



Crowthorne
Amateur
Theatrical
Society

Information Sheet

About Us

Crowthorne Amateur Theatrical Society (CATS) was founded in 1978, with the aim of providing entertainment to the population of Crowthorne and the surrounding areas.

We are a friendly society, welcoming people of every level of experience, whatever their interests. You don't have to have any burning ambitions to be an actor – there are plenty of other jobs for people to do, including backstage work, set design & construction, sound, lighting, props, costumes, make-up, Front of House, and many others.

Productions

CATS generally stages 3 productions a year:

- Spring show - March or April
- Summer show - June or July
- Christmas show - November or December

Dates for productions vary each year and are announced as soon as possible.

Meetings

CATS meets every Wednesday from 8 'til 10p.m. The meeting on the first Wednesday of every month takes place in the Methodist Church hall on Dukes Ride, Crowthorne. All other Wednesday meetings are held in the Parish Hall on Heath Hill Road South, Crowthorne.

Both halls have parking nearby and are accessible to the disabled. Transport to rehearsals can often be arranged if needed.

Extra rehearsals are held as and when needed, and you will be notified of the venue if you are expected to attend.

Other events

As well as productions we also hold a variety of social events throughout the year. In the past these have included quizzes, car treasure hunts, barbecues, skittles, parties, and meals at local restaurants.

Details of forthcoming events are circulated throughout the year. If you have any suggestions for future social events, please contact the Social Secretary.

Website

You will find our website at www.catswebsite.co.uk. The site has information on current productions and events, as well as details of shows from years gone by. It also has maps and directions and a copy of our constitution.

Current Committee

Position	Name	Email	Home phone	Mobile
Chairman	Angie Chitty	chairman@catswebsite.co.uk		
Secretary	Caroline Jones (myf)	secretary@catswebsite.co.uk	01344 762797	07956 882382
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Membership Secretary	Tim Doyle	membership@catswebsite.co.uk		
Social Secretary	Kirsty Beagley	social@catswebsite.co.uk		
Publicity Secretary	Donald Lee	publicity@catswebsite.co.uk		
Members Without Portfolio	Ian Maclachlan	ian@catswebsite.co.uk		
	Claire Shenton-Taylor	claire@catswebsite.co.uk		

Email list

The Society runs an email list through Yahoo! Groups, which lets members communicate with the rest of the Society easily. To join the group simply let myf know your email address, and you will be added as soon as possible.

Please note that messages from the group may be delivered to your spam folder, so if you are not receiving messages, that's the first place to check. If you have any difficulties using the group, please contact myf, who will try to help you resolve the problem.

Subscriptions

Subscriptions for full membership are currently £40 per year. Student & senior membership is £20. Junior membership is £7.50 (for one show per year). If you do not want to take part in productions but still want to join us for social events, you can become an associate member at a cost of £7.50 per year.