

PROGRAMME



Welcome to the Civic Theatre!

We hope that you will enjoy tonight's performance.

In addition to the Leeds Civic Arts Guild productions, we are fortunate in being able to present a full programme of concerts and shows by national and international artistes and companies.

Full details are given in our brochure which is available in the Theatre Foyer or from the Tourist Information Centre, and all branch libraries.

> Geoffrey Mogridge General Manager

General Manager & Licensee	Geoffrey Mogridge
Assistant Managers	Steven Cartwright Shirley Tarran
Chief Technician	Peter Waddicor
Assistant Technicians	Julie Driscoll, Robert Williamson
Deputy Stage Manager	Pauline Mower



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Leeds Arts Centre Presents



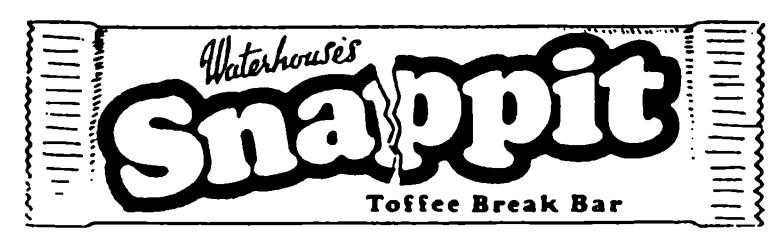
By A. A. Milne directed by Tacky Ball

Feb. 14th-18th at 7.00 pm. Sat. matinee 2.30 pm.

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TOAD OF TOAD HALL

Cast in Order of Appearance

Mole
Water Rat
Badger Geoffrey Hillyard
Toad
Alfred
Chief Ferret Russel Roberson
ChiefWeasel John Pemberton
Chief Stoat
Policeman
Usher Russel Roberson
Judge George Barker
Phoebe Denise Forton
Washerwoman Dorriene Pemberton
Barge Woman Audrey Barker

THE CAROL SINGERS & THE JURY

Cathy Hall, Scott Holden, Sarah Coulthard, Nuala Lowe, Emma Ralston, Oliver Pickles, Thomas Hall, Robin Rochford, Sarah Judd, Emily Coulthard, Delyth Garrick, Maxine Pickles.

THE WILD WOODERS

Angela Kemp, Suzanne Barley, Jane Aston, Samantha Rafferty, Julie Hall, Chris George, Robert Macbeth, Helen Firth, Alex Rochford, Angela Griffin, Adele Clarkson

Directed by Jacky Ball

Musical Director Elisabeth Mace

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BACKSTAGE

Stage Manager Vicky Bluck
Assistant Stage Manager
Set Design Stuart Wilton
Technical Co-ordinator
Prompt Amanda Benton
Choreography Jean Blundell
Costumes George Judd
Lighting Peter Waddicor
Sound
For the Theatre Peter Waddicor
Simon Anderson
James Varley
Pauline Mower

The Leeds Arts Centre would like to thank Leeds Childrens Theatre for the loan of their members for the Carol Singers and the Wild Wooders.

Synopsis of Scenes

- The River Bank
- The Wild Wood
- Mr. Badger's House
- The Same (Weeks later)
- The Court-House

There will be a short interval of 20 minutes.

- 6. The Dungeon
- The Canal Bank
- 8. Rat's House by the River
- 9. The Underground Passage
- 10. Toad Hall

Next Leeds Civic Arts Guild Production will be Leeds Art Theatre Midsummer Night's Dream 1st — 4th March 7.30 p.m.

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LEEDS ARTS CENTRE

Leeds Arts Centre was formed in 1945 as an amateur Society to encourage and foster interest in the arts.

The Drama Group mounts five productions — usually including a musical or revue type show — at the Civic Theatre.

