

**NEW PLAYERS THEATRE COMPANY INC.**



NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

TO BE HELD AT  
THE NEWLANDS COMMUNITY CENTRE,  
9 BATCHELOR STREET, NEWLANDS

**TUESDAY, 14 MAY 2019, COMMENCING AT 7.00 pm**

AGENDA

- 1) Apologies
- 2) Confirmation of the minutes of the Annual General Meeting for the year 2017/18 held on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2018
- 3) Matters Arising:
- 4) Financial Report for the year 2017/18
- 5) President's Report for the year 2017/18
- 6) Notices of Motion:
- 7) Election of Officers and Committee for the year 2018/19

President  
Treasurer  
Secretary  
Committee



- 8) Subscriptions
- 9) General Business

**Members must be financial to vote at the AGM**

**\* AUDITIONS \***

**Sunday 19 May 2-4PM**

Newlands Community Centre, 9 Batchelor St.  
Scripts available from [ross.jordan@xtra.co.nz](mailto:ross.jordan@xtra.co.nz)  
or ring 027 635 8985



New Players Presents

*Roger Hall's Comedy Classic*

**FOUR FLAT  
WHITES  
IN ITALY**

\*With Permission From Playmarket

*Directed by Ross Jordan  
Assisted by Braden Lister*



[www.newplayers.org.nz](http://www.newplayers.org.nz)

# **FOUR FLAT WHITES IN ITALY**

**by Roger Hall**

**directed by Ross Jordan with Assistant Director Braden Lister**

**Auditions: 19 May from 2 to 4pm**  
**Newlands Community Centre**

**Production Dates: 28 August to 7 September**

Four Flat Whites In Italy focuses on Alison and Adrian – both retired librarians who after scrimping and saving finally have enough money for a holiday with close friends in Italy. However complications arise and new neighbours Judy and Harry help them out and agree to travel with them.

We've all been there. You end up travelling with some friends, acquaintances or family, but after a few weeks, tempers start to fray, frustrations come out and relationships of all kinds are tested. Roger Hall's well-known comedy talent makes for a comedic journey through Venice, Rome and Tuscany.

## **CHARACTERS**

**ADRIAN** (45-65)- Recently retired librarian from the University. Uptight.

**ALISON** (45-65)- His wife, who was also a librarian. Uptight.

**HARRY** (45-65)- Retired businessman, Had a plumbing supplies company. Bluff, outspoken, right wing.

**JUDY** (younger than Harry by a few years, trophy wife)- His second, younger (but not a wide gap), wife. Outgoing and sexy.

## **ITALIAN MALES (18+)**

Waiters (various)

Gondolier; "Centurion"

Count (owner of the villa)

## **ITALIAN FEMALES (18+)**

Hotel clerk

Waitress (Eastern European—non-speaking)

Tour Guide

Avis car hire woman

Nicola (co-owner of the villa)

Dress shop assistant.



For more info and an audition pack please email Ross Jordan [ross.jordan@xtra.co.nz](mailto:ross.jordan@xtra.co.nz)

**NEXT PRODUCTION**

# **“An Incident at the Border”**

**by Kieran Lynn**  
directed by Phil Saxby

**18 June Tawa Community Theatre**  
**22 June Newlands Community Centre**  
**7.30pm**

**Cabaret seating**

**\$15.00 / \$10.00 unwaged**

**A discussion will follow about the issues highlighted  
in this play.**

**In rehearsal now. Final details in the June  
newsletter.**





It's subs time again but, the good news is, subs have not changed over the past few years and are still:

<b>FAMILY:</b>	<b>\$50.00</b>
<b>SINGLE:</b>	<b>\$30.00</b>
<b>STUDENT:</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>

**These can be paid by cheque, internet banking or cash.**

Account number  
**03-0525-0010279-00**

**Our deepest sympathy goes to Eddie Conroy on the passing of his wife Anne who died suddenly on 23 April. Anne was well known in Newlands and contributed a great deal to the suburb and the community.**



**DRAMA CHRISTI**

I am directing "The Big Blue Planet Earth Show" by Gary Henderson this year and have been looking everywhere for this last actor. I have nearly all my cast members, but am still looking for a Maori female actor in her late teens to early 20s, who would have fun playing the part of a 12 yr old Intermediate student. One of the 4 "students" I have already cast is 16 yrs old, one is 18 and the other is early 20s. The fourth "student" we require is integral to the play. The part was originally written for and work shopped by Maori actor, Tina Cook, in 1991, and I do want to keep the authenticity of the part being played by a Maori actor. It is a very thought provoking play about environmental and sustainable issues, so not a comedy, but there are lighter moments scattered throughout. They could find more information about the play on Drama Christi's website [www.dramachristi.org.nz](http://www.dramachristi.org.nz)

There will be 7 performances from 11th to 21st July 2019, with rehearsals being on Monday and Thursday evenings.

Do you have anyone who might like to join us? No prior experience in acting is required. Just enthusiasm and commitment.

Chris Fisher (Ms)  
Director for Drama Christi  
0273272788

Wainuiomata Little Theatre  
presents

# MAMMA MIA!

Interested in being part of the show? Then come along to our information evening on:

**Wednesday 8th May, 7.30 – 9.30pm**

This will be held at the Old Wainuiomata College Hall, 106 Moohan St., Wainuiomata.

## **\*\* AUDITIONS \*\***

Auditions will be held on

**Thursday 16th May (evening), Saturday 18th and Sunday 19th May 2019**

**\*\*Performance dates 2nd - 19th October 2019\*\***

To book an audition please contact Janet:  
027 2165 166 or [jntlow@gmail.com](mailto:jntlow@gmail.com)



# THE FULL MONTY

**The Broadway Musical**

Book By **TERRENCE MCNALLY** Music & Lyrics By **DAVID YAZBEK**

Directed By **JULIE O'BRIEN** Gryphon Theatre **WELLINGTON**

**29 May - 8 June 2019 | iTicket.co.nz**

Based on the Motion Picture released by Fox Searchlight Pictures and written by Simon Beaufoy, produced by Uberto Pasolini and directed by Peter Cattaneo.  
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# QUEEN

+ ADAM LAMBERT

THE RHAPSODY TOUR

**NEW ZEALAND - FEBRUARY 2020**

**WELLINGTON 5 FEBRUARY**  
WESTPAC STADIUM

**AUCKLAND 7 FEBRUARY**  
MT SMART STADIUM

**DUNEDIN 10 FEBRUARY**  
FORSYTH BARR STADIUM

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