



The Manifest Theatre

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NEWSLETTER MAY 2011

Dear Members,

As you can see, we have a full programme for you once again and as well as what's below, Kate Sheffield will be organising an Edwardian concert evening at Mistley church hall to celebrate its 100th birthday and will be holding a first meeting and casting on Tuesday 26th July at 7.30pm, so do come along if you'd like to be involved. Another date for your diary is our AGM on Thursday 21st July at 7.30pm. Hope to see you all there.

Meanwhile, don't forget your tickets for 'A Funny Thing Happened On The Way To The Forum', they are already selling fast - we hope you enjoy it.

'A Funny Thing Happened On The Way To The Forum'

Book by Burt Shevelove and Larry Gelbart, music and lyrics by Stephen Sondheim

Monday 16th to Saturday 21st May 2011 7.30pm
Tickets £6

Box Office open Saturdays 10.30am - 12noon Mondays & Wednesdays 7.30 - 9pm

A 'Poppy Party' Sunday 12th June 7pm

The Royal British Legion are celebrating being 90 years old this year and our 'Poppy Party' will be a celebration of music and life through the decades, culminating in a wartime sing song. There will also be a raffle and nibbles.

Tickets £4 with proceeds to the Royal British Legion.
Box Office open Saturdays 4th and 11th June 10.30am to 12noon or call Patience Ling on 01206 393171.

Daphne Du Maurier's

'REBECCA'

When a naive young woman marries a rich widower and settles in his mansion, she finds the memory of his first wife maintaining a grip on her husband and the servants.

A cast of 8 men and 3 women

Read through - Monday 6th June 2011

Auditions - Wednesday 8th June 2011

Rehearsals will start in July Production dates 18th to 22nd October 2011

If anyone is interested but can't make these dates or would like further info please contact John Roberts on 01206 391354

'TWO'

Directed by Kerry King

Friday 22nd & Saturday 23rd July 2011 7.30pm Tickets £6

TWO, written by Jim Cartwright (who also wrote popular iconic theatre such as 'Little Voice') presents a microcosm of working-class life in a Northern pub in the eighties. A place of failed aspirations and unfulfilled lives. Its main characters, the Landlord and Landlady, interlace a variety of characters each affected by another specific character. All life is present in this pub; (including entertainment!) it is the heart of communities, it is where people celebrate and mourn, it looks at our need for companionship and throughout this play we are confronted unflinchingly at life's weaknesses and darkness, as well as its heart and many spirits!

Box Office will be open Saturdays 10.30am to 12noon from 9th July and Mondays and Wednesdays 7.30 to 9pm.