



The Queensville Players

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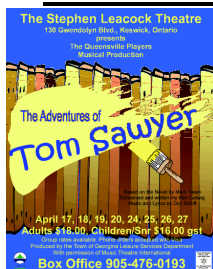
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Properties	Open

Our 2007-8 Executive members have been working hard to generate support and interest in Musical Theatre. We will aim to keep our website updated and informative, but should you have any questions, please feel free to contact us. Check it out at:

www.queensvilleplayers.org

2007-2008 QP SEASON at the STEPHEN LEACOCK THEATRE

Come out and bring your friends and family to our exciting line up! **Call the theatre for tickets at (905) 476-0193.** Our remaining show for this season is **"The Adventures of Tom Sawyer"**



The Cast and Crew are already hard at work preparing to present this great family musical, based on the classic Mark Twain novel. The country-bluegrass rhythms will have you tapping your toes and wanting to sing along!

The show runs Thursdays-Sundays, from April 17th to 27th. Evening shows are Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays starting at 7:30pm. Matinee showings are offered on Sunday afternoons at 2:00pm.

Tickets can be purchased by calling the box office at 476-0193 (\$18 for adults, or \$16 for children/seniors).

SHOW PROGRAMS

Please contact Sue Meacock at [\(905\) 989-2144](tel:905-989-2144) if you would like to place an ad or know anyone who would like to place an ad in our programs. Business card size is \$35.00 for one program or \$60.00 for both programs for season's productions. Posters for this season's productions will be available soon. Please let us know if you can offer help to put up our posters. Please help us promote our shows!

2008-2009 QP SEASON



September 2008
Professional Illusionist
TIMOTHY DRAKE

This Canadian will be presented as our **Annual Fundraising Event**. For tickets please call the box office \$15 adults, \$12 child or senior

Fall 2008 we present **"Oliver!"**

Spring 2009 TO BE ANNOUNCED

SUBSCRIPTIONS for the 2008 season are available! This ticket package saves you money by including tickets for "Oliver!", Illusionist "Timothy Drake", and the Spring 2009 show for one price!

For more information please email [ruth_qpsubscriptions@hotmail.com!](mailto:ruth_qpsubscriptions@hotmail.com)

AUDITIONS / OPPORTUNITIES

Auditions for our next show will be announced at a later date. Please prepare for May-June 2008. **WANTED** ~ backstage, props, set decoration and building, hair and makeup, costuming and front of house help for "The Adventures of Tom Sawyer". Anyone interested should contact Jackie Diasio ASAP at (905) 476-1329.

SOCIAL NIGHTS AND WORKSHOPS

The Queensville Players enjoys keeping in touch with our community and our members. We are organizing a monthly One Hour Workshop followed by a Coffee Social Hour.

We have prepared a schedule so that you can mark your calendar in advance with the sessions you might be interested in. Please see the Calendar of Events on the reverse side of the Newsletter.

If you have any ideas or a wish list for our workshops please contact Patsi at patsiszabo@sympatico.ca. These workshops are free/included in membership fees for QP members (20.00 each, or 30.00 for a family rate). This is only one good reason to join/re-join the Queensville Players! Contact Patsi at patsiszabo@sympatico.ca for details.

See Over for MORE QP news!



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday March 31st – SINGING TIPS with Cher Alexander & Lyndsey Brown

Workshop Date: March 31, 2008

Time: 7:30 - 10:00 pm

Location: North Union Hall - Boag Rd, east of
Woodbine, South of Ravenshoe, North Side

Contact: 905.989.2651 or email

patsiszabo@sympatico.ca

This workshop is designed to help the singer with breath control, posture, projection, and enunciation. You will also be given valuable tips of how to keep your voice healthy, and the basics of using your instrument...And make no mistake - your voice is your instrument!

With this knowledge as your foundation, you can build on your singing performance techniques, and add expression to properly tell the story that is the song you sing.

With Fall show auditions coming up in a few short months, this workshop should be very helpful in bringing out the best of the voice in you!

This workshop is open and FREE to all paid QP members. It is also free if you are "first-timer" at one of our Workshops...! It's like a free trial offer, and you can't go wrong with that!

Anyone wishing to become an Associate Member for only \$10.00 may participate in this workshop, as well as ALL remaining workshops this season for free. Coffee/Tea and snacks will be available for a Freewill Donation...Thanks! To register contact Patsi Szabo at 905-989-2651 or email patsiszabo@sympatico.ca

Upcoming Workshops:

April Workshop – AUDITION TIPS

May Workshop – DANCE AUDITION TIPS

June Workshop – IMPROV NIGHT

ACT-CO (Association of Community Theatres for Central Ontario) GALA - The Harlequin Ball

2007-2008 ACT-CO THEA Awards

April 5, 2008

Paradise Banquet & Convention Centre

7601 Jane Street, Concord

Tickets on sale until March 15th, and are \$50/person for Dinner, Ceremony, Dancing & Sweets or \$25/person for Ceremony & Sweets only. All reservation requests must be received and paid for by March 22nd.

Please direct questions to gala@actco.ca or call Kim Collins at 905-830-4355. Black tie or Harlequin costumes and masks are optional. Please let them know you would like a table near or with the Queensville Players and thanks for coming out to support our Awards entry of "The Wizard of Oz"!

April 17-27th – We present "The Adventures of Tom Sawyer at the Stephen Leacock Theatre.

June 11th (Wed) eve – Annual General Mtg

Location TBA* - Theatre or Boag Road

SUMMER THEATRE CAMP

For August, we are glad to welcome Instructor Gail Henderson to our camp team, assisted by her daughters Lyndsey and Heather, also assisted by Joanne Kaufman.

The July session team will be announced soon.

Our campers are surely in for a treat with a lot of fun in store!

The exact class dates are to be decided, and are held at the Queensville United Church. If you have any registration questions, please contact Jackie - phasar@sympatico.ca

WIZARD OF OZ

Many Thanks go out again to EVERYONE involved in this production! Our efforts helped make this a wonderful presentation of this classic musical!

TALENT BANK FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE

Members are asked to sign up to entertain wherever we are asked. There are many ways we can showcase our talent in the community with our service clubs, homes and town events. This will keep our members active between shows. Please email your comments to Jackie Diasio and to have your name added to the list of entertainers. phasar@sympatico.ca

CONGRATS / ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are always encouraged and glad to hear about our members and their successes in the Arts. Please send your announcements to patsiszabo@sympatico.ca

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

Our members and audiences keep us motivated to provide a continuous, and positive support of the Arts in our area. Thank you for your interest!

Please contact us with your thoughts and comments. We are always glad to give credit where it is due. We also like to pass on your arts news, and develop good relations with past, present and future QP Members! If you have any news we should share, please contact Jackie at phasar@sympatico.ca, Patsi Szabo at patsiszabo@sympatico.ca or Ruth Ottaway at ruth_qpsubscriptions@hotmail.com