

“Jungle Fantasy” (CATS)

This year's CATS' show – “Jungle Fantasy” – has been cast and will be on stage at the Abbey Theatre from **25-30 September 2006**.

Director: Kathleen McAlinden
Musical Director: Janine Bonny
Choreographer: Glenn London

Tickets for this production are available at the Abbey Office.

Wardrobe – Clothing Required

Are you due to clean out your wardrobe to make room for new stuff? If so, please remember the Abbey Costume Hire which is always willing to take any donations of used (pre-loved) clothing, shoes or material. Currently they are looking to increase their stock of clothing/shoes from the 1990's and early 2000's. If you have anything you would like to donate, please drop off at either the Abbey Costume Hire or the Abbey Office. All donations gratefully received.

9th Norfolk Island Theatre Festival

1 – 6 October 2006

The Festival is open to any group of amateur players who are to perform a one-act play or an excerpt from a full-length play. This can be a comedy, drama or musical play and must have a minimum of two speaking parts. Duration must be between 20-40 minutes. Entries close on 21 August 2006 and the entry fee is \$100.

Entry forms or more information are available from:

Norfolk Amateur Theatrical Society
PO Box 158, Norfolk Island 2899
Fax (6723) 23106
Email: theatre@norfolk.nf (www.nats.nlk.nf)

Something to Ponder ...

Things I've learnt from my children;

- When you hear the toilet flush and the words “uh-oh”, it's already too late.
- Playdoh and the microwave should not be used in the same sentence
- VCRs do not eject toasted sandwiches, even though TV commercials show they do.
- Always look in the oven before you turn it on – plastic toys do not like ovens.
- The spin cycle on the washing machine does not make earthworms dizzy – it will, however, make cats dizzy.
- Cats throw up twice their body weight when dizzy.

**STAGE
RAGE**

**Issue 44
May 2006**

**MUSICAL FEDERATION OF NZ
THEATRE**

www.abbeymusicaltheatre.co.nz

Editorial

Hellooooooooooooo ... well, it's very busy around the Abbey at the moment, with rehearsals for “Platinum Vinyl”, “Oliver!” and “Jungle Fantasy” being held, as well as the normal CATS classes and every day stuff.

With it being so busy, we're on the lookout for as many helping hands as possible. If you would like to assist with any of these productions in any way, please contact the Administrator on (06) 355 4165 and she will pass on your details as appropriate.

PLATINUM VINYL

a salute to the

70's

22 June – 1 July 2006
Abbey Theatre

*Two course buffet meal and
full bar facilities available*

“Platinum Vinyl” features music from the 70’s and
hilarious
comedy, with plenty of laughs and great music.

Director: Steven Sayer
Musical Director: Graham Johnston

Cast

Amy Hunt, Andrew Jamieson, Carrie Green, Dean Turner, Erin Simmons, Gayle Shirley, Glenn London, Helyn Hughes, Julian White, Kirsty White, Liam Taylor, Mallarie Hart, Marnie Thompson, Maxene Greer, Rocky Rowland, Steve Sayer, Jeremy Matthews

Ticket Prices

Dinner & Show	\$49.00
Coffee & Show	\$25.00
Group Bookings (15 or more) – Dinner & Show only	\$45.00

BOOK NOW TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT
ON (06) 355 0499

(some nights are already fully booked)

OLIVER!

Lionel Bart’s award winning family musical

3 – 12 August 2006
Regent on Broadway

Director: Pat Snoxell
Musical Director: Barry Jones
Choreographer: Anoushka Vlicek

Cast

Fagin:	Steve Sayer	Nancy:	Carrie Green
Bill Sykes:	Richard Mays	Bullseye:	Opal
Oliver:	Tyler Neumann	Mr Bumble:	David Lea
Bet:	Meri Haami	Artful Dodger:	Stephen Dando
Mrs Bedwin:	Mavis Fisher	Dr Grimwig:	John Gregory
Mr Sowerberry:	Allan Williams	Mrs Sowerberry:	Gail Lucinsky
Charlotte:	Marnie Thompson	Noah Claypole:	Billy Richardson
Mr Brownlow:	Malcolm Hopwood	Widow Corney:	Helyn Hughes

Workhouse Boys/Fagin’s Gang:

Dylan Reid, Toby Lockhart, Michael Yuan, Daniel Yuan, Nicholas Marshall, Andy Mimmack, Alex Sinclair, Fergus Allan, Joe Bishop-Matthews, David Mock, Pierce Barber, Christian Wych, Conil Tod, Richard Pearson, Read Wheeler, Taylor Hansen, Thomas Signal, Kieran Monk

Male Chorus:

Anaru Davis, Doug Cardiff, Jeff Paewai, Gerry Evernden, Hayden Giles, Scott Andrew, Grant Joyes, Jared Gardner, Andrew Jamieson

Female Chorus:

Andrea Cawood, Katrina Benjamin, Philippa Morton, Gayle Shirley, Zoe George, Catherine Thompson, Christine Booker, Wendy Day, Jude Weavers, Katte Johnston, Paula Fredericks, Anna Mildon, Chanel Saunders, Elyse Moore; Hannah Day; Phoebe Allan

Bookings open at TicketDirect after Queen’s Birthday Weekend.