

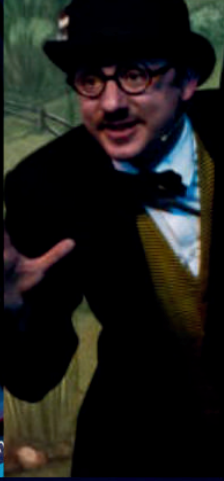
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# CHAIR'S NOTE

Welcome to the final production of 2023 and of our 70th Anniversary year.

For this production we welcome back Paula Bland as Director and our staple, Mark Newport as Musical Director, with Rosie Cennamo as Dance Captain.

Working on this production has been a joy, it encompasses an insanely talented cast and a dedicated and thorough production team built of members and supporters.

Elods continues to be one of the most welcoming and inclusive societies around and is lead by a committee that gives their time and effort free for the good of their members and allies.

For many local performing arts companies, every year brings new concerns and challenges that could threaten the longevity of a society, but through various forms of support and fundraising we continue to strive and bring you the best productions we can.

Amateur dramatics is a form of release for most people, it embodies love and friendship and thrusts you into a 'family' where you are welcomed with open arms regardless of ethnicity, gender or belief.

As my year as Chairperson comes to an end, there are so many people I could thank for their encouragement and support, but my thanks must go to YOU, our audience, who have come back time and time again to support us this year during *The Scarlet Pimpernel*, *Six* and now *Singin' in the Rain*. Without your continued support and admiration, we may not be able to continue producing the shows that you love to come and see, so to each of you in the audience today, thank you, you are the stars of the company!

I would also like to extend my thanks to my predecessors for leading Elods to the ripe old age of 70, and here's to many more years to come.

We look forward to seeing you all back next year for *The Wind in the Willows* directed by John Isaac, with Paula Bland as choreographer and Mark Newport back as Musical Director.

Now, sit back, relax and get ready to flip your sofa, as we present *Singin' in the Rain*.



David X





# SYNOPSIS

**Movie musical ‘Singin’ in the Rain’, beloved since the moment it premiered, was ranked as the fifth greatest motion picture of all time.**

Now adapted for the stage, *Singin’ in the Rain* “pours” down delight, capturing the waning days of the Silent Screen era, as they give way to new-fangled “talkies.” With *The Jazz Singer* premiere making Hollywood frantic, the studios are forced to suddenly change all the movie-making rules at once, to accommodate sound. In doing so, they leave silent pictures - and some of their stars - behind.

When Monumental Studios turns the silent *The Dueling Cavalier* into *The Dancing Cavalier*, a musical picture, in order to stay relevant, they are faced with a problem: their star, Lina Lamont, can’t sing, and can’t even really talk.

Lina’s voice sounds something like nails on a chalkboard. Enter Kathy Selden, an aspiring actress whose dulcet tones are able to cover Lina Lamont’s - calling into question what it means to act, how credit is distributed, and what it means to get a fair shake in the movie business. *Singin’ in the Rain* includes some of the best-loved comedy routines, dance numbers, and love songs ever written, including “Good Mornin’”, “Make ‘em Laugh,” and, of course, the show-stopping dance number, “Singin’ in the Rain”.



# MUSICAL NUMBERS

## Act One

Overture

Orchestra

Fit as a Fiddle

Don, Cosmo

You Stepped Out of a Dream

Kathy, Don, Ensemble

All I Do is Dream of You

Kathy, Ensemble

You Stepped Out of a Dream (reprise)

Don

Make 'em Laugh

Cosmo

Beautiful Girls

Production Tenor

You Are My Lucky Star

Kathy

You Were Meant for Me

Don

Moses

Don, Cosmo

Good Morning

Kathy, Don, Cosmo

Singin' in the Rain

Don

## Act Two

Entr'acte

Orchestra

Good Morning (Reprise)

Ensemble

Would You

Kathy

What's Wrong with Me?

Lina

Broadway Melody

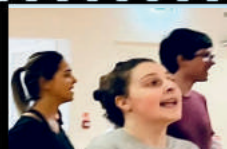
Cosmo, Don, Ensemble

You Are My Lucky Star (reprise)

Kathy, Don

Singin' in the Rain

Ensemble



# HAPPY BIRTHDAY ELODS

In 1953, a group of like-minded friends got together to celebrate their love of theatre, music and performing. Initially known as The Wheatsheaf Players, and sponsored by The Co-Operative Society, the society's first contribution to the local theatre scene was Gilbert and Sullivan's *Trial by Jury*. The name was soon changed to Enfield Light Operatic and Dramatic Society. Throughout the 50s and 60s, there was a varied programme of G & S and Light Opera classics until the society took on the challenge of producing more modern musicals, starting with *The Gypsy Baron* in 1961. These days we tend to just call ourselves Elods, as we don't currently put on plays or operas!



In the early days, Elods performed at the much-loved Intimate Theatre in Palmers Green, working in a theatre with an incredible history. Members recall the joys of cramped dressing rooms down steep stairs, applying make-up beneath the stage and, of course, braving the elements by running outside to make an entrance stage right!

1989 saw the company move to the Millfield Theatre - a brand new custom-built theatre, complete with portacabins in the car park for chorus dressing rooms - there only being three principal-sized dressing rooms within the theatre itself. Oh, how we miss those cold rainy nights in November running from the portacabins to the stage door! Thankfully further dressing rooms were forthcoming - LUXURY! But still we had our "experiences" - not least the time that a runaway bed, complete with its three occupants, ended up with one corner in the orchestra pit! Thanks to the support of the member of the orchestra who valiantly shoved the bed back onto stage, the only injury sustained was a slightly crumpled trombone!

In 2005, ELODS moved to their current home at the Wyllyotts Theatre in Potters Bar, and today we are proud to be part of the thriving Amateur Theatre scene in the area.

