

## **Minutes of Kingsley Players Committee Meeting 10<sup>th</sup> October 2017**

Present:- Colin Smith(chair), Jayne Barlow(treasurer), Jake Powell(youth director), Mary Lightfoot, Jo Oultram, Audrey Boyle.

Apologies:- Lynn Pegler, Malcolm Barker, Lesley Silcock, Sue Elliot, Fran Hamer.

Matters arising from previous minutes:- None

### **Treasurer's Report**

J.B. Reported bank balances as follows:-

Current Account - £900.75

Youth Theatre - £206.40 (ring fenced)

Saver Account - £12,315.18

No other issues raised.

### **Current Production. – 18-21 October 2017 a Goodnight Mr. Tom**

Jo (producer) reported that everything was on target. Pros are all sorted except for the rucksack. About £1000 spent so far on room hire and licence. Front of house teams in place. Ticket sales have been slow but should pick up in last week. Jo to send a script to Cheshire Theatre Guild. After show party to be held at the Red Bull.

### **Future Productions**

#### **13<sup>th</sup>- 16<sup>th</sup> December 2017 – Pantomime Cinderella**

Colin reported that cast is complete and rehearsals have started. Jo is well on with arrangements. John and Kath Kerry are helping with props. Vic, Kenton and Mike are all working on their various roles. Joan Barker is already working on the costumes and has offers of help to get everything done in time. Alison will be coming to early rehearsal to start on the choreography. Box office should open in early November. Colin to make sure Noda are invited and send scripts to both Noda and CTG. Mary has child protection paperwork in hand. Colin to bring budget to the next meeting.

**May 2018**

Nothing to report. Malcolm to direct. He is trying to confirm the licence.

### **October 2018**

Pride and Prejudice – To be directed by Kelly White

### **January 2019**

Lynn still trying to find a suitable musical. Nothing further to report.

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Nothing further to report

### **Youth Theatre**

JP reported that they had held another highly successful workshop on the 1<sup>st</sup> October attended by 22 youngsters. We now have had a total of 28 different attendees at the last 2 workshops. Talks are in hand with the Parish Council about the proposed event to mark the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the end of WW1. The next production is Arabian Nights to be on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2018, with 2 performances matinee and evening. Auditions will be held on 26/11 for main Parts and 3/12 for the ensemble. The Centre has been booked for rehearsals on Sunday afternoons 2-5pm starting on 7<sup>th</sup> January 2018.

At the last meeting we discussed the idea of a separate banner for the Youth Theatre. We need a design which could then be costed. Agreed we should go ahead.

### **Any other business**

None

### **Date of next meeting**

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2017 7pm. Red Bull**