EAST NORFOLK AMATEUR OPERATIC SOCIETY

Newsletter

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THE CHAIRMAN WRITES...

Firstly I must say how delighted we all are that Margaret Johnson's operation has been successful and that she is now on the road to recovery. Take it easy Margaret and don't go over the top when the family come home!

Whilst we don't know the final result of the show – it was most importantly for us a happy show and from your reaction it seems that everyone involved enjoyed themselves – well done.

Once we have got 'Tops & Tails' put together I'm sure that we shall be in demand and we shall have the opportunity of flying the E.N.A.O.S. flag abroad.

Do support the Bar-B-Q in July. It's always a super relaxed evening but we could always do with a few more members there.

Enjoy the summer break.

David Thompson

...AND THE PRODUCER

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for making 'Trial' and 'Sorcerer' so successful. it is always difficult to rehearse two shows at once but the end result was well worth the effort.

Looking forward to next year it's a pleasure to have George Baker back in the 'hot seat' producing his 'Tops and Tails' – which will no doubt give both audiences and ourselves a lot of pleasure.

'lolanthe' will bring a different challenge to which I'm sure we will all rise.

Trevor Thurston P.S. Thank you to George for judging at such short notice!

CONGRATULATIONS TO:-

Andrew & Lesley Mitchell on the birth of their first child – Lewis Patrick on April 17th. Sharon Freeman on her marriage to Andrew (Stone) on 23rd May, Rita & David Thompson on becoming Grandparents on 29th May and to David Paternoster & Tabi Kennett on their forthcoming marriage on 13th June.

LOCAL G & S PRODUCTION

9th – 13th June – Iolanthe – Sheringham Savoyards (Little Theatre, Sheringham). Booking Tel: Sheringham 823000.

BAR-B-Q

The annual summer Bar-B-Q is on Saturday 4th July from 7.00 p.m at Witton Hall, Witton, again by kind invitation of Chris and Jane Mack.

Tickets are £5.50, to include food and a free glass of wine and are now available from Sheila Tuffield. Please note the Chairman's comments concerning this event and make every effort to support this enjoyable social occasion.

A.G.M.

The Annual General Meeting of the Society will be held in the Church Hall on Tuesday 21st July at 7.30 p.m. Further details and agenda will be available nearer the time but in the meantime get the date booked in your diary!

NEW STAMP ISSUE

On 21st July the Royal Mail will issue a set of five commemmorative postage stamps to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the birth of Sir Arthur Sullivan.

As well as the stamps, First Day Covers, Presentation Packs and Postcards will be available

LONDON TRIP

Sheila has booked tickets for another trip to London on October 17th to see again (by popular demand) 'Les Misérables'. This will be for the Saturday matinée performance. The inclusive price for tickets and coach fare will be £16.00.

For further information and to book your ticket and seat please contact Sheila Tuffield on Norwich

EVERGLADES

Q. What is 'Everglades?'

A. The hotel now being run by former members, Janet and George Robinson.

If you're planning a trip to Devon and are anywhere near Torquay, Janet and George would be pleased to see you and offer accomodation (with discount?).

Their address is:

Everglades Hotel
32 St. Marychurch Road
Torquay
Devon TQ1 3HY
Tel: (0803) 295389

PHOTOCOPYING

Members are reminded that the Society photocopier is available to be used! See Jenny for details.

NODA ANNUAL CONFERENCE 25th-27th September 1992 Peebles Hydro Hotel Peebles, Scotland

If anyone is interested in attending the above I have details of the programme and costs.

Jenny

NODA LOCAL WORKSHOPS 1992/3:

DIRECTOR'S WEEKEND COURSES 18-19 JULY and 31 OCT-1 NOV Tutor: Roy Seaman Cost £25.00

'PLAYS INTO MUSICALS' 13-14 FEB Tutor: Roy Seaman Cost £10 per day

For further details contact: Sue Dupont on Norwich

CALENDAR 1991/2

July 4th

Bar-B-Q Witton Hall from 7.00 p.m.

●July 21st

A.G.M. 7.30 p.m.

●August 1st

Concert 'Trial' & 'Sorcerer' – Wells Carnival Week

September 8th

New Session Begins - Iolanthe 'listen through' or 'Tops & Tails' Revision

September 19th

'Tops & Tails' – Horning Village Hall in aid of local branch of N.S.P.C.C.

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS

President: David Kett
Chairman David Thompson

Janet Barley Hilda Dickerson Ken Davis

Linda Markham Barrie Marshall John Woodrow