For 37 years (more than half of ELODS' lifetime) we have been privileged to work under the baton of our resident MD, Mark Newport, whose prodigious skill and endless patience brings the very best from everyone involved. Thanks to his ministrations, and those of countless other talented creatives we have worked with over the years, ELODS is much greater than the sum of its parts. Friendship has always been at the heart of ELODS - a group of friends who put on shows together. As we move into our eighth decade ELODS is going strong!



# Show ~~ONE DAY~~ MORE

MARK NEWPORT

**“Can you write something about MDing ELODS for 37 years in 300 words?”... That’s only 8.1 words per year!**

**Here goes:**

I first heard of ELODS whilst at the Royal Academy of Music, seeing their advert for an “Evening Class”rehearsal pianist for *Oklahoma* on our notice board - no Social Media in “those days”! I remember waiting at Bounds Green tube for a lift, on my first rehearsal night, from the infamous Mike Gilbert (a past Chair) and was just about to turn & head back down the escalator, as he was 30 minutes late, when I heard him calling my name & apologising because he had fallen asleep! Six weeks as a rehearsal pianist followed before I was promoted to being their MD, with the first show *The Mikado* being at the Intimate Theatre.

74 shows later...has certainly created many memories - inspiring Directors, outstanding performances, including, most importantly, a strong chorus, all supported by great choreography and set design. But at the heart of the company is the friendship and dedicated teamwork that ‘is ELODS’.

I’m particularly indebted to Simon Murphy (former MD) who got me my first gig with *Les Miserables* and Sal Pearson (another past Chair) who introduced me to the likes of Tim Rice and Don Black. The ‘Newports’ (Louise and Beth often on stage and Kieran with me in the pit) have made so many friends over the years with countless ELODS social events. Certainly twice a year the show completely takes over our lives - but we wouldn’t have it any other way!!!!

During show week itself, as the audience walk past the pit to leave the theatre, I sometimes hear “Wow, that was just like a West End show!”... Well, it’s not quite, but it makes me proud to hear it!

Things don’t always go as planned on stage with ELODS – or a West End Show - with props and furniture falling in the pit... and even on one occasion a member of the male chorus landing on top of the drums! A few wrong cues, cut lines and some mighty long vamps, all covered by our talented and loyal musicians in the band, so appreciated by the audience, and all of whom make my life as an MD much easier.

I know our band (who may be reading this during the dialogue!) all feel a part of the ELODS family, genuinely enjoying each other’s company and respecting each other’s musicianship. I think our shows are better because of that! FYI - “It’ll be alright on the night” is my least favourite phrase – but lets hope it is for you tonight.

*Enjoy the show!*



# PRODUCTION TEAM

Director	Paula Bland
Musical Director	Mark Newport
Choreographer	David Adams
Warbdrobe	Nic Corden
Stage Manager	Victoria Santamaria Cannaford
Assistant Stage Manager	Hannah Frost
Production Manager	Helen Wikeley
Production Secretary	Greta Jenkins
Props	John Stivey
Sound	Jacob Holmes
Lighting	John Castle
Front of House	Helen and Nick White
Artwork and publicity	Roger Bunnage
Dance Captain	Rosie Cennamo
Projection Design	John Port (Groundhouse Media)
Silent Films Designed and Produced	Potters Bar Filmmakers

## BAND

Reed 1 - Jennie Small	Trombone - Matt Quick
Reed 2 - Sarah Brinkley	Violin - Lucia D'Avanzo - Lewis
Reed 3 - Sue Pettitt	Bass - Alan Coughlan
Reed 4 - Mark Hayes	Drums/Percussion - Kieran Newport
Trumpet 1 - Sam Lewis	
Trumpet 2 - Laura Garwin	MD/Piano - Mark Newport

***Please note the use of photography & recording equipment is strictly forbidden***





# CAST

Don Lockwood

Cosmo Brown

Lina Lamont

Kathy Selden

Roscoe Dexter

Zelda

RF Simpson

Rod

Production tenor

Sid Phillips

Miss Dinsmore

Dora Bailey / Dancer

Wardrobe Mistress

Broadway Girl / Dancer

Cameraman/ Dancer

Villain / Dancer

Villain / Dancer

## DANCERS

Zachary Anstee

Emma Bell

Steve Berman

Lizzie Brannigan

Rosie Cennamo (Dance Captain)

Jemma Hickman

Marian Lynch

Francesca Moglia

Chloe Payne

Helen Wikeley

Haydn Boxall

Henry Martin

Molly Wells

Jude Stoughton

Roger Bunnage

Katie Passey

Stephen Milligan

Nic Corden

Adrian Ramagge

Richard Hutchinson

Rosie Cennamo

Fiona Corden

Stef Carpenter

Maria Kleanthous

Mark Tobin

Nick Taylor

Zachary Anstee

## ENSEMBLE

Leslie Gershman

Beth Newport

Louise Newport

Maddie Stoughton

Benjamin Weddell



# CREATIVE TEAM

## PAULA BLAND

Director

*Joined Elods: too many years ago to remember!*

I loved being part of *Singin' in the Rain* and hope you enjoy the show. It's always a pleasure working with Elods over the years.

