

The Launceston Players Society Inc

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FOLLOW SPOTS

NOVEMBER 2016

Fashion Parade

Thank you to all members and friends who attended the Derby Day fashion parade presented by Frances Graham. What a wonderful collection of vintage garments!

Congratulations to the audience for getting in the spirit and "frocking up" in their black and white finery! A special thank you to Ann Campo who organised this event so efficiently, and to the committee members and friends who assisted on the day and provided the afternoon tea treats. Photos from the afternoon are in the Photo Gallery below.

Auditions

We are pleased to report a very impressive roll up at the auditions for "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest". Director Megan Jolly has had further auditions this week for some people who were unable to attend on the "official" dates and we hope to be able to make the cast announcements in the very near future. This production is scheduled for the Earl Arts Centre from 24 – 28 May 2017.

Theatre Drinks



Our friends at the Launceston Musical Society will host Theatre drinks on **FRIDAY 25 NOVEMBER AT 6.00p.m.** in the upstairs foyer of the Princess Theatre. Please note this is the fourth Friday (not the usual 3rd), and as it will be the final one for the year, we do hope to see lots of the theatre family and their friends in attendance.

21 Living Icons

The Players were very pleased that 3 of our illustrious and long standing members, namely **Jacqueline Horne**, **Jeff Hockley and Ray Sangston** were chosen to be in the "Living Icons" (of the Arts) exhibition in the Stairwell Gallery of the Princess Theatre. This exhibition runs from 11 November – 17 December: Monday – Friday 9a.m. to 5p.m. and all other times the Princess is open for performances.

The exhibition resumes in the Foyer of the Earl Arts Centre as part of the Ten Days on the Island Festival Club, March 2017.



Jeff Hockley and Jacqueline Horne at the opening of the exhibition.

"Twilight Tappers"



The annual concerts from Marg Dick's "Twilight Tappers" will be presented at the Earl Arts Centre on **SUNDAY 4 DECEMBER – 3.00p.m. and 7.00p.m.** These are always most entertaining and play to capacity houses. Tickets may be reserved by contacting Marg on 6331 9535 – door sales also, but these are usually very limited. The three tap groups will be performing together with invited guests.

Photo Gallery – Derby Day Fashion Parade – 29.10.16





























Coming Attractions



A Night at the Opera - presented by EsqueOpera - Launceston's own Opera Company.

Compered by the effervescent Kerri Gay, this evening promises to be a musical treat. Many popular choruses such as The Toreador song will have you wanting to join in.

The concert features well known Benjamin Martin who helped launch the careers of Nicholas Tolputt, David Butler and Chris Bryg. Interstate artists Alison Saunders and David Butler will join Elizabeth Rowlings and other local artists.

The concert will be followed by a hot supper and champagne. This is not to be missed.

Saturday 19th November of 7.30p.m. at Holy Trinity Church (Main entrance in George Street)

Tickets \$30 from Andrew Jones Travel, Launceston Precision Jewellers or at the door.

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We note that many of the drama and dance schools etc. are holding their end of year performances and we thoroughly recommend these to you – this is where the future of the Arts is nurtured and deserves to be encouraged.

18.11.16 - A Dancers' Showcase - Dance Academy 34 - Princess Theatre - 7pm

19.11.16 - Bravo 2016 - Dance Pointe - Princess Theatre - 7pm

25.11.16 – *Esk Bands Extravaganza Concert* – Princess Theatre – 7.30pm

5 – 7 December – *The Magic Lamp* – Kim Roe School of Dance – Princess Theatre

9 – 10 December – *The Sleeping Beauty* – Tasmanian Academy of Dance – Princess Theatre

For further information and bookings, phone 6323 3666 or go to www.theatrenorth.com.au

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