

DRAMA COLLECTIVE
SUMMER TRIPLE BILL OF ONE ACT PLAYS

**DEXTER
AND
WINTER'S
DETECTIVE
AGENCY**

PRESENTED
BY LEWES
DRAMA
COLLECTIVE
JUNIORS

DIRECTED BY
MEL
HARDWICK
AND TIM
ROWLAND

THIS AMATEUR
PRODUCTION
IS PRESENTED
BY SPECIAL
ARRANGEMENT
WITH NICK
HERN BOOKS.

BY
NATHAN
BRYON

PRESENTED BY HASSOCKS DRAMA COLLECTIVE JUNIORS
AND LEWES DRAMA COLLECTIVE ADULTS

AESOP'S
FABLES

ORIGINALLY TRANSLATED BY V.S VERNON JONES
WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY TIM ROWLAND

CARPE DIEM

PROUDLY PRESENTED BY LEWES
DRAMA COLLECTIVE YOUTH GROUP

WRITTEN BY DAMIAN WOODS.
DIRECTED BY DANIEL HARDWICK.

AMATEUR PRODUCTION BY ARRANGEMENT
WITH LAZY BEE SCRIPTS

SATURDAY 12 JULY @ 2PM
ALL SAINTS CENTRE, LEWES



Welcome

On behalf of the entire crew, we are very pleased that you are able to join us for today's selection of one act plays. We hope to bring a smile to your face and please do treat yourselves to the delectable homemade cakes and refreshing drinks.

Notes from the director

Today's performances bring together stories old and new with a variety of characters and thought-provoking moments that we hope will leave you feeling upbeat and appreciative.

Be prepared for lots of silliness and wonderful moments as you see the tales unfold and the characters brought to life by our talented multi-generational and fantastically diverse cast.

Enjoy the show!

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JUNIOR & YOUTH THEATRE GROUP



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10:45AM - 12:30PM
AGES 6 - 17



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Dexter and Winter's Detective Agency

Proudly presented by Lewes Drama Collective Junior Group.

Written by Nathan Bryon. Directed by Mel Hardwick and Tim Rowland.

Amateur production by arrangement with Nick Hern Books

When Dexter's mum is sent to jail for getting mixed up in a jewellery robbery, it's up to Dexter and his best friend Winter to get her out. On their journey to uncover the truth and free Mum, their detective work leads them to some surprising discoveries.

Nathan Bryon's play Dexter and Winter's Detective Agency was first produced in 2019 by Paines Plough and Theatr Clwyd on a nationwide tour, including a run at the Edinburgh Festival Fringe.

Nathan Bryon is a writer and actor who has written for critically acclaimed CBeebies' animation Rastamouse, BAFTA Award-winning Swashbuckle, and on all three series of BAFTA-nominated Apple Tree House.

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Proudly presented by Lewes Drama Collective Youth Group.

Written by Damian Woods. Directed by Daniel Hardwick.

Amateur production by arrangement with Lazy Bee Scripts

Joan believes her life is practically over now she has been placed in a retirement home. Longer-term residents Agnes and Teddy try to convince her that life is still worth living and age isn't a barrier.

Damian Woods has a background in education and has published numerous plays for young people that are entertaining and compelling.

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AND LEWES DRAMA COLLECTIVE ADULTS

AESOP'S FABLES

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Proudly presented by Lewes Drama Collective Adult Group and Hassocks
Drama Collective Junior Group.

Written and directed by Tim Rowland.

Be enchanted with a collection of short stories that are inspired by the
Aesopica, a collection of fables credited to Aesop, a slave and storyteller
who lived in ancient Greece between 620 and 564 BCE, that are utilised
to teach good and evil to this day.

Our telling of a selection of such fables shall include a Prologue
performed by Hassocks Drama Collective Junior Group, as well as six
short stories:

Episode One: The Fox and The Stork The Bear and the Travellers

Episode Two: The Tortoise and The Hare

Episode Three: The Shepherd's Boy and The Wolf

Episode Four: The Bear and The Travellers

Episode Five: The Tortoise and The Eagle

Episode Six: The Old Lady and The Doctor

Sing-a-long TIME

We Will Rock You

**Buddy, you're a boy, make a big noise
Playing in the street, gonna be a big man someday
You got mud on your face, you big disgrace
Kicking your can all over the place, singin'
We will, we will rock you
We will, we will rock you**

**Buddy, you're a young man, hard man
Shouting in the street, gonna take on the world someday
You got blood on your face, you big disgrace
Waving your banner all over the place
We will, we will rock you, sing it!
We will, we will rock you, yeah**

**Buddy, you're an old man, poor man
Pleading with your eyes, gonna get you some peace someday
You got mud on your face, big disgrace
Somebody better put you back into your place, do it!
We will, we will rock you, yeah, yeah, come on
We will, we will rock you, alright, louder!
We will, we will rock you, one more time
We will, we will rock you
Yeah**