Elods shows: *Kiss Me Kate, Wizard of Oz, Mikado, Sweet Charity, Fiddler on the Roof, 42nd Street, Chitty Chitty Bang Bang, My Fair Lady, Curtains*

Other shows: *Eurobeat, Chicago, Moby Dick, Summer Holiday, Zorro, Spamalot, Slice of Saturday Night, 42nd Street, Liza of Lambeth, Mack and Mabel, Starlight Express*



## MARK NEWPORT

Musical Director

*Joined Elods: 1985*

Mark has been with Elods for over 35 years, *Singin' in the Rain* is his 73rd show. Alongside Elods and teaching at Guildford School of Acting, Mountview, Guildhall and Queenswood School, he has had a successful career, conducting *Les Misérables* in London's West End and UK tour. West End credits on keyboards include *Bombay Dreams, Cats, Chicago, Martin Guerre, Phantom of the Opera, Starlight Express, Sunset Boulevard, The Goodbye Girl* and *Woman in White*. MD credits include Sadler's Wells, The Mermaid, Whitehall and Bloomsbury theatres. He was also Assistant Conductor for the Opera East on six national tours.



## DAVID ADAMS

Choreographer

*Joined Elods: 2010 Pronouns: he/him*

I have always loved working with Elods, it is nice to be back after many years away from the role of choreographer.

Elods is a friendly and welcoming society.

Elods shows: *Me & My Girl, The Scarlet Pimpernel, The Drowsy Chaperone, Guys & Dolls, Lend Me A Tenor, Acorn Antiques, Kiss Me Kate, Thoroughly Modern Millie, 42nd Street, Legally Blonde, Oklahoma, How to Succeed in Business.*

Other shows: *Avenue Q, Starlight Express, Grease, Cats, Piaf, I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change, Jesus Christ Superstar, Rent, Cabaret, Tick, Tick...BOOM!, We Will Rock You*



## VICTORIA SANTAMARIA

## CANNAFORD

Stage Manager

*Joined Elods: 2011 Pronouns: she/her*

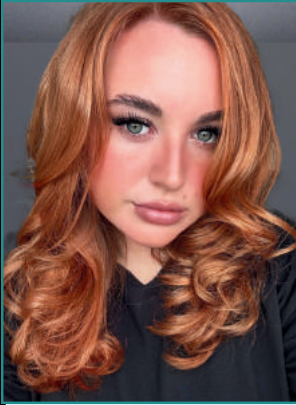
I'm looking forward to joining the cast and crew for show week!

Elods are of some of the loveliest people you will ever find in amateur theatre. Thanks everybody for doing what you do.

Elods shows: *Jesus Christ Superstar, 42nd Street, Oklahoma!, How to Succeed, South Pacific, Fiddler on the Roof, Legally Blonde, On the Town, The Scarlet Pimpernel*

Other shows: *Alice in Wonderland, Seussical the Musical, Return to the Forbidden Planet, Honk!, Little Shop of Horrors, Oliver!, Calamity Jane, Anything Goes, Spamalot, Beauty and the Beast*





## HANNAH FROST

Assistant Stage  
Manager

*Joined Elods: 2018 Pronouns: She/Her*

I LOVE ELODS, I joined in 2018 and since then have worked backstage on *Crazy for You*, *Me and My Girl*, *My Fair Lady* and *The Scarlet Pimpernel*, most recently I had the best time as Stage Manager on *SIX: Teen Edition* here at the Wylllyotts Theatre for ELODS.

As a performing member of other societies I have played Tracey in *Hairspray* as well as performing in *Legally Blonde*, *Guys and Dolls*, *Fiddler on the Roof* and various concerts and pantomimes. I always love being a part of the ELODS family and in particular am really looking forward to show week.



## JOHN STIVEY

Props

*Joined Elods: 2011*

John lists his favourite thing about ELODS as being the pub after rehearsals.

John recently appeared with ELODS in *The Scarlet Pimpernel*, prior to which he won the NODA Award for comedic actor in a musical for his role as Gerald in *Me and My Girl*.

His credits with ELODS and other companies include *Company*, *Sweeney Todd*, *Sweet Charity*, *Grand Hotel*, *Children of Eden*, *Urine Town*, *Pirates of Penzance*, *Spamalot*, *Copacabana*, *Witches of Eastwick*.



## GRETA JENKINS

Production Secretary

*Joined Elods: 1983*

During the whole of my 40 years of membership, Elods has been like a family to me. Every show is a different experience and enjoyable in so many ways - and this show's been another great example of how Elods works so well as an inclusive ensemble company.

Elods shows: Too many to mention!



## HELEN & NICK WHITE

Front of House

*Joined Elods: 1991*

Elods are such a friendly and loving society with a heart for caring for each other. The first time I was involved in an Elods production of *Singin' in the Rain*, I was lucky enough to play Lina Lamont.

Elods shows: A lot, 29 years' worth! Some favourites are *My Fair Lady*, *Oklahoma!*, *Calamity Jane*

Other shows: *Seussical*, *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum* - with FFBOS

# THE COMPANY



## ZACHARY ANSTEE

Villain/Dancer

*Joined Elods: 2019*

Singin' in the Rain has been great fun! The company is always lovely to be around and their quality of shows is high.

Elods shows: *On The Town, Chitty Chitty Bang Bang, My Fair Lady, Curtains, Pimpernel*

Other shows: *Grease*



## EMMA BELL

Dancer

*Joined Elods: 2012*

Have I enjoyed being part of *Singin' in the Rain*? Ask me again in November! Being on stage with my Elods family is one of my favourite things to do in the world. It's a reassuring constant that never fails to inject fun and happiness into my year.

Elods shows: *42nd Street, Fiddler on the Roof, Legally Blonde, The Drowsy Chaperone, The King & I, My Fair Lady, Me & My Girl*

Other shows: too many to list!



## STEVE BERMAN

Ensemble

*Joined Elods: 2013*

Steve has enjoyed being part of *Singin' in the Rain*! Elods are the most wonderful and heart warming people to work with.

