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AN AUSTRALIAN PREMIERE

## MLM IS FOR MURDER

(OR, YOUR SIDE HUSTLE IS KILLING US)

DIRECTED BY RODNEY STICKELLS-PALMER

PERFORMANCE DATES 2023:

SEPTEMBER 14, 15, 16, 17\*

21, 22, 23^, 24\*, 28, 29, 30

Evening shows @ 7.30pm

\*Matinees @ 2pm

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## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Hello everyone,

Well, what a month it has been! The York Realist has just finished its run. I was very fortunate to be a part of this production, a wonderful journey culminating in a show that Garrick can be very proud of.

Sadly, Fred Petersen withdrew *Man and Boy*, which was to be our Season Four production. Rodney Stickells-Palmer has stepped up to fill the gap with the darkly hilarious *MLM is for Murder (or your side hustle is killing us)*. Be sure to book your tickets for this show. I would like to thank Rodney for stepping in and ensuring we have a worthy replacement for *Man and Boy*.

You are all invited to our next social event – Soup and Play Reading on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> August from 6.30pm. It is a free event. To confirm your attendance (and so we don't run out of soup), please book through Try Booking. There is a link to the event on the advert on the website, [www.garricktheatre.com.au](http://www.garricktheatre.com.au).

Looking forward to seeing you then.

Cheers,

Roxi.

Editor's Note:-

I would like to add my own congratulations and appreciation to Barry Park and his cast and crew for bringing *The York Realist* to the Garrick stage. A sensitive and revealing look at life in rural Yorkshire in the 60's and the developing romance between 2 young men.



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*Margaret, appearing in "Jane Eyre", waits in the wings for her cue on the monitor.*

**DEJA VU CALENDAR 1992**

**JULY**

**Margaret, appearing in Jane Eyre, waits in the wings for her cue on the monitor.**

**AUGUST**

**Daryl and Marian discuss the costumes while Kerry works out the choreography for the new musical.**



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**GARRICK MEMBER SOCIAL NIGHT**

**HEAR YE!**

**Friday 18th August - 6.30pm**



*Outrageously funny moments often happen in play readings.*

**PLAY READING  
PLUS SOUP & CRUSTY BREAD  
APPLE PIE & ICE CREAM**  
Enjoy a social catch up with your Garrick family & friends while we also enjoy a play reading for all those who'd like to participate or listen in and enjoy.



**A Garrick Social Event  
for Members**

**Tickets: \$FREE 4 MEMBERS  
Bar Open For Sales  
Must RSVP online  
[www.garricktheatre.com.au/events](http://www.garricktheatre.com.au/events)**



# AUDITION NOTICE

## THE BOY FRIEND

Sandy Wilson's 1920s Musical

**AUDITIONS & READING**

**Sunday 27 August : 10am-2pm**

Garrick Theatre: 16 Meadow St Guildford

**SEASON: Nov 23 to Dec 9, 2023 - 12 Performances**

Directed by Susan Vincent  
Assistant Director Kerry Goode  
Musical Director Kendra Smith



Looking for young ladies and young gentlemen who can sing and dance, or are prepared to learn.

Charleston, boop a doop and occasional soft shoe.

Lots of energy and fun routines.

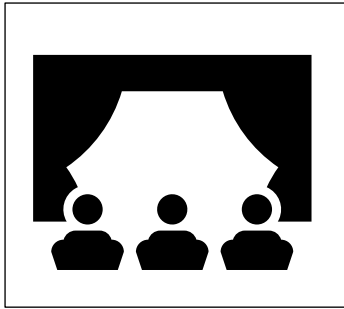
Prepare a song of your choice or a number from the show.

Accompanist will be there to run through numbers with you.

