The Woodfield Entertainers Present

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# BABES

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17, 18, 19 December 2015

Written by

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Directed by Melanie Schmidt



Affiliated to the

## Scenes

#### Act 1

#### **Prologue**

Scene 1 – Nottingham Market Square

Scene 2 – The Sheriff's Private Rooms

Scene 3 – Sherwood Forest

Scene 4 – The Sheriff's Private Rooms

Scene 5 - The School Room

Scene 6 – On the edge of Sherwood Forest

#### Interval

Soft drinks and snacks are available from the servery throughout the interval.

The bar will only be open for evening performances.

#### Act 2

#### **Prologue**

Scene 1 – Deep in Sherwood Forest, morning

Scene 2 – On the edge of Sherwood Forest

Scene 3 – The Sheriff's Private Rooms

Scene 4 - The Outlaw Den

Scene 5 – The Sheriff's Private Rooms

Scene 6 – On the edge of Sherwood Forest

Scene 7 – Nottingham Square





#### A message from our Director Melanie Schmidt

Babes in the Wood, a pantomime I have always wanted to direct. My quandary was always having two youngsters to play the babes and would they be able to do it?!

Well, rather wonderfully, this year I have two young ones who completely fit the bill and they are just brilliant - and I'm sure you will agree!

I really enjoy being creative and it is a joy to see my vision being brought to life on stage!

I feel immensely proud of my cast and commend them highly – it can't be easy being directed by me!

I've put my all into the show and I really hope that you enjoy the fruits of all of our labours!

Merry Christmas everyone!

## Cast



#### Robin Hood - Hannah Chapman

I must take a break from all of my dashing deeds of daring do in order to write this little piece. I've quite enjoyed the stealing from the rich to give to the poor to be honest. All whilst wearing a rather fetching pair of green tights! I do hope you enjoy our performance of Babes in the Wood and remember we perform best with plenty of audience participation so lots of noise please. It's true – oh yes it is!



#### **Maid Marion – George Margetts**

My first role as principal girl - am enjoying the glitter!! It's been a bit daunting singing my first ever solo but I hope I do it justice!

We really do love as much interaction from the audience as possible so don't forget to boo and hiss as loud as you can!







Nurse Molly Coddle – Kenny Menet-Hawkins
As my second panto with The Woodies I have been given a slightly different role with a little more involvement.

From jeans to dresses! Watch out all you lovely men!



Sheriff of Nottingham – Neil Edwards

You had better all watch out! I am feeling extremely nasty and no amount of booing and hissing is going to help you miserable bunch of peasants.



The Fairy – Cara Turner

I hope you all enjoy Cinderella! Or am I with Aladdin? No, I'm sure I'm helping Peter Pan! Oh dear...



Dangerous Dave – Tim Waters Names Dave, Dangerous Dave...



Friar Tuck – Graham Thorburn
Text

Little John - Simon Gadd

Text





Just love playing a Chap! Having fun as always. .... Will

**Emma Dale – Amalee Gamache** Text



**Pip - Thomas Thorburn** 

I'm really enjoying my experience with the Woodies. My previous Drama group was all children, so this is very different. I love it!

#### Penny - Millie Barnes

First Woodies panto with quite a few lines, it's been a challenge but I've loved it!



**Block - Elaine Denny** 

A hench henchman? Typecast again... Enjoy our panto all you 'nippers'!

#### **Tackle – Jenny Gamache**

I thought I'd "Tackle" a dim witted part this year – how apt!



Villagers & outlaws Judy Abbott

Boo and hiss as loud as you can at the horrible sheriff!

#### **Claire Webb**

Being in the Woodies' pantomime each year, is a great start to seasonal cheer!



Guards
Tracey Gillard
Stage Manager and cast, exciting times!!

#### Daniel Shepherd

I wondered lonely as a cloud, Joined the Woodies and now I'm proud!

# Acknowledgements

**Director** Mel Schmidt

**Production Manager** Jenny Gamache

Catering \*\*\*

**Choreography** Mel Schmidt and George Margetts

Costumes Cara Turner and Mel Schmidt

Front of house Sara Bramall

**Lighting** Dominic Lawrence

**Sound** Bruce Arnold and Alex \*\*\*

Call Girl Alison Kiddell

Make-up \*\*\*

Music Director Mel Schmidt

Music Editing Bruce Arnold

Poster / Flyer Design Sara Brammall

**Programme Design** George Margetts

**Prompt** Trudie Purdue

Props Tracey Gillard and Mel Schmidt

Raffle Sandra Graves

**Scenery Painters** Cast

Scenery Transport Spring Electrical

Stage Manager Tracey Gillard

Stage Hands \*\*\*

Box Office Neil Edwards

# Committee

Chair person Sara Brammall

Vice Chairperson Alison Kiddell

**Secretary** Cara Turner

**Treasurer** Neil Edwards

Others Kenny Menet-Hawkins and Denise Hillier

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