

FORTHCOMING PRODUCTIONS

**MUCH ADO ABOUT
NOTHING**
by William Shakespeare

The Maskers 21st Anniversary production !
'Much Ado' was the first play performed
by the Maskers so it has been selected
for this special anniversary production
in the open air at Mottisfont Abbey.
Shakespeare's much loved comedy of the
mating of Beatrice and Benedict sizzles
with life and wit.

Don't miss the celebrity CHARITY GALA
NIGHT - SUNDAY 23rd JULY - full details
available from the Box Office.

JULY 20th - 29th inclusive

Mottisfont Abbey, Mottisfont near
Romsey, Box Office Lockerley 40210

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Next production at the Nuffield

Southampton Operatic Society

L'ELISIR d'AMORE
(The Elixir of Love)

A comic opera by Donizetti
sung in English

Tues. 20th - Sat. 24th June, 7.30pm

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THE MASKERS THEATRE COMPANY

The Maskers Theatre Company was formed
in 1969 by a small group of enthusiastic
amateur actors. Since then membership
has swelled to over eighty and the
company has become well-known for
producing a wide variety of productions
to a high standard. Maskers are based
in Southampton at the Eastpoint Centre.

The Maskers perform several major works
in each season. These usually include
two productions at the Nuffield Theatre,
an open air production at Mottisfont
Abbey and several shows at other venues.

Successful shows at the Nuffield include
'A Day In The Death Of Joe Egg' 'When
the Wind Blows' 'The Servant of Two
Masters' 'The Dresser' and 'Lock Up
Your Daughters.'

The Maskers Youth Theatre is a new group
within Maskers for members aged 15 - 25.
They perform separate shows as well as
taking part in the main company
productions.

If you would like to receive regular
details of Maskers productions, please
write to :-

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**ON
GOLDEN
POND**

by Ernest Thompson

**MASKERS
THEATRE
COMPANY**

On Golden Pond

The time is the present, the place is the living room of the Thayer's summer home on Golden Pond, Maine.

Act 1. Scene 1.

Early afternoon, May.

Act 1. Scene 2.

A month later,
mid-morning, June.

Act 1. Scene 3.

A month later,
early evening, July.

Interval - 15 minutes.

Act 2. Scene 1.

A month later,
early morning, August.

Act 2. Scene 2.

Late morning, September.



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Cast in order of appearance

NORMAN Ken Spencer

ETHEL Barbara Donovan

CHARLIE Albie Minns

CHELSEA Hazel Burrows

BILLY JNR. Matthew Bence

BILLY RAY Harry Tuffell

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The play produced by arrangement
with
Chappell & Co.

FOR THE MASKERS

Director Philippa Taylor

Stage Manager Val Barwell
Asst. Stage Man. Hilary Meikle

Lighting Wendy Hall
Lighting design Clive Weeks
 Ron Tillyer

Set design Ken Spencer
Set construction Geoff Cook
 Edwin Beecroft
 Ron Tillyer
 Bill Pitman
 Jane Pitman
 John Riggs
 Roger Lockett

Properties and
furniture Jan Ward
 Anya Cook
 Anne Ballantyne

Sound Sally Hilton
Sound compilation Geoff Grandy

Photography Tony Clark,
 Southampton Camera Club

Publicity Diane Brown
 Meri Lawther

The Maskers thank all who have contributed to this production and most especially :
the staff of the Nuffield Theatre,
Flower Corner of Portswood for the loan of the foliage,
Broadlands Estate, Romsey,
those who have displayed our posters

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