



SOUTHPORT DRAMATIC CLUB PRESENTS

REGISTERED CHARITY NO. 221585

PARTY PIECE



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BY

**RICHARD
HARRIS**

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DIRECTED BY

**SANDY
THRELFALL**

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23rd – 31st
JANUARY 1998

EACH EVENING AT 7.45

NEXT
SDC PRODUCTION

'LOST IN YONKERS'
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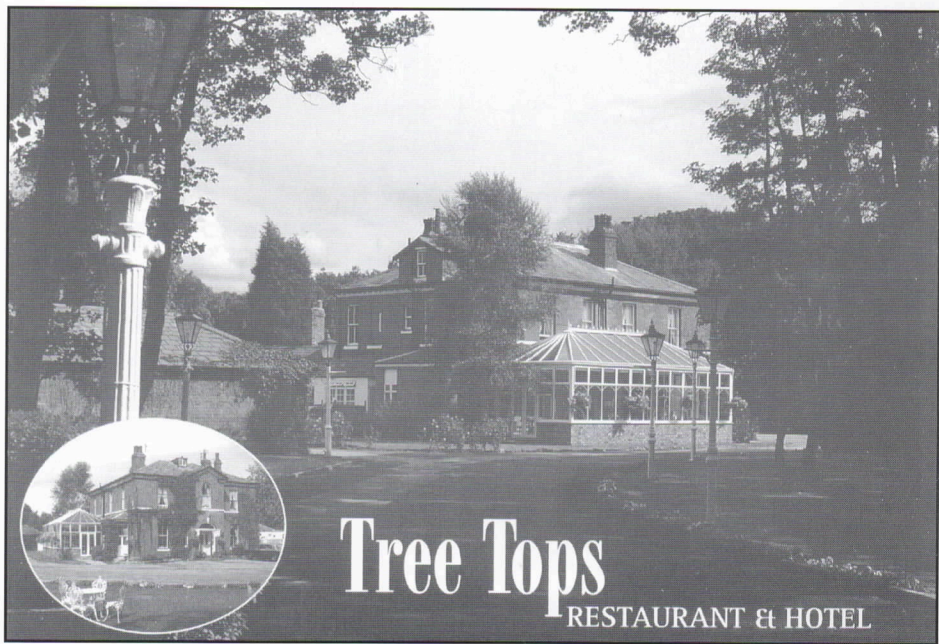
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Sandy Threlfall

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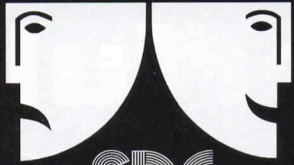
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Samantha Roberts



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Barry Johnson



Jan Hale

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Directed by SANDY THRELFALL

Cast in order of appearance

Michael Smethurst.....	Barry Johnson
Roma Smethurst.....	Jan Hale
Mrs. Hinson	Robin Hirsch
David Hinson.....	Ted Bullen
Jennifer Hinson.....	Samantha Roberts
Toby Hancock.....	Alistair Hewitt
Sandy Lloyd-Meredith.....	Sandra Unsworth

The action takes place in the gardens of the Smethursts and the Hinsons.

ACT I Late afternoon

ACT II Later - early evening

*There will be one interval of approximately twenty minutes between
Acts One and Two*

STAGING

STAGE MANAGER.....	Alan Gosling
ASSISTANT STAGE MANAGERS	Lindsay Haywood Hannah Furmedge
PROMPT	Sheila Furlong
PROPERTIES	Nick Evans Jonathan Grimshaw Ben Jones
WIG	Jon Ellis Hair Team, Penwortham
LIGHTING	Dave Tynan
SOUND	Rob Turner
SET BUILT BY	The S.D.C. Team
SET PAINTED BY.....	Bob Jessamine
PHOTOGRAPHY.....	Graham Sherriff

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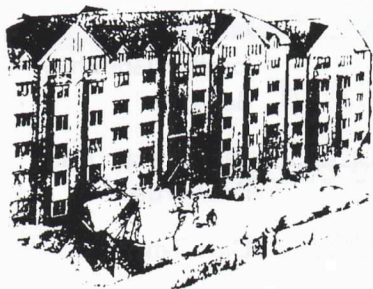
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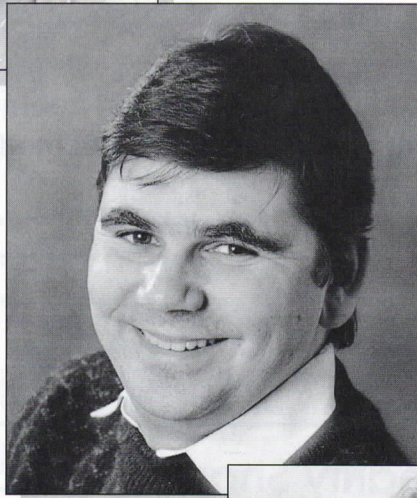
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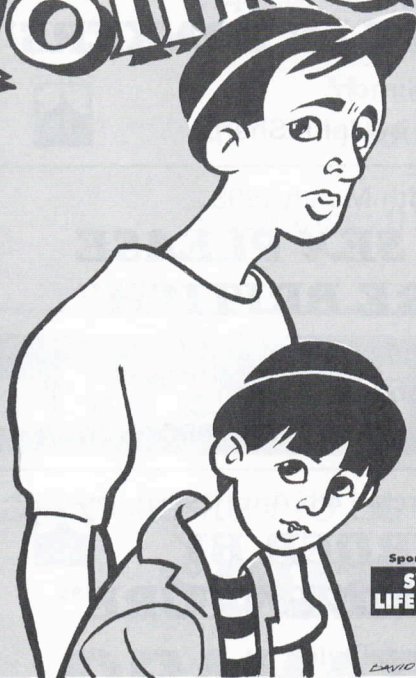
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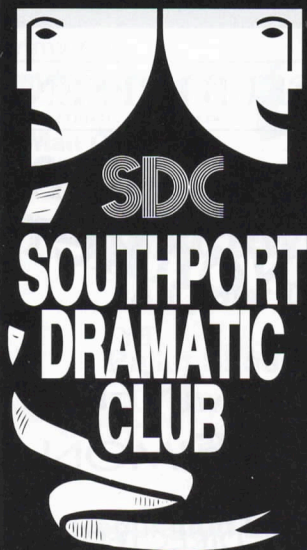
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by Neil Simon

Directed by John Sharp



11th – 14th March 1998

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by Anthony Marriot and Alistair Foot

Directed by Ian Bryden

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