

Dramatic News Dramatic News

www.huntingdondramaclub.org.uk



**Huntingdon
Drama Club**

In Our 61st Year

March 2005

New committee

The new committee, elected at the AGM on 23 February:

Chair: Michael Black,

Vice-Chair: Rachael Orchard,

Treasurer: Ronald Stevenson,

Secretary: Ray Livermore,

Ordinary committee members:

Mark Lamberth (newsletters and communication with members),

John Morgan (website),

Kelly Armstrong (publicity),

Peter Welsh (database).

To contact committee members:

Email through the Club website (Huntingdondramaclub.org.uk) – emails go to Michael, who'll forward them to the relevant person. Or: Michael:

Michael:

Michael.Black@btinternet.com

phone 454486

Rachael:

Mark:

phone

Ronald:

phone

Subscriptions

Although the Club made a net profit of £746, last year, we received a bequest of £1,000 from Jack Hyde (one of the Club's founding members in 1944), so it isn't as healthy as it looks. The last spring production, *May-hem*, made a profit of £91. We put on *Bobby Dazzler*, in the autumn, on behalf of the Mayor's charities, so didn't have any income or expenditure for that.

CONTACT DETAILS

Mark Lamberth, Edi

Michael Black, Chair on 01480 454486

For details of past, present or future productions:

www.huntingdondramaclub.org.uk

Subscriptions (cont.)

The subs are essential to keep the Club afloat, and cover non-production expenses such as insurance (nearly £200) and hall hire for meetings. So please print out the attached membership form, and send it with your sub **now** to the treasurer, Ronald Stevenson, at 32 Huntingdon Road, Brampton, HUNTINGDON, PE28 4PA. The subs are still only £10 a year.

Fallen Angels

The spring production, for performances on 19-21 May, is Noël Coward's 1925 comedy of lust and marriage, *Fallen Angels*.



Noël Coward

Cast: Carol Wadey, Mark Lamberth and Kelly Armstrong – all performing with the Club for the first time – Jeanette Brown (Ethel in *The Wedding of the Year*, 2003), Ronald Stevenson (General Melchett in *Blackadder*, 2004) and Nick Hemens (returning to the Club after a break of several years).

Director: Michael Black.

Producer: Rachael Orchard.

We're confident it's going to be a very good production, so please start telling everyone you know about it now. Tickets will go on sale this month. We still need plenty of help backstage and front of house, so please contact Rachael asap.

Other plans

Round the Horne – revisited: a trip to London on 3 April to see a production of the 1960s radio comedy show that starred Kenneth Horne and Kenneth Williams.

Mummers' play: Ronald () is organising performances as part of Huntingdon 800, and is looking for people to take part or help in other ways.

An evening of horseracing and music at Huntingdon Racecourse: 7 June. Contact Ronald () for more information.

Drama workshops: Lynda Savory and Valerie Gerrard will be running drama workshops after the spring production.

Autumn production: if you've got any ideas about possible plays, or might like to direct something yourself, please contact Michael.

Thanks...

...to all the many people who've done something for the Club in the past year. In particular, thanks and goodbye to Rachel Greaves and Roger Trencher, who are moving to Winchester. They've both been Club members for many years, and have made a great contribution, both on- and off-stage.

WRITE TO:

