

The Worthy Players

Amateur Dramatic Society  
Presents

A COMEDY

**'HOW THE  
OTHER HALF  
LOVES'**

BY ALAN AYCKBOURN



Venue: The Jubilee Hall

Date: 18th, 19th, 25th &  
26th May 2012

Time: 19.30 Hrs

# 'How The Other Half Loves'

Directed by Shirley Lovell

**From The  
Director**

This clever and often hilarious play presented a challenge to us, the players, and now to you, the audience. Firstly there is the set, two different living rooms superimposed on each other, with the occupants of each unaware of the others' comings and goings. Then there is the dinner party, taking place on two consecutive nights, but shown simultaneously on stage. Throw in three relationships near crisis point, an adulterous affair, misunderstandings, jumped-to conclusions, and bumbling attempts to smooth things over, and chaos reigns. I hope you enjoy it!

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**The Action Takes place in the living rooms  
of the Fosters and Phillips**

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## **ACT 1**

**SCENE 1 - Early Thursday morning**

**SCENE 2 - Evening**

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## **ACT 2**

**SCENE 1— Saturday morning**

**SCENE 2— Sunday morning**

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There will be an interval of 20 minutes between the Acts during which the bar will be open and coffee and biscuits will also be on sale from the kitchen.

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Why not order your drinks beforehand?

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The Raffle will be drawn during the interval

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# T h e P l a y e r s

Mike  
Heseldin



Mike has been a performer with the Worthy Players for many years, characterizing parts as varied as Dame to Rene in 'Allo—Allo' Mike is playing the part of Frank Foster in tonight's Performance.

Barbara  
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Barbara is another seasoned performer and like Mike has done many varied roles for The Worthy Players and other drama groups.

Barbara is playing the role of Fiona Foster, Franks Wife in this production

Kirsty Turner



Kirsty is now a regular with the 'Players' after joining from The St Cross players. She has been a witch, barmaid, and now depressed housewife to name but a few roles.

Kirsty is playing the part of Teresa Phillips in tonight's production

David  
Woolford



David has been a 'Player' for 28 years and is now the Chairman of the group. David's parts are too many and varied to mention!

David is playing the role of Bob Phillips, Theresa's husband, in tonight's performance.

Sarah  
Gates



Sarah has been with The Worthy Players for a couple of years and been involved in a few productions. This is her first major role.

Sarah is playing the role of Mary Featherstone in tonight's performance.

Cye  
Gates



Cye has recently married Sarah (above) and is also quite new to the players. Cye is currently studying for his BA in professional acting.

Tonight Cye is playing the part of William Featherstone, Mary's husband.

Wessex Windows for providing overflow car parking.

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Megan Crespel for photographs used in publicity and posters

The Jubilee Hall Committee and Secretary for their help in many respects.

Theatre Art School for their help in moving Friday night classes.

All those other members of the group not yet mentioned for helping out back-stage or front of house.

For more information about the Worthy Players, either contact our chairman, David Woolford (tel 01962-620700), or visit our website at [www.theworthyplayers.co.uk](http://www.theworthyplayers.co.uk) You can also e-mail us (address – [theworthyplayers@btinternet.com](mailto:theworthyplayers@btinternet.com)).

Our next production will be 'The Snow Queen' by Stuart Patersen based on the Hans Christian Andersen story on December 7th, 8th, 14th & 15th, How about being in it!

Director – Shirley Lovell

Stage Manager – Martin Pettigrew

Set Design – Michael Edwards & Shirley Lovell

Lighting Design – Richard Aldous

Wardrobe Mistress – Shirley Lovell

Set Construction & painting – Members of the group

Props—Alison Woolford & Liz Fenn

Lighting Operator—Nick Kearns

Sound Operator—Nick Kearns

Prompt—Clare Walker

Posters and photographs— Megan Crespel

Programme – David Woolford

Press Officer – Martin Pettigrew

Front of House Manager – Cheryl Martin

Box Office – Michael Edwards

Bar Manager – Barbara Kearns