Elods shows: *How to succeed, On the Town, Guys & Dolls, Chitty Chitty Bang Bang, The King & I, The Drowsy Chaperone, The Scarlet Pimpernel, Legally Blonde, Me & My Girl, Crazy for You*

Other shows: *Zorro, The Full Monty, Hot Mikado, Oliver!*



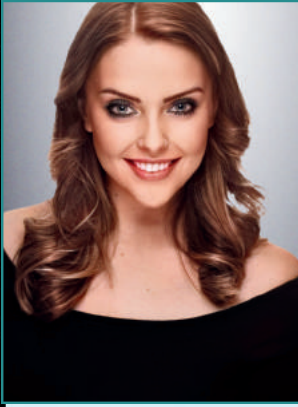
## HAYDN BOXALL

Don Lockwood

*Joined Elods: 2023*

I've loved every minute of the show! So happy to get those tap shoes out again, even though the old knees are not happy about it! This is my first show with Elods, and everyone has been so welcoming.

Other shows: *Rusty - Starlight Express, Tugger - Cats, Val Jean - Les Miserables, Jesus - Jesus Christ Superstar, Roger - Rent, Cosmo - Singin' in the Rain*



## LIZZIE BRANNIGAN

Dancer

*Joined Elods: 2016*

I've loved being a part of *Singin' in the Rain!* It feels great to get back dancing and singing the iconic songs! My first amateur dramatic show was with Elods and they gave me the confidence to continue performing! They are a fabulous bunch of people and I feel lucky to be performing with everyone!

Elods shows: *Legally Blonde, Chitty Chitty Bang Bang*  
Other shows: *Starlight Express, Cats, Grease* with TNT



## ROGER BUNNAGE

Roscoe Dexter

*Joined Elods: 2017 Pronouns: he/him*

Roger loves playing the fun part of 'Dexter' .. and being driven mad by 'Lina' every night. It's great to be back performing with the warm, friendly members (and audiences) of Elods.

Elods shows: *Parade, The Drowsy Chaperone, On the Town, My Fair Lady, Curtains, Me & My Girl, The Scarlet Pimpernel*  
Other shows: *Seussical the Musical* with FFBOS, and 30 years as a professional actor/ performer



## STEF CARPENTER

Ensemble

*Joined Elods: 2017 Pronouns: she/her*

It's been great to work on such challenging choreography with such a talented cast and creative team! Elods is my amazing extended family. We all share the passion of putting on the best shows we can and we have a great laugh doing it!

Elods shows: *Crazy For You, Parade, The Drowsy Chaperone, The King & I, On The Town, Chitty Chitty Bang Bang, My Fair Lady, Curtains, Me & My Girl, The Scarlet Pimpernel*  
Other shows: *Bad Girls, A Funny Thing Happened On The Way To The Forum, Annie, The Sound of Music, Children of Eden, Footloose, Honk, The Full Monty, Rock of Ages, Singin in the Rain, Sweet Charity, Seussical* (all with FFBOS)



## ROSIE CENNAMO

Miss Dinsmore/  
Dance Captain

*Joined Elods: 2017 Pronouns: she/her*

I've loved working with Paula, David and Mark and of course my wonderful cast mates! So grateful to be a member of this wonderful, inclusive company and to be so lucky to continue performing and nurturing my love for dance!

Elods shows: *On the Town, Me & My Girl, Singin' in the Rain;*  
Choreography for *The Drowsy Chaperone, My Fair Lady, SIX: Teen Edition.* Other shows: FFBOS: *Footloose, Honk (Queenie), Hot Mikado (Choreographer), Into the Woods (Rapunzel), Full Monty (Estelle), Rock of Ages (Destiny), Singin' in the Rain (Zelda)* TNT: *Grease (Donna-Su Miller)*



## FIONA CORDEN

Dora Bailey /  
Ensemble

*Joined Elods: 2006 Pronouns: she/her*

I have really enjoyed being in *Singin' in the Rain!* Elods gave me a local family when I moved to London and I couldn't have asked for a better bunch!

Elods shows: All the ones from 2007, *Oliver!* onwards, apart from five (*JCS, 42nd St, Oklahoma, How to Succeed and King & I*)

Other shows: TNT - *Cats, Grease, Chicago*; Southgate Opera - *Merry Widow, La Belle Vivette, Iolanthe, Ruddigore, Princess Ida, Orpheus in the Underworld*



## NIC CORDEN

Rod

*Joined Elods: 2008 Pronouns: he/him*

Have I enjoyed being in *Singin' in the Rain*? Absolutely! Elods is my am dram family.

Elods shows: *Scarlet Pimpernel, Legally Blonde, Thoroughly Modern Millie, Wizard of Oz, Hot Mikado*, to name but a few

Other shows: *The Full Monty* (Fusion); *Pirates of Penzance, Orpheus in the Underworld* (Southgate Opera)



## LES GERSHMAN

Ensemble

*Joined Elods: 1987 Pronouns: he/him*

It has been really enjoyable in being in such a great show. Elods are like a family to me and through the years I have met so many wonderful people.

Elods shows: *Fiddler on the Roof, Jesus Christ Superstar, Wizard of Oz, The Mikado*, etc, etc

**[editor's note: one of our longest standing members, Les has been in nearly every Elods show since 1987... around 70 shows!]**



## JEMMA HICKMAN

Dancer

*Joined Elods: 2018 Pronouns: she/her*

I've had a blast returning to my dancing shoes, and seeing friends at rehearsals. I can't wait for the buzz of show week and I'm so excited to share with the audience everything we've been working on! Elods is the first company I joined since moving to London. I was blown away by how welcoming and friendly the Elods family are ❤️

Elods shows: *The King & I* Other shows: *The Boyfriend, Babes in Arms, Dracula Spectacular, Romeo & Juliet, Grease, Beauty and the Beast, Cabaret*, variety shows, gangshows, independent plays



## **RICHARD HUTCHINSON**

**Sid Phillips**

*Joined Elods: 2015 Pronouns: he/him*

*Singing in the Rain*' is a fun show to do with such a great cast. Elods is a great opportunity to break out of the work a day routine and escape into a musical.

