



Minutes of Committee Meeting

8th July 2010, 8.00 pm
51 West End, Brampton

Present: Michael Black, Kirsty Pickering, Carol Wadey, John Morgan, Scott Hutchison, Kat Sexton, Ronald Stevenson, Phil Green

Apologies: Caroline Harbord, Ann Monk

1. **Minutes of last meeting:** Agreed
2. **Matters arising:** None.
3. **Financial Report:** As at 8th July our bank balance was £1,640 with no outstanding creditors. Importance of being Earnest made profit of £1,169.
4. **Current Production: POSH – MB** advised he was pleased with rehearsals, although current ticket sales at 26 are disappointing & need all members to push sales. No success on programme sponsorship.
5. **Autumn Production:** Happiest Days of Your Life – MB advised that close to being cast with rehearsals beginning September. Rehearsal venues not yet booked.
6. **Spring production:** Committee agreed upon Ibsen – A Doll's House, reflecting the need to produce a more sombre, dramatic production after a run of comedies. Ronald Stevenson to direct.
7. **Summer production:** Committee agreed upon Mike Leigh's Abigail's Party with Marie Huggins to direct, as felt this was suitable for the summer.

There was also strong support for An Inspector Calls (proposed by Dean Laccohee), and therefore this to be revisited for future productions.

8 Social / other Activities

- Recent Mummers Play was well received.
- Tea at Ann Monk's Sunday 5th September
- One Act Festivals – more info at next meeting but considered something keen that the group participates in.
- Christmas Dinner – Scott to investigate Victoria Pub, Huntingdon – 1st week of Dec poss date.

9 **Emails and website:** Nothing to report.

10 **AOB: RS** has NODA DVD on working with children if required.

The case of Ronald's missing brass candlesticks remains unsolved – an update on this gripping mystery at the next meeting.

11 **Date and place of next meeting:** Tuesday 14th Sep 8pm at Ronald's.

PTG
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