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# KELVEDON PLAYERS - NEWSLETTER

## February 2024

<p><b>Spring 2024 Production</b> <b>‘Global Warming,’</b> <b>by Tony Franchi</b></p>	<p><b>Performances 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> &amp; 18<sup>th</sup> May, 2024.</b> - Director Rosemary Townsend</p> <p><b>Auditions at the Institute (Main Hall) on the following dates at 8.00pm:</b></p> <p><b>Tuesday, 13<sup>th</sup> February</b> <b>Thursday, 15<sup>th</sup> February</b> <b>Sunday, 18<sup>th</sup> February</b></p> <p><b>Characters:</b> <b>Glo, Jude, Vicki, Hayley:</b> (The Glo Chics) (Teens to mid-twenties) <b>Need to sing.</b> <b>Luke:</b> <b>Needs to sing.</b> Described as ‘dressed like a geek.’ (Teens to mid-twenties) <b>Mrs. McDuff:</b> <b>Needs to sing.</b> Glo’s Landlady, looks like a ‘Mrs. Overall’ character, wrinkly stocking, etc.</p> <p><b>Director</b> <b>Larry,</b> the Show Presenter</p> <p><u>Small Parts (perhaps can be doubled):</u> <b>Producer, MC, Cowboy</b></p> <p><u>Non-speaking parts:</u> <b>Cameraman, Crew Members, Make-up artist, People in pub</b></p> <p>As you can see, there are various parts for various ages and they don’t all have to sing, so why not come along and audition. If you have any queries, e-mail or phone me to discuss. (see bottom of newsletter).</p> <p>Synopsis attached.</p>
<p><b>Junior Kelvedon Players</b> <b>“Maid in China,”</b> <b>by Philippa Smith</b></p>	<p><b>Performances 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2024.</b> – Director Jill Hinds</p>
<p><b>Autumn 2024 Production</b> <b>“On Golden Pond,”</b> by Ernest Thompson.</p>	<p><b>Performances 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> &amp; 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2024.</b> Director – Andy Perrin</p> <p>More details later.</p>
<p><b>Pantomime 2025:</b> <b>‘Rumpelstiltskin,’</b> <b>by Russ Winsor</b></p>	<p><b>Performances in 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> &amp; 31<sup>st</sup> January &amp; 1<sup>st</sup> February, 2025.</b> Director – Russ Winsor</p> <p>More details later.</p>
<p>Sorry but I thought I’d sent this news out before, but you might like to know that the following were awarded NETG trophies for the 2023/2024 season:</p> <p><b>Kelvedon Players: TECHNICAL ACHIEVEMENT:</b> For “Snow White” – January 2023.</p> <p><b>Junior Kelvedon Players: THE LEXDEN PARISH PLAYERS SHIELD for BEST COSTUME:</b> For “The Sword of General Frapp.” – June 2023</p>	
<p><b>HELP NEEDED – In order to publicize our presence so that we may attract more members and audience, we would like to have a stall at the Joint Village Community Event, which is being organized by All Saints Church on Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> March in the afternoon. HOWEVER, stalls do not run themselves, so we need people to run it. IF YOU CAN GIVE AN HOUR OR TWO, PLEASE GET BACK TO ME BY EMAIL THEN WE CAN START ORGANISING.</b></p>	

**IF YOU WISH TO DIRECT IN THE FUTURE, SEE KPS WEBSITE - [www.kelvedonplayers.co.uk](http://www.kelvedonplayers.co.uk)**  
**SUBS WERE DUE ON 1<sup>ST</sup> NOVEMBER 2023 - YOU MUST BE A FULLY PAID UP MEMBER TO PARTICIPATE IN ANY KP PRODUCTION, WHETHER YOU HELP BACKSTAGE OR PERFORMING.**

**£15.00 FULL MEMBERSHIP.**

**£8.00 – FULL MEMBERSHIP FOR STUDENTS & SENIOR CITIZENS.**

**£3.00 - Associate Membership (Associate Membership - for people who want to receive information).**

If you have not paid already, here are ways to pay:

- By cheque, to Lesley Hill, The Treasurer, 11 Mallard Close, Kelvedon, Essex CO5 9NF
- On line by BACS – A/C No. 90540420 - Sort Code: 20 97 40 - Kelvedon Players. (If paying by BACS, please use the member's name as reference.)
- At a rehearsal (Cash or cheque).

**(Please make cheques payable to Kelvedon Players – Not KPS)**

If you're not sure whether you have paid or not – ASK.

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