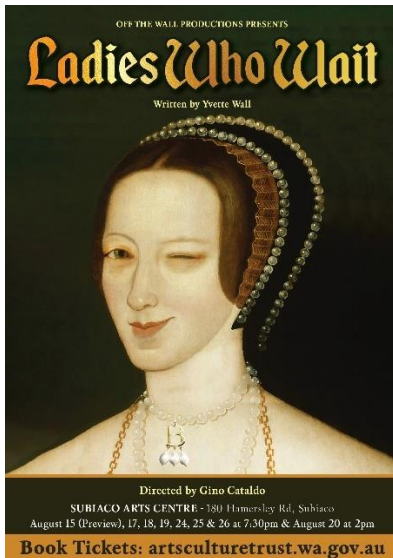
Further information contact Kerry Goode 0439 885 521.

OR just turn up on the day, you will be most welcome.

*It's Carnival time on the French Riviera, and the "perfect young ladies" of Madame Dubonnet's Finishing School are all a-flutter with excitement at the opportunity to dress in beautiful frocks, dance the Charleston, and acquire that most prized of possessions — a Boy Friend. Sandy Wilson's popular spoof of 1920s's theatrical, is a light-hearted period romp celebrating lovers new and reunited, which features high-energy musical numbers, mistaken identities, plenty of '20s slang, and a flirtatious crowd of boys and girls.*



# AROUND THE TRAPS



Our very own Dame Kerry Goode has recently finished a stint at Stirling Theatre and is now starting work with Susan Vincent, on the final season of the year, that popular and well known musical *The Boyfriend*. Never let the grass grow under your feet.

Colleen Bradford and Fiona Forster are in final rehearsals for Yvette Wall's very funny play, *Ladies Who Wait*. They are currently enjoying our hospitality at Garrick as a rehearsal venue. Community Theatre is the best.



Season 4 – Our commiserations go to Fred for having to withdraw his play *Man and Boy*, due to casting difficulties.

Thank you to Rodney for stepping up with a replacement. Not an easy thing to do.

There's lots of things currently happening at the theatre, Club Night, rehearsals for 2 shows, auditions for the Musical with rehearsals starting promptly, the AGM looming, prospective filming for a locally made horror film – it's all happening – it's like the good old pre Covid days.

Rodney will be letting us know when he has dates for Members Nights Out to various shows.

Some reviews ~

*THE YORK REALIST* - A gentle story, that is carefully directed as required, with some thoughtful and intelligent performances. A romance with a difference. *Kimberley Shaw*

Clever lighting design by Mark Nicholson compliments the inviting set (impressively constructed by Alastair and Karen Woodcock).....*The York Realist* is one of this year's finest community theatre offerings so far and the entire cast and crew is to be congratulated on this moving piece of theatre. Highly recommended. *Chris McRae*



## **DIAMOND JUBILEE**

**On Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> January  
1992**

**The legendary Paul Brown organised an unforgettable Garden Party as part of Garrick Theatre's Diamond Jubilee celebrations. Norm Majors was the present owner of the magnificent "Riversleigh" where it all began for Garrick, and he very generously opened his home to us. Set on the banks of the Swan River, and overlooking Stirling Square the home made a very fitting backdrop for our celebrations.**

**With the Governor of Western Australia, His Excellency, the Hon. Sir Francis Burt and Lady Burt and other VIP's arriving, accompanied by the skirl of bagpipes, it was a memorable way to celebrate.**

**Keep watching this space for more photos each month.**



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**If you have the experience, knowledge, capability, enthusiasm etc. to help in any of these vacant areas, then please, please contact Roxi or myself to discuss further. We would also love to hear from you if you have skills in sewing and costuming.**

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### **SEASON FOUR**

#### **MLM IS FOR MURDER (OR, YOUR SIDE HUSTLE IS KILLING US)**

**SEPTEMBER 14, 15, 16, 17\*, 21, 22, 23\*, 23, 24\* 28, 29 & 30.**

**All evening performances @ 7:30pm.**

**\*Indicates matinee @ 2:00pm**

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**CLUB NIGHT – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> August. Play reading and Soup Night @ 6:30pm**

**AUDITIONS FOR *THE BOYFRIEND* Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> Aug 10:00am – 2:00pm**

**SEASON FOUR – *MLM IS FOR MURDER (Or, Your Side Hustle is Killing Us)***

**Contains some strong language. September 14<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup>**

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November To be Confirmed**