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### New Committee

The Youth Theatre held their Annual General Meeting on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> May at the Ambulance Hall, Colne. A report on the progress and achievements of the Youth Theatre up to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2009 was given to the meeting. The Accounts were presented and a brief outline of the Theatre's Year was also put before the members.

The following officials and committee were appointed;

Cecilia Harrison (President), Paul Thompson (Chairman), Gillian Mason (Vice Chairman), Julie Scott (Secretary), Jen Lomax (Treasurer), Frank Lomax (Board Representative).

General Committee; Bev Hemingway, Christine Spencer, Jackie Edington, Russel Piercy and Angela Schofield.

Note; Youth Representatives will be elected by the members in the next few weeks and will be announced in the next issue of Footlight Forum

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### Fun Day

Members of the Youth Theatre will be attending Foulridge Fun Day on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> June to raise funds for their forthcoming production 'The Likes of Us' which is being staged in February 2011.

They will be Face Painting and other activities may be being planned after we go to press so go along and support the Youth Theatre at the Midsummer Madness Fair.

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### 'The LIKES of US'

Rehearsals are now well under way for 'The Likes of Us' which will be staged in February 2011. As well as rehearsing the members are attending theatrical workshops organised by Director Andrea Jackson. The members are finding the workshops both enjoyable and informative and they are enhancing their performing skills whilst all having a thoroughly good time.

'The Likes of Us', written by Andrew Lloyd Webber and Tim Rice tells the story of the founding of Bernardo's homes for destitute Victorian children and the part of *Dr Bernardo* is being played by Chris Sunderland. The role of *Syrie*, an evangelist who falls in love with *Barnardo*, will be played by Evie Rapson. Neil Salway is to take the part of *Johnny Farthingay* the son of the Edinburgh Castle's landlady and his love *Jenny* is being played by Dayna Edington. *Rose* the leader of the London Cockneys will be played by Laura Schofield. The *Young Cockneys* are Stephen Collins and Brogan Riley. The *Prime Minister* is Chris Goff and the *Auctioneer* is Samantha Ross. *The Narrators* are Tom Piercy, Charlotte Stephens and Jacob Baldwin.



Other parts will be played by members of the extensive cast.

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### GRAND PARTY NIGHT

Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2010

Start 7.30 for 8.00



Pendle Hippodrome Theatre Company Grand Party Night is to be held on 3<sup>rd</sup> of July 2010 at the Moorcock Inn, Blacko for all Company Members, Friends and family. There will be a 3 course sit down dinner followed by dancing, games and a Disco. NODA long service medals will be presented by our Chairman, Keith Walton.

Please come along to our Company Dinner where there will be good food, good company and an excellent evening will be had by all. The more the merrier.

Menus are available from Andrew Scott as starters and main courses will need to be ordered before the event. Tickets are just £20 per person and can be purchased from Andrew at rehearsals or call him on 07890 529 471 to reserve your tickets as soon as possible.

Dress Code: Men: Smart/Casual (no Jeans) Ladies: Evening Dress/Posh

### Treasure Hunt and BBQ

Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2010 2.00 pm to 2-30 pm start



The Theatre Company is holding a walking Treasure Hunt around Wycoller Village on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> July starting any time between 2pm to 2.30 pm. The hunt will begin at Wycoller Car Park where you can collect your Treasure Hunt Sheet and begin your search.

This will be followed by a BBQ at Dorothy Broughton's house Eastview, Keighley Road, Trawden. Full instructions on how to get to the Treasure Hunt or the BBQ are available when you book your tickets so if you don't know how to get to either event just ask. If you cannot make the Treasure Hunt you can just go to the BBQ, the price is the same.

**Everyone is welcome including Members, Friends, Youth Theatre Members and everyone's family but please order your tickets.**

Tickets are £4 per Adult, £2 for Children or £10 per family ticket (2 adults and 2 children 18 and under).

**Tickets available from Milly or see any Committee member or ring 01282 690598 to order yours now**

### STOP PRESS

The Theatre Company are delighted to announce they have acquired a licence to stage 'THE PRODUCERS' in Spring 2011. More details later