

Osmotherley arts page

Osmotherley Village Theatre Autumn Production Wednesday 27th - Friday 29th November 2019

Sex, Drugs & Rick'n' Noel. By David Tristram

Interview with the Director - Jean Lake

What was it about this play that particularly appealed to you?

Jean: It's a fast moving comedy with a subject matter that OVT hasn't really tackled before. When I finished reading the script I was laughing out loud. The title is quite intriguing too- leaves you wanting to know more.

Q. Best moment?

Jean: Rick's introduction to the Indian Cuisine experience, but all the scenes are funny.

Q. Any surprises in store?

Jean: The title suggests the play might be a bit raunchy- it's actually a rip roaring comedy about mature students and their different approaches to university life (no sex or drugs!) However, the many twists and turns as Rick remembers his belated university years will keep the audience giggling throughout.

Q. If you could cast any actors to play the lead roles who would it be?

Jean: Perhaps Ricky Gervaise as Rick and Neil Morrissey as Noel, but I reckon our OVT actors will do an even better job.

Q What should the audiences expect?

Jean: They will be guaranteed to have a 'laugh out loud' evening and experience a different type of theatre from many past productions.

Chapter and Verse Bookstop

Do keep swapping your reading material — although storage is still restricted. regular book swaps help to keep our Bookstop refreshed.



Last month saw the start of our new season. It was an enjoyable evening for all and a pleasure to welcome returning members as well as new members to the season ahead. There's plenty in store through the months ahead, a wonderfully varied programme of film to take us all the way to June next year.

This month, our film evening is on Friday 18th October:

WILD ROSE [2018][UK] Cert.15 101mins

Starring: Jessie Buckley, Julie Walters, Sophie Okonedo

Meet Rose-Lynn, Glasgow single parent, fresh out of prison with a hard-scrabble of a life behind her already at a young age but determined to become a country music star. With a 'three chords and the truth' soundtrack, this is a bittersweet but uplifting film.

"Jesse Buckley lights up the screen as Rose-Lynn Harlan...a rousing, crowd-pleasing movie that promises to set heart and heels pounding"

The Guardian

Our ongoing success is only possible through the support of members (membership fees mean we can fund the cost of a season) and the film crew within our community who put in the work to make the season happen. So, if you enjoy film and want to help keep live film and live arts alive in the village, then JOIN US NOW. It's never too late to join for the season! Membership forms and the season's programme can be found on our website as well as at Top Shop.

Doors open 7.30pm, Film starts 8pm

Membership for the Season: £ 35 (what great value!!)

Guests welcome (must be 16+ yrs of age). Guest Fee: £ 6

Want to know more? See our website; email us at osmotherleyfilm@yahoo.co.uk; tel Laura 883096/Chris 07971 863332.