

AUDITIONS:

Cinderella Confidential

A New Twist On an Old Favorite

AUDITION DATES: September 21 & 22 at 7PM

PLACE: Antrim Theater

PERFORMANCE DATES:

Sat. December 5th—Noon, 2PM, 4PM

Sun. December 6th—Noon, 2PM

Sat. December 12th—Noon, 2PM, 4PM

Sun. December 13th—Noon, 2pm

THE STORY

The prince has the shoe. He's ready to wed. But who's the woman behind the foot? Two investigative reporters, Deb Jabber from *Action News Now* and Sonny Glamour from *Glitter Kingdom Today*, compete for the scoop of the century, interviewing everybody from a fairy godmother in desperate need of a day-planner to mice in the witness protection program. Look for cameos from Pinocchio, Jack and his cow and other celebrities in this no-holds-barred expose of the timeless love story and what it means to find and tell the truth.

CHARACTERS

DEB JABBER.....Reporter for *Action News Now*—female ages 20's-40's
SONNY GLAMOUR.....Reporter for *Glitter Kingdom Today*—male ages 20's-40's
THE PRINCE.....The man with the shoe. Stupid.— male ages 18-28
FAIRY GODMOTHER.....Forgetful fairy in need of a day-planner-female ages 20's-50's
JACK.....Boy with ambition and a cow(to be played by an adult)- male ages 18-30
PINOCCHIO....Puppet with curiosity and a cricket(to be played by an adult)- ages 18-30
SHOE_MAKER.....Master of the finest footwear – ages 30's-60's
AN ELF.....The real maker of the finest footwear – ages 18-50
MR. & MRS. MOUSE.....Creatures with a shocking tale to tell – ages 25-70
CINDERELLA.....A Hard working woman – ages 20's-30's
TWO WICKED STEPSISTERS.....Women who have everything — ages 20's-40's

****Actors may or may not play multiple roles**

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FROM THE PRESIDENT:

Surviving-

The front page article of the June issue of “The Cue”., discussed the difficulties facing community theaters regarding surviving in these difficult financial times. It pointed out that the escalating costs of mounting productions resulted in higher ticket prices which still did not cover expenditures. This has led to the danger of extinction for many theater companies who have been in existence for as many as 50 years or more.

Antrim, now entering its 73rd Season is thankfully not quite on the endangered species list yet. We definitely are feeling the financial strain - last year’s expenditures were at an all time high and were not matched by revenues from our shows. Much of our costs were attributed to our ongoing renovation of the theater. Our beautiful building of over 100 years of age needs constant attention and maintenance. We have been focusing on updating technical equipment, structural building improvements, and modernization in the Green Room and dressing room areas.

Fortunately, we have been able to keep our membership and box office prices the same for this new season, despite our financial concerns. Hopefully, our new productions will generate enough revenue to keep us solvent and healthy. We want to be around to bring you the finest community theater possible for at least another 73 years or so. Please help by supporting our shows and encouraging your friends and neighbors to join you in this rewarding effort.

We all benefit.

Costumes-

Special thanks to Lu France, Claudia Stefany, Andrew Barrett and Helen Ballantyne for their hard work last month in cleaning out our costume closets. This annual exercise in aggravation pointed out the desperate need for a total makeover of our current storage system. Fortunately, we have found someone who is now undertaking this enormous task – Madeleine Maloy. Maddy is a welcome new member of our costume committee and has already costumed three of our productions. Renovation of our costume closets is long overdue. Thanks again to all mentioned above for your hard work.

Members and Reservations-

A new season is beginning, and once again we need to remind our members about calling in for reservations for our shows. Yes, your membership entitles you to a discounted admission to each of our six major productions.....but, you are not guaranteed admission to a specific performance date if you have not made a reservation. Even as a member, at a sold-out performance you must have your name on the phone reservation list to be admitted. This happens most frequently at our musicals. Please avoid this situation by calling ahead for reservations.



PLAY READING COMMITTEE:

At the September Membership meeting scheduled for 7:30PM on September 23rd, Antrim's Play Reading Group will present two original short pieces by Joe McDonald. DAYTIME BLUES with Walter Fiedler, Mariann Felice and Stavros Aminides, and WORDS with Dale O'Dell Jr. and Mark Herrmann.

COMING SOON...

DRACULA

The chilling **ADULT** adaptation by Steven Dietz
of the classic novel by Bram Stoker

PERFORMANCES:

October 30, 31
November 1,6,7,8,13,14,15

Add some thrills to your Halloween by reserving your tickets now!

To receive your copy of the newsletter via e-mail, please contact Maryann Molnar at Dogselkie@optonline.net.

If you have any news items, please e-mail Maryann Molnar at Dogselkie@optonline.net.

The Antrim players solicit and welcome the help of all who wish to participate in providing the very best theatrical entertainment. In addition to directors, producers, actors, singers and dancers, help is needed in many backstage departments such as lighting and tech, scene construction and painting, costume work, procurement and care of props and hospitality.

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