



S.C.S. Players' Newsletter

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WELCOME TO THE SCS PLAYERS 54th SEASON

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Hello and welcome to our 54th Season. We are planning two memorable plays for our 54th year providing community theater to the public. The St. Clair Shores Players will continue the tradition of producing a variety of plays, from serious to comedy, realistic life to fantasy, with the intention of entertaining the public and giving them a glimpse of another life for a little while.

Our Fall play is the very funny *Office Hours* written by Norm Foster. Patrick Sheehy will be directing the play. If you are interested in being a part of this play behind the scenes email

Patrick Sheehy at patsheehy@yahoo.com for more information. *Patrick still needs a Stage Manger, Lights, Set Dresser and Props Person.*

The St. Clair Shores Players have a Facebook and Twitter account. We are gaining more followers wanting updates on play productions.

Some of the positions available are:

- Volunteer to be a member of the play reading committee. If you are interested contact Rachel Robinson at rachelrobinson@quickenloans.com for more

information.

- Being part of the Board of Directors. We need as Social Chair and Workshop Chairman
- We really need a play and Director for Spring 2014. If you are interested, please contact President Matthew Sheehy (mattsheehy@yahoo.com) or Vice President Rachel Robinson (rachelrobinson@quickenloans.com)
- Remember: Theater is a verb before it is a noun, an act before it is a place.
- Act now!

Help Wanted: Directors

Do you want to take your theater experience to the next level?
Are you looking for excitement?

Do you want to present your vision of how a play should be staged?

Do you want to feel the thrill and pride of opening night?

We have just the position for you.....

The St. Clair Shores Players is in need of a Director for their Spring Play.

(You can even suggest the play that you want to direct)

Contact President, Matt Sheehy (mattsheehy@yahoo.com) to discuss.

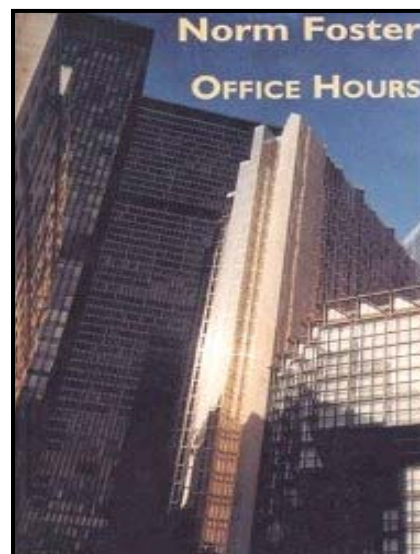
Thank you!

From the Director's Chair by Patrick Sheehy

Rehearsals for the 2013 Fall play, **Office Hours**, are well underway. We had a great turnout for auditions with 13 people trying out for 17 roles in the play. All the roles were cast, including two new members (Welcome Herb & Randy!). Rehearsals are Monday Wednesday and Thursday at Matt Sheehy's house.

Speaking of Matt, he's our Assistant Director. To complete our backstage crew we still need a Stage Manager, Lights and Set Dresser and Props Person. Please contact either me or Matt Sheehy if you are interested in filling one of these positions. *Thank you!*

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Renew Your Membership

Now is the time to show your continued support for the SCS Players and renew your membership for the 2013 - 2014 season. Single memberships are only \$20.00 and families are \$30.00. Make your checks payable to "SCS Players" and mail it in care of Rachel Robinson, Membership Committee Chairperson. You can also pay your dues at any General Membership Meeting.

Here are a few things to remember

about memberships. Single members are for anyone 18 years of age and up. Family Memberships include you, your spouse (husband or wife) and your children. Family memberships **DO NOT** include grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins and/or boyfriends/girlfriends. Rollover membership are only available to NEW members (those who have never belong to the group in the past) who join after the Winter show has ended. Rollover memberships are

not available to current or returning SCS Players.

[Mail your 2013 - 2014 membership dues check to:](#)

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MEMBERSHIPS DUES FOR THE
2013 - 2014 SEASON MUST BE
PAID IN FULL BY

OCTOBER 31, 2013

Election of Officers

The current Board of Directors has agreed to continue in their positions for another year. It would be wonderful if others in the membership would consider becoming part of our Board giving us your ideas about plays and future direction of the group.

President: Matthew Sheehy
Vice President: Rachel Robinson
Secretary: Carol Sheehy
Treasurer: Sharon Kusch
Publicity: Kathy Smith
Newsletter Editor: Linda Neuwirth

A Big Thank You for Your Continued Service to The St. Clair Shores Players!

