



*The  
Worth's  
Players*

the  
**WORTHY  
PLAYERS**

Cast

Phoebe Reece	Sylvia Davidge
Thelma Greenwood	Gill Walker
Felicity Sims	Gerrie Stead
Audrey Kendall	Eileen George
Sylvia Hepburn	Shirley Lovell
Gordon Pugh	Richard Gomm

The action takes place in the  
Farndale Avenue Housing Estate  
Community Centre.



**The Farndale Avenue  
Housing Estate  
Townswomen's Guild  
Dramatic Society**

present their

**Murder Mystery**



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Clarissa Rook	Phoebe Reece
Pawn	Felicity Sims
Lady Doreen Bishop	Audrey Kendall
Daphne Bishop	Thelma Greenwood
Regine	Phoebe Reece
Inspector O'Reilly	Sylvia Hepburn
Joan Bishop	Audrey Kendall
Rose Bishop	Thelma Greenwood
Violet Bishop	Audrey Kendall
Patricia Bishop	Phoebe Reece
Gladys Knight	Cybil Gillhooley
Colonel King	Felicity Sims
Mrs King	Audrey Kendall
Letitia Bishop	Phoebe Reece
Mr Goodbody	Phoebe Reece

## Production

Stage Manager	Gordon Smith
Prompt	Celia Molestrangler
Sounds	Henry Moody
Lighting	Adrian Gruntfuttock

The play takes place in the drawing-room on the second floor of Checkmate Manor.

Act 1

Interval

Act 2

Before the play, we will be privileged to see slides from Mrs Beasley's latest holiday.

Between Act 1 and the Interval, there will be a fashion show entitled "Townswomen Past, Present, and Future"



The Farndale Avenue Housing Estate  
Townswomen's Guild Dramatic Society

A brief history by  
Mrs P.J. Reece (Chairman)

The Society was formed in 1932 to cater for a growing need among ladies in the area who wanted to meet new friends and do some acting. Our Chairman in those far-off days was someone whose name escapes me. We have done a great many plays, both funny and serious, and in 1951 we had the honour to perform for the Mayor of Guildford although he was not able to be present. Here are just a few of our previous productions:

- 1940 □ Hindle Wakes
- 1945 □ Cavey Girls! It's Miss Wimbush
- 1947 □ Doctor Faustus
- 1949 □ Brown Owl Knows the Ropes
- 1956 □ A Woman's Mission
- 1959 □ A Streetcar Named Desire
- 1963 □ Larks in the Dingly Dell
- 1968 □ Oklahoma!
- 1972 □ Now, Now, Your Reverence
- 1976 □ Macbeth
- 1977 □ Hindle Wakes
- 1977 □ Guildford Cavalcade (our contribution to H.M.'s silver jubilee).
- 1978 □ The Farndale Follies
- 1979 □ Hindle Wakes
- 1980 □ Murder at Checkmate Manor
- 1982 □ Chase Me Up the Garden, s'il vous plait
- 1984 □ The Romans in Britain (all female amateur premiere)
- 1985 □ Goodnight Mrs Puffin
- 1986 □ The Sea Gull
- 1987 □ Aida
- 1988 □ Double Bill: Cheeky Chops the Sausage Dog/Hindle Wakes
- 1989 □ Hindle Wakes
- 1990 □ The Haunted Lounge
- 1991 □ A Christmas Carol
- 1992 □ Hindle Wakes

We welcome applications from new members, particularly those ladies who are interested in backstage work. We rehearse Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 7-9 p.m.

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Producer/Director	Monica Gomm
Stage Manager	Richard Gomm
Lighting	Richard Aldous
Sound	Richard Gomm
Properties	Tracy Rutherford Katherine Harding Helen Cashmore
Costume	Eileen George
Scenery	Richard Gomm Paul Hankinson
Prompt	Margaret Bennett
Front of House	Roger Porteous Shirley Lovell
Bar	Derek Baldock Maureen Baldock
Publicity	Alison Woolford
Poster/Programme	Paul Hankinson