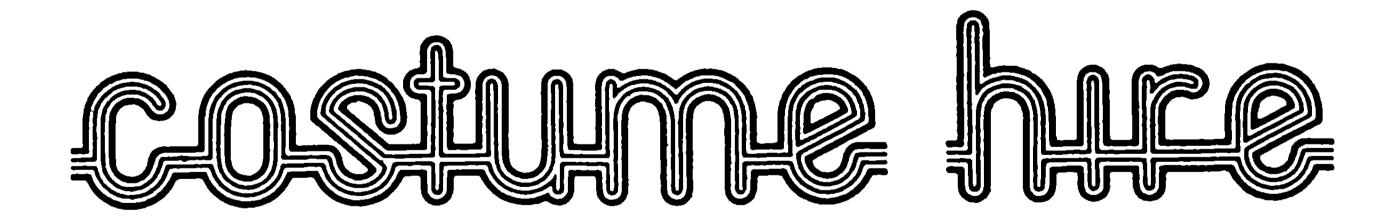
The Green Room Group puts on plays and other forms of entertainment in the rehearsal rooms to give members valuable experience of acting and producing before tackling major parts or productions in the Civic Theatre. Season ticket holders are welcome to attend these performances.

The Fine Arts Group meets twice each week throughout the year for drawing, painting and other creative work.

In addition there is a variety of social activities for members, such as theatre visits, outings, parties, etc.

New Members are always welcome so if you are interested in acting, drawing, painting (pictures or scenery), set building, making costumes, helping back stage, front of house or even with publicity and think you might like to join the Centre, or would like more information please write to:

The Secretary, Leeds Arts Centre, Stansfeld Chambers, Great George Street, Leeds 1.



You may not realise that the costumes you have seen tonight and countless others from different periods are available for hire from the Leeds Arts Centre costume collection at reasonable rates.

If you are interested please telephone Leeds 756796 and discuss your requirements with Mrs. Margaret Rhodes, our wardrobe mistress.

General Information

Theatre Bar and Buffet

Good food and drinks are always available in the comfort of the Civic Theatre Bar.

The Bar is open from

11.30am—2.30pm (Mon—Fri)

6.15pm—10.30pm (Mon—Thurs)

6.45pm—11.00pm (Fri—Sat)

And from 7.00pm on Sundays when there is a performance

Facilities for Disabled People

We are pleased to accommodate patrons in wheelchairs. The Theatre has special toilet facilities and there is a ramp entrance to the building in Vernon Street. Please book in advance as space is limited. Telephone 456343 for further details.

Free Mailing List

If you would like to receive regular details of future events, please write to: The Mailing List, Civic Theatre, Cookridge Street, Leeds LS2 8BH.

Interval Drinks

Avoid the interval rush by placing your drinks order at the bar before the performance commences.

In accordance with the requirements of the Licensing Sub-Committee of Leeds City Council:

- (a) The public may leave at the end of the performance by all exit and entrance doors, and such doors must at that time be open.
- (b) All gangways, passages and staircases must be kept entirely free from chairs or any other obstruction.
- (c) Persons shall not be permitted to stand or sit in any of the intersecting gangways, or stand in any unseated space in the auditorium, unless standing in such a space as been specially allowed by the Licensing Committee. A notice is exhibited in that part of the auditorium in which standing has been sanctioned.
- (d) The safety curtain must be lowered and raised once immediately before the commencement of each performance so as to ensure it being in proper working order.

The Leeds Civic Theatre shares the Institute Buildings with the Leeds College of Music. This may mean that occasionally performances may be subject to slight acoustic problems. Whilst both parties do everything within their power to keep this to a minimum, we cannot prevent it completely. We apologise, therefore, for any inconvenience which may be caused.

STRICTLY NO SMOKING IN THE AUDITORIUM The Taking of Photographs in the Auditorium is prohibited.



Good food at down to earth prices in the Civic Theatre Bar

9.30 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. 5.00 p.m. to 9.00 p.m.

TEA

COFFEE

CAKES

SANDWICHES

HOT ROAST DISH OF THE DAY

Roast Pork with two vegetables and stuffing or or Roast Beef with Yorkshire Pudding and two vegetables

For Less than £2.00

BAKED POTATO with Various Fillings CHICKEN & Chips, STEAK & KIDNEY PIE with Chips QUICHE — HAM — BEEF — TUNA — EGG or CHEESE SALAD

Ploughmans Lunch Vegetarian Dish of the Day Homemade Soup Snacks
DESSERT SELECTION: Fresh Fruit Salad and Cream TRIFLE - FRUIT PIE - GATEAU - FUDGE CAKE

Licensed Bar Open Lunchtimes and Evenings

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