

Centre Page

June 2011

Tickets are selling FAST for both Sweet Charity & Central Park!

We have had a lot of interest from theatre patrons not associated with Centre Stage & subsequently those people have booked tickets for the shows. Don't delay – book today! Some students have really done well so far in getting small groups together to come and support them – some as many as sixteen tickets or more! We really need all students to sell around five tickets each which would fill the auditorium for one performance, but we can't expect audience members not connected with Centre Stage to just know what shows we are doing, we need to pull together and help publicise the shows too!

How to book tickets

1. Fill in a booking form (booking forms available at the admin desk) and return with cash/cheque made payable to CS Productions Ltd for the correct amount. Then hand into John (form and payment) at sessions or at rehearsals or post to: - **CS Productions Ltd, 2 Charingworth Road, Derby DE21 2QD.**
2. Call **01332 232940** to reserve your tickets. Tickets will be held for 7 days and in that time a cheque will need to be posted made out to CS Productions Ltd for the total amount. Cheques to be sent to: - **CS Productions Ltd, 2 Charingworth Road, Derby DE21 2QD.**
3. Log onto www.csproductions.org.uk and book online!

**Prizes will be given for the students
who sell the most tickets!**

Ticket prices

All tickets for all shows of "Sweet Charity" will cost £8.50. All tickets for all shows of "Central Park" will cost £5.50.

GROUP DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE FOR GROUPS OF 10+ - call **01332 232940** for more details

Tickets must be for one performance of one production at the same time, not a mixture of both productions for different performances on different days and booked at different times.

We need your help!

Can you help with the following?

Marketing / Publicity / helping out front of house, backstage, chaperoning/lending us a hostess trolley or a food cloche /help with the get-in & get out. If you are able to help, please contact the following people:

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| Alison Southam | (Chaperoning) | alison@southamfamily.me.uk |
| John Hale | (Marketing / Publicity / help backstage) | enquiries@csta.org.uk |
| Julie Mather | (Help front of house) | julie.mather@skillsfundingagency.bis.gov.uk |
| Rachel Salmon | (Props/help backstage) | el.indigosky@googlemail.com |

Would you like to place an advert in the programme?

If you would like to place an advert in the programme, please email John ASAP (enquiries@csta.org.uk) to discuss the very reasonable advertising rates.

"SWEET CHARITY" AND "CENTRAL PARK REHEARSAL SCHEDULES, CAST LISTS AND COSTUME LISTS

Rehearsal schedules for forthcoming rehearsals up until Sunday 17th July has been sent out for students at all centres. Cast lists and costume lists have also been given out to all students at all centres, although we understand some students were missed off the cast list and for this we would like to apologise. Rest assured that the cast lists have been updated Please email enquiries@csta.org.uk if you have not received any of this information or need a new / additional copy.

July Fees <i>all fees due in by 30th June 2011</i>	Centre	CSTA KIDS	JUNIORS	INTERS & SNRS
	Littleover & Ripley	£11.25/£12.00*	£15.75/£16.50	£20.25/£21.00
	Chellaston	£15.00/£15.75*	£21.00/£21.75	£27.00/£27.75

There will be no tap classes in July. * Includes 75p cheque fee. PLEASE MAKE ALL CHEQUES FOR FEES PAYABLE TO "CENTRE STAGE"

DRINKS FOR SALE AT SESSIONS / REHEARSALS

Don't forget that we have a small selection of Ribena cartons, fruit shoots and bottles of water for sale, all priced 30p each for students to buy. This will be available every week of the summer term. Please see James if you would like to buy a drink.

Other news...

DERBY ARTS FESTIVAL 2011

Well done to all our participants in the Derby Arts Festival. We had a really successful year and got some good feedback from the adjudicators. Everyone made a huge achievement in participating but special mention must go to Ruth Webster & Katherine Winfield who won first place in the 'Songs From the Shows Duet' category, Hayley Clark who won the 'Solo Acting from Shakespeare' class and to Jake Skelton who won first place in the Bible Reading 14 & 15 years category. If you would like to participate next year, then details will be available in December.

