

Globe productions and
other theatrical events to
December 2013

GLOBE THEATRE: NEWSLETTER September 2013

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Macbeth



Rocky Horror Shadow Show



John Watson aka Charles Dickens



Terry MacTavish:
Shakespeare Workshop



The Middlemarch Singles Ball: Sequel

GLOBE PRODUCTIONS NEWS:

MACBETH: directed by Dale Neill. 17-26 October

Amidst a dystopian backdrop the powers of the supernatural conspire to make a mockery of the once courageous Macbeth. With visions of nobility placed in front of him and spurred on by his maleficent wife who would be queen he sets forth on a dire path of regicide and corruption. But when the smoke clears who will be left standing and over what will they rule?

FOH manager needed for this show (because our usual person is in the cast! Need to be in the theatre from 6.30 - 7.30pm (1.00 – 2.00 on Sunday). Position could be shared between two people. **FOH helpers/ushers** also needed (and can also see the show for free). Please contact Ellie Swann swannellie@gmail.com, 021 242 2221 if you would like to be involved.

ROCKY HORROR SHADOW SHOW: directed by Alexandra Ross and Sofie Welvaert. 31 October, 1-2 November

(The movie as before but with live, lip syncing actors as well.) **AUDITIONS** in the Globe, 23 and 24 September. Text Alex 0210742210 for details and a time.

THE MIDDLEMARCH SINGLES BALL SEQUEL: by Ella West, directed by Ellie Swann; 5-14 December

What happened afterwards? Did the Aucklanders really get the country life? Did the country folk get a liking for the big city? Did Phyllis ever find true (and available) love? Does the Ball committee still have those long, long meetings?

AUDITIONS: Call for 4 actors: 2 farming men, 1 farming woman (Phyllis) and 1 city-in-the-country woman; all in their 40's approximately. Anyone interested can contact the director, Ellie Swann, swannellie@gmail.com, 021 242 2221, asap to meet up for a read and a chat. Expect rehearsals to be informal until end of October, followed by a more intensive 6 weeks.

OTHER GLOBE THEATRE EVENTS

READINGS FROM THE WORKS OF CHARLES DICKENS

Selected and performed by John Watson

November: Dates to be announced later

Two programmes of selected readings: ("I've been waiting to hear these for 25 years", said a local reviewer.)

1) Mr Squeers and Dotheboys Hall; The Revd. Chadband and Jo the orphan; Pip and the Convict; Mr. Pecksniff and Mrs. Todgers; Sarah Gamp and Mrs. Harris; Flora Finching and the Disenchanted Feast; William Dorrit and his Daughter.

2) A Christmas Carol ("with some abridgements")

SHAKESPEARE PERFORMANCE WORKSHOP(S) November Dates tba

To be taken by **Terry MacTavish**, who has recently returned from an intensive few weeks working in London's Globe Theatre. Bookings for this will be essential so please register your interest early by contacting us by phone, mail or email (as shown above).

OTHER FUNDRAISING ACTIVITY THIS MONTH

Quiz night Kensington Tavern, South Dunedin

30th September, 7pm start

Teams of 4-6 people, each paying \$5. Prizes and LOTS of raffles.

This event is being organised by one of our members, Julie Cecchi, who will take orders and cheque payments for tickets. (Address to 30 Harbour Terrace Port Chalmers, Phone 4728754 or email juliececchi@gmail.com) Payment can be by cheques made out to Friends of the Globe Theatre or by electronic transfer into the Globe's 'Roof' bank account:

03 0903 0451937 017, with your name and "quiz night" as the payment identifier. Tickets will be sent when payment (and your address) are received.