



STAGECRAFT AT THE GRYPHON PRESENTS:

THE 2012 SEASON



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THE WIFE WHO SPOKE JAPANESE IN HER SLEEP

By Vivienne Plumb
Directed by Shannon Tubman
Honey and Howard Tarbox are an ordinary suburban Kiwi couple, looking forward to an ordinary suburban retirement. Then one night Honey starts talking Japanese in her sleep.

As Honey's fame and celebrity swells, she finds a confidence and independence she never had. But where will that leave Howard? A quirky comedy blending Kiwi humour with the elegance of Japanese culture, by award-winning local playwright, Vivienne Plumb.

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21-31 MAR



LADIES FOR HIRE

By Alison Quigan
Directed by Claire Hewitt
St Mary's church choir is the most well known and liked choir in Palmerston North. But when the new parish priest fires them for humour that's a bit close to the bone, they become 'ladies for hire'.

A funny drama, with songs, Ladies for Hire is a story about friendship, loyalty, and who you can really turn to in times of crisis.

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30 MAY-09 JUN



ENRON

By Lucy Prebble
Directed by Paul Kay

Stagecraft is delighted to present the New Zealand premier of Enron, the story of what was then the largest corporate collapse in US history, and the men and women behind it.

This highly entertaining drama, featuring dinosaurs, line dancing and Star Wars, was described by The Times in London as a "gripping epic and modern parable about unfettered capitalism – not a dull moment in it".

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1-11 AUG



SERIAL KILLERS

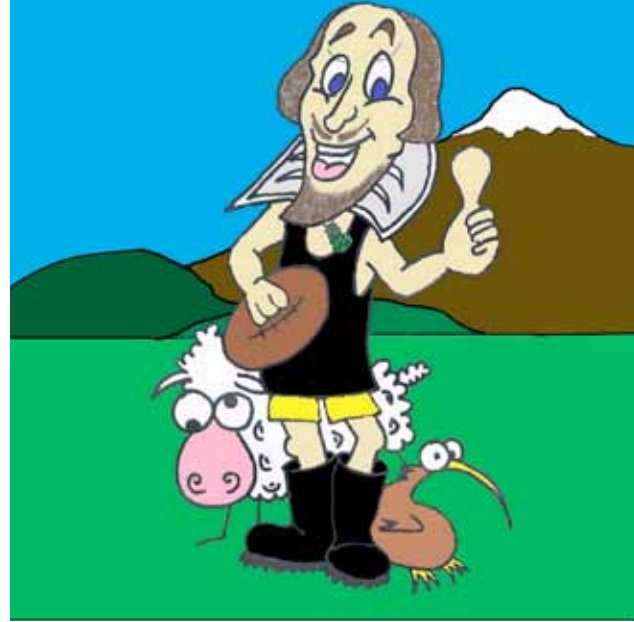
By James Griffin
Directed by Iona Anderson

From the writer of 'Outrageous Fortune' and 'The Almighty Johnsons', comes this irreverent comedy following the lives of the fictional writers of 'Heart of Hearts', a truly awful TV hospital soap.

When the team decides to write out the main character, he has other ideas. Blurring fantasy and reality, it seems there is nothing he will not do to keep his character alive.

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19-29 SEP



AS YOU LIKE IT

By William Shakespeare
Directed by Benjamin Haddock

Shakespeare's popular musical comedy is given a Kiwiana twist featuring Swannndris, pineapple lumps and some classic Kiwi musical anthems.

Four weddings but no funeral, chance encounters, family feuds, cross-dressing, and love at first sightwell it can only be Shakespeare!

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ABOUT STAGECRAFT

Stagecraft has delivered high quality theatrical productions for over 50 years. We perform in our purpose-built venue, Gryphon Theatre, 22 Ghuznee Street, Wellington

Find out how to become a member of Stagecraft and about when the next auditions are being held on our website www.stagecraft.co.nz or call us on 385 0532.

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Book tickets for Stagecraft shows

To book tickets for Stagecraft shows visit www.stagecraft.co.nz or ph 0508iticket (0508 484253).

Please note, other production companies running shows at the Gryphon may have other booking arrangements.

All details of productions in this flyer were correct as at December 2011. Stagecraft reserves the right to change their programme line-up at any time. Email subscribers will receive notification of any changes to upcoming Stagecraft shows.

OTHER SHOWS AT THE GRYPHON IN 2012

Check out what's coming up from other production companies in 2012:

Fringe Festival 2012

See the fringe programme for details of fierce, feisty, fabulous Fringe Festival shows at the Gryphon – February.

www.fringe.org.nz

Wellington Repertory Theatre

Blackadder 3, by Richard Curtis & Ben Elton, April-May

Private Lives, by Noel Coward, June

The Boyfriend, by Sandy Wilson, October-November

www.wellingtonrepertory.org.nz

Kapitall Kids Theatre

School holiday shows for 2012 include *Sinbad*, *Hansel and Gretel* and *Cinderella*.

www.kapitallkidstheatre.co.nz

Backyard Theatre

A Trip Across the Universe (music and lyrics by the Beatles), April

Woman In Black and *Midsummer* (a double-bill), July

www.backyardtheatre.co.nz

Visit www.gryphontheatre.co.nz for a full list of upcoming productions from other performers or to enquire about hiring the space.