



# THE PROMPT

July 2010



## EDITORIAL:

So far summer has arrived with a vengeance so let's hope it lasts for the summer hols. This is to remind you that your committee has a holiday in August so there will be no newsletter. The next issue will be in September. However, if you still have not renewed your subscriptions there will be no future newsletters for you after this one! Ed:

## Notes from the Chair:

Hi People!

Like most of you I suspect I want the BIG part, the showy part, THE LEAD!! And yes I know – no such thing as a small part – only a small actor etc etc but I say rubbish – bring on the main roles. Yes I count the number of lines! Yes I am sad!

However this time I am playing a very small role in what is referred to as the Ensemble in The War of the Worlds and much to my surprise I am really enjoying it.

There is a lovely feeling of doing it for love not for glory, there is a happy backstage camaraderie as the ensemble wait in the wings for their next bit, there is the knowledge that you may be a tiny cog in the big wheel but that collectively we are doing something amazing and very effective. So yes – I am a convert to being in the chorus/ensemble/third-spear-carrier-from-the-left school of acting.

Not that it is going to stop me trying to upstage everyone else and sneaking a very eye-catching rose onto my hat!!! Ticket sales are going really well for so early in the season – don't forget to get yours.

Snow White, the Panto looks terrific and I know Ken will be a superb director – let's all get together to make it the best ever.

Have a great summer.

All the best

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*CONGRATULATIONS FROM US ALL TO  
LINDA AND PAUL BARKER  
WHO HAVE JUST CELEBRATED THEIR  
SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.*



Here are a few more photographs to whet your appetite. They are just some examples of the costumes and characters involved with this massive production. Don't they just make you want to see the real thing??? Especially the machine! Imagine all the hours of hard work that has gone into creating this production! Now it's up to you to help make it a success.

**The Box Office is open 08454 500296 so, book your tickets NOW! Encourage family, friends and work colleagues to book theirs. You are guaranteed to have a wonderful evening's entertainment.**



Box office  
08454 500296





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## SNOW WHITE AND THE SEVEN DWARFS

REMINDER REMINDER REMINDER !!!!!

PANTOMIME AUDITIONS SUNDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> JULY

These will take place at Perranwell Village Hall; 10.30am for Chorus and Dwarfs; 2.0pm for Cast members.

**Children Please note:** If you wish to audition for a Dwarf, then please come along in the **morning** as that is when the dwarfs will be auditioned, not in the afternoon with the other principals.

### NON CDDG EVENTS:

Falmouth Theatre Co: present "How The Other Half Loves" on Thursday evenings throughout the summer, starting on 15<sup>th</sup> July until 9<sup>th</sup> Sept: but not on August 19<sup>th</sup>. Perfs: at The Princess Pavilion, Falmouth at 8.15pm. Tickets from the theatre Box Office 01326 211222. This play is directed by CDDG member, David Ivall and Bronia Saunders is appearing in it for part of the season.

Dream Team Theatre Co: have extended the tour of their production of "Deceptions" – 23<sup>rd</sup> July at The Poly, Falmouth (the old Falmouth Arts Centre) Box Office 0843 289 4569. 7<sup>th</sup> Aug: at Grampound Village Hall Box Office 01726 883874. Directed by CDDG member Guy Watson and starring CDDG member Michelle Dickson.

The Young Generation present "The Wizard of Oz", directed by CDDG member Trevor Gardiner, at the Poly Theatre, Falmouth 3<sup>rd</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup> August. Tickets from Falmouth Book Shop Tel: 01326 312873.

### CORNWALL DRAMA ASSOCIATION: EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING:

**This is being held on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> September, 10am in the Grenville Room of New County Hall, County Hall, Treyew Road, Truro.**

The meeting is open to all individual members and organisation members (eg: Carnon Downs Drama Group) of the CDA.

The purpose for this meeting is to effect restructuring of Cornwall Drama Association, its activities and support to its individual and organisation members.

The proposals to be put before the EGM are:

The role of Cornwall Drama Association is to organise the Annual Theatre Festival and Theatre day.

CDA Committee is constituted of a Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Treasurer, Secretary, Adjudications Co-ordinator, Theatre Day Organiser, Membership Secretary and Public Relations Co-ordinator. Other Committee members may be co-opted,

The Constitution is revised to reflect the revised functions and structure of Cornwall Drama Association.

If you would like to attend this meeting, please contact the Secretary, Chris Hansell Tel: 01579 321696 or e mail him at [bethelchapel@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:bethelchapel@tiscali.co.uk).

CDDG is an organisation member and so the future of the CDA affects all of you. As the present Chairman of the CDA I hope to see some of you at the meeting. **Ann Lejeune.**

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*That's all for now folks. See you in September. In the meantime have a super summer and don't forget the sun screen.*



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