A Few Words from the President

We are a group of volunteers. We volunteer to join the group. We volunteer our time and talents to participate in a show. We volunteer to serve on the Board of Directors. We volunteer our money to support the continuation of the group. We volunteer again and again and this has been our business model for 54 years. Why all this discussion of volunteering? Well, the other day I got an email from out of the blue from Jenny Miller. This email included an

attachment. The attachment was a flyer for the Fall 2013 production of OFFICE HOURS (see page 4 of this newsletter). No one had asked her to put this flyer together, she just volunteered her time and talent and got the job done. So I want to take a moment to thank all the volunteer heroes that keep this group alive and well. Thank you Jenny Miller! And to all the other volunteers. Thank you to Board members who serve

years after year. Thank you to the members who pay their dues on time without prompting. Thank you to all the actors & actresses who take parts in our productions. Thank you to the Directors and Assistant Directors who take on more work than they ever expected and still enjoy the experience and produce something wonderful. Thank you to all the backstage crew people.

Have you volunteered lately?

If so, thank you!

October Social Event: The Love List

We are producing Norm Foster's OFFICE HOURS for our Fall 2013 Production and as a nice theater based social event tie-in we are going to see one of Norm Foster's other plays...



THE LOVE LIST

Performed by: The Rosedale Community Players
 Saturday, October 26th (Curtain at 8:00pm)
 Peace Lutheran Church
 17029 W. 13 Mile Road
 Southfield

Group tickets (10 or more people) are \$13.00 each.

Contact Matt Sheehy (mattsheehy@yahoo.com) to indicate your interest in attending this event — we need a count by no later than Saturday October 19th. The more the merrier! Come On!

Synopsis: In this side-splitting and thought-provoking comedy, Leon and Bill concoct a list of attributes of the ideal woman's top ten best qualities in a mate. When this allegedly 'Ideal Woman' actually arrives on the scene the men quickly learn that their list could use a few revisions. Be careful what you wish for—especially in choosing a mate. This old adage leads to hilarious results

St. Clair Shores Players present

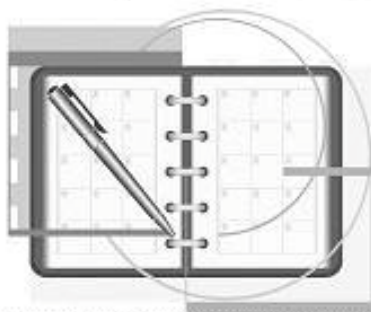
Written By:
Norm Foster

St. Clair Shores Players



50 Years of Theater

OFFICE HOURS



All shows are performed at:
Good Shepherd
United Methodist Church
31601 Harper Avenue
St. Clair Shores, MI 48082

It's Friday afternoon in six offices in six different cities. As the week draws to a close the various characters try to wrap up their business by demonstrating the wheeling, dealing, & hilarious office politics which are all-too familiar to everyone in the workplace. Each seemingly unrelated scene leads to the next, only to come full circle & reveal what ties all these people to the same day planner. This hilarious comedy is guaranteed to have you laughing out loud! Don't miss this show!

Directed by: Patrick Sheehy Assistant Director: Matthew Sheehy
Mark Sulewski as One-armed Man, Bobby Holland, & Richard Penny
Scott Smith as Warren Kimble, & Artie Barnes
Jennifer Miller as Pam Gerard
Herb Barents as Gordon Blaine
Dolores Monroe as Francine Majors
Karen Drum as Ellie Young
Randy Duledas as Mark Young & Man
Alice Carr as Rhonda Penny
Ted Krolikowski as Lloyd Penny
Mike Green as Stan Thurber
Laura Shunk as Sharon Freeman
Katey Snover as Neil Penny



Friday, November 15, 2013
Saturday, November 16, 2013
Friday, November 22, 2013
Saturday, November 23, 2013

Shows begin at 8:00pm. Doors open at 7:30pm. All seating is general admission. Tickets are sold at the door. Adults: \$10, Seniors (60+) & Students: \$9. Special pricing for groups of 10 or more - see website at www.scsplayers.org



Photo Play

OFFICE HOURS—Auditions

Monday, August 26, 2012

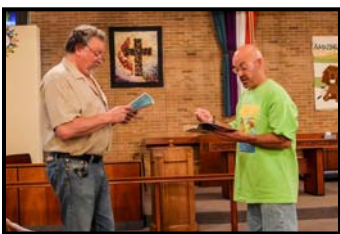
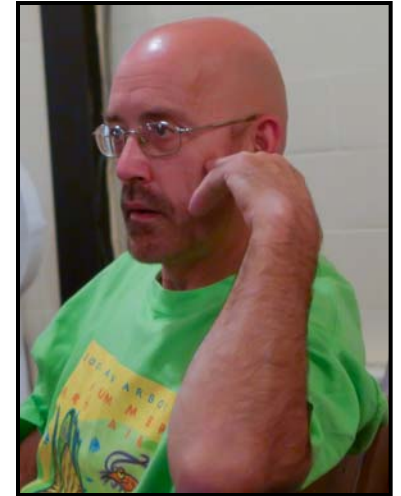




