Boise Little Theater

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GREEN ROOM GAZETTE

Next Auditions

Auditions for The Crucible, directed by Frank White, will be Feb. 6 & 7 at 2pm in the theater Green Room.

Needed: 10 men/ 10 women (ages 25-70) 5 girls (ages 10-18)

Servant of
Two Masters
runs
Jan 8- 23

Theater Organization

PresidentJohn Myers

Business Manager Kay Mack

Board of Directors

Lynne Beautrow Wendy Koeppl Helene Myers Jay Parker Frank White

Gazette Editor Lynne Beautrow Greetings and welcome to the Green Room Gazette. I'm your host, BLT's John Myers.

I hope you all got a chance to see **Every Christmas Story Ever Told (and then some**. The cast and crew had a blast putting it on, and we hope you enjoyed it as much as we did.

I personally want to thank Kay Mack and her team for putting together another wonderful Christmas Party! It was great to have everyone get together and kick off the "Christmas Party Season" with such great people. Thanks, Kay!

Servant of Two Masters opened January 8th, so come check it out because it's a riot!

Calendar Girls auditions were December 13th and 14th and they are already in rehearsals.

And on January 30th we will be hosting **Will Act 4 Food** for Daisy's Madhouse for the Fifth year in a row; definitely come check it out. It's an amazing evening of theater.

Wendy Koeppl and her Script committee are close to finalizing next season.

Looking past February, we will have a board election, a Presidential election, auditions for 2 more shows, the summer show, awards and the Picnic. And that's just the stuff that they tell me about.

Speaking of elections, just a reminder that if you haven't renewed your membership you need to before the end of the January Membership Meeting (January 18th) to vote in Board elections.

I hope everyone had a wonderful holiday season with Family and Friends and that everyone is excited as I am for what 2016 has in store.

'til next time J



Membership Meeting: Last chance to pay dues to vote in March! Monday, January 18, 2015 at 7:00 p.m.



BJ Jefferson

Long-time member BJ Jefferson, 84, passed away on December 15. BJ worked on 105 shows from 1955-2010, working in all aspects of production, as

an actress, on props, costumes, sound, set construction and painting, make-up, set dressing, stage crew, assistant stage manager, assistant director, and director. For the theater itself she took on roles in ushering & house managing, ticketing, building & grounds, make-up chair, box office manager, membership chair, hospitality, publicity, and board member. BJ was an important part of making BLT what it is today.



(BJ, center, in a 1972 production of Arsenic and Old Lace)

Everyone is welcome to a Celebration of BJ's life at the theater on Sunday, January 31, at 5 p.m.



Cindy Van Komen-Dean

Cindy was a recent but loved addition to the BLT family. She worked on *Inherit the Wind*, *Harvey*, *Curtains*, *Cat on a Hot Tin Roof*, *Squabbles*, and *Rex's Exes*. We will miss her big smile.



Cindy in *Inherit the Wind*

An excerpt from her Cindy's obituary in the Statesman tells us "...After becoming an empty nester, she could often be found in the softball/baseball stands cheering on her husband. Also, she traveled many times to Yellowstone, a place she had an affinity for and wished her ashes to be scattered there. Other destinations included Garden Valley, where she enjoyed watching musicals under the mountain sky. She even decided to

try her hand at acting/dancing/singing, appearing in several productions put on by Starlight Theater, Boise Little Theater, and Boise Music Week. Fellow thespians described her as very outgoing, talkative, positive, and encouraging to be around."

"In place of flowers, the deceased wished donations to be made in her name to the Joe Posluszny Scholarship."

Read more about Cindy here:

http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/idahostatesman/obituary.aspx?pid=176662502#sthash.sPJHP6LE.dpuf

FUN THINGS HAPPENING AT THE FORUM..... THE ACTORS FORUM by Debbie Hertzog & Patti O'Hara

The first Actors Forum kicked off on First Thursday in January. Future dates: Feb 4, Mar 3, Apr 7, May 5, June 2, July 7, Aug 4, Sept 1, Oct 6, Nov 4, Dec 1.

This exciting, new monthly event is sponsored by I-ACT, the Idaho Association of Community Theatre, to give local actors an opportunity to perform a favorite monologue, show tune, or short scene in front of a captive audience.

Interested in signing up to perform?

