

CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE

Hello again! And a very warm welcome and sincere thanks for supporting amateur theatre in Henley. I hope you will enjoy tonight's production of Alan Ayckbourn's comedy classic "How the Other Half Loves" and who knows, you may be inspired to join us and 'have a go' yourselves. As indeed is the case with no less than 3 of our cast tonight, as we welcome to the stage Anna, Alan, and Rod. So please give them your warm support (no I don't mean your truss sir!) as they are, understandably, a little nervous.

This is also Tony's directorial debut with HADS following Tony & Lesley's arrival in Henley some 18 months ago. I wish him well with the production and look forward to many more in the future.

That's more than enough from me, so please sit back and enjoy the show.

Phil Walker

HOW THE OTHER HALF LOVES

This is vintage Ayckbourn, and arguably one of his funniest comedies. Following the lives of two couples whose 'other halves' are involved together, and a hapless third couple innocently dragged into the subterfuge. The play contains some wonderful use of space, and in Scene 2 time as well. Sit back and enjoy.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The Society would like to thank all those who have helped in any way with this production, and have loaned furniture or properties.

NEXT PRODUCTION

We are hoping to put on an open air Shakespeare production this summer. Look out for details.

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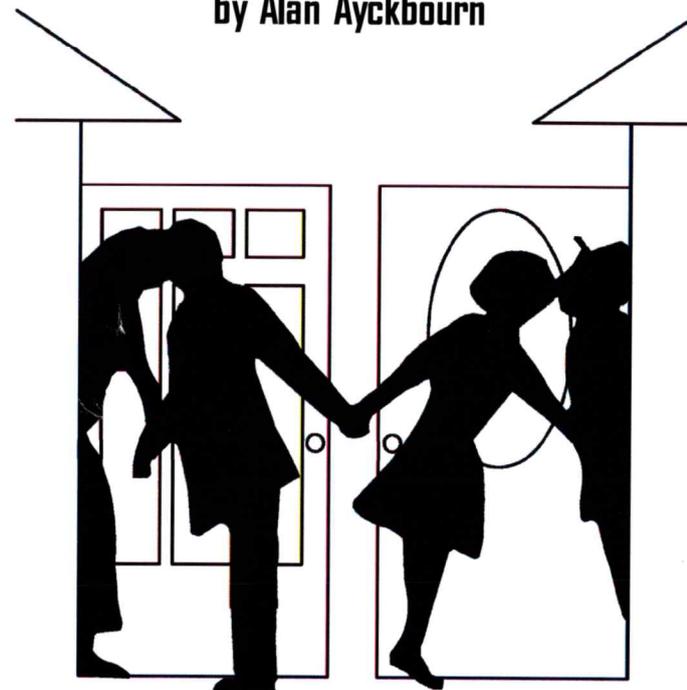


HENLEY-IN-ARDEN DRAMA SOCIETY

Present

How the Other Half Loves

by Alan Ayckbourn



Henley Memorial Hall

Weds, Thurs, Fri, Sat 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th April 2007
7.30pm

How the Other Half Loves

Directed by Tony Capps

Production

Set Design	Kevin Allen
Set Construction	Kevin Allen, Philip Walker
Decor	Brian Hammond, Sue Evans
Stage Manager	Sue Tootill
Lighting Design	Tony Capps
Lighting Operator	Ian Smedley
Sound	John Shuttleworth, Kate Portman
Props	Kate Castle, Ocean Thruston
Wardrobe	Sue Evans
Prompt	Mandy Key
Front of House	Brian Hammond
Refreshments	Marijana Bainbridge and the A Team

With special thanks to Ray Evans for holding the Fort whilst Tony was away

Refreshments are available during the interval

Cast

Fiona Foster	Carol Robson
Frank Foster	Alan Nicholls
Teresa Phillips	Anna Austin
Bob Phillips	Philip Walker
Mary Featherstone	Sheena Ison
William Featherstone	Rod Hinton

Act 1 Scene 1	Thursday morning
Act 1 Scene 2	Thursday evening (at the Foster's) Friday Evening (at the Phillips')
	Interval
Act 2 Scene 1	Saturday Morning
Act 2 Scene 2	Sunday Morning

The action of the play takes place in the Foster's and the Phillips' living rooms.

Time: The Present