SEPT/OCT 1997

## FORTHCOMING PRODUCTIONS

In the Playhouse

SHE STOOPS TO CONQUER by Oliver Goldsmith

Perhaps the most good-hearted play in the English language, this is a highly serious farce about a young man who can talk to tarts but is reduced to stuttering incoherence by women of his own class. Written in 1771 She Stoops To Conquer tells the story of young Marlowe's woofing of Kate Hardcastle while her mischievous half brother, Tony Lumpkin, cleverly manipulates all the other characters.

18-25 October at 7.45pm; 19 October at 2.30pm

In the Studio

MRS KLEIN by Nicholas Wright

A unique opportunity to view this powerful drama, which centres on an episode in the life of the controversial child-psychoanalyst Melanie Klein, following the death of her son. It's chief concern is with the mother-daughter relationship, as conducted by two highly articulate women, linked by strong feelings and emotions.

1-8 November at 7.45pm; 2 November at 2.30pm

In the Playhouse

LETTICE AND LOVAGE by Peter Shaffer

Lettice and Lovage is a comedy whose main protagonists are women in their middle life. The play centres on the individual conflict which ensues when two diametrically opposite characters meet. This is a funny, witty, warm-hearted play that engages its audience on many levels.

15-29 November at 7.45pm; 16 November at 2.30pm

In the Studio

ANDROMACHE by Jean Racine

Racine's compelling play is set in Ancient Greece in the aftermath of the Trojan War. It is a tale of three people's violent and savage passions, which bring destruction upon themselves, and of the triumph of Andromache's love for her dead husband Hector and her infant son. The delusion that lust and desire create are contrasted with the moral certainties of a mother's love in a play that speak from antiquity to confront the present day in an exciting and highly dramatic manner.

22-29 November at 7.45pm; 23 November at 2.30pm

# ADolls House



By Plenrik Ibsen
The Questors Theatre

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# A DOLL'S HOUSE

by Henrik Ibsen (1879) Translated by James McFarlane

> ACT ONE Christmas Eve

- INTERVAL -

ACT TWO Christmas Day

ACT THREE Boxing Day

### CAST

NORA HELMER	Helen Parkinson
TORVALD HELMER	Jonathan James
DR RANK	John Dobson
KRISTINE LINDE	Yvonne Coward
NILS KROGSTAD	Mike Dineen
NURSEMAID	Julia Cooke

Much has changed in the world since "A Doll's House" was performed over 100 years ago and a great deal remains the same. As human beings we are controlled by our egos and have an innate desire to be acknowledged and loved. The opinion of society and those around us still counts for as much as it always did, perhaps more so. Because we are essentially animals we will always struggle for freedom when others try to cage us in.

Michelle Frost

### PRODUCTION TEAM

DIRECTOR	
SET DESIGNER	Jenny Cooknell
STAGE MANAGERS	Geraldine Hawkins
	Liz Trott
LIGHTING DESIGNERS	Kerry Barner
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SOUND DESIGNER	
WARDROBE	
	Lisa Malyon
DSMs	
ASMs	Karen Milburn
1 XO1413	Rachel Spalding
LIGHTING OPERATORS	Neil Pamment
	Laurenc Ringenhach
SOUND OPERATORS	Inne Vardley
SOUND OF EXATORS	I en Phelan
	Tohn Mooney
	John Mooney
GREASEPAINT	Sophie Dawkins
	Deborah Kelly
	Vicky Slack
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