

The Player

July, August, September 2018

HELLO from your committee. We can't believe Autumn is here already – and what a wonderful one so far! Here's news of forthcoming events leading up to Christmas. Remember you can also keep up to date on:

www.egertonplayers.co.uk or via Facebook at:
www.facebook.com/groups/EgertonPlayers



New Website

Please be aware that we have been working on a new Egerton Players website. We felt it needed a new, fresh image and wanted to ensure all our recent and future wonderful productions were there for everyone to see. **The website will be live from 15th October 2018** onwards using www.egertonplayers.co.uk so please do have a look. You will also be able to order tickets for our forthcoming "Spirit of Christmas" show via the website from 20th October onwards by clicking on the **Tickets** button.



Quiz Night

Our Quiz night at the Millennium Hall on 22nd September was, as usual, a great success. Nine teams battled it out for the coveted prize and everyone had a wonderful time. Sadly team 5 didn't win but I'm not bitter (well maybe a little!)

An enormous thank you goes again to Cedric and Elaine Narbrough for organising and running the whole evening. We hope we can persuade them back again next year, as this is fast becoming a very popular annual event.

Thank you also to all of you who donated raffle prizes – we raised a total of **£209** for our chosen charity, Dandelion Time.



SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS

Rehearsals are well under way for our forthcoming production 'The Spirit Of Christmas'.



A wonderful evening packed with seasonal music and readings, including many old favourites, this production is guaranteed to get you in the festive spirit.

The Friday performance will be the show, with a paid bar. On Saturday the audience will be seated at tables of 8 and the ticket price will include a ploughman's supper in the interval - a great chance to get together with family or friends to kick off the festive season!

Tickets will be priced **£8** for **Friday** evening and **£13** for **Saturday** evening, and will be available **after 20th October** from www.egertonplayers.co.uk or from the **box office** on **07843 777163**.



Volunteers Please!

We urgently need volunteers for our Christmas show. Please contact Vanessa via secretary@egertonplayers.co.uk if you can help with any of the following:-

- **Children's chaperone on the evenings of Monday 10th, Friday 14th and Saturday 15th December**
- **Help with Catering on the afternoon and evening of Saturday 15th December**
- **Front of House on evenings of 14th and 15th December**



Props Needed!

We need some props for our Spirit of Christmas show. If you have any of the following items and are happy to lend them to us for the performances and rehearsals please email secretary@egertonplayers.co.uk We would be very grateful and promise to look after them and return them to you promptly!

- **6 – 8 matching bar stools**
- **Christmas trees – approx. 6 foot high**
- **Old fashioned style wingback armchair**



Committee Vacancies

Next year sadly some of our committee members will be retiring and we will therefore need new volunteers. We meet one evening a month throughout the year for around two hours. It's rewarding work and we always have fun and sometimes coffee and cake! Please come and talk to any of the current committee members if you are interested contact Vanessa on secretary@egertonplayers.co.uk for further information.



Carol Singing

Dates are not yet decided, but the Players are planning our annual carol singing around Egerton village with a meal in The Barrow House afterwards and also Christmas Eve carols in the Rose and Crown. Both events are in aid of Dandelion Time, our charity for 2018. Dates will be confirmed in the next newsletter

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