

# Shawbury Village Players



Newsletter April 2015



## Happy Easter!

Newsletters are sent to all members via e-mail and are sent out every three months. If you require a newsletter to be sent by post, please contact Ben at [benjaminmrleach@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:benjaminmrleach@hotmail.co.uk)

## DIARY DATES



The next meeting of the Shawbury Village Players committee will take place on Tuesday the 5<sup>th</sup> of May. If you have anything you would like to be raised at the meeting then please contact Mariella on 01939 290 702 or e-mail to [secretary@shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk](mailto:secretary@shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk)

## HAY FEVER

Our next production will be a production of Noel Coward's Hay Fever. Rehearsals have now begun for this extremely funny show and tickets are now available from our website, Shawbury Village Post Office and from Chris Fraser.

The production will take place on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> of July at Acton Reynolds Hall. Be sure to spread the word to make this our best performance yet.

We're always looking for helpers for Front of House and Raffle prizes for our productions – if you think you can help then contact Jo Humphreys or any member of the committee.

## A MESSAGE FROM THE TREASURER.

Can all members of SVP who have not paid their membership fees please do so as soon as possible. There has been no increase in fees this year so it is still £20 for adults and £5 for children.

The form is attached to the newsletter for your convenience, please return it to Chris Fraser as soon as possible. If there are any queries, please contact Chris at [chrisfraser51@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:chrisfraser51@hotmail.co.uk)

## LOST PROPERTY

A feather duster was found during the clean up after Sleeping Beauty. If it is yours, then please contact Chris Fraser who has it!

## PAST PRODUCTIONS

Our pantomime this year, Sleeping Beauty, was a fantastic success – congratulations to Ann and the cast and crew for another fantastic production!

If you want to see it again or for the first time then DVDs of the performance are now available from Ann Page at the price of £5. We also have DVDs of a number of other past productions which are also available from Ann and from Chris Fraser. You can contact Ann on 01939 251 094 for more details

## A MUSICAL REQUEST

Website: [www.shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk](http://www.shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk) email: [enquiries@shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk)

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Trev Wotton has asked the following;

"I collect music, any kind, type. I am trying to make a very large library of music. I don't sell it, rent it or make any money out of it.

The only thing I do with it is store it and occasionally use it for S.V.P. productions. At the moment I can only use C.D.'s. I'm hoping, in the near future, to be able to use cassette tapes and any type of records. If anyone has anything I could borrow I would be really grateful. Having just said I don't use it, If anyone in the 'group' is looking for particular piece of music, let me know and I'll have a look to see if I've got it."

You can contact Trev at  
tav@caspersworld.co.uk

## OTHER FUTURE PRODUCTIONS

Mel has begun production on The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrobe. We are planning to have auditions at the beginning of October, so keep your eyes peeled on the website [www.shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk](http://www.shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk),

Like us on Facebook as well for constant updates on this and other productions that we do!

The production is going to be mainly a young cast. However there are a number of adult parts as well.



**WHY NOT LEARN A NEW SKILL.**

**Website:** [www.shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk](http://www.shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk)

**email:** [enquiries@shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk)

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We're always looking for new directors who want to have a go – there's plenty of support for anyone who hasn't directed before and wants to have a go. Contact the committee at [committee@shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk](mailto:committee@shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk) if you have an idea and want to talk about it!

## MURDER MYSTERY 2015



### 'Death Under the Stars'

Four performances to take place in October & November.

Would you like to become involved in a Murder Mystery production to be performed at local Village Halls?

Informal auditions and readings will take place at the beginning of August.

To express interest or for more details contact  
[secretary@shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk](mailto:secretary@shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk) or  
ring Mariella Lloyd on 01939 290702.

## GOT SOMETHING TO SHOUT ABOUT?

If you are involved in an activity or event, have won an award, or just want to advertise

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something – please let me know and I'll get you in print! You can contact me at [benjaminmrleach@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:benjaminmrleach@hotmail.co.uk).

To register interest in any of the items contact Mariella on 01939 290702 or e-mail [secretary@shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk](mailto:secretary@shawburyvillageplayers.co.uk)