



With another successful play underway at Cue it is hard to believe that we are now planning the Christmas party and scheduling auditions for the first production in 2009!

“Taking Off” has been a labour of love for a huge cast and crew and, with many new faces both on stage and off, it is a great testament to the dedication and passion for those of us with theatre as our hobby. If you haven’t had the chance to see it we suggest you don’t delay in organizing your ticket as many performances have been sold out for several weeks. It is also your opportunity to see the Inglewood Photographic Appreciation Group exhibition in the foyer so we look forward to seeing you soon.

Trish Devine has her auditions for “Educating Rita” before Christmas – one middle aged man and one woman around 30 are required. This is a wonderful play which has been made into an outstanding film with Michael Caine and Julie Walters winning the 1983 BAFTA award for Best Film.

Only another month until the official start of summer – roll on the fine weather and hope you are all enjoying the longer days.

### **YOUR COMMITTEE**

- President:** Marie Pearce – 7567977
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### **Membership & Venue Hire**

Membership forms and information regarding private booking of the TET Cue Theatre are available by contacting the Treasurer, Chris Turnbull on 06 7522877 or via the website – Members – [www.cuetheatre.co.nz](http://www.cuetheatre.co.nz)

### **A CHRISTMAS CONCERT**

Earlier this year we were privileged to have the **Madrigal Companie** perform several nights in the TET Cue Theatre foyer as part of the “Lettice & Lovage” production directed by Peter Meikle.

Next month the Madrigal Companie are joining forces with **Living Harmony** to stage a special Christmas Concert in the Whiteley Church, Methodist Centre on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> December. They will be presenting a

selection of Christmas music with two young local singers, Natasha Hansman and Scott Jonas singing some solos with the combined choirs.

The show commences at 7.30pm and admission is \$10.00 per person. Further information is available from Paul Cooke – phone 06-758 7476 or email Paul at [n.pcooke@clear.net.nz](mailto:n.pcooke@clear.net.nz)

### **YVONNE BROWN MEMORIAL**

Sincere thanks to all those members and friends of Cue who attended a delightful afternoon at the TET Cue Theatre in memory of Yvonne Brown. This was truly a time to reminisce and share other special moments with Yvonne’s family.

A “Founder’s Plaque” was unveiled in the auditorium and we hope that those of you who were unable to share with us on the day will take note of it next time you are at the theatre.

### **TAKING OFF**

**By Roger Hall  
Directed By David Ertel**

At the time of writing this newsletter the ticket sales for “Taking Off” had done just that – with hardly a spare seat available before opening night (except for one or two of the matinees) we suggest you give the Inglewood Book Shop a quick call if you haven’t yet made your booking.

The gala night on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> October was another night of celebration for this wonderful Roger Hall comedy. Under the visionary direction of David Ertel (and without giving too much away), the technical side of the production and the unique set helps bring alive the stories of each of the four women we meet.

Valda Hinz, Cathy Morris, Noreen Hobo and April Krijger have all worked extremely hard and there is no doubt that this is a play with a difference!

For booking information please contact Inglewood Book Shop on 06 7567032 – tickets are \$20.00 or pre paid group bookings of \$18.00 for 10+. The show runs until Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> November with weekend matinees only at 4.00pm on 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> November. Evening shows on 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> November all commence at 8.00pm. Further information is available via [www.cuetheatre.co.nz](http://www.cuetheatre.co.nz).

### **AT TET CUE THEATRE ...**

#### **Saturday 1st – Sunday 9th Nov 2008**

“**TAKING OFF**” – A Cue Theatre production in association with Playmarket. Evening shows commence at 8.00pm with weekend matinees only at 4.00pm. Tickets from Inglewood Book Centre phone 06 7567032.

#### **Saturday 1st – Saturday 8th November PHOTOGRAPHIC EXHIBITION**

To be held in the TET Cue Theatre foyer each day from 9.30am – 4.00pm. Presented by the Inglewood Photographic Appreciation Group with viewing also available pre-show and interval of “Taking Off”. Contact Les Koch for more details on 021 1226085

#### **Tuesday 18th November 2008**

**Committee Meeting** – TET Cue Theatre Green Room, 7.30pm. All welcome.

#### **Sunday 7th December 2008**

##### **CUE CHRISTMAS PARTY**

TET Cue Theatre Foyer from 4.00pm for Pot Luck Finger Food with BYO Beverage. More details to come but please diary now as we know that this is a busy time of year for all.

#### **Saturday 13th December 2008**

##### **INGLEWOOD CHRISTMAS PARADE**

#### **Sunday 14th December 2008**

##### **CHRISTMAS AT THE BOWL**

Annual community Christmas Show at the TSB Bowl Of Brooklands. Entry gold coin donation – family groups very welcome. Picnic hampers permitted. Gates open from 5pm – Pre-show entertainment from 7.00pm with main show at 8.00pm concluding approximately 9.30pm with fireworks display.

### **EDUCATING RITA**

**BY WILLY RUSSELL**

From the 2003 updated version

**To Be Directed by TRISH DEVINE**

Passionately serious, painfully funny it is a hilarious social documentary which has also been made into a highly successful film.

Requiring one man (middle age) and one woman (around 30).

Scheduled on stage at

TET Cue Theatre, Inglewood

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> March - Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2009

## **EDUCATING RITA AUDITION**

TET Cue Theatre,  
38 Matai Street, Inglewood  
**Sunday 7th December 2008**  
from 1pm-3pm

For more information and/or script contact  
**TRISH DEVINE, Director**  
on 021 156 9366