

Southport Dramatic Club

An SDC Bar Production

Kings & Queens

Featuring Excerpts From

The Regina Monologues

By Rebecca Russell & Jenny Wafer


(Directed By Tracey Batchelor)

And The Lion In Winter

By James Goldman (Directed By Jan Hale).

2nd - 6th June, 2015

at 7.45pm


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The Regina Monologues

The Cast of Six Wives:

Cathy	Helene Porter
Annie	Angela McIntyre
Jane	Michelle Pappini
Anna	Jennifer Corcoran
Katie	Bridie Flanagan
Katherine	Val Pedlar

Music in this production:

Fantasia on Greensleeves - Ralph Vaughan-Williams

Baby Baby All the Time - Diana Krall

You've Changed - Ella Fitzgerald

Love Me or Leave Me - Nina Simone

The Winner Takes it All - ABBA

Queen for Tonight - Helen Shapiro

The Lion In Winter

The Cast:

Henry 11	Mike Stowell
Eleanor of Aquitaine	Val Pedlar
Alais Capot	Bridie Flanagan

Music in this production:

The music heard in this production includes the carol '*Angelus ad Virginem*', brought to England by the Franciscan Friars in the 13th century, and music by the 12th century troubadours of Aquitaine who were encouraged by Queen Eleanor and welcomed to her English court.

There will be one twenty minute interval

The Regina Monologues - Director's Notes

Welcome to this year's Bar Production which begins with a wonderful play: *'The Regina Monologues'* by Rebecca Russell and Jenny Wafer. Divorced, beheaded, died, divorced, beheaded, survived.... is a chant most children remember from school history lessons. So how to update the Queen's stories and make them relevant to today's women? I have been extremely lucky to work with a great script, six fabulous, and patient, actors and a very supportive behind-the-scenes team. I hope we have done just that and that this will be the start of a very enjoyable evening.



Tracey Batchelor

Tracey Batchelor, Director

The Lion In Winter - Director's Notes

Following the interval we will take you back to Christmas Eve 1183.

The cast and crew will transport you to a castle at Chinon and tell the story of King Henry 11 and his two ladies: Eleanor of Aquitaine and Alais Capot, his mistress. They all plot, plan and manoeuvre as in a carefully choreographed fight with excerpts from *'The Lion in Winter'* by James Goldman.



Jan Hale

We have relished the rehearsal period and hope you enjoy the evening as much as we have enjoyed the rehearsals.

Jan Hale, Director

Staging

Stage Manager	Georgina Gillen
Rehearsal Prompts	Dyan Ensenat & Lyn Holdsworth
Properties	Syd Coley
Wardrobe	Sherel Coley & Kate Hargreaves
Sound Design	Brian Hodge
Lighting	Team LX

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