

Welcome to the Barn Theatre monthly e-Newsletter

# Barn Theatre

July eNewsletter



## WELCOME BACK

**The restrictions regarding COVID have been lifted but we remain committed to ensuring you feel safe at the theatre. Our sanitising stations are still in place and masks are freely available**

[www.barntheatreoxted.co.uk](http://www.barntheatreoxted.co.uk)

Hello All



I hope that you are still safe and well and are looking forward to returning to the theatre.

After a successful Sunday Club last month, we are holding the next **Sunday Club on 3rd July**.

Sunday Club is held in the bar at the theatre on the first Sunday of every month from **noon** until **2.00pm**, when the bar is open and nibbles are served. If you are new to the theatre, why not come along to find out more about what happens there, or if you are an 'old hand', come to meet friends or network. We all work very hard, so this is a chance to relax and enjoy somewhere that means so much to so many. Do come and join us, even if it is only for a quick hello, we would love to see you.

Our next events will be be **Glow Theatre Group with Honk! JR on 28th June - 1st July** and **Our House on 7th - 9th July** and **Boom Arts Academy with Back to the Boomovies on 16th July** )

As usual, we will keep you updated via the eNews and will post our events on our [website](#), our [Facebook](#) page and [Twitter](#)

Many people have asked to receive our information only by e-mail, so to ensure you don't miss out on anything, here is a link to the [Barn Theatre News](#). Don't worry, if you have elected to receive snail-mail information, you will continue to do so.

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## Barn100

The Barn100 project is looking tremendous and has now rolled into Phase Two of the three phases of planned work. The new front is wind and weathertight and now the plastering has been completed internally, the new toilets will be created over the coming weeks.



Over Jubilee weekend we had a very special visitor, as can be seen in the photo here. The visit was all very hush hush and our VIP visitor was courtesy of Wiggy and she even brought her own marmalade sandwich in case our jubilee nibbles were not sufficient.

We would ask for your financial support in helping to ensure that this project is able to proceed in a timely manner through to completion. Our reserves are now very low and if you can help in any way please e-mail [barntheatre@btinternet.com](mailto:barntheatre@btinternet.com) or telephone 07802 302025 or .



To help us fund this project, our Red Buckets have been brought out of retirement and a collection will be held at the end of each show. We are aware that many people now do not carry change but we are very happy to receive notes or there are QR code posters around the theatre which allow you to donate via mobile phone.

Please do give generously to help us complete this project in a timely manner.

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Adapted for young performers, and with a score by George Stiles and Anthony Drewe (Mary Poppins, Peter Pan, Half a Sixpence), **Honk! JR** which is being performed by **Glow Theatre Group** is a heart-warming celebration of being different that is sure to delight audiences of all ages with its sparkling wit, unique charm and memorable music.

Ugly looks quite a bit different from his darling duckling brothers and sisters. Feeling rather foul about himself, the little fowl finds himself on an adventure of self-discovery, all the while unknowingly outwitting a very hungry Cat. Along the way, Ugly meets a whole flock of unique characters and finds out that being different is not a bad thing to be.



Performances are on 28th June to 1st July, at 7.00pm. Tickets are £9.00 and are available from [www.barntheatreoxford.co.uk](http://www.barntheatreoxford.co.uk) . For more information call 07813 916105

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Based in 1980s Camden Town, **Our House**, which is being performed by the young actors of **Glow Theatre Group**, tells the story of London lad Joe Casey, who, on the night of his sixteenth birthday, takes Sarah, the girl of his dreams, out on their first date. In an effort to impress her with bravado, he breaks into a building site overlooking his home on Casey Street. The police turn up, at which point Joe's life splits into two: Good Joe, who stays to help, and Bad Joe, who flees. From this point on we watch as the two parallel worlds of Good and Bad Joe Casey head towards an explosive climax. Featuring a collection of Madness hits including *Baggy Trousers*, *Driving in my Car*, *It Must Be Love*, *Wings of a Dove* and of course *Our House*, the show is a high energy musical romp filled with fun, romance and humour!

Performances are 7th to 9th July at 7.30pm and 9th July at 2.30pm. Tickets are £12.50 and are available from [www.barntheatreoxtd.co.uk](http://www.barntheatreoxtd.co.uk). For more information call 07813 916105.

Award winning performing arts school **Boom Arts Academy** presents "**Back to the Boomovies**" on Saturday 16th July. This is a showcase of all the student's hard work and performance skills on stage. "Back to the Boomovies" takes you back to the movies with some great tributes. Get ready for the Lights, Cameras and Action on these great shows held at 1.00pm and 6.00pm when there will also be a Special Guest performance.



Tickets costing £20.00 are available from [www.barntheatreoxtd.co.uk](http://www.barntheatreoxtd.co.uk)



Do you like to sing or perform? If so, then The New Aquarian Opera Company are looking for singers to join the chorus for their production of *The Merry Widow*. You do not need opera experience or to be able to read music, you just need enthusiasm and the ability to sing in tune! Rehearsals take place on Wednesday evenings in Limpsfield, with the occasional Monday evening and Sunday afternoon as the show approaches. For further information please contact: [Melanie@aquarianopera.com](mailto:Melanie@aquarianopera.com)

#### Book Tickets

We are booking tickets for:

- Honk (Intermediates) by Glow Theatre Group (28th June - 1st July)
- Our House by Glow Theatre Group (7th - 9th July)
- Back to the Boomovies by Boom Arts Academy (16th July)
- High School Musical by Kenley Holiday Workshop (10th - 13th August)
- Simply Dan (2nd September)
- Three Men in a Boat by Kick in the Head Theatre Productions (3rd September)
- The Mikado by Merry Opera (9th September)
- Oxted Comedy with Andy Askins (10th September)
- Matilda JNR & Guys and Dolls JNR by LCA Stage Academy (11th September)

- Classic Rock Revival (16th September)
- Music Maestro Please by The New Foxtrot Serenaders (17th September)
- 'Allo 'Allo by The Oxted Players (18th - 22nd October)
- The Merry Widow by The New Aquarian Opera Company (26th - 29th October)
- Curtains by Oxted Musical Theatre Company (16th - 19th November)
- Oxted Comedy with Scott Bennett (26th November)
- Ultimate Elton and the Rocket Band (10th December)

		
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Stay safe everyone! Hope to see you at the next Sunday Club, or as soon as possible in the future and that when things get back to normal you will support us as much as you are able.

Cheers

*Caro*

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