

The Vagabond Player

81st Season

January 2018

Comedy promises great entertainment and good box office

WITH CAST AND CREW working diligently in preparation for its February opening, the Vagabond Players' third main stage production, *Drinking Habits*, promises to delight audiences during its run. Set designer Warren Johnson has started building the set and the cast is busy learning their lines!

We welcome actors Jennifer Kennedy, Nicola Watson, Halia Hirniak, Kylee Bush, Christopher Brown, Rebecca Weakes, Alex Ross, and John Cousins. Debuting for the first time as a director for Vags, Richard Wiens who you've seen on stage in Charly's Aunt, and as Audrey II in Little Shop of Horrors, tells us that this will be a laugh out loud production!

Two nuns at the Sisters of Perpetual Sewing Convent have been secretly making wine to keep their convent open. Things go haywire when two reporters show up and go undercover as a nun and priest. This hilarious comedy is premiering in the Lower Mainland, so book your tickets, so you don't miss out, and enjoy! reservations@vagabondplayers.ca

WANTED

**Volunteers to work Front of House Front of House and Coffee Bar. Salary consists of a free show and coffee—
If interested, please inform Craig Premack @craigpremack@aol.com, or volunteer at the Jan. 15 meeting.**

REMEMBER...part of membership is being willing to volunteer occasionally.

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Production Crew Needed for 4000 Miles!!!!

We are looking for a few good volunteers to take on the jobs of costumer, props person, and stage manager for **4000 Miles**. This is a small cast, so it's perfect for someone who wants to try their hand for the first time.

Let Jeremy know if you are interested by raising your hand at the **general meeting** on **Jan. 15th**, or contacting him at jeremy.heynen@vagabondplayers.ca.

VAGABOND PLAYERS PRESENT DRINKING HABITS

BY Tom Smith

Directed by Richard Wiens

Feb. 1 – 25

Gala

Feb. 3rd

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

Metro Theatre presents

Murder By The Book

Jan 20-Feb.10. 604-266-7191 for res.

Langley Players present

The Foreigner

Jan 25-Feb 24 604- 534-7469 for res..

Surrey Little Theatre presents

The Garage Sale

Jan 25-Feb. 24 604 576-8451 for res.

White Rock Players present

Don't Dress For Dinner

Feb 9-24. 604-536-7535 for res.

Vagabond Players
General Meeting
January 15th 7:00pm
At the Bernie Legge Theatre,
Queens Park, New Westminster

It's always nice to see the faces of our members, so if you aren't doing anything special on Monday the 15th, join us at the theatre. We'll have goodies and coffee for everyone.

The Prez Says.....

Happy 2018! Every New Year brings new challenges, and I'm looking forward, with a positive attitude, to whatever 2018 brings. We have a strong Play Reading Committee, and I am thrilled to see what gets chosen for next season. However, I am just as excited to see the rest of this season be brought to life on our stage. All this would not be possible without you, and I really cannot thank all of you enough for being such a talented, hard working group.

Currently, we are assembling a production team for 4000 Miles. I need people to take on the costumes, props and stage management. Because this is a modern show with only 4 characters, it's a perfect opportunity for someone interested in doing costumes or props for their first time. Let me know if you are interested.

I also want to thank everyone who has been showing support for the club in voicing our concerns to the City about the skate park. I would like to encourage everyone living in New Westminster to write a letter to the Mayor and City Council about the negative impact being located next to an unsupervised outdoor facility will bring.

There will be a Stakeholders meeting this Wed., but we have been cut off at showing our concerns. Only one representative from each of the Queens Park Stakeholders groups are invited to attend. I shall do my best to represent our concerns.

I wish you all the best in 2018 and I hope we'll be working together on a production soon. See you at the theatre!

Jeremy Heynen

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SUNSHINE!

BIRTHDAY WISHES TO:

Anna Ducos Mendenhall.....Feb. 4

*If you have anything of interest that you would like the club to know about, please e-mail Isabel at i_mendenhall@hotmail.com or call 604-522-6246.

Don't forget!!!
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General Meeting
Jan. 15th 2018
7:00pm

The Bernie Legge Theatre Home
of the Vagabond Players!

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