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Clubrooms: 6 - 8 Castle Hill Richmond North Yorkshire DL10 4QP
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Thu 24th - Sat 26th March 2016

THE VEIL

by Conor McPherson.
 Directed by **Gregan Davis**

Thu 28th - Sat 30th July
 and Thu 4th - Sat 6th Aug 2016

Terry Pratchett's WYRD SISTERS

Adapted for the stage by Stephen Briggs.
 Directed by **Beki Stevenson**

Social Secretary's Snippets

Club nights:

Monday 8 February 2016: An evening of play reading with Martin Ash.

Monday 14 March 2016: 30-minute Shakespeare hosted by Gary Winn.

Dates for your diary

NODA North annual "weekend" is being held at the Holiday Inn, Scotch Corner between **Friday 11th March - Sunday 13 March 2016. An attachment was sent out with November's Newsletter.**

Please try to come along and support these events and please let me know if you have any ideas for future club nights and/or any other social events.

Contact me by e mail socialsec@richmond-ads.org.uk or by phone **01748 818402.**

Kind Regards,
 Julie Winn.

Wyrd Sisters - Audition Dates

Read Through Date - Tues 5th April 2016
 Audition Date - Thurs 7th April 2016

Beki says: Auditions will be fairly active, if people could please wear loose clothes. Women please prepare their best witches cackle and men to prepare their best demonic laugh!

List of characters and ages and a synopsis to follow, in your newsletter and on the website.

Spring 2017 & Sedgefield 2016

As a society we feel it is healthy to encourage all our members to have a go at directing a play. We are now inviting submissions for the Sedgefield Festival Sept 2016 (one-act) and for Spring 2017, so if you would like to put yourself (and a play) forward, please contact the Chairman or any committee member.

If you have not previously directed for RADS you will be required to direct a one-act play first before being let loose on a full-length play.

Thu 3rd - Sat 5th November 2016

The Real Inspector Hound

by Tom Stoppard.

Black Comedy

by Peter Shaffer.

A double-bill - Directed by **Jim Brown**

Thu 11th - Sat 13th February 2016 GEORGIAN THEATRE ROYAL ONE-ACT PLAY FESTIVAL

(RADS entry is Fri 12th February)
Laughter In The Shadow Of The Trees
 by James Prideaux.
 Directed by **Gregan Davis**

Shakespeare Festival 2016

A PLEA:

The above festival will take place from 18th to 24th April. It will involve Theatre, Film, Art, Music, Poetry, Quiz and a Shakespeare Dinner. RADS are hosting an evening of readings in the Theatre bar on Monday 18th and invite any member to host the event as well as members/friends to participate. Please contact Gary by e-mail: winn@winnjulie30.orangehome.co.uk

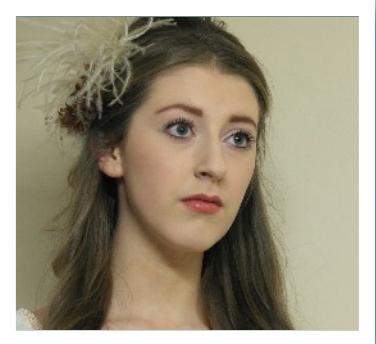
There will also be a series of events on Saturday afternoon and Gary is also looking for participants who may want to present something Bard like!

Full up to date details are on: <http://www.richmond.org/community/page.php?groupid=51>



Health and Safety

A reminder to all RADS members involved in any production: there is an annual requirement to read the RADS Health and Safety document which is in a folder in the Club Rooms and sign to acknowledge that you've read it. Please do this next time you are in the Club Rooms. If you can't find it, just ask!



Chair's Corner

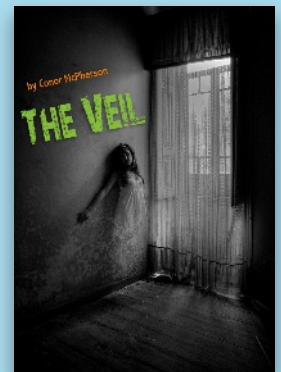
2016 is flying past and here we are already in February, with RADS performance in the GTR One-Act Play Festival virtually upon us. I would urge Members and Friends to go along and support Gregan and his cast in James Prideaux's excellent play, full of both pathos and humour.

And do encourage friends and family to buy tickets for *The Veil*, which is coming along nicely, a play with something for everyone, with humour, drama and the odd thrill thrown in for good measure! Regrettably, our Publicity Officer, Darryl Pointer, has had to resign from the committee due to work commitments and we are looking for a replacement, but in the meantime we need every Member and Friend to actively promote *The Veil* through social media and word of mouth.

I'd also like to add a mention for Gary Winn's Shakespeare Festival in April - there seems to be a very full programme and is well worthy of Richmond's support.

Mike

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