Elods shows: *Fiddler on the Roof, Legally Blonde, Guys & Dolls, Parade, Drowsy Chaperone, King & I, On the Town, Chitty Chitty Bang Bang, My Fair Lady, Curtains, Me & My Girl, The Scarlet Pimpernel*



## **MARIA KLEANTHOUS**

**Dancer**

*Joined Elods: 2023*

Although I prefer the sunshine, I also enjoy singing and dancing in the rain and am thrilled to be doing both in what is one of my favourite musicals! The film is very nostalgic for me and its music evokes lovely childhood memories. The Elods family are so talented and have been so welcoming, I cannot wait to share the stage with them all doing what I love.

Other shows: PBTC - *Wizard of Oz* 2023, *Kipps* 2022, *Jesus Christ Superstar* 2019; TEO - *Cinderella* 2023, *Aladdin* 2020; SMP - *Movie Night* 2022, *Beauty & the Beast* 2022



## **MARIAN LYNCH**

**Dancer**

*Joined Elods: 2017 Pronouns: she/her*

It's been wonderful to be part of a show with this lovely group again and to dust off my taps! This is my 3rd show with the lovely Elods!

Elods shows: *Crazy for You, The Drowsy Chaperone*

Other shows: Many shows with SMP, but I can't resist a tap show with Elods!



## **HENRY MARTIN**

**Cosmo Brown**

*Joined Elods: 2012 Pronouns: he/him*

I've enjoyed the challenge of the dancing, but it's such a fun show! I have been performing with Elods since 2012, and always enjoy coming back to such a warm, caring group of friends, show after show.

Elods shows: *42nd Street, Oklahoma, How to Succeed, Acorn Antiques, Lend me a Tenor, Drowsy Chaperone, Parade, My Fair Lady, Scarlet Pimpernel*

