

the maskers



FORTHCOMING EVENTS

The Maskers Theatre Company takes pleasure in welcoming you to this first production of our 1977/78 season and are pleased to announce the following forthcoming events:-

"ALFIE"

The life and times of Bill Naughton's amoral cockney:
directed by Mollie Manns
24TH TO 29TH OCTOBER 1977

"A CHRISTMAS CAROL"

The seasonal ghost story
by Charles Dickens:
adapted and directed by Ken Spencer
5TH TO 10TH DECEMBER 1977

"ROSMERSHOLM"

Henrik Ibsen's powerful drama:
directed by Ron Stannard
6TH TO 11TH FEBRUARY 1978

Fork suppers will be arranged for a number of performances of these productions.

Advanced bookings for "Alfie" may be made during the intervals or after tonight's performance or by telephoning Southampton 23572.

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THE IMPORTANCE OF BEING EARNEST

A TRIVIAL COMEDY FOR SERIOUS PEOPLE

by Oscar Wilde

Director — DAVID BARTLETT

THE CAST

LANE PAUL ELLIOTT
 ALGERNON MONCRIEFF JOHN TURNBULL
 JOHN WORTHING J.P. PHILIP DE GROUGHY
 LADY BRACKNELL ANN ARCHER
 HON. GWENDOLEN FAIRFAX MARY ELLIOTT
 MISS PRISM JULIE BAKER
 CECILY CARDEW GEORGINA WILLIAMS
 REV. CANON CHASUBLE D.D. MIKE BRYANT
 MERRIMAN BRIAN WHITTAKER
 A FOOTMAN BRENDAN TAGGART

THE PLAY

ACT I ALGERNON MONCRIEFF'S FLAT IN HALF MOON ST. W.

INTERVAL

ACT II THE GARDEN AT THE MANOR HOUSE, WOOLTON, HERTFORDSHIRE

INTERVAL

ACT III THE MORNING ROOM AT THE MANOR HOUSE

FOR THE MASKERS THEATRE COMPANY

STAGE MANAGER MIKE McTAGGART
 SET DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION KEN SPENCER
 SOUND AND LIGHTING CLIVE WEEKS
 COSTUMES JO BARTLETT
 LILLIAN GUNSTONE
 PROPERTIES SHEILA THORRINGTON
 BUSINESS MANAGER BRIAN STANSBRIDGE
 PUBLICITY GRAHAM BUCHANAN

Conrad and Kuni Lewis, mine host and hostess of "The Bassett", would be pleased to welcome you for a meal after the show. The presentation of this evening's programme will secure a 10% reduction on all food.

Director - DAVID BARTLETT