

TODS



TENDERDEN  
OPERATIC AND  
DRAMATIC SOCIETY

59<sup>th</sup> season  
presents



# Entertaining Angels

*A touching, thought-provoking comedy*  
*Written by Richard Everett*  
*Directed by Michael Patrick*



*Thursday 27<sup>th</sup>,  
Friday 28<sup>th</sup>, and  
Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> April 2017*  
*Tenterden Town Hall*

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*TODS is an affiliate of the National Operatic and Dramatic Association*

*An Amateur Production by arrangement with Samuel French Ltd*

# The Cast

(in order of appearance)

**Grace**.....**Angela Patrick**

TODS productions include:- *Outside Edge; The Dresser; A Day in the Death of Joe Egg; Blue Remembered Hills; Fiddler on the Roof; Lessons & Lovers; The Importance of Being Earnest; 100 Years of Musical Theatre; Godspell; The Winslow Boy; Steel Magnolias; Warrior; Talking Heads; The Secret Rapture; Brontë; The Beauty Queen of Leenane; Calendar Girls; The New Electric Ballroom; Wife After Death.*



**Sarah**.....**Jane Barton**

TODS productions include:- *Under Milk Wood; Brontë; The Railway Children; Well That's Life; The Unexpected Guest; Calendar Girls; The House of Bernarda Alba*



**Ruth (Grace's sister)**.....**Gillian Davis**

TODS productions include:- *On Golden Pond; Talking Heads; Under Milk Wood; The Secret Rapture; Our Musicals Reviewed; Hay Fever; The Chalk Garden; Calendar Girls; The House of Bernarda Alba; Wife After Death.*



**Jo (Grace's daughter)**.....**Fiona Murch**

TODS productions include:- *Cabaret; Fascinating Rhythm; The Rise & Fall of Little Voice; Fiddler on the Roof; Wildest Dreams; The Importance of Being Earnest; 100 Years of Musical Theatre; The Winslow Boy; Return to the Forbidden Planet; Steel Magnolias; Summer Holiday; Talking Heads; Kindly Leave the Stage; The Day After the Fair; The Secret Rapture; Coram Boy; The Chalk Garden; Calendar Girls; Shout!; Oh What a lovely War!; The House of Bernarda Alba; Wife After Death; Side by Side by Sondheim; The Pajama Game.*



**Bardolph**.....**Vernon Reeve**

Just a few of the 150 productions he has appeared in:- *Oklahoma; Calamity Jane; South Pacific; The Merry Widow; The Merry Wives of Windsor; Oliver; Present Laughter; Rashomon; Hedda Gabler; Outside Edge; The Anastasia File; The Dresser; Cabaret; Warrior; Talking Heads; Into The Woods; Brontë; Twelfth Night; The Merchant of Venice; A Midsummer Night's Dream. Directed for TODS: Pool's Paradise; The Miracle Worker; Boeing-Boeing; The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie; Steel Magnolias; Warrior.*





## **Director.....Michael Patrick**

*Directors Notes: When discussing plays for the April production a long standing member of the society was keen to direct this play but had previous commitments during the production dates and therefore was unable to carry out the direction. Knowing that this would leave a gap in the production year and also that TODS would not have an entry in the 2017 Kent Drama Association Festival, I put my head above the parapet and volunteered to fill that gap.*



*It was a good decision as it has been a delightful production, with such a talented group of actors and a hard working support team bringing this very touching and thought provoking play to life. My thanks to them all as their enthusiasm never wavered so please sit back and enjoy the fruits of their labours.*

*TODS productions include:- Annie; Toad of Toad Hall; The Sound of Music; The Pajama Game; Blue Remembered Hills; Summer Holiday; Warrior. Directed for TODS:- Ladies Who Lunch; My Friend Miss Flint; Day of Reckoning; Kindly Leave the Stage; The Chalk Garden; Wife After Death.*

## **Assistant Director.....Brian Fagg**

*Some highlights from his long theatrical history:-  
40's Badgers Green; A Midsummer Night's Dream  
50's The Crucible; The River Line  
60's See How They Run; Jack & the Beanstalk  
70's Time & The Conways; Abelard & Heloise  
80's A Man For All Seasons; The Tiger and The Horse  
90's Cabaret; Blue Remembered Hills  
00's Little Shop of Horrors; Kind Leave the Stage  
10's Coram Boy; Side by Side by Sondheim*





# *In the Potting Shed*

<i>Director.....</i>	<i>Michael Patrick</i>
<i>Assistant Director.....</i>	<i>Brian Fagg</i>
<i>Stage Manager.....</i>	<i>Steve Coles</i>
<i>Set Design.....</i>	<i>Brian Fagg</i>
<i>Set Realisation and Painting.....</i>	<i>Peter Huxley</i>
<i>Lighting and Sound.....</i>	<i>John Sewell</i>
<i>Wardrobe.....</i>	<i>The Cast</i>
<i>Properties.....</i>	<i>The Production Team</i>
<i>Continuity.....</i>	<i>Olive Neal</i>
<i>Front of House.....</i>	<i>Jackie Whiles &amp; Members</i>
<i>Programme.....</i>	<i>John Sewell</i>
<i>Priority Ticket Sales.....</i>	<i>Julia Jessett</i>
<i>Box Office.....</i>	<i>Advantec Computing &amp; Ticketsource</i>
<i>Poster and Flyer Design.....</i>	<i>Brian Fagg</i>
<i>Publicity.....</i>	<i>Emma Isworth &amp; Brian Fagg</i>
<i>Social Media.....</i>	<i>Barry Thomas &amp; John Sewell</i>

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