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# Compass Theatre

**Sept to Dec**  
**2007**

Victorian  
Toy Theatre



Monday 22nd October, 10am - 4pm

All Tickets £16.50

# High School Musical

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND

Ages 8-12

Please wear comfy clothes & bring a packed lunch

Learn some slick routines to impress your friends, this popular musical will have you singing & dancing all the way home!

Tuesday 23rd October, 10am - 4pm

All Tickets £16.50

# MONSTER BALL

Ages 5-7

ALL DAY WORKSHOP

Please wear comfy clothes & bring a packed lunch

'Pumpkin Problems' - Mr. Johnson can't get his pumpkin to grow in time for the Halloween Monster Ball, what will he do? - But he needn't worry because his friendly neighbour Tabitha Witch has a trick up her sleeve as long as the other vegetable growers don't find out.

Thursday 25th October, 10am - 4pm

All Tickets £16.50

# Warlocks, Potions & Magic

Are you prepared to encounter werewolves, vampire bats and mythical beasts?

Can you create a fantasy adventure like J.K.Rowling with these magic ingredients?

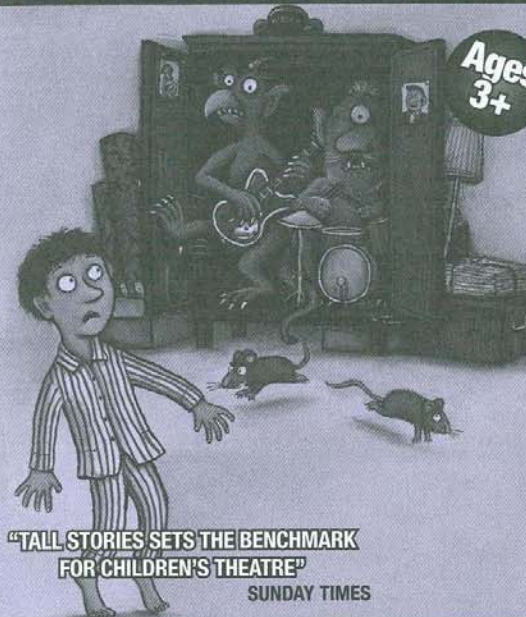
Ages 8-12

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Sat 27th October 11am & 1.30pm

All Tickets £5.50



Ages 3+

# MONSTER HITS

There are strange noises in the attic...

William is a young boy with a lot of imagination. Grandpa is an old man with none. Staying with grumpy Grandpa for the first time, William hears monstrous music coming out of the darkness in his spooky attic bedroom.

How will William ever get to sleep when there are monsters hiding in the walls?

Following the national and international successes of The Gruffalo and The Snow Dragon, Tall Stories returns with a brand new show for ages three and up. Storytelling, comedy and songs create a riotous world where friends are found in unlikely places...

"TALL STORIES SETS THE BENCHMARK FOR CHILDREN'S THEATRE" SUNDAY TIMES

Wed 7th - Sat 10th November 7.45pm

All Tickets £10



# OUTSIDE EDGE

A COMEDY ABOUT LIFE, CRICKET AND OTHER IMPORTANT STUFF.

Roger is a man with an obsession; to lead his team to victory for the second year running over the British Railways Maintenance Division Yeading East. No mean feat, especially when his best players start to cry off or, far worse, suffer injury before a ball is even bowled. With the game under way, wives and girlfriends add their own troubles to the tally. But Roger is not easily distracted, and if it's down to him to win the match before the rain starts, then so be it.

Presented By

PROSCENIUM

www.proscenium.org

Saturday 15th September, 11am

ALL TICKETS £5.50

# The Elves & The Shoemaker

'Shooooooooooooooooooooes .....! Ah, new shoes .....  
Delightful on the feet. Soft, dancing shoes;  
swarthy pirate shoes; silver buckle and silken  
soles. No onemakes shoes like an elf.

This well known and well loved tale  
- made popular by the Ladybird Classic  
- has been re-heeled by Theatre of  
Widdershins in their own inimitable style.

Beautifully crafted set and puppets,  
sublime music, a kaleidoscope of  
miniature shoes and a comic mouse all  
make this show a magical must-see'.



Wednesday 19th - Saturday 22nd\* Sept, 7.45pm

£9 (£8 Sat Matinee)

Scallywag Variety Group  
presents

# VIVA VARIETY!

\* Saturday Matinee - 2:30pm

Sponsored by **ANDY'S AERIALS** Kings Langley  
andysaerials@btinternet.com

Wednesday 3rd - Saturday 6th Oct, 7.45pm

£12 Conc £10 (Wed, Thurs & Sat Mat)

Argosy Players present

COLE PORTER'S

# High Society



THE DELIGHTFUL PLOT COMBINES ROMANCE,  
INTRIGUE, HUMOUR, A WEDDING AND A GOOD  
DOSE OF HAPPY EVER AFTER. WITH SONGS LIKE  
WHO WANTS TO BE A MILLIONAIRE? TRUE LOVE  
AND SWELL PARTY, THIS 1998 STAGE VERSION OF  
HIGH SOCIETY HAS EVERYTHING YOU COULD  
WISH FOR IN A MUSICAL

\*Sat Matinee 2.30pm

Wednesday 31st Oct - Saturday 3rd Nov, 7.30pm

£10 Conc £7.50 (Thurs)

Charles Condomine is a happily married  
successful author. That is until while researching  
a novel he manages to bring back the ghost of  
his ex-wife. As the only person who can see  
her, he struggles to convince his wife  
and friends that he's not crazy,  
while trying to find a  
way to get rid of her in  
Noël Coward's classic  
supernatural farce.



