



# DRIFTWOOD PLAYERS' BOARDWALK



Driftwood Players' Newsletter

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## Tickets on Sale Now!

Driftwood Players presents  
**Little Shop of HORRORS**  
MUSIC BY KEVIN KULVIN  
LIBRETTO BY BLAY HENSTY  
DIRECTED BY LOUVE HANCOCK  
MUSIC SUPERVISOR LEN JEWETT  
CASTING, REASON AND SCENICALLY WICKED  
MAGICAL THEATRE

Tickets: \$25, \$10 for students. Available at:  
Saskatoon Public Library, Saskatoon Stage &  
Hollywood Centre in Gibsons  
Saskatoon Information Centre  
in Saskatoon

Heritage Playhouse, Gibsons  
8:00 to April 2, 3, 5, 9, 11 - 2:00 to Mattson April 7 & 11  
Week, April 7 - Pop in the Car - 1:00 to Mattson  
Raven's Cry Theatre, Sechelt  
8:00 to April 10, 16, 17 - 2:00 to Mattson April 17

## Little Shop Taking Shape !

Here we grow again! Driftwood has been taking on some big challenges lately with such big shows as *Our Town* and *Quilters*. Our *Little Shop of Horrors* steps us up again with a cast of 30 and a crew list of 60. In addition to our three rehearsal spaces we are also operating two construction workshops. Driftwood members are invited to stop by and watch the show take shape.



## Rehearsals

Rehearsals are typically **Saturday and Sunday 11:30 till 3:30** at Heritage Playhouse. If you can't find us there, try the Gibsons Rec Centre. People have been laughing so hard at rehearsals that we may just have to have an ambulance standing by!

**Audrey's Lair**  
1010 Chamberlin Rd.



Come and meet Audrey II, our star cast member. **Adrienne Ucciferrl, Peter Morgan, Randy Schmidt** and others have been building our plants for the past 6 weeks. The 'plant' is open most days from 10 am till 3 pm.

## Strike Zone



Our set construction and decoration crews are working at the old Strike Zone bowling alley on Payne Road. Designers, **Susan Rule and Gerry Watson** are guiding their crews. You are most likely going to find them at work Tuesdays through Thursdays between 10 am and 3 pm.

Check out our website at: [www.driftwoodplayers.ca](http://www.driftwoodplayers.ca)

## Our Musicians

Five of the finest musicians on the Coast have signed up for *Little Shop* under the direction of Sunshine Coast musical icon, Les Fowler.

**Piano:** Paula Seward  
**Synth:** Ken Dalglish  
**Guitar:** Gaetan Bergevin  
**Bass:** Boyd Norman  
**Drums:** John Rule



## Our Budget !

OK... now the challenge. Those of us who have seen the rehearsals know what a great show this is going to be... but we also know how important it is to support these great performers and designers with all of the resources they need. Our budget, which is already the largest in Driftwood history, is stretching by the day. Our deadline for sponsorships and advertisements is March 20. Private donations are eligible for income tax rebates. Please call Bill Forst asap if you can help.

Please send your donation to  
**Driftwood Players, 662 North Road,  
 Gibsons, BC V0N 1V9.**

## Seeking Directors

The Sunshine Coast Driftwood Players, in planning for future seasons, is inviting prospective Directors to contact our Artistic Directions Team before March 31, 2010. Proposals for directing specific scripts are encouraged.

Please call Bob Hunt at 604-740-0105 or email  
[driftwoodplayers@dccnet.com](mailto:driftwoodplayers@dccnet.com)

## Story Theatre



We have had our first Story Theatre production meeting and are looking forward to a third successful season.

This year, we hope to add more venues to our schedule. One of our goals is to have enough cast members that we can easily give time off to anyone who has planned a vacation or other activities that would conflict with our bookings, which probably means twice as many actors as last year. We are also looking for a musician to supply sound effects and creative accompaniment!

Our proposed schedule is this: **two workshops in April, Sunday the 11th and Sunday the 18th**, with rehearsals to start the first weekend of May, on either the Saturday or Sunday, depending on what's best for the cast.

So, of course, we're wondering who is interested in joining us this year? It's fun, it's creative, and it's free exposure to theatre for the whole community. If you have any questions please contact **Bob Hunt at 604-740-0105** or **Janet Hodgkinson at 604-886-8767**.



**Don't miss Little Shop! Get your tickets today... and next week... and the week after that.**

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