# NODA SCOTLAND

# 29 - 31 October 2021

# Peebles Hydro

AGM

Workshops - singing, movement, drama, good to talk and Business of Amateur Theatre

Gala Dinner with guest speaker, dancing and midnight cabaret

**Programme and Poster Competition** 

**Theatrical Suppliers and Rights Holder Stands** 

Late night sing-a-long



Booking now open. For full details: www.noda.org.uk/regions/scotland

# NODA SCOTLAND CONFERENCE 29 - 31 OCTOBER 2021

# PEEBLES HYDRO

#### Notice of Annual General Meetings:

The Annual General Meetings of NODA Scotland Region and noda Scotland will be held within the Ballroom of the Peebles Hydro, Innerleithen Road, Peebles, EH45 8LX, on Sunday 31 October 2021 at 11.00 (prompt). This will be followed by the presentation of trophies to the winners of the Programme and Poster Competition.

\*\* Notice of any competent business for consideration at either of the meetings should be in the hands of Roger Buist, 5 Bayfield Gardens, West Ferry, Dundee, DD5 1AX not later than 10 October 2021.

# **CONFERENCE PROGRAMME**

# FRIDAY 29 OCTOBER

Check in Opens
Fancy dress reception on the theme of
Disney for all Delegates and Guests
You are invited to meet President Gordor
Richardson in the Ballroom
Dinner in the Dining Room
Dancing in the Ballroom
Disco in the Regency Room
Sing-a-long in the Ballroom

# SATURDAY 30 OCTOBER

08.00 to 10.00	Breakfast - The Dining Room
10.00 to 12.00	Singing Class 1 - Richard Waghorn
	The Edinburgh Suite
	Movement Class 1 - Greg Robertson
	The Ballroom
	<b>Drama Class 1</b> - Calum Campbell
10.00 10.00	The Regency Room
10.30 to 12.00	
	David Black
10.00 . 14.00	The Bannockburn Room
12.30 to 14.00	Lunch In The Dining Room
14.30 to 16.30	
	The Edinburgh Suite
	Movement Class 2 - Greg Robertson
	The Ballroom Drama Class 2 - Calum Campbell
	The Regency Room Business of Amateur Theatre - Stuart
	McCue-Dick
	The Bannockburn Room
19.00	Gala Dinner in the Dining Room
17.00	All Guests must be seated by 18.50
	Evening or Highland Dress should be worn
	Strictly no denims or casual attire
	Dancing in the Ballroom
00.00	Midnight Cabaret in the Ballroom followed
	by Sing-a-long in the Ballroom
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# SUNDAY 31 OCTOBER

	Breakfast - The Dining Room
11.00	Annual General Meeting of NODA Scotland followed by noda Scotland
12.00	Presentation of Awards for the Programme
12 30 to 14 30	and Poster Competition Lunch in the Dining Room

The Conference Closes

'Safe Journey Home'

# CONFERENCE CHARGES

#### Conference Fee – £20.00 per person

The conference fee is payable by anyone booking any package other than the Gala Dinner, Ball and Cabaret ticket or attending any part of the weekend apart from the AGM.

#### Weekend Package includes:

Two nights accommodation in the Hydro or Park Hotels inclusive of all meals from dinner on Friday to lunch on Sunday. This is inclusive of the Gala Dinner, Service Charges and VAT. No Reductions.

