

# Muddprints



## October 2008

## Official Newsletter of the Mississippi Mudds

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Welcome to October!

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Congratulations to the cast & crew of *Noir Suspitions*. The show was well received by all.

Keep your eye on our website and the local papers for more details of up coming Mississippi Mudds performances.

## Mudds Bits

## Tickets now on sale!

### High School Bursaries

Congratulations to Jodi Samler who received the Mudds bursary at Carleton Place High School.

## HERCULES

November 28,29, 30 and Dec 5 & 6  
Tickets \$15. Available at Remembrance Gift Shop.

## Players Update

**A new Murder Mystery!** To be presented in February 2009. It's "Without a Hitch", directed by Robert Horne. Watch for auditions in November, rehearsals starting in January.

Want to join the Players' Committee? We'd love to have you. The next meeting is November 1. Contact Louise Link ([louise.link@rogers.com](mailto:louise.link@rogers.com)).

## Muddsingers Update

Committee meeting. **October 20th Silver Dart Room at the Heritage Inn 7 p.m.** If you would like to be on the committee to help plan the Muddsingers next year please come to the meeting. Contact Judith or Alina to let us know you are coming so that we can make enough agenda copies.

Last years committee members are Judith Scott (chair) Alina Jacques, Rep to the Board, Angela Sotiropoulos, Sandra Dunlop, Blaine Cornell, Winston Hooper, Trish Smith and Sylvia Giles. New members: Richard Church and Kate Osborne.

## Training

The board has allowed a training budget of \$1500. Suggestions on how to spend this are expected from you all. Here are some approaches.

### ON THE JOB

- on-stage training, often in conjunction with a show.
- back-stage training. Sometimes in conjunction with a show.

### WORKSHOPS

In Carleton Place. Could be taught an out of town expert or from someone within the Mudds.

### OUT OF TOWN

Often we hear of a useful workshop in another town. For example, we have funded members to attend Theatre Ontario workshops in Toronto.

Please contact Tony Scott ([tonyscott@sympatico.ca](mailto:tonyscott@sympatico.ca))

## Mudds Calendar

By the time you read this, there should be a calendar up on the website showing all the Mudds activities (I hope!) for the 08/09 season. Check it out, feedback to Tony Scott. Remember though, it will always be a little behind the times, so won't show cancelled rehearsals, etc

## New Shows

(That is, shows not overseen by the Players' or Singers' committees.)

We have

- Spring '09 35th Anniversary show (Approved)
- Fall '09 Panto written by Tony Scott. (Initially approved)
- Spring '10 OPEN (Talk to Tony if you have an idea!)
- Fall '10 The Grinch (Approved)

We always need new show proposals so we can see well in advance. So do come forward with alternatives, please!

The Fall 09 Panto that Tony is writing has the working title "Mother Goose Meets Laura Secord". He, and others, are not convinced that that is a title to bring in the customers. So, he is running a little contest for the best title! The prize is a \$20 gift certificate from Giant Tiger, and he will be the final arbiter of the hundreds of entries we expect.

For more details on the contest and the panto please email Tony Scott ([tonyscott@sympatico.ca](mailto:tonyscott@sympatico.ca)) or call.

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