

Northallerton Gang Show

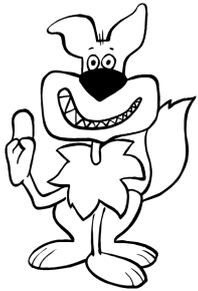


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Newsletter of the Northallerton Gang Show: Edition 2: September 11th

Thought for the day!

"From a tiny little acorn grows the mighty oak tree". We have the beginnings of a great show. Let's make it grow into something amazing!



Northallerton Gang Show! The Commitment Agreement

What we need from you:

1. A promise to attend all the main rehearsals - we've a limited amount of time between now and opening night!
2. A phone call to the registrar ASAP if you can't - so that we can arrange someone to read your part if needed!
3. A guarantee that you'll TRY YOUR BEST! - Basically just follow your Scout and Guide promises.....we can't ask any more!

What we'll give you in return:

1. Fun, fun, fun! - Added all together, the production team have been in 26 shows BETWEEN us....and we can PROMISE it's a great laugh!
2. New friends - we've met SOOOO many people through the show.....and you will too!
3. An experience like no other - words can't describe that feeling on opening night when the curtain first goes up and you're actually doing it!

What is a Gang Show?!

Last time we told you about the man behind Gang Shows – Ralph Reader. But what IS a Gang Show?!

The Gang Show was invented - written and composed - by Ralph Reader for the London Scouts in 1932.

A Gang Show is a stage show of musical numbers, sketches and thought provoking numbers, providing an evening of exceptional entertainment, all performed by Members of the Scout and Guide Movements.

Many Gang Shows have been awarded the privilege of wearing the red Gang Show scarf, as a sign of the quality of show they put on in the true fashion of Ralph Reader.

Count down to the show: ◀◀ ◻ days

Ticket Update: SOLD ◻ ▲ of ◻ ◻ _ _

Get selling now! Attached is the booking form!

Return your booking form before the end of September there will be 10% taken off the ticket price. The person who sells the most tickets will be the Booking Managers Award at the end of the show



Happy Birthday to you...

Happy Birthday
Hanna Parrot (11/9)
Alexandra Logan (13/9)
**Congratulation from all the Cast,
Crew and your Brownie and Guide
Groups.**

Contact Us!



You will have loads of things to take in and discuss with your parents, friends and relatives.

Don't be scared by anything. Everyone on the Production and Business teams are here to help you. If you or your families need any further information regarding rehearsals, the show or your involvement we can be contacted by several ways...

Email...

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There will also be information posted to our website including rehearsal times/dates and photographs of the cast and crew during rehearsal evenings.

Rehearsal Picture will be taken through out the show and placed on our website...

JOKE SECTION!

Submit yours to the producers! There once was a man from Bengal, who went to a fancy dress ball. He thought he would risk it and go as a biscuit, but a dog ate him up in the hall

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Leaders BONUS BALL competition!



Every Sunday, we will run a bonus ball competition for the following Saturday's National Lottery draw.

Leaders will be given the opportunity to pick a number between 1 and 49 (£1 per number). Whoever picks the number that ends up being the bonus ball wins half the total kitty. The rest will go towards the kid's after show party.

Costume Matters (Opening!)

Everyone with be in Gang Show Whites for the Opening



Young Men

You will need to get a white short sleeved shirt and white shorts; White knee football socks and plain white plimsolls.

Young Ladies

You Lucky things you are getting a white skirts bought for you... but you will still need a white blouse and black jazz shoes (see Helen & Rachel for more information)

Puzzle Time!!!

Every week, we'll be dedicating this section to all the little Einsteins out there! The first person to solve the puzzles and get their answers to a member of the production team will win a prize and get their name published in the following week's BIG MOUTH!

EASY (no leaders!!!!):

- 1) Who's the man who started the first Gang Show?
- 2) Which number, in act two, is about Pirates?
- 3) Who won this year's Big Brother competition?
- 4) What's the full name of Dr Who's current assistant?
- 5) Who wrote Charlie & The Chocolate Factory?
- 6) England and Australia are currently fighting for "The Ashes" but what are they???

DIFFICULT:

Every row, column and every 3 by 3 box must contain one instance of the digits 1-9.

Each puzzle has a single solution which can be found by a sequence of logical steps.

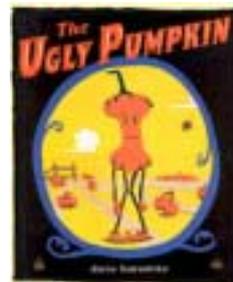
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CALLING ALL CUBS & BROWNIES!

Something has gone wrong in Fairy tale land! Everything has gotten itself all mixed up! In the 2005 Northallerton Gang Show, Cubs and Brownies will present:

FAIRLY ODD TALES!!!

There are 3 stories everyone should recognise, but something about them has gone horribly wrong!



When we were trying to cast the role of Cinderella, we got mixed up and gave the part to a boy instead....hence was born CinderFELLA! There's no more Ugly Duckling, the producers were hungry at the time we wrote this number.....and we created THE UGLY PUMPKIN!!!

Lastly, the Elves and the Shoemaker number was influenced by the production teams habit of listening to Radio 2. The elves were accidentally replaced by THE ELVISES!!! Thankyouverymuch!

Every Cub and Brownie will be in the number and we will rehearse it EVERY SUNDAY AT 3 O'CLOCK!

MUSIC AND MOVEMENT!



We don't know what PE at primary school is like nowadays, but when we were there, BBC radio 4 did something called music and movement.

It was a radio programme that your teacher taped the night before and you had to dance around to it in your blue wincyette knickers and white aertex vest and cavort around pretending to be a tree or a fairy or something!

We won't ask you to dance in your knickers, but the number is dedicated to all those 20-30 somethings who had to do it all those years ago.

Don't be nervous!!!

Please remember, that the first aim of Gang Show is for everybody in the cast to have fun. If this works, then it will show and everyone in the audience will have fun to!

If you have ANY concerns or would like to talk to us about ANY ASPECT of the show, please contact ANY of us. Even if you think it's something silly, we'd like to hear from you.