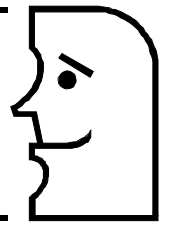




The Guild Players



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part of Finchley Methodist Church

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The Guild Players have been meeting and performing in the Church Hall in Ballards Lane since 1946. The group is part of Finchley Methodist Church but also has many members from the surrounding community, across the Borough of Barnet and the North London area.

Over the years we have performed all types of drama - plays, comedies, thrillers, farce, promenade performances and musicals. Since 1993 we have produced a pantomime once every two years.

We present two major productions each year in the autumn and spring. Performances generally run Thursday to Saturday (with the addition of a Saturday matinee or Wednesday charity night for some productions). Rehearsals are generally on Monday & Wednesday nights at the hall, although we sometime use other parts of the premises on other nights. The autumn production starts rehearsing in September for performance in late November or early December and the spring production rehearses from January for performance around April or May. We usually also prepare a one night summer entertainment. Other activities include play reading evenings, training courses and social events.

A drama group does not just need actors. A whole range of skills are involved in putting on a performance: set designers and builders, lighting, sound, stage management, scene shifters, prompters, costume designers and makers, publicity, front of house staff and ushers. We try to produce the most professional productions we can, but this is never at the expense of everyone in the cast and production team having fun as the group is primarily an enjoyable social activity.

Previous experience is not required, just enthusiasm, willingness to learn new skills and a commitment to the production. Whatever your area of interest, we would be glad to welcome you as a member of The Guild Players

Annual membership of the Guild Players runs from September to September each year. Our A.G.M. is also held in September to report back on the previous years activities and elect a committee for the year to come. The committee meets every few of months to keep the group moving forward and make decisions, such as the choice of productions.

Annual Membership

£15 (correct at September 2011)

Members are able to take an active part in productions (acting and backstage), and other events through the year.

Audience Mailing List

FREE

We maintain a mailing list to keep our audience in touch with information and booking details of our productions.

If you would like to join us or would like any further information, please phone the Membership Secretary, Betty Robertson, on 020 8441 7696

Alternatively email us: info@guildplayers.org.uk

Our comprehensive website www.guildplayers.org.uk contains details of all our past productions, plus photos and programmes from some recent shows. It also has a regularly updated diary & noticeboard for current events, and the answers to many frequently asked questions.