

The Village Players 2018-2019

We have had another busy and successful year with a full schedule of events.

In the summer, on Saturday June 9th 2018 we went to Launton Fete and played and sang and this year we had sunshine!

Our summer show "Joseph and his Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat" was a new venture for the group and was a huge success. The show was directed by Julia West and was performed in the Parish hall on July 13th and 14th. There were 3 shows, 2 evening and one matinee and we sold out. We raised £1800.00 and this was donated to The Parish Hall Improvement Project (PHIP).

On October 26th and 27th "Country Dances" a 3 act play was performed in Launton Parish Hall. This was the story of how a city couple moved to the country and life became rather unexpected!. It was directed by Tina Cherry and £619.00 was raised and donated to The Alzheimer's Society.

At Christmas we went Carol Singing to invited homes and were also welcomed into both The Bull and The Black Bull to sing. As a result we raised £130.91 for the Alzheimer's Society.

In February 2019 our pantomime was written by Nikki and Rod Fine and directed by Martin Evans, with original music by Steve Webber. It was "Sleeping Beauty but not that one." This was our 33rd. pantomime; we had nearly 1100 people come to see the pantomime and we raised £3620.00 which has been given away to local and national charities. (see below)

Many people contribute so much time to make this show happen, and we would like to say thank you to all of these people, too many to mention here, but they know who they are. Also a big thank you to our advertisers and sponsors from Launton, and beyond, who helped us during the year, please support them as they do us.

Lastly to say thank you to our wonderful audiences who come along and are so supportive.

Donations from Sleeping Beauty but not that one. 2019

Book Aid International	165.00
Gatehouse	165.00
Bicester Food bank	165.00
Diabetes UK	165.00
Air Ambulance	165.00
Island Pond wood	165.00
ROSY	165.00
Launton Parish Hall	165.00
Anthony Nolan (in memory of Alice Byron)	165.00
Hummingbird Centre	165.00
CRIBs	165.00
Samaritans	165.00
See Saw	165.00
Sobell House	165.00
Stepping Stones	165.00

Bicester Good neighbour Scheme	165.00
Ovarian Cancer	165.00
The Somerville Foundation	165.00

Launton Primary School	50.00
Launton Playgroup	50.00
Glory Farm Primary School	50.00
Langford Primary School	50.00
Southwold Primary School	50.00
Kings Meadow Primary School	50.00
St Mary's Primary School	50.00
Brill Primary School	50.00
St Edburg's Primary School	50.00
Five Acres Primary School	50.00
Bure Park Primary School	50.00
Heyford Free School	50.00
Charlton on Otmoor Primary School	50.00

Total	£3620.00
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