



# SIGHTLINE

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Carnoustie Theatre Club

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## CTC PROGRAMME OF EVENTS 2008-2010

At a recent meeting in the Dibble Tree Theatre, the attached programme was put together. As you can see there are a few spaces to be filled. At this moment in time the club would like to expand its pool of people wishing to produce. If you would like to try your hand at production, please inform a committee member. You may like to start with a short one act play and it is possible that we could present two or three one act plays in one of the spaces.

The club is very strong, but as with all clubs there is a small core of people who are willing to take on the many jobs behind the scenes. This was amply illustrated during our recent, very successful, production of "Nunsense", when it proved quite difficult to round up enough people to cover front of house duties over the week. We have a large membership, this shouldn't be a problem. We do have a committee, but committee members are not elected to actually take on all the jobs and some have been on committee for a number of years.

Obviously most people join a theatre group because they wish to appear on stage, but in order to do so we must rely very heavily on all members to support productions in which they are not cast.

Please don't wait to be asked to support a production. Let us know if

you want to try your hand at production, stage management, technical support or even selling programmes. Every role is vital to the future success of your club. It would be great if we knew people actually wanted to be approached, as it is no fun being the producer or committee member who has to phone around begging people to come and support a production.

We have a strong base of very talented members, who I'm sure would be willing to support and train people, if it meant they could then have a break, or indeed try to develop their own skills in another area.

Muriel Gordon  
Club President

DATE	PRODUCER	PLAY/ PRODUCTION
SCDA Festival 2008	Betty Gibson	Adult Play
May/June 2008	Muriel Gordon	Comedy/Farce
Sept/Oct 2008	Grant Wilson	On Golden Pond
December 2008	Carolyn Doran	Panto
SCDA Festival 2009	Betty Gibson	Youth Play
SCDA Festival 2009	?	Adult Play
May/June 2009	Dick Gibson	Tbc
Sept/Oct 2009	Betty Gibson	Stepping Out
December 2009	?	Panto
SCDA Festival 2010	Carolyn Doran	Adult Play
May/June 2010	?	?
Sept/Oct 2010	?	?
December 2010	?	Panto

### WANTED! - RAFFLE PRIZES



As you may be aware one of our tried and tested methods of raising funds is to hold a raffle. Anyone who has ever been to a play or pantomime has been encouraged to try their luck! Obviously if we do not have to buy all the prizes the greater the funds we raise. If we all could try and donate just one item just imagine how effective that would be. The more unusual the item the better! So even though you are not in the "Panto" please could you help by dropping off a donation at the Dibble Tree on a Monday rehearsal night. Elke Mai Lyon will have a box ready for all donations.



## CTC FRIDAY FILM NIGHTS

Our Friday Film Nights are really taking off. After the first two sing-along films we showed “Happy Feet” last Friday which provided an opportunity for people to have a family night out. Thanks to everyone who filled in our questionnaires at the theatre. The feedback shows that there is a demand for an afternoon film session with a break for a cup of tea or coffee during the winter months. As a result of this we will be showing “To Kill a Mocking Bird” on the 23rd October at 2pm. A donation of £3.00 towards our building fund would be greatly appreciated.

Our end of month movie will be “High School Musical” on Friday 26th October at 7pm. So come along all you budding stars and sing along with your favourite movie. There will also be a half hour chance to dance along on stage at the end of the evening, so there is fun for all. Bring your friends or your mums and dads! A donation of £3.00 per person towards our building fund would be greatly appreciated and there will be soft drinks (50p) and Mackie's ice cream (£1) for sale. We have had feedback that there may be a demand for a once a month “toddlers film morning” and we are waiting for more feedback before we go ahead with this one.

To book seats for either of the films or to advise us of any interest in the “toddlers morning” please contact [publicity@dibbletree.com](mailto:publicity@dibbletree.com) or call 01241 852592



## “NUNSENSE”



What a wonderful week! Well done to everybody who was involved in any way with this production, especially our producer and Mother Superior, Betty Gibson. This play involved acting, singing and dancing and on top of all that, Betty also produced a winner.

What a brilliant team - it was a privilege to be part of such a supportive group, a group that was able to reduce audiences to helpless tears of laughter night after night. The audiences were truly entertained - some even came back for a second dose of Mount St Helen's humour.

On a personal note, I was certainly pushed out of my comfort zone and at times found it very hard. (Singing, tap-dancing and ventriloquism!) However, the anxiety faded as the week progressed and I thoroughly enjoyed the experience.

Thank you and well done!

Sister Amnesia (the president ...I think!)

## FUNDRAISER FOR BANGLADESH

One of our members, June Black is going to Bangladesh in January to be part of a team that is to help build a church/community centre for the town of Ashkor. She will be holding a disco and stovies night in the Station Hotel on the 26th October to raise funds for materials. On 29th November “Loads of Women” a ladies singing group is coming to Panbride Church along with singers from the community. This date could be subject to change. Anyone interested in tickets or information for either event please phone June (410196).

## PANTO PROGRAMME 2007

We are currently compiling our panto programme. Would you like to place an advert in the programme at the cost of £25 for a quarter page? Please contact [publicity@dibbletree.com](mailto:publicity@dibbletree.com) and we will phone you to discuss your requirements.

## BBC BLAST COMES TO DUNDEE

BBC Blast is to visit Dundee on 11th –13th October. If you are aged between 13 and 19 years of age check out the BBC website <http://www.bbc.co.uk/scotland/blast/tour/dundee.shtml> for some exciting opportunities during the autumn holidays. Places are limited so book yours now!

If you have any articles, information, news or views you would like to see published in “Sightline”, then please let me know by email ([secretary@dibbletree.com](mailto:secretary@dibbletree.com)) or telephone (01241 411359).



# TREASURE ISLAND

It's that time of year again when you have to start thinking about organising your panto tickets. "Treasure Island" will be performed in the Carnoustie High School Theatre from Monday, 3rd December to Saturday, 8th December 2007. So, if you want to have a magical time, then please fill in the order form below and return it by **Friday 9th November, 2007** to:-

**Mrs Carolyn Cheape, 2 Guthrie Street, Carnoustie, Angus, DD7 6EL. Please include a S.A.E.**

All cheques should be made payable to CTC and will be numbered as they arrive so that they can be allocated on a first come, first served basis. Please remember this if you have any special seating request or require seats for the Friday night or Saturday Matinee as these are extremely popular.

Payment must be included with your order. **No tickets can be set aside to be paid on the day.**

	ALL TICKETS £7.00	ADULTS £8.00	SCHOOL CHILDREN £7.00	DAILY COSTS
MONDAY 3rd DEC 7.30pm				
TUESDAY 4th DEC 7.30pm				
WEDNESDAY 5th DEC 7.30pm				
THURSDAY 6th DEC 7.30pm				
FRIDAY 7th DEC 7.30pm				
SAT MATINEE 8th DEC 2.30pm				
SAT EVENING 8th DEC 7.30pm				
				£ .00

NAME.....PHONE.....

ADDRESS .....

TOTAL ADULT.....TOTAL CHILDREN.....TOTAL MONDAYS.....

TOTAL PAYMENT £.....CASH / CHEQUE.