OPENING NIGHT  
ALL TICKETS £7.50



Enquiries: enquiries@purpletheatre.org.uk  
Patrons : Brian Blessed, Corin Redgrave

Affiliated to the National Operatic and Dramatic Association



# Blithe Spirit

by Noël Coward

www.purpletheatre.org.uk

Wed 21st - Sat 24th November 8pm

Cost £10 Conc £9 (Wed & Thurs)

# Daphne Du Maurier's Rebecca

Adapted by Clifford Williams



A Ruislip Dramatic Society  
presentation

In this special centenary year of Du Maurier's birth, RDS bring her most haunting & thrilling tale to the Compass. Set just before the last world war, in the magnificent house of Manderley, Rebecca is filled with suspense, romance and mystery that makes it as moving and exciting today as it was when written. A classic not to be missed.

Box office: **01895 637422**  
Mobile: **07896 311432**

Further info at [www.ruislipdramatic.org](http://www.ruislipdramatic.org)

Mon 10th - Wed 12th December

All Tickets £5.50

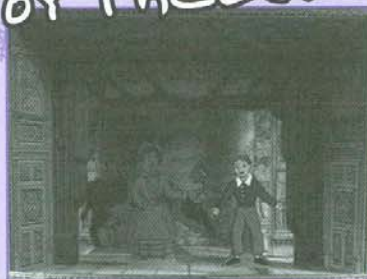
THIS CHRISTMAS AT COMPASS THEATRE A MAGICAL SHOW FOR EVERYONE TO ENJOY!

# Victorian Toy Theatre

In the attic of a Victorian House, a dull brown toy theatre has been neglected by it's owner...

Every night the theatre hosts a performance of 'Jack & The Beanstalk' with actors made of paper and card. But the actors are sad as no one comes to see the show.

Jack decides that something must be done to make the theatre popular again, so he leaves his attic home for the bustling street below in search of colour and adventure.



**PUBLIC PERFORMANCES**

**MONDAY 10TH DEC 5PM**  
**WEDNESDAY 12TH DEC 7PM**

For Schools & Nursery performances please telephone the Box Office for show times and special ticket prices.

## General information

### Bookings

Ticket bookings can be made in person, by post or by telephone. Box Office is open from 10.30am-5pm, Monday - Friday and from 10am-1pm on Saturdays. If paying by cheque, please make payable to 'Compass Theatre'. Tickets can be reserved for 5 working days.

### Ticket Exchanges and Resales

We regret ticket money cannot be refunded unless a performance is cancelled. If you are unable to attend a performance for which you have booked tickets, the Box Office will try and re-sell your returned tickets although we can only do this once a performance has sold out. In exceptional circumstances we may be able to transfer tickets within a run. For either re-sale or exchange, a £1.50 administration fee per booking will apply.

### Access

The auditorium is fully accessible for customers with mobility problems. We have two dedicated wheelchair spaces in the auditorium, car parking facilities and an adapted toilet. We welcome assistance dogs. Our auditorium and box office are fitted with induction loops.

### Bistro & bar

Our coffee bar is open for all performances and our wine bar opens on all performance nights. Interval drinks can be ordered from the wine bar.

### Volunteers

If you are interested in joining Compass Theatre as a volunteer to assist with Coffee/Wine Bar, Box Office or Front of House, we'd love to hear from you. Contact Anita on 01895 632488.

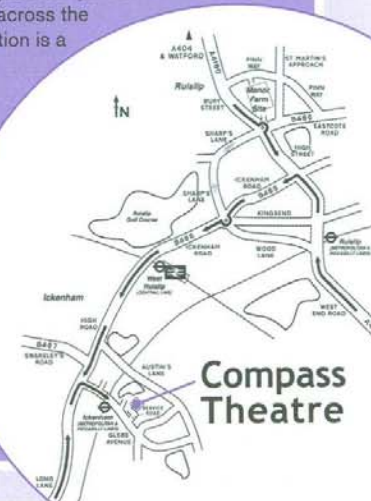
### How to find us

The Compass Theatre is on Ickenham's Glebe Avenue, just 150 yards from Long Lane. Ickenham Underground Station is just across the road (Metropolitan & Piccadilly Lines). West Ruislip Station is a 15 minute walk away (Central Line & British Rail). Ickenham is served by the U1 & U10 bus routes.

### Children

We welcome children, and have an extensive programme of performances, workshops and other activities dedicated to the under 12's. **Please note that in the interests of other patrons, babes in arms and children under the age of 3 years are not permitted in the Auditorium (including children's performances). Children under the age of 8 years must be accompanied by an adult.**

The use of cameras, and any kind of recording apparatus is prohibited in the auditorium unless contractually agreed with Compass Theatre. Latecomers may be asked to wait for a suitable pause in the programme before being shown to their seats.



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