

MUDDPRINTS

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The official newsletter of the Mississippi Mudds - June 2018

AUDITIONS COMING UP: **Merchant of Venice**, Saturday, **June 23** starting at 11am at St. James Anglican Church, **Arsenic and Old Lace**, Sunday, **June 24** starting at 1pm at the Carleton Place Arena, lower level. Please see details in Muddprints - May 2018; Mudds Murder Mystery **Murder, Medium Rare**, Saturday, **June 30** from 9am to noon, held at the St. James Church hall on 225 Edmund St., Carleton Place.

From the Desk of the President - *Stu West*

Another fiscal year for the Mississippi Mudds is coming to a close, and to mark that, we held our Annual General Meeting on June 11 at Town Hall. One of the reasons for holding an AGM is to elect a new Board of Directors for the next year. Here is your new Board of Directors for 2018 -2019. Stu West will continue on as President. Kate Martin will return as Secretary to the Board. Our new Treasurer is going to be Mark Piper and our new director of Show Development will be Jeff Lee. Board Members without Portfolio will be Linda Beiglee, Karen Lapointe, Sandra Dunlop, and Christine Dever. Our former Treasurer, Jan Ferguson, will stay on the Board as our Honorary Advisor. With six (and maybe seven) shows coming up in the year ahead, it looks like your Board is going to have a busy year! With such a busy year coming, we will be reliant on many of you for your volunteer help. Please don't be shy about offering your assistance.

Kathleen Everett will be leaving the Board this year. Her contributions will be missed. Kathleen has performed in shows with the Mudds (and other groups), taken on the job of publicity for us, has worked on sponsorships, and has been our "Nevada scheduler" for the past year. She has been a tireless volunteer, and although she will not officially be on the Board, she has assured us that she will continue to assist us wherever she can, and we are appreciative of that support.

Even before our new fiscal year begins, the Mudds are jumping right back into productions with a couple of audition sessions this weekend and one next weekend. On Saturday June 23, Mark Piper will be holding auditions for our Youth Production of Shakespeare's "The Merchant of Venice" at St. James Church from 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. Mark will be looking for 10-15 young actors to help stage this Shakespearean tale. Jesse Gibson will be holding auditions for "Arsenic and Old Lace" at the Carleton Place Arena (lower level) on Sunday, June 24th from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. On Saturday, June 30th, Tony Scott will be holding auditions for a Mudds Murder Mystery, "Murder, Medium Rare". Tony's auditions will take place at St. James Church Hall from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. For more background and information on these three productions, please check out the Mudds web-site at www.mississippimudds.ca. With so much happening in Muddsworld, be sure to check your calendars for rehearsal and show dates in order to avoid conflicts, particularly if you would like to be in more than one of these productions. It's going to be a busy summer and fall! The Mississippi Mudds' Season officially comes to a close on June 30th. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the cast and crew of "Guys and Dolls" for finishing off our season with another outstanding production. Congratulations to all of you on a job well done!

**MUDDS Summer BBQ - Linda Beiglee,
Social Convener**

ALL MEMBERS WELCOME to our MUDDS
Annual Summer Get Together and BBQ

- Who: You and your family!
- What: Bar B Q get together at the lake !
- When: **Sat. Jul. 14** - 2pm onwards
- Where: Home of Kaz & Rej Lapointe,
Mississippi Lake, 200 Dowdall Shore Lane,
Carleton Place, K7C 4L4
- Why: Fun & Getting to know each other
better.

Please bring:
Something for pot luck: Ord'heurves, Salad or
Dessert. BYOB and lawn chairs.
Provided: Burgers, Hot Dogs, All the Fixens,
Pop, Water.

Other items you may bring: Bug Spray, Outside
games.

There will be a fire in the evening to enjoy -
bring a guitar!

***There is an outside toilet.

*****Please confirm you are attending and the
number in your family coming by July 1st in
order to purchase the right amount of food.

EMAIL : LINDA BEIGLEE -
lindabeiglee@hotmail.com
NEED TO KNOW PLEASE: Number
attending and what you are contributing.

PLEASE ALSO - The Lapointes graciously
host this event each year, BUT often do not
have anyone stick around to help clean up -
ALSO Rej needs spotters in the boat for
those who want to do tubing, so PLEASE be
mindful of this or there can't be any tubing as
it is a safety issue. Thank you.

Hope you can come!

From the Editor - Sandra Dunlop, Editor

Please - if you have a change in any of your
information (address, telephone number and
especially email address) please make sure
that you get that information to Sandra
Dunlop at 613-599-7221 or
pcbear@rogers.com. This will make sure
that you continue to receive the Mudds
newsletter and any other pertinent
information that is sent out.

Know that I welcome articles monthly, be it
from members, former members and people
involved in current productions. The deadline
for the next edition of Muddprints is July 20. I
would love to hear from you. It doesn't have
to be long, just of interest to Mudds members
and fans.

Happy Birthday wishes go to members past and present who are celebrating their birthdays
between June 23 to July 22.: We hope you have a lovely day :-)

Emily Hogan	Jun-25
Michael Pichette	Jun-28
Rebecca Montsion	Jul-03
Aedan Ingram	Jul-05
Cristian Bowie	Jul-06
Amelia Moore-Crispin	Jul-12
Sam Bowers	Jul-13
Laura Hunter	Jul-13
Sheelagh Lam	Jul-17
Colm Cooney	Jul-18
Kate Bains	Jul-19

Watch this space for more birthday celebrations next month :-) Karen Lapointe, Membership

The next issue of Muddprints will be published on July 22. The deadline for articles is July 20.

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Mudds Calendar (2018)

June 23	11:00am-3:00pm	Auditions - Merchant of Venice	St. James Church
June 24	1:00pm-4:00pm	Auditions - Arsenic and Old Lace	CP Arena
June 30	9:00am	Auditions - Murder, Medium Rare	St. James Church
July 14		Annual Summer BBQ	Lapointe's
September 21	8:00pm	Arsenic and Old Lace	Town Hall
September 22	8:00pm	Arsenic and Old Lace	Town Hall
September 23	2:00pm	Arsenic and Old Lace	Town Hall
September 28	8:00pm	Arsenic and Old Lace	Town Hall
September 29	8:00pm	Arsenic and Old Lace	Town Hall
September 30	2:00pm	Arsenic and Old Lace	Town Hall
November 2		Murder, Medium Rare	Grand Hotel
November 3		Murder, Medium Rare	Grand Hotel