PAST STUDENT STARTS HIS ROAD TO STARDOM!

Past student Andrew Coxon has recently joined the cast of the current UK and European tour of the musical "Evita." Andy attended Centre Stage from 2002 – 2007 before leaving to study Musical Theatre at Mountview Theatre Academy in London. He played leading and supporting roles whilst with us at Centre Stage and was also one of our Junior Section assistants for 2 years as well, so he is well known to Littleover and Chellaston students. The tour will reach Birmingham in September and we are looking into making a group booking to support him and watch this fantastic show. Watch out for details in the coming weeks.

Where have our theatre trips gone?

As quite a few people have asked this question, we thought we'd better answer it! Unfortunately the group rates we normally get (usually at least 50% less than buying tickets through the theatre / agent) haven't been compatible with the school holidays this year. However, we will be looking into booking a trip to see "Evita" in September in Birmingham and a London trip before or after Christmas / New Year. Watch this space!

MORE CHARACTER SHOES FOR SALE:

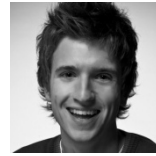
Size 2 (1" heel) Size 2½ (1" heel) Size 3½ (1.5" heel) Size 8 (2" heel)

We have four pairs of girls 2nd hand black character shoes in various sizes for sale at £3.00 a pair. If you are interested in buying a pair, please call James on 01332 232940 before your next rehearsal / weekly session and your chosen pair, if still available to buy, will be brought to the next session.

MORE SUMMER PUZZLE FUN!

Congratulations to **Tabitha Hartshorn** for guessing the correct answer in last month's puzzle, which was "The Wizard of Oz." A free programme voucher for 'Central Park' is on its way to you! This month's puzzle is a picture puzzle. Part of the names of the pictures below make up the name of a famous Scottish actor.

Can you guess who it is? If you do, hand your answer and your name on a piece of paper to James by 21st June. The correct entry randomly chosen will win a free programme for "Sweet Charity" or "Central Park!"



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June

- Sun 5th & Sun 12th - REHEARSALS FOR SWEET CHARITY AND CENTRAL PARK STUDENTS – SEE REHEARSAL SCHEDULES FOR MORE INFO
- Wed 15th/Thurs 16th/Fri 17th - All Sweet Charity students to bring in the costumes, shoes and accessories they are providing if not done so already.
- Sun 19th - REHEARSALS FOR SWEET CHARITY AND CENTRAL PARK STUDENTS – SEE REHEARSAL SCHEDULES FOR MORE INFO
- Wed 22nd/Thurs 23rd/Fri 24th - All Central Park students to bring in the costumes, shoes and accessories they are providing if not done so already.
- Sun 26th - REHEARSALS FOR SWEET CHARITY AND CENTRAL PARK STUDENTS – SEE REHEARSAL SCHEDULES FOR MORE INFO

July

- Sun 3rd - REHEARSALS FOR SWEET CHARITY AND CENTRAL PARK STUDENTS – SEE REHEARSAL SCHEDULES FOR MORE INFO
- Dress rehearsal for Ripley & Chellason students in CENTRAL PARK and Ripley & Chellason students in SWEET CHARITY.
- Sun 10th - REHEARSALS FOR SWEET CHARITY AND CENTRAL PARK STUDENTS – SEE REHEARSAL SCHEDULES FOR MORE INFO
- Dress rehearsal for Littleover students in CENTRAL PARK and Littleover students in SWEET CHARITY.
- Sun 17th - Sweet Charity Band Call & Central Park rehearsal (morning – see rehearsal schedules for more info);
- Get in @ Duchess Theatre (morning & afternoon)
- Littleover Central Park Dress Rehearsal @ Duchess Theatre (6pm)
- Chellaston & Ripley Sweet Charity Dress Rehearsal @ Duchess Theatre (7:30pm).
- Mon 18th - Sun 24th Dress rehearsals/performances of "Central Park" & "Sweet Charity" – see forthcoming show week plan for full info.