Other shows: *Hairspray, Seven Brides, Full Monty, Sweeney Todd, Seussical*

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## Past and Present

David Adams	Rachel Bateman	Jodie Brooker	Alice Clay	Caralos Dandolo	Cyril Foley	Nick Habberley	Cathryn Hunt
Phil Aird	Hayley Bater	Glyn Brookman	Lesley Clay	Amanda Davies	Chris Folwell	Chris Hadland	Dawn Hunt
Jane Airedale	Alan Bates	James Brookman	John Claydon	Colin Davis	Babs Fortune	Lily Halford	Phil Hunt
Denise Aldred	Liza Bates	Pam Brookman	Margaret Clement	Edwin Davison	Ivor Fourmy	Alison Hall	Ann Hurst
Emma Allen	Steve Bates	Tony Brookman	Lisa Clements	Patricia Davison	Matt Fowler	Phillip Halpin	Richard Hutchinson
Joyce Allen	Phoebe Bazalgette	Allie Brown	Katy Clementson	Mike Daws	Chas Fox	Jill Halstead	Caroline Hyde
John Allison	Becky Beach	Carol Brown	Lisa Clifford	John Daytona	Dianne Fox	Emily Hammer	Jeremy Hyde
Geoffrey Alloway	Jane Beament	Kate Brown	Graham Coatman	Paul De Lacey	Beryl France	Lydia Hammer	Larry Hyde
Marc Almond	Laurie Beattie	Katie Brown	Caroline Cody	Ray De Winter	John Fraser	Amee Hammond	Roger Ing
Christine Ames	Clive Bebee	Nicole Brown	Christopher Cody	Harry Deacon	Kamali Freedman	Emily Hammond	James Inwood
Tamara Amobi	Nicholas Beecroft	Renee Brown	Daniel Cody	Harry Deakin	Sophie Freegard	June Hanson	Jenny Inwood
Lucy Anastasiou	Emma Bell	Susan Brown	Laura Cody	Sarah Dean	Simon Frewin	Marjorie Hanson	Esther Iredale
Chris Andrews	Harold Bennett	Chris Bruce	Paul Cody	Julie Deasey	Andy Frost	Emoni Hansson	John Isaac
Claire Andrews	Pauline Bennett	Ellie Brunton	Patrick Coggins	Nikki DeBell	Hannah Frost	Joe Harris	Marie Isbister
Elise Andrews	Heather Bentley	Peter Buckley	Margery Cohen	Nikki DeBell	Angie Frost	Julia Harris	Martin Isbister
Christine Anson	Steve Berman	Frank Bundle	Christopher Colby	Naomi Delamore	Jack Frost	Mark Harris	Senara Ismara
Zachary Anstee	Steve Berriman	Wendy Bundle	Laura Cole	Eric Denham	Harold Fuzzens	Monica Harris	Frank Jackson
Keith Arbury	Craig Berry	Roger Bunnage	Jamie Coles	Joanne Dennison	J. Gallacher	Dorothy Harrison	Grace Jackson
Stephen Archer	Judith Berry	Simon Burges	Sue Collings	Alan Denton	Dennis Galpin	Barbara Harston	Mary Jackson
J. Armitage Fuggie	Lindsay Berry	Penny Burnett	Arthur Collins	Paula Dexter	Pam Galpin	Melanie Hart	Peter Jackson
Colin Arrowsmith	Andre Beswick	Rita Burridge	Jodie Collins	Marina Diacopoulos	Pat Galpin	Kerry Harvey	Phillip Jackson
Liz Arrowsmith	Sophie Beverley	Sara Burton	Doreen Collison	Rosemary Dimes	Basil Gathergood	James Haslam	John James
Rob Ash	Alison Bilsby	Mick Bush	Sarah Comerford	Simon Dingomal	Gladys Gathergood	Tuna Hassan	Ashley Jarvest
Alexandra Ashwell	Charlotte Bilsby	Virginia Bush	Paul Conner	Danny Diss	Janice Gathergood	Lis Hatton	Matthew Jarvis
Gail Ashwell	Mark Bilsby	Claire Butcher	Debbie Connor	Ann Dixon	Suzy Gaughran	Samuel Haughton	Lisa Jenkin
Wes Ashwell	Isobel Bird	Len Butcher	Jerry Conway	Peter Donaghey	Paul Geeson	Terry Hawes	Greta Jenkins
Sandra Ashworth	Jean Bird	Kathleen Butt	Eve Cook	Gerald Dowling	Rosemary Genn	Les Hayes	Ed Jenner
Denis Askham	Rianna Biswas	Pamela Buttel	Terry Cook	Sarah Dowling	Wendy George	Sue Heaney	Sue Jessel
Sue Atherton	Rohan Biswas	Anna Butterworth	Ron Coomber	Sylvia Dowling	Leslie Gershman	Robert Hearn	Frank Jiggins
Ben Atkinson	David Blagden	Anne Butterworth	Claire Cooper	Timothy Dowling	Barry Gesthuysen	John Hebden	Zoe Joelson
Zachary Atkinson	Paula Bland	Arthur Byford	Dorothy Cooper	David Dowse	Nicki Giarnese	Joyce Hebden	Eleanor Johnson
Jessica Austin	Raymond Blake	Joy Byford	Geoffrey Cooper	Charlotte Doyle	Michael Gibbon	Cathryn Henderson	Penny Johnson
Penny Austin	Mike Blaskett	Theo Champion	Leslie Cooper	Stephanie Drinkwater	Sarah Gibbon	Jamie Henderson	Marina Jones
Angela Avrili	Gavin Bligh	John Canepa	Michelle Cooper	James Droy	John Gibbs	John Henderson	Robert Jones
Joanna Ayre	Jackie Bligh	Shelby Carling	Chris Cope	Peter Duckworth	Brian Gieltly	Max Henderson	Simon Jones
