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# DAG DIGEST



## Next Season UNVEILED!!

**BUT FIRST - coming soon.....**

**Bookings are now open for the following productions -**

### **Accommodations**

**by Nick Hall - 25<sup>th</sup> April to 2nd May**

Directed by Mark Bailey

A young housewife feels she is missing out on something and leaves her husband and suburban home to move into a two-bedroom village apartment, with two roommates, one an aspiring actress and the other, due to an agency mix up, is a serious young male graduate student. The ensuing complications make a hysterical evening of laughter.

*Flyer attached with booking information*

### **Youth Theatre Showcase**

**15<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> May**

Two plays presented by our Youth Classes –

**Legacy** by Mark Bailey

Lady Heston is struggling to keep the family business afloat after the disappearance of her husband Arthur on a secret expedition. She needs to find a way to raise some capital to keep the business out of the hands of the rival Ferris family. To make matters worse, there are new arrivals in Chippington, all bent on reaching her home to confront her. Will the legacy of Sir Heston prove to be good or ill?

**Oubliette** by David Foxton

An ancient manor. A new discovery. A secret enclosed room. What was the purpose of this mysterious space? What of the bones that were discovered there? Navigating a background of theft, plague and hysteria, we slip between past and present as we follow the story of this room and its grisly purpose.

*Flyer and booking information attached*

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## 2026/2027 Season

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Over the last few months our programme planning team have been busy reading plays and musicals which our Directors have put forward for consideration. A lot of thought goes into our programme each season and we always strive to offer a varied programme for our audiences.

We are now delighted to announce that our 2026/2027 season programme has been finalised and it's going to be another good one!

*Full details in attached flyer*

### New season launch

#### Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May at 7 30 p.m.

To launch our new season, there will be a Cheese and Wine Social Evening on Friday 29th May. Directors will be telling us all about their production and reading copies will be available to borrow. Do come along to the launch and why not bring a friend who may be interested in joining the group.. There is so much to get involved with, onstage, backstage, front of house and in the lighting/sound gallery.

Auditions for our six main house productions are open to anyone whether a member or not!!

We have such a good variety on offer again next season, including comedy/farce, drama, classics, a musical, murder mystery event, and of course our annual pantomime!

**Don't miss the launch, we would love to see you. Just let David Fletcher know you will be there!**

**Email [thornhillfletch1@gmail.com](mailto:thornhillfletch1@gmail.com)**

*Full details of next season and the launch night attached.*

### Art Classes

A reminder that our Art Classes run every Wednesday evening from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. New people are always welcome. The classes cost just £4 per session.

If you are interested in joining us, please contact our Arts Secretary, Zahoor Sakharka who will be happy to give you further information – [artssecretary@dewsburyartsgroup.info](mailto:artssecretary@dewsburyartsgroup.info)

**Finally.....** We are sorry to say goodbye to Emma Thompson who is leaving the group as she is moving to the Isle Of Man. Emma has been Treasurer for the group since 2019. She was also the licensee for our bar and Stage Manager for many of our productions.

We thank Emma for her service to the group, she will be missed and we wish her all the very best for the future in her new home!

### Dates for your diary

April/May

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