#### Rates per Person payable to Hotel on departure:

Single Room	£ 294.50
Double/Twin Room	
Triple Room	£ 267.00 (3 sharing)
Multiple Room	£ 243.50 (4+ sharing)

Gala Dinner, Ball & Cabaret Ticket..... £56.50 per person (for NON residents of the Hydro or Park Hotels)

#### Gala Dinner & Ball Overnight Package

	(Including: Gala Dinner, Ball, Cabaret, Bed & Breakfas	st)
(	Single Room£	127.00
[	Double/Twin Room£	121.00

#### **Extra Nights**

Dinner, Bed	and	Breakfast		£	67.00	per	person
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#### Non-residents

Friday Dinner	£27.00
Saturday Lunch	
Sunday Lunch	

# WORKSHOP DETAILS

## **SINGING CLASS 1**

Missed singing together this past year and a half? Well, it's time to make some noise again! Richard returns with another fast-paced, fun and challenging singing workshop. He will take the group through one of his own new, fresh and exciting arrangements from the world of musical theatre making for a proper vocal workout. Throw in some technical singing tips, fun but invaluable exercises and lots of good humour and this workshop will have you sounding tip-top and is not to be missed.

## **SINGING CLASS 2**

Workshop 2 will take the form of a vocal mini masterclass. This is the chance to bring along your own choice of songs either as a part of a group, or as a soloist and Richard will work with you on it, bringing out your best! Of course, there will be plenty of ensemble singing too so you'll be busy even if you don't fancy singing on your own. This is a superb opportunity to work with Richard, one of the country's most sought-after vocal coaches, as he offers invaluable tips in a safe and supportive environment. It really is a fabulous session which you'll enjoy thoroughly.

## **MOVEMENT CLASS 1**

Using music from the world of musical theatre Greg will offer a workshop aimed at all abilities. It will be exciting, fun, energetic and inspirational the workshop is an ideal way to start a Saturday morning at conference.

## **MOVEMENT CLASS 2**

Similar to the morning class, using music from the world of musical theatre, this workshop will be exciting, fun, energetic, inspirational and high energy. Whilst open to all abilities it is aimed at more experienced performers as well as those wishing to challenge themselves.

## **DRAMA CLASS 1**

Cure your hangover with a morning of laughter and creating theatre from scratch. Learn new techniques to explore character and use imagination to bring stories to life. During this session we will look at simple, physical techniques and new ways to build and think as a performer.

## DRAMA CLASS 2

What is physical theatre? In this workshop we will explore new ways to move as actors, new ways to move as a chorus and explore the art of being socially distant (as if we don't already know!). Feel the power of commanding a room without the use of voice. Please do not be put off by the word physical, because even the smallest movements can tell a story. This is not a dance class!

## **BUSINESS OF AMATEUR THEATRE**

The Business of Amateur Theatre workshop is designed for those tasked with running amateur theatre clubs. The workshop will look at groups and show management, as well as the support available from NODA to member groups. The workshop will provide the opportunity to ask questions throughout the afternoon and there will be follow up support available as well.

# IT'S GOOD TO TALK

A chance to meet with representatives of clubs from all over Scotland to share ideas and seek solutions to problems. You will also be updated on initiatives being taken by NODA to help support amateur theatre and those tasked with running member clubs.

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# **Booking Form**

#### **Booking Contact**



Name		Address
		Post Code
Tel. No Home		Mobile
Email Address		
Society		District
Conference Fee	No	@£20.00 = £
Gala Dinner	No	@£56.50 = £

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The gala dinner ticket is for those attending that part of the weekend on a non-residential basis only

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#### PAYMENT DETAILS

Payment of the conference fees or gala dinner tickets should be made at the time of booking Please make cheques payable to 'NODA Scotland'

#### **ONLINE PAYMENT DETAILS**

This year the conference fees and gala dinner tickets can be paid online

#### www.ticketsource.co.uk/nodascotland Password NODA2021

Please remember to return all paperwork to Stuart McCue-Dick (address bleow) to guarantee your booking

#### Weekend Dining (NOT Gala Dinner)

Please indicate if you have any specific requests for table allocation for the weekend. If none you will be seated with others from your district

#### **Gala Dinner**

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#### **Return Address**

All completed paperwork and payment (if paying by cheque) should be returned by 30 September to: Stuart McCue-Dick, NODA Scotland Conference 2021, 5 Glenhead Drive, Motherwell, ML1 2DS

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