



SASKATCHEWAN
DRAMA
ASSOCIATION

Proudly Presents

*Middle Years
Drama Festival*



February 9 - 10, 2007

THANK YOU!!!

The SDA Board of Directors extend a heartfelt thank you to Sophia Yannitsos, Middle Years Drama Festival Chair. A special thank you to the Student Ambassadors and Darren Philpott from WCCHS as well as all SDA volunteers. Thank you also to the Festivals Committee Co-Chairs - Tanya Johnson and Roxane Mamer and SDA Staff - Darlene Briere, SDA Executive Director, Jean Taylor, Middle Years Festival Program Officer, and Jordan Courtney, SDA Admin Assistant.

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FRONT OF HOUSE and Backstage Clinicians Michael and Barbara Baxter



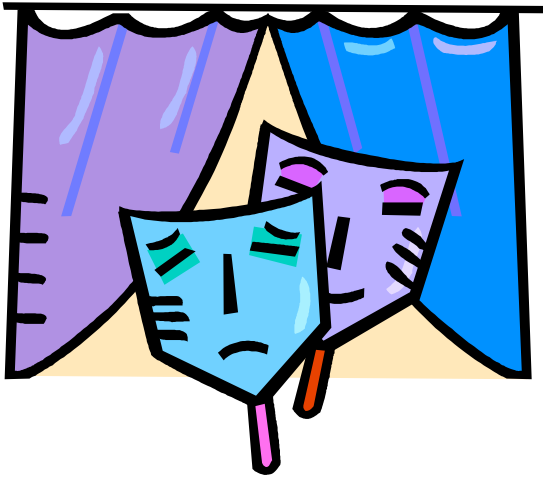
Michael Baxter has been involved in high school drama for the past twenty-six years. In that time he has directed or co-directed over fifty productions ranging from musicals to competitive festival plays for the Porcupine Plain Composite High School. For the past fourteen years he has co-directed productions with his wife Barbara. In addition to directing, he has served as a Saskatchewan Drama Association Board member for over fifteen years, serving in the capacities of Member-at-Large, Festivals Co-Chair, President-Elect and President.

Barbara Baxter has been directing high school drama for almost twenty years. She began directing at Weekes School. Since 1992 she has been co-directing at Porcupine Plain Composite High School with her husband Michael, where they have directed at least two plays per year. Barbara has also served as a Saskatchewan Drama Association Board member in the capacities of Member at Large, and Festivals Chair.

Michael and Barbara have been active supporters of the SDA Festivals program for many years and look forward to working with the students and teachers at SDA's first annual Middle Years Drama Festival.

STAGE COORDINATOR

Greg Morley



Greg has been working as an actor, director and stage technician in professional theatre, television and the film industry since graduating from the University of Regina with a Bachelor of Fine Arts (Drama) in the early seventies. Greg has traveled extensively across Canada working with such companies as the Arts Club Theatre in Vancouver, Citadel Theatre in Edmonton, Neptune Theatre in Halifax,

as well as the Shaw Festival Theatre. Greg founded Wheatland Theatre in Regina and he was Wheatland's Producer for twelve years. Most recently Greg is concentrating on film production management while also applying his stage hand skills to such touring productions as "The Phantom Of The Opera," "Les Miserables," "Evita" and any of the other shows that come this way. "I am really excited and happy to be involved with the SDA Middle Years Drama Festival!"



DR. FINNSTEIN'S REAL COOL ENERGY SHOW

JOIN THE FUN IN DR. FINNSTEIN'S LAB AS HE
MIXES LAUGHTER, FUN AND EXCITEMENT INTO
AN EXPLOSION OF OUTRAGEOUS
ENTERTAINMENT.

Dr. Finneystein is an eccentric scientist who has discovered a new form of energy - "*coolness energy*" which allows him and his audience to perform experiments that defy the laws of science

Entertainment on Friday, February 9, 2007 at 7:00 p.m.

Admission: General Public \$5.00 at the door.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2007

SCHEDULE

Technical Rehearsals

10:00 Kennedy Langbank School
11:00 Porcupine Plain School
12:00 White City School

Participants' Workshops

(Check your Schedule)

9:00 Make-up
10:00 Improv
11:00 Movement

AFTERNOON PERFORMANCE

Performances Begin at 1:00 pm

SeeSaw

Porcupine Plain Composite High School

15 Reasons Not To Be In A Play

White City School

Scheherazade

Kennedy Langbank School

5:00 - SUPPER

6:00 - CELEBRATION CEREMONY

7:00 - ENTERTAINMENT

8:00 - PIZZA PARTY



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2007

SCHEDULE

Technical Rehearsals

Participants' Workshops

(Check your Schedule)

9:00	Gladys McDonald School	Make-up
10:00	Broadview School	Improv
11:00	E. S. Laird Middle School	Movement

ADULT DIRECTORS' MEETING AT NOON

AFTERNOON PERFORMANCE

Performances Begin at 1:00 pm

Iceberg Straight Ahead!

E. S. Laird Middle School, Lloydminster

Once Upon A Shoe

Gladys McDonald School, Regina

School Daze

Broadview School

5:00 - SUPPER

6:00 - CELEBRATION CEREMONY

The Mission of the Saskatchewan Drama Association is to promote the growth and development of child and youth drama in Saskatchewan and to promote professional development through communication and drama programs. We achieve this mission by disseminating quality practices in drama and drama education, connecting artists, educators and students with each other, and by providing opportunities for our membership to learn, exchange and diversify their work, their audience and their perspective.

