

April and May 2016

Hello again from your committee bringing you the latest news and information from the Egerton Players. Remember you can also keep up to date with us online at: www.egertonplayers.com or www.facebook.com/groups/EgertonPlayers



Murder Mystery

The Murder mystery production of **Let sleeping Frogs Die** was a great success so a big thank you to all of the actors and helpers who made it happen! Everyone who attended had a great time solving all the clues and chatting to friends over a glass of wine and the tasty meal provided. In keeping with tradition it seems this time the Butler did actually do it – congratulations to tables 5 and 6 who got it right!!

Tickets sold out very quickly and sadly we could not cater for all those wishing to attend. As this was such a popular event we are planning to run another one next year. To meet the demand, the committee is looking at the possibility of increasing the number of tables next time to accommodate a further 20 people. Provisional forecasts indicate that the Murder Mystery will break even, however, with a few tweaks to the format of the evening we feel it can be made more profitable. Any ideas to this end will be most welcome.



Money Matters

We currently have a total of **£4128.20** made up of **£3703.00** in the bank and **£424.56** in cash. We have yet to pay the final Murder Mystery expenses from this amount.



Subscriptions

This is a reminder for those of you who have still not yet paid your annual Egerton Players subscription. If you have not yet done so, **please pay as soon as possible**. We rely heavily on our member subscriptions to keep going!



Forthcoming Events

We have been discussing a number of potential exciting projects for 2016/2017. A musical production of The Railway Children is planned for November – watch this space for information on forthcoming auditions for this. We are also hoping to put on an Egerton's got Talent – Performance Evening in December. In early 2017 we are planning a film showing of Sing-a-long-a Sound of Music complete with audience participation in the form of singing and dressing up! Finally two one-act plays are planned for Spring 2017.



Singing Workshops

Currently singing workshops are being held on the **6th & 20th June**. Elaine is hoping to add some more dates soon so watch this space and the website for details. We are still hoping for some more people to come along – don't be shy it is great fun and all of those who attend regularly will agree their singing has improved greatly. All abilities are welcome so please feel free to contact Elaine for more information: elainedgraham@btinternet.com

Play Reading Committee

Sadly some people have had to drop out of the Play Reading Committee and therefore it has been decided to abandon this idea. Instead, the committee will continue to look for potential scripts – if you would like to put forward any suggestions please contact a member of the committee.

Laugh a Minute

Cathy Hill will be holding a brief talk and workshop on this worthwhile event on **June 6th** between **7.15pm** and **7.45pm** in the **Millennium Hall**. The main Laugh a Minute sponsored event in aid of CLIC Sargent a charity giving support to children with cancer will be held on June 20th. If you are interested in taking part please come along on June 6th to learn more.