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CAST AND CHARACTERS

DEXTER & WINTER'S DETECTIVE AGENCY

DEXTER - ORLA ARMSTRONG SAUNDERS

WINTER - ELARA WILMOTT-TAYLOR

ANGELA - SYLVIE CARNEY

CARRIE - OLIVIA KROP CLARK

NEWSROUND PRESENTER - ISLA ROWLAND

KIDS - MARYAM NJAI, EUAN MCLEOD, ISLA ROWLAND

CALLUM CHARITY BUCKET - OLIVIA KROP CLARK

BOSSMAN - MARYAM NJAI

GRANNY ANNIE - MIMI EMILIA BATEMAN

BAR LADY - MARYAM NJAI

BILL THE BUTCHER - ISAAC BROWN

KATHY COSTUME LADY - ISLA ROWLAND

JEFF/ZEBRA MAN - MARYAM NJAI

TICKET INSPECTOR - AISHA NJAI

POLICE OFFICER - MIMI EMILIA BATEMAN

JUDGE - ISAAC BROWN

BAILIFF - AISHA NJAI

CARPE DIEM

AGNES - SARAH HEPWORTH

JOAN - SYLVIE CARNEY

TEDDY - ARCHIE EDE

JIMMY - DAN HARDWICK

SAMANTHA - MEL HARDWICK

AESOP'S FABLES

PROLOGUE

NARRATOR - ISLA ROWLAND

NARRATOR AND HORSE - CASSIE JACOBS

NARRATOR AND DONKEY - REMY BONNELUCQ-LANE

NARRATOR AND MAN - WILLIAM FRENCH

CHILD DIRECTOR - THEO BLOOMFIELD

THE FOX AND THE STORK

NARRATOR - THEO DE HAAN

FOX - DAN HARDWICK

STORK - MEGAN PARRY

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THE TORTOISE AND THE HARE

NARRATOR - THEO DE HAAN

BERYL THE TORTOISE - MEL HARDWICK

THE FOX - DAN HARDWICK

THE HARE - DYLAN DE BERNARDI JONES

RAT - SOPHIE COUSINS

RABBIT - REBECCA ROWLAND

THE SHEPHERD'S BOY AND THE WOLF

NARRATOR - MEL HARDWICK

SHEPHERD BOY - SOPHIE COUSINS

BARNABY THE PRIZE-WINNING RAM - DYLAN DE
BERNARDI JONES

VILLAGERS - THEO DE HAAN, DAN HARDWICK, MEL
HARDWICK, SARAH HEPWORTH, GAYLE COPPER

WOLF - REBECCA ROWLAND

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THE BEAR AND THE TRAVELLERS

NARRATOR - GAYLE COPPER

SUE - SOPHIE COUSINS

EDITH - REBECCA ROWLAND

DENNIS THE BEAR - DYLAN DE BERNARDI JONES

THE TORTOISE AND THE EAGLE

NARRATOR - REBECCA ROWLAND

BERYL THE TORTOISE - MEL HARDWICK

CEDRIC THE EAGLE - MEGAN PARRY

MOUSE ONE - SOPHIE COUSINS

MOUSE TWO - SARAH HEPWORTH

THE BEAR AND THE TRAVELLERS

NARRATOR - DYLAN DE BERNARDI JONES

EDNA (MOTHER) - SARAH HEPWORTH

ROSE (DAUGHTER) - SOPHIE COUSINS

RECEPTIONIST - REBECCA ROWLAND

DOCTOR OWEN – DAN HARDWICK

BEHIND THE SCENES CREW

PLAYWRIGHT, LEAD DIRECTOR AND PRODUCER -

TIM ROWLAND

DIRECTOR - DAN HARDWICK AND MEL HENDERSON

STAGE MANAGER - DAN HARDWICK

ASSISTANT STAGE MANAGER -

DYLAN DE BERNARDI JONES

COSTUMES AND PROPS - LESLEY ROWLAND

AND TIM ROWLAND

SET AND LIGHTING - TIM ROWLAND AND OLI WESTHEAD

SCENE MUSIC / ORIGINAL COMPOSITION - TIM ROWLAND

PR, MARKETING AND PROGRAMME - REBECCA ROWLAND

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WEDNESDAYS



7:30PM - 9:00PM



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With thanks to

Our talented members for their dedication, team work and brilliance. Supportive families and friends for helping us through rehearsals - you rock!

We are sincerely grateful to our voluntary chaperones for looking after our younger members, as well as to East Sussex County Council, Lewes District Council, and West Sussex County Council.

Every body behind the scenes! From cake bakers and refreshment servers, to the All Saints Centre team and our rehearsal venues in Hassocks and Lewes.



What's next?

Join one of our groups in September and be part of our next big productions. On stage or behind the scenes, all are welcome!