Wendy Ayre	Pippa Bloom	Simon Carnell	Mar Copues-Out	Helen Dudley	Chris Gilbert	Sarah Henderson	Gillian Jury
Billy Badham	Ray Bloom	Ruth Carney	Fiona Corden	Kiernan Duffy	Mike Gilbert	John Hepburn	Robert Jury
John Bagley	Richard Bodek	Paul Carpenter	Nic Corden	Patrick Duffy	Nicola Gilbert	Penny Hepburn	Martin Kaufman
Rhoslyn Baglow	Sue Bard Bodek	Stef Carpenter	Gordon Cornell	Steve Dunnett	Samantha Gilbert	Ann Hertler-Smith	Lis Kay
Rachel Bailey	Annette Bolling	Molly Carpenter	Richard Court	Jane Dunton	Peter Gilham	Jemma Hickman	Charlotte Kelly
Sue Bailey	Madalena Bonura	Stefano Carpino	Josy Cousin	David Durrant	Benjamin Gill	K.N. Hicks	Hazel Kelly
Billie Baillie	Mark Bordell	Diane Carr	Freddy Cousin-Brown	Leslie G. Durrant	Allan Girdlestone	Cheryl Higgins	Rob Kemp
Angela Bainbridge	Susan Borland	Aimee Carter	David Cousins	Mary Durrant	Daphne Girdlestone	Dearbhla Higgins	Emily Kennedy-Neal
David Baker	Hazel Borton	Dawn Carter	Arthur Cox	Sue Dyason	Eleanor Glazer	Naimh Higgins	Ally Kessler
Iris Baker	Brian Borton Holmes	Nathan Carter	Catherine Cox	Roger Eames	Ken Goatham	John Hillier	Martha Kessler
John Baker	Matthew Bouchacra	Ollie Carter	Trevor Cox	Carol Edmonds	Jay Godding	Bob Hinde	Leo Khale
Molly Baker	Ann Bourne	Ross Carter	Derek Cracknell	Angela Edmonds	Christopher Goldie	Katie Hinde	Helen Kimber
Wendy Baker	David Boushel	Sunny Carter	Elizabeth Cracknell	Peter Edwards	Stan Goldie	Colin Hoath	Marcus Kimber
Ias Balaskas	Nicholas Bowater	John Castle	Charles Cragg	Joe Eggleton	Anthony Golding	Martin Hobbs	Jane King
Evie Baldwin	Elise Bowd	Barry Cattermole	Susan Crane	Joan Elder	Catherine Golding	Gary Hodgkins	Janet King
Jed Baldwin	Sophie Bowlzer	Daniella Cave	Edward Crawley	Jill Elliott	Katie Golding	Maria Hodgkins	Marina King
Julia Balla	Angela Box	Terri Cave	Sam Creber	Steve Ellis	Elisha Goodman	Anne Holden	Pat King
Eric Barfield	Angelina Box	Rosie Cennamo	Rachel Crisp	Dorothy Elmer	Sara-Jane Gottlieb	Natasha Holford-Edwards	Robert King
Laura Barlow	Haydn Boxall	Rachael Chamberlain	Laura Crittel	Janina Enes	John Graham	Rebecca Holford-Edwards	Victor King
Louise Barlow	Katrina Boyd	Douglas Chaplin	Phil A. Crocker	Sharon Etherington	Maria Graham	Patsy Holland	Janet Kingdom
Mike Barnes	Alan Boyle	Neil Chaplin	Phil J. Crocker	Michael Evans	John Gravett	Vera Holland	Michael Kingdom
Mike Barnett	Ian Bradford	David Chapman	Lydia Crook	Tommy Evans	Carole Gray	Tim Holliday	Gillian Kirkby
Zoe Barrand	Brian Bradley	Gillian Chapman	Alan Crutchley	Anna Ewers	Alan Green	C.A.W. Holmes	Christine Kirton
Shirley Barrows	Lizzie Brannigan	Yanqing Cheng	David Cudworth	Sain Eyles	Carole Green	Jacob Holmes	Andy Kitanos
Derek Basham	Martin Brannigan	Aran Cherkez	Tom Cullen	Sheila Fagg	Clare Green	Jim Holmes	Nicole Kitanos
Dora Basham	Valerie Brazier	John Childs	Jack Culley	Tim Fagg	Harry Green	Kevin Holyer	Savella Kitanos
John Basham	Dick Breen	Diane Chomber	Tom Culley	Lola Fallon	Joan Green	Cathryn Hopwood	Stella Kitanos
Katie Basham	Lucy Breese	Katie Clapham	Lorenzo Culora	Pamela Farrant	Matt Greenbank	Alison Horder	Maria Kleanthous
Peter Bass	Paul Briden	A. Clark	Chris Cuming	Carol Fell	Tess Gregory	Josh Hornsey	Alma Knight
Clare Bassinger	Janet Bridges	D. Clark	Mary Cummins	June Ferguson	Ian Greig	David Howard	Gemma Knight
John Bassinger	Peter Bridges	Sue Clark	Will D'Souza	Derek Ferris	Sescia Grelet	Marc Howden Smith	Geoff Knight
Sharon Bassingthwaite	Alex Brodie	Colin Clarke	Mark Dalbret	Hannah Ferry	Erica Griffiths	Michael Howells	Margaret Knight
Casey Batchelor	James Brodie	Val Clarke	Victor Dale	Samantha Field	Rose Griffiths	Susan Hudson	Patricia Knight
				Tony Finch	Sydney Griffiths	Sarah Hughes	Sally Knight
				Tessa Fineman	Rosanna Grimes	Pauline Human	Simon Knight
				Lynda Folan	Alan Gronner	Gill Humphrey	David Kort
				Marc Folan	Chris Guerin	Malcolm Humphrey	Roger Kostic
				Scott Folan			



