INTO THE WOODS

Once upon a time, in a far off kingdom there lived a young maiden called Cinderella, a simple lad named Jack and a childless baker and his wife...

So begins Sondheim's dark fantasy 'Into the Woods'. Join the hapless Baker and his spouse as they journey deep into the forest to dispel the curse that has been placed upon their house by a wicked witch. In order to lift the spell they must find a slipper as pure as gold, hair as yellow as corn, a cow as white as milk and a cloak as red as blood.

Before their journey is over they have helped Jack reach his kingdom in the sky, saved Little Red Riding Hood from the dastardly wolf, assisted Cinderella in evading her prince and found Rapunzel's tower deep in the forest's heart.

But not all stories end happily ever after. What happens when you obtain your heart's desire? Is it enough? Is it ever enough?

And what of the young boy lost amidst the trees with only his toys for company? Who is he and why is he there? Journey with us 'Into the Woods' but do not stray from the path because who knows what may be lurking in the shadows...

A Message from the Director

Welcome to 'Into The Woods', the delightfully dark musical masterpiece from Stephen Sondheim.

The Youth Theatre have spent their summer holidays rehearsing with their usual dedication and enthusiasm. This year, they have collaborated with some of our adult members to create this production in just SIX short weeks.

On behalf of the Youth Theatre Committee, I would like to thank all the members of the club for for all their help in bringing the show to the stage.

I would also like to thank Paul and Corinna for their incredible efforts and Alan, Mike, Andi, Lynn, James, Shez, Kate and Bernie for work above and beyond.

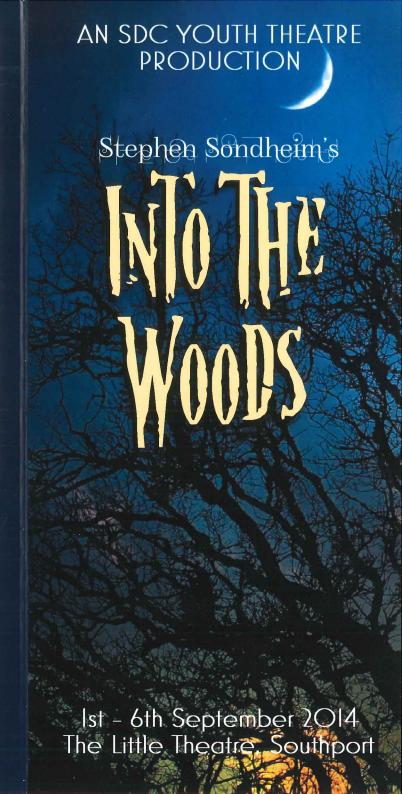
Finally, thank you to you, our audience, for joining us. We hope you find this evening a memorable experience.

Enjoy your journey 'Into the Woods'.

There will be an interval of 20 minutes between the two acts.

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The Boy Joe Bloom Thomas Corcoran

The Baker Chris Rimmer The Baker's Wife Deborah Bloom Cinderella Kerry Baratinsky

Jack Robbie Fletcher-Hill Jack's Mother Trudi Hirsch

Rachel Kitchen Red Riding Hood

The Witch Janine Burrows Rapunzel/Mother Bridie Flanagan

Prince Charming Rob MacGregor

Rapunzel's Prince John Delahunty

The Mysterious Man Graeme Hunt The Stepmother Louise Webster

Cinderella's Father

Lee Butcher Jessie Wall

Florinda

Lucinda Toni Spofforth

The Steward Zack Johnson

Granny Sandy Towne Milky White Fern Ward

The Wolf John Delahunty

The Giant Rokiah Khan

Snow White Charlotte Webster

Fern Ward Sleeping Beauty

Goldilocks Corinna Davies

Hansel iEmma Dinsdale

Gretel Hayleigh Griffin

Staging/Set Design/SM Alan Gosling DSM Lynn Gosling Lighting Design Mike Clarke Asst. Lighting Design Andi Jenkinson Sound Bernie Howat Wardrobe James Hughes-Alty Kate Hargreaves

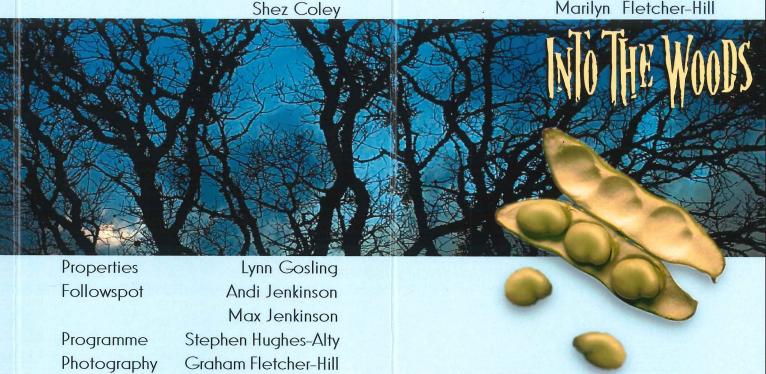
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