what I did there, to help with set changes for the run of the production. If you are available all or just a couple of

nights please let Martin Olley know.

We are also looking for silk flowers in abundance, as the stage needs to be full of them so please hunt in sheds, attics etc and let us know if you have any we can use.

Unfortunately Debbie can no longer Direct but Jane Webb will be taking over the reins with help from Martin and the cast!

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Social Reading

The Nightingale Peter Quilter

To be hosted by Polly Lewis
7.30pm start

Radio Star

Augusta Lees has been given her own radio show with Gravity Radio. She is in training at the moment but will be taking to the airwaves soon.

Tune in on 97.2 FM

Be Direct-or!

With the new season comes a new plea. We are looking for directors we all love the roar of the greasepaint and the smell of the crowd but how about bringing that script to life!

The Players are wanting to attract

more members to our fold and so we are looking for exciting scripts with directors to animate the writers words.

If you are interested in bringing a script to the stage, simply recommend a play which we will present at one of our social

readings and then the Committee will consider the viability of producing it to our high standards and your wish could come true.

We are aiming for a social reading every month so 12 opportunities in 2012!



Voices Needed

Barry Hoon runs a website based in Glastonbury and is looking for voices, young or old, for a new labyrinth programme.

If you are interested in being involved go to www.toriffic.co.uk and click on the labyrinth image at

the bottom of the page.

If you go through the labyrinth process for a couple of pages you will hear little sound bites. There is a simple online private user area so that your voice files can be uploaded easily using Audacity which is recording

software for the pc and it can be downloaded for free at www.download-audacity.com/

Note: As this is an external website SPHP cannot be responsible for content!

ScriptSwap – old scripts can find loving home!

Scripts can find a new home!

ScriptSwap is a brand new website. It's totally free to join and there are no hidden fees, and the developers hope it will quickly become the place to go if you have old scripts or need scripts for a future production.

If you need scripts for your next production instead of

paying full price or going to the library the idea is you go to ScriptSwap.

With ScriptSwap, you can post FREE advertisements for your scripts, whether you want to sell them, loan them or give them away.

You can search for the scripts you want

and all for FREE. This new site is sponsored by Amateur Stage magazine, the website www.amdram.co.uk, New Theatre Publications and the huge ebook site Fiction4All.

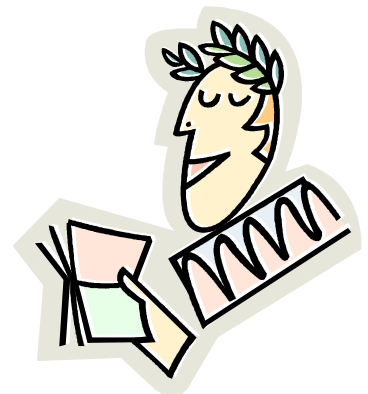
Go to www.scriptswap.co.uk

Script for Review

Peter Ayre a script writer from South Kyme has sent in a script for us to review with the hope that we may put the play on the stage in the future.

Martin Olley has it at the moment but it would be great if anyone else interested would also read the script.

Please email Martin.





Christmas is coming!



Yes we haven't had Halloween yet but soon a fat bloke will be trying to squeeze down your chimney!

We have selected Gurkha Square for the Christmas dinner on 3 December at 7.30pm. The restaurant has a set menu so will bring a variety of dishes to the table for £20 a

head which is for three courses. If you have special dietary requirements please let us know. Augusta has kindly volunteered to arrange for us. We will need a £5 deposit to secure your place by the end of October, please.

That's Entertainment

What can we say, we had a fantastic time and the event was an overwhelming success! The Guildhall added free wine to the evenings which we are seriously thinking of adopting as the audience laughed lots, and

unusually in the right places! The displays of memorabilia were a wonderful reminder of the rich tradition of theatre in Grantham and the audiences were made up of faces old and new, but mainly old. Seriously though a big thank you to all

those involved. It was great fun and it was lovely to put faces to names.

The other groups did not disappoint and we are sure that the event will only serve to reinforce the great support Grantham has of the Guildhall and the local groups.

Alan Ayckbourn at the Guildhall

Professional Theatre Company, Devine Theatre who is based in Derby is currently on tour with Alan Ayckbourn's play Henceforward. Performing for one night only at the

Grantham Guildhall Arts Centre on 8th October.

The play is a futuristic farce about love, connection, hope, and what makes us human. With his family and

his inspiration gone Jerome Watkins is a desperate man. In a futuristic world devoid of human contact, all this lonely composer has for company are a malfunctioning android housekeeper

and some very strange ideas... Can he regain what matters the most?



If you would like anything including in the next newsletter please email Jane at info@silvertiaras.com.

www.stpetershillplayers.co.uk

Jane's Bit

We are looking to keep the website updated with news and events.

The newsletter will be attached to the website and updated each month.

If you have any news or would like to contribute to a blog please let me know.

Amateur Stage website so join and lets get chattering and spreading the word!

Any more ideas of websites where we should have a presence let me know!

www.asmagazine.co.uk

St Peter's is now on