Hilary Kottman	Simon Marshall	Louise Newport	Steven Povey	Patrick Rufey	Jude Stoughton	Jackie Walford
Peggy Kottman	David Martin	Mark Newport	Gordon Pownall	Roger Rufey	Maddie Stoughton	P.J. Walker
Ted Kottman	Henry Martin	Paul Nicholas	Kenneth Prater	Desmond Rule	Rich Stoughton	Peter Walker
Winifred Kottman	Curt Mason	Susan Nicholls	Anne Pratt	Cathryn Rush	Summer Strallen	R.D.H. Walker
Lisa Lancashire	Fiona Mason	Andy Nicol	Jane Prentis	Isabell Rush	Kit Stratfull	Stuart Wall
Pauline Langford	Lee Mason	Ayanna Nnando-Shillingford	Pauline Preston	Tony Rush	Jean Streeton	Clare Wallace
Robbie Lardi	Adrianna Mauro	Lisa Nnando-Shillingford	Debbie Price	Alex Ryde	Charlotte Stretton	Jennifer Wallace
Mitchell Lathbury	Ricardo Mauro	Bernard North	Judy Prior	Carys Ryde	Diane Stringle	Thomas Wallis
Simon Latter	Donald McDonald	Betty North	Ron Prior	Mel Ryde	Samantha Stringle	Leona Walsh
Valerie Law	Josie McGuiness	Carole North	Andy Pritchard	Nathan Ryde	Jeff Sturgess	Keira Wang
Janet Lawrence	Simon McGuire	John North	Lucy Pritchard	Isabel Sabourin	Louise Suttie	John Watkiss
Kaine Lawrence	Carly McHugh	Lesley North	Sue Pritchard	Kelly Sackett	Christine Swale	John Watson
Gladys Leader	Christine McKenzie-Shannon	Michael North	Andrew Protopapa	Margaret Salter	Maurice Swansborough	June Watson
Stewart Leather	Sarah McLintock	Anna Novelli	Maria Protopapa	Abi Samuel	Henry Sweeney	Peter Watson
Andrew Lee	Daniel McLoughlin	Francesca Novelli	Marie Protopapa	Matthew Sanders	Susan Sweetman	David Watts
Alan Leggett	Warren McWilliams	Jada O'Geare	Nigel Prutton	Victoria Santamaria Cannaford	David Symonds	Liz Watts
David Legood	Katie Mead	Gerry O'Rourke	Roger Prutton	Matthew Saunderson	Stuart Symons	Patricia Watts
Bernie Levine	James Meehan	Natalie O'Sullivan	Sue Pryor	Christine Sawtell	Leila Tanner	Rosie Watts
Jane Lewis	Graham Meldrum	David Ogden	Steve Putman	Graham Sawtell	Maureen Tansley	Benjamin Weddell
Elsbeth Lindsay	Francis Melvin	Kev Orkian	Deborah Putt	Alex Scholar	Keith Taylor	Joseph Weddell
Helen Lindsay	Andy Michael	Angela Osborne	Suresh Raj	Ray Schone	Kirsty Taylor	Katie Weddell
Richard Lindsay	Joan Midgley	Fiorella Osborne	Hussein Ramadan	Perry Scott	Nick Taylor	Scott Welch
Amanda Ling	Leslie Midgley	John Ostroumoff	Adrian Ramage	Wendy Searle	Wendy Taylor	Molly Wells
Stanley Lishaki	Helen Mignano	Albert Ottewill	Carol Ranger	Dennis Sears	Doreen Teale	Jo-Anne Wesley
James Lister	Geoff Millbank	Ronald Owens	Ron Rappaport	Katy Seeley	Chris Tero	Peter Westbury
Hannah Lockey	Roger Miller	Diane Padley	Pauline Rawe	Michelle Shamitz	Doris Thaxter	Muriel Westwater
Jo Lockhead	Stephen Milligan	Tiger Padley	Lesley Rawlinson	Katie Shaw	Doris Thaxton	Hazel Westwood
Olly Lockwood	Susan Millman	Stephen Paine	Marion Rawlinson	Mark Shaw	Tereza Theodoulou	Melanie Wheeler
Karen Lodge	Paul Minikin	Stephen Paisley	Charlotte Read	Michelle Shaw	Pamela Thom	Helen White
Sarah Lodge	Francesca Moglia	Roger Panton	Ellie Read	Bonita Shawe	Charis Thomas	John White
Dave Loochin	Peter Moles	Stuart Panton	Katy Reay	Hayley Sheldon	Dan Thomas	Lyn White
Mario Lottar	Patricia Money	Hambis Pappas	Mike Reay	Paul Shipman	Jean Thomas	Nick White
Eileen Lowney	Tiffany Monk	Brian Pardoe	Lilia Rebiti	Guy Shirm	Wendy Thomas	Jack Whitehead
Eily Lowney	Fred Moody	Glyn Pardoe	Caroline Reid	David Short	Davinia-Rae Thompson	Peter Whiting
Natasha Michelle Lowy	Julia Moody	Ellie Parfitt	Tessa Reid	Diane Shorthouse	Jean Thompson	Bonnie Widger
David Luck	Lily Moody	Tom Paris	Keith Rentell	Sophie Shoults	Lee Thompson	Helen Wikeley
Sarah Luke	Rachel Moole	Pat Parish	Gee Rettig	Bob Silsby	Chris Thomson	Angela Wilcox
Valerie Luke	Albert Moore	Gwen Parker	Betty Revens	Lindsey Simon	Pamela Thorn	Gordon Wilcox
Amelia Lusende White	Melanie Moore	Alan Parkes	Daniel Reynolds	David Simons	Hannah Thorne	Sheila Wilcox
Freya Lusty	Nigel Moore	Ian Parrott	Debbie Reynolds	Baxter Simpson	Hilary Thorne	Gareth Wildig
Gregor Lusty	Helen Morey	Katie Passsey	Sally Ann Rhodes	Kerry Sims	Kath Thorne	John Wilkins
Sean Lydon	Kevin Morgan	Krish Patel	Don Richards	Rebecca Sims	Chloe Thornton	Evelyn Wilkinson
Claudia Lynch	Philip Morgan	Gillian Paterson	Graham Richards	Janet Sinfield	Jason Thorpe	David Williams
John Lynch	Jane Morley	James Paterson	Trevor Richards	Stephanie Sirr	Graham Threader	Erik Williams
Leanne Lynch	Julie Morley	Dave Patrick	Mary Richardson	Gerald Smith	Fayola Timberlake	Izzie Williams
Marian Lynch	Pat Morley	Garry Patrick	Luke Ricketts	Hilary Smith	Sharron Tingey	Chris Wilson
Robert Lynch	Jevan Morris	Vicki Patrick	William Rippington	Joyce Smith	Mark Tobin	Kim Wilson
Sophia Lynch	Lauren Morris	Bob Payne	Corinne Roberts	Julie Rose Smith	Betty Tompkins	Marguerite Wilson
Cheryl Lynne-Brown	Lynn Morris	Chloe Payne	Freya Roberts	Mick Smith	Sharon Tracy	Mick Wilson
Caroline Mabey	Phil Morris	Simon Payne	Barbara Robertson	Carolyn Sobers	Dawn Travell	Pedro Wilson
Holly Macer	Maggie Morrison	Sue Payne	Russell Robertson	Edward Sobers	Trevor Tremethick	Peter Wilson
Macharzynska	Pamela Morrison	Joanna Pearce	Jonquil Robey	Robert Sobers	Jacqueline Trepardoux	Stan Wilson
David Macklin	Andrew Morton	John Pearson	Melanie Robey	Pete Somers	Mary Trevatt	Valerie Wilson
Denise Magee	Julie Morton	Sally Pearson	Pam Robey	Colin Sopot	Ruth Trevatt	Paul Windebank
Diane Magee	Alf Mousley	Andrea Peck	Abbie Robson	Rosalie Southcombe	Annie Tucker	Terri Winston
Doreen Magee	Doris Mousley	Claire Pendleton	Jessica Ancona Rodriguez	Laura Sparke	Hannah Tucker	Debbie Witham
Peter Magee	Maisie Mulligan	Edward Penn	Denise Rodwell	Jess Sparkes	Keith Tucker	David Wolstenholme
Neil Mailer	Kirsten Muir	Joan Perry	Stephen Roe	Julie Spencer	L.C. Tuerk	Estelle Woodford-Robinson
Davina Maple	Nathan Muir	Kay Perversi	Ryan Roedling	Peter A. Spencer	Graham Turnbull	Bernard Wooster
Lottie Mander	Phil Mullin	Sheila Peskett	Janet Rogers	Vera Spoons	George Turner	Katie Wootton
Jonathan Mann	Elaine Munro	Jonathan Pettitt	Aidan Roker	Sylvia Spriggs	Laurie Turner	Brian Worthington
Celia Mannock	Simon Murphy	Norman Phurstun	Colin Roker	Paul St James	Nigel Turner	Stephanie Wrench
Maria Manoli	William Mutrie	Stephen Platten	Diane Roker	Tessa Stacy	Bob Turpin	Alwyn Wright
Gillian Marchant	Janet Naylor	Marilyn Plosky	Graham Rolle	