

The Vagabond Player

82nd Season

Oct. 2019

General Meeting October 21, 2019 7:00pm at the theatre!

Executive Board for 2019/2020

Valerie Lawlor.....President
Isabel Mendenhall...Vice President
Elizabeth Mendenhall...Treasurer
Colleen Byberg.....Secretary
Directors at Large
Richard Wiens.
Warren Johnson
Cheryl Agoston
Rob Larsen

Thank you to Colleen Byberg for taking on membership, Alice Woodbury, play reading, Cheryl Agoston, Historian, Angie Koropatnisky, Costumes, Sandy Dunbar, coffee bar. Thank you to Mary Spani and Deborah Tom for volunteering to be on the Bullying and Harassment Committee. With so much support, we are on our way to an amazing year!

The Prez Says.....

I'm pleased to say that the season is running smoothly, and the excitement is growing for an amazing year of having fun while presenting great theatre to our patrons. I'm also looking forward to working with the new Board members. Thank you for stepping up to serve the club! One of my goals this year is to continue to grow our volunteer base and give members a chance to try new things, so if there are specific things you want to try, come to our meetings and let us know. I also would like to connect with other local arts organizations to see where we can collaborate and help one another to achieve our goals. Arts supporting arts benefits us all! Here's to a great season!

*Still time to be one of the glowing faces in the lobby! Great way to meet and greet old friends and make new ones. Little or no experience necessary. Volunteer for Front of House staff for *Terror By Gaslight!* contact Sandy Dunbar at...dunbarsandy@hotmail.com

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Once Upon A Fairy Tale has been cast!!
If you would like to help out, please contact Valerie Lawlor at vallawlor@icloud.com

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Season of Plays!

October – *Terror by Gaslight*

December – *Once Upon A Fairy Tale*

February – **Drinking Habits 2**

April – **Next Fall**

June – *Laughter On The 23rd Floor*

Vagabond Auditions!!!!

Vagabond Players will be holding auditions for **Drinking Habits 2** on Oct. 27th and 28th 7:00pm at the theatre.

Cast of characters:

Sister Philamena - 20-50+
Sister August – 20-50+
Mother Superior - 50+
George the grounds keeper - 20+
Paul – 20+ priest in training
Fr. Chenille – 50+ a priest
Sally – 20-30+ newspaper editor
Kate – 20+ married to George

Drinking Habits 2 will run Feb 6-29, 2020

Rehearsals will be Sun. Mon. and Wed. This is an Open audition. Actors will be seen in the order they arrive. Please bring resume and headshot.

Play reading

We are looking for an equal number of women and men to be part of our play reading committee. If you are interested in participating, or have a play you wish to submit and direct, please email Alice Woodbury at aawoodbury@hotmail.com

Play reading will be held on Sundays at 1:00pm at the theatre. There will be 10 meetings throughout the season, and we would prefer missing no more than two meetings. You must read all the plays in order to participate.

Sunshine!

Birthday wishes to....

Kelsey Roberston.....Sept. 27

Julie Atchison.....Sept. 28

Ken Fynn.....Oct. 2

Isabel Mendenhall.....Oct. 14

Katherine Ferguson....Oct. 27

*If you have anything that you would like the club to know about, please e-mail Isabel at i_mendenhall@hotmail.com

Condolences to Craig Premack and family on the loss of his wife, Maureen on Sept. 20th. There will a funeral service on Oct. 7th at 10:00am at Holy Cross Parish 1450 Delta Ave. Burnaby

What's Happening Around Town?

Metro Theatre presents
Comedy of Tenors by Ken Ludwig
Oct. 4-19

Langley Players present
Drop Dead
by Billy van Zandt and Jane Milmore,
Oct. 23-Nov 16

White Rock Players present
Dracula The Bloody Truth
By Le Navet Bete and John Nicholson
Oct 9-26

Stage 43 Presents
The Creature Creeps
Directed by Miles Lavkulich
Oct. 17-20 and 23-26

Surrey Little Theatre presents
Social Security
By Andrew Bergman
Oct 17-Nov 16

Fraser Valley Stage presents
Forever Plaid
Oct 10-12 & 17-19
Featuring the jackets from our very own production!

Vagabond Players Audition
Drinking Habits 2 Sun. Oct 27 and 28,
7:00pm at the theatre.

Metro Theatre Auditions - Always A Bridesmaid . Oct. 7 and 8 7:00pm at the theatre.

Sound and Lighting Workshop!

Vagabond Players will be hosting a lighting and sound workshop Saturday, Nov. 2nd 1:00pm-4:00pm at the theatre. If you are interested in learning how to operate our booth, run lights and sound , please sign up so we can have an idea of how many will be attending. Miles Lavkulich will be your instructor. RSVP to inquiries@vagabondplayers.ca or to Isabel at i_mendenhall@hotmail.com.

Welcome New Members!!!

It's always nice to see new faces added to our stage and front of house. We welcome Ted Drabyk, Amara Gelaude, Faith Johannesson, Nik Trotsuk, Julie Koebel, Will Davis, Stefani Delisimunovic, Karliana DeWolff, Robyn Young, Kaden Burgart, Emily MacKinnon, Nicky Evans, MJ Arden, Cassidy Hryckiwi, Marlea Cleveland, Julian Waldron, Jason Lam, Blossom Koh, Lauren Trotsuk, Alexa Davis, Mandy Lockhart, Shawn McCrory, and Barb Choi.

We at Vagabond Players hope you enjoy working with us as much as we are looking forward to working with you!

*Don't forget to come out to our October general meeting! Oct. 21st, 7:00pm