



Pattingham Drama Group presents



The Lady in the Van by Alan Bennett

15th to 18th May 2013



PDG MARCH NEWSLETTER

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'The Lady in the Van' - BOOK YOUR TICKETS NOW!

We're thrilled to report that rehearsals for 'The Lady in the Van' are going really well, with Cast and Crew getting to grips with Alan Bennett's brilliant writing.

'The Lady in the Van' is both laugh out loud and touchingly poignant, so make sure you and your friends don't miss out—book your tickets now.

Tickets are priced at £7 for all.

Box Office:

Email: boxoffice@pattinghamdramagroup.co.uk

Tel: 01902 700393

Remember PDG's own personal ticket selling strategy 'Let's get P.I.S.T' that is, of course, 'Personal Invitation Sells Tickets'! Let your friends, family and colleagues know what an enjoyable show we have in store for them.

In this show some of our newer members are mixing with Patchwork graduates, while existing members take on very new roles for them. Backstage we have some huge new technical challenges for the group, all under the guidance of a first time Director and first time Stage Manager! Both Cast & Crew deserve your support plus, of course, you'll have a great night out—so get those ticket orders in!

Plays in the Pub

Saturday 13th April

Plays in the Pub, our popular PDG social evening, returns in April. Henry Ibberson is directing a new, young cast of Jenny Pritchard, Millie Wiltshire-Kelly, Michael Hanson and Will Corbett in the one act play, 'Four Play'. Please support some of our newer members, and come along to enjoy an evening of theatre and socialising.

Plays in the Pub takes place in the upstairs room of The Pigot Arms, curtain up is at 7.30pm, and will be followed by a finger buffet at approx. 8.45pm. Entry is free and is for PDG members and invited guests. The buffet will cost £5 / head. We need to know numbers to order the buffet, so please let Henry know if you wish to go, by Tuesday 9th April at the latest.

If you can't make the Saturday but would like to see the show, Henry and his cast would appreciate an audience at the dress rehearsals on the Thursday and Friday evenings. Please let Henry know if you plan to attend then.

Email: ibberson@bannut.f9.co.uk or Tel: 01902 701136

Dates for your Diary!

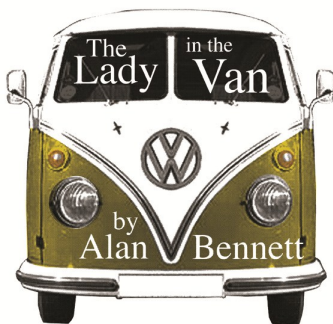


Got anything for the newsletter?

Drop it on an email to
newsletter@pattinghamdramagroup.co.uk

AGM

Our AGM will be held on Tuesday
4th June. Please make a note in your diary. Venue to be
confirmed.



A Midsummer Night's Dream

Our November production will be Shakespeare's 'Dream', directed by Bobby Davis, assisted by Ian Hartley. This is an exciting opportunity to bring a classic piece of theatre to our stage involving all members, new and experienced, young and old.

The read through and audition will be held on Tuesday 18th June, with at least one further audition being held for the Patchworkers, during their Saturday morning sessions.

If you are interested in reading for a part, but can't make the audition please let Ian know on chairman@pattinghamdramagroup.co.uk

Looking to 2014

Many thanks to those of you who have made suggestions for 2014, we now have quite a lot to think about for next year—and beyond! The committee have their thinking caps on and will let you know a schedule when we have one.

It's great that we're able to offer our members and audiences great variety in our programme, while maintaining our quality of production, and we're confident that we're able to take that forward into the future.

