

GREEN ROOM GOSSIP.....

Producer: guides a project from the first idea to the final release. They find scripts, secure money, hire key staff like directors, and manage the budget and schedule.

What the Duck!

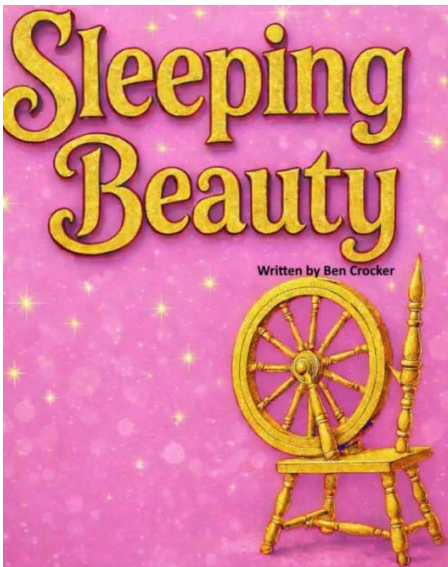


So, often it's the case that cast members leave ticket purchase until the last minute. If you have yours, Great! But spread the word.....time is running out

Thanks to those of you that supported Chitty Chitty Quack Quack at the Evesham Duck Race earlier this month. And, thanks to Phoebe for getting our duck to water.

Did you know that the registration plate **GEN 11** on the famous car is a visual pun for the Latin word "**genii**," which translates to a magical person, spirit, or being. The author, Ian Fleming wanted to reflect the supernatural, flying, and floating qualities of the extraordinary car.

And now.... Royal Snooze (s“NEWS”)



Prince Charming: *I will awaken her with love's sweet kiss.*

Sleeping Beauty: *Ooh go on... just five more minutes.*

.....If only that was really in the script.....

REMINDER: - REHEARSALS FOR PANTO START ON:

SUNDAY 18th October at Offenham Village Hall 2:0 - 5:30

PLEASE ARRIVE IN GOOD TIME TO SIGN IN AS WE WISH TO START PROMPTLY.

AFTER SOME GREAT AUDITIONS WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO A GREAT PRODUCTION.

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PTG NEED SHOW PROPOSALS for 2028

Due to the organisation involved and licence rules,
we have to work **14+ months** in advance.

PLEASE SUBMIT TO
THE COMMITTEE BY

**END OF
SEPTEMBER 2026**

for

*Pantomime,
JANUARY 2028*

PLEASE SUBMIT TO
THE COMMITTEE BY

APRIL 2027

for

*Musical ideas for
OCTOBER 2028*

WE ARE OFTEN ASKED ABOUT FUTURE PRODUCTIONS.

IN PARTICULAR, HOW SHOULD A POTENTIAL PRODUCER OR DIRECTOR (EXPERIENCED OR NOT) PUT THEMSELVES FORWARD FOR FUTURE SHOWS.

AS AN EXAMPLE – **FOR PANTO 2028** - COMMITTEE WILL SEEK TO DECIDE BY **THIS SEPTEMBER**.

SO DON'T THINK IT..... DO IT.

DUE LICENCE AVAILABILITY FROZEN IS ALREADY IN THE PIPELINE FOR OCTOBER 2027, UNDER THE MANAGEMENT OF NAT, GREG AND TRACEY SO, ANY IDEAS FOR OCTOBER '28

£ **The Matt Brace Bursary** £

Applications are now invited for the 2026 Bursary.

If you need support on something to do with the Arts,
why not ask the Theatre Group if we can assist?
The Group will support what it sees as a worthy cause.

The Bursary is designed to help towards the cost of any additional funding you need to further enhance your career in the world of entertainment. You may have a theatre course you want to go on, need books for your theatre studies, be going onto University on a drama course etc. We will consider all applications.

The only requirement is that you are a current paid up member of the Group and that you were a paid up member of the Group last membership year (2025/26).

The Bursary has a value of up to £500; however, the Committee reserve the right to increase this.

Please apply if you are eligible.
All applications are considered and discussed.

Please send your applications to:- bursary@phoenixtheatregroup.co.uk,
by 14 September.

We look forward to receiving and reviewing your applications!

£ Greg Clarke, Chairman £



SO, FOR FILM BUFFS.....AND JUST FOR FUN WHAT WAS THE FILM ?

JERRY MAQUIRE

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8 out of 39 Cats prefer Phoenix

Ok, older members may remember Felix.

Thanks to those who responded to our survey following the last newsletter. Of the suggestions made, Ten-Pin Bowling was the most supported with the open air cinema and Malvern theatre trips (Barnum) close behind. We are always happy to explore other suggestions so please keep them coming.



TEN PIN BOWLING – FRI 20TH NOVEMBER 2026

COST WILL BE £15.00 (2 GAMES) – FOOD IS AVAILABLE AT THE VENUE. AVERAGE MEALS BASED ON BURGERS ARE AROUND £12 - £15. AND SHOULD BE ORDERED AT THE EVENT.

PAYMENT WILL BE REQUIRED IN FULL WHEN BOOKING YOUR PLACE.

BOOKINGS WILL BE ACCEPTED IN OCTOBER – REMINDER WILL FOLLOW

Coming Soon.....



Dick Whittington is a dreamer and has set his sights on London; the city paved with gold. With his trusty cat by his side, he takes a job in Alderman Fitzwarren's store — however, the great city is under attack from the most villainous vermin of all, King Rat!

Dick sets out to vanquish the vermin and restore London's pride Will he and his friends succeed?

Only one way to find out..... join us on our annual trip to The Swan Theatre – 2.30pm 30th January 2027.

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