



The Orchard Players

Capel St Mary

The Orchard Players Newsletter December 2015

Hi Folks,

Panto 2016

Tickets are selling quickly, so if you haven't got yours, be quick, you can call the booking number 07754175399. Please let Rob or a committee member know if you are available to help in any way during show week, or on Sunday January 10th. Two extra rehearsals have been booked over the Christmas and New year period, hopefully most of the cast will be able to attend. The dates are [Tuesday December 29th and Tuesday January 5th](#) in the village hall. Show dates are [January 14th 15th and 16th 2016](#)

Social and Fundraising

After Show Party Night

The after show party night will be on Thursday January 20th at 7.30 in the village hall. Rob will be providing the music and panto awards will be given. If you have any ideas for the evening please let a committee member know.

Summer Show 2016

Jukebox Summer Time

Produced and Directed by Val and Len Munns with

Musical Director Maria King

Show dates July 7th 8th and 9th 2016

Please come along to our preliminary meeting in

Capel St Mary Village Hall on Thurs Feb 11th at 7.30pm



This show has a summer theme with all the fun and excitement of holiday time. The songs are mostly from the jukebox era of the 1960's and offer great solo opportunities for both male and female singers, as well as chorus and dancing for performers of all ages. Our list of songs includes numbers from iconic artists such as The Beatles, The Kinks, Dusty Springfield and The Beachboys.

Committee Responsibilities

Each committee member has a job, which they are responsible for. Bridie Burn has recently been co-opted onto the committee and is taking on a new role as **Junior Representative**. This is something we haven't had in the past, but feel that sometimes our young people may have ideas, but are reluctant to approach an older member to put it forward, we therefore decided that they should have their own rep. to go to if they have any issues they wish to discuss. Bridie has also been working hard at revamping our website, and a new look site will be going live in the New Year. Along with the new look website, we have agreed to introduce a new group profile, with a rehearsal uniform, which the committee will actively encourage members to wear. This will be Black leggings/trousers, black t/shirt preferably with the Orchard Player logo and jazz shoes. The t/shirts will be available to buy, at a small cost of £5, in time to start rehearsals for the next production.

All that remains now is to wish you all a very *Happy Christmas and New Year*