Contact <u>ActorsForum@cableone.net</u> or visit <u>facebook.com/</u> <u>iactactorsforum.</u>

A Merry Christmas Party

Once again, the Christmas party was a great success, with over 100 members and friends attending, and Paul Archibeque, Bradley Campbell, and John Myers providing entertainment. Thanks to Kay Mack and crew for setting up and supplying delicious food!









Countdown to Pay Membership Dues:

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According to the by-laws, you must pay the \$5 membership dues by the January membership meeting—by January 18, 2016—in order to be eligible to vote in the March election of Board members.



If your name is **NOT** on the list below, you have until January 19th to get your dues paid!

Jim Littlejohn

Pamela Abas Jim Anderson Daniel Andrews Elise Barton Barbara & Lynne Beautrow Connie Behee Earl & Diane Benedict Jerry Bindas Marie Blanchard Daren, Cheryl & Shirley Blauer Margot Bown Mike Carroll Sarah Church Carroll Vera Cederstrom Larry Chase Anne Church Diane & Russ Clayton Joni Cordell Carolyn Crooks James Denison Larry Dennis Tom Donahoe John Elliott Marie Galvean Jerry Garber Mrs. Sheridan Gill David Goar Elizabeth Greeley Tom Hammel Erin Hansen Michelle Hendryx Debbie Hertzog Donna Hibbert Ormond Howell Helen Irwin Gennie Ison Dick Jamison Erv Johnson Jo-Ann Jones

Autumn & Paul Kersey

Jim & Wendy Koeppl &

Cricket Langworthy

Pat & Ted Larson

Family

Shirley Lake

Vince & Janet Lizaso I.J. Longeteig Mary Lou Lynch Kay Mack Joanna Marshall Gary Miller Rhonda Miracle Keri Moran Mike Mullens Don & Jody Mummert Bonalyn-Alethe Munson John & Helene Myers Patti & Richard O'Hara **Brad Ooley** Dwight Pangborn Annette Parenteau Jay Parker Joe & Helen Posluszny Jerry & Judi Radek Curtis & Courtney Ransom Nancy Richards Kathleen Riordan Aidan Riordan-Buell Melody Robinson Pat Ryan Ray & Betty Sackett Patrick Schow Nancy Shankweiler Ev Sherod Mike Silva Carolle A Skov Jerry & Lynda Snodgrass Mary & Jim Steele Ruth Stemper Jim Sturgill Nancy Suiter Cynthia, Emil, & Conner Talbot Lavne Taylor Mrs. Ione Troutner Anastasia Van Allen Leslie Vincent Rod Wallace Alies Watson Pearl Wegener Mike Wetherell Frank White Eva Marie Wolf

Calling All Artists!

Cindy Marshall, Principal of Eagle Elementary School of the Arts, is interested in creating contacts with community members who may be interested in volunteering for opportunities with the school. She says, "My long-term goal is to seek out funding for artistic residencies where local artists could work with a particular grade level a few times a year in their artistic area of emphasis (drama, music, visual arts, dance, etc.)." If any members are interested, please feel free to contact Cindy at marshall.cindy@westada.org or (208) 855-4365

The Servant of Two Masters Cast and Crew

Cast

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Character	Actor
Pantalone	Joe Colletti
Clarice	Melanie Falls
Lombardi	Karen Christensen
Silvio	Jaeger Mattis
Beatrice	Suzi Kromer
Florindo	Tyler Roquemore
Brighella	Daniel J. Maggard
Smeraldina	Victoria Horn
Truffaldino	Andrew Chilcott
Patron/Porter	Jerry Baker
2nd Waiter/Gondolier	Victor Pellegrino
First Waiter	Brittany Swanson
Stage Manager	Christian Hampton
Crew	
Director	Jonathan Perry
Asst. Director	Lynne Beautrow
Stage Manager	Brittany Swanson
Costumes	Bobbi Carlson
Set/Lighting Design	Jonathan Perry
Lighting Operator	Lynne Beautrow
Sound Operator	Shelby Deaton
Props	Brittany Swanson



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2015-2016 Season at BLT

The Servant of Two Masters directed by Jonathan Perry. Jan. 8-23, 2016.

Calendar Girls directed by Wendy Koeppl. Feb. 26-March 12, 2016.

The Crucible directed by Frank White. April 8-23, 2016.

Flaming Idiots directed by Brad Wm. Ooley. May 20-June 4, 2016.

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