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OFFICE HOURS—Rehearsal

Monday, September 23, 2013

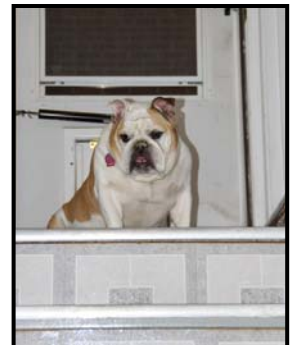
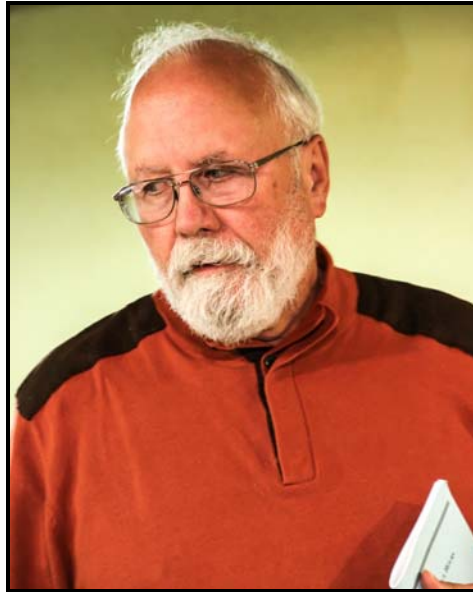
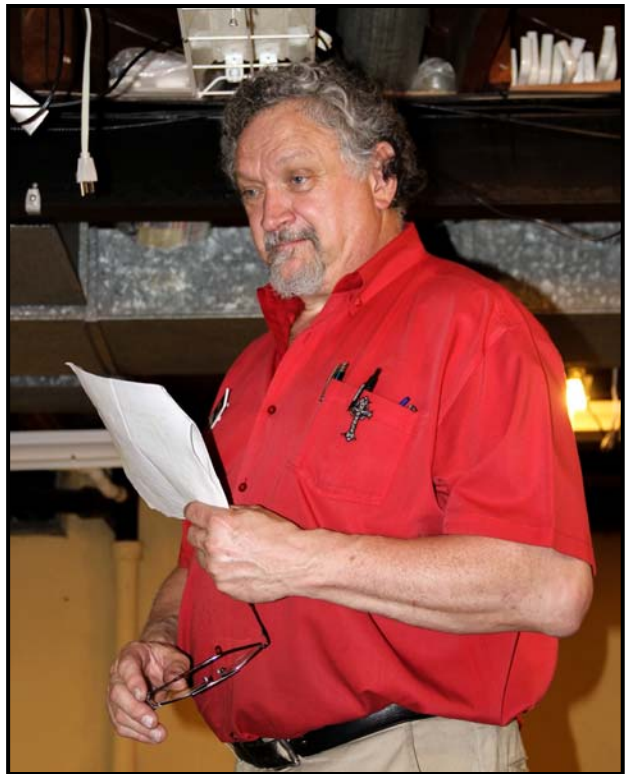




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OFFICE HOURS—Rehearsal

Wednesday, September 25, 2013



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Since 1959*

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Mission Statement

The St. Clair Shores Players is a non-profit community theater group serving the city of St. Clair Shores and the surrounding environs. The SCS Players seek to provide a quality live theater experience to the community and also to provide an outlet for local talent in the production of these plays.

Membership to this group is open to anyone interested in furthering the purpose of the group (you do not need to be a citizen of the city of St. Clair Shores).

The SCS Players have, since the group formed in 1959, always held open casting calls for its productions. If you've got talent and the desire to be in a play or helping in some other capacity we are interested in having you as a member of our group.

Upcoming Events—MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

10/8/13	Board of Directors Mtg. Good Shepherd United Methodist Church	12/3/13	Board of Directors Mtg. Good Shepherd United Methodist Church	3/4/14	Board of Directors Mtg. Good Shepherd United Methodist Church
10/26/13	October Social Event	December	Social Event to be announced	3/11/14	General Membership Mtg. Good Shepherd United Methodist Church
11/5/13	Board of Directors Mtg. Good Shepherd United Methodist Church	1/7/14	Board of Directors Mtg. Good Shepherd United Methodist Church	4/1/14	Board of Directors Mtg. Good Shepherd United Methodist Church
11/15/13	Performance - Opening Night - Office Hours Curtin 8:00 pm Good Shepherd United Methodist Church	1/14/14	General Membership Mtg. Good Shepherd United Methodist Church		
11/22/13	Performance - Office Hour Curtin 8:00 pm Good Shepherd United Methodist Church	2/4/14	Board of Directors Mtg. Good Shepherd United Methodist Church		
		2/16/14	Social Event - St. Clair Shores Players Red Party		

