



## Newsletter - May 2017

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### **EGM**

Notice has been issued to members regarding Tavonians Theatre Company's intention to become a registered Charity. The EGM will take place at Tavistock Guide Hall on Thursday 18th May at 7pm. It is essential that we have sufficient members present; even if you have not yet paid for your 2017 subscription, you can do so on the night and would then be eligible to vote.

We would urge all members/potential members to attend to vote on this very important issue for the future of the company. It would be useful, but not essential, if you could email [secretary@tavonians.org.uk](mailto:secretary@tavonians.org.uk) to let us know if you intend to be present.

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## **SOMETHING WICKED THIS WAY COMES ....**

Can you guess our next production?



Terry Pratchett's take on The Scottish Play, adapted for the stage by Stephen Briggs.

On tour from late October until the beginning of November 2017.

A reading of the play will take place after the EGM on Thursday 18th May at 7.30pm. This will allow anyone interested in auditioning in June to come along and familiarise themselves with the characters and the plot of the play - as well as any other members who would like to get a sneak preview of our next production.

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## SOCIAL EVENTS

### LET'S GET QUIZZICAL!

Tavonians Summer Quiz - Thursday 8th June 2017

The Blacksmith's Arms, Lamerton

A fun night out for members and partners - friends and family. Enjoy a meal at the Blacksmith's Arms from 7pm, followed by a free quiz, starting at 8.30pm. A chance to socialize, relax and meet other members of the company. Teams of 2 - 4 people, or come along and a team will be made from those present on the night.

Booking is essential as food will be ordered in advance, and 3 days notice will be required. Please email [secretary@tavonians.org.uk](mailto:secretary@tavonians.org.uk) for a menu.

## PLAYREADINGS

*Playreadings are open to members only, and anyone wishing to become involved either as an actor or potential member of the company. Our monthly playreadings are not open to the general public.*

Thursday 29th June 2017 - 7.30pm

The Guide Hall, Tavistock

### 'Kindertransport' by Diane Samuels

The story of one child, who experienced the Kindertransport in 1938, and her adoption by a kindly English lady. A very relevant play for today when parents continue to send their children across Europe in the hope of a better life.

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## FUTURE PRODUCTIONS

Our Autumn 2017 production will be **Wyrd Sisters** adapted by Stephen Briggs from Terry Pratchett's Discworld series. The play requires a large cast of varying ages; we would welcome anyone young at heart with an interest in auditioning (from the age of 16 upwards), to come along to read the play on 18th May (7.30pm at The Guide Hall).

Auditions will be held on:

**SUNDAY 11th JUNE - 2.00pm at The Guide Hall, Tavistock**

The production will, once again, tour around local villages as well as on stage at Tavistock Wharf. Production dates will be confirmed in our next newsletter, but are to run from October half term through to 2nd week in November.

If you are unable to attend the auditions, but would like to be involved in the production whether as an actor or backstage, please contact [secretary@tavonians.org.uk](mailto:secretary@tavonians.org.uk)

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## OTHER EVENTS

Please note: the performance of extracts from various Shakespeare plays to be performed at Callington College has been cancelled.

## TAVISTOCK FESTIVAL 2017

The 15th annual festival during April/May features concerts (of a wide range of musical genres), lectures, art exhibitions and workshops, literary workshops and events, theatrical and dramatic performances and an arts market in Bedford Square. See <http://www.tavistockmusic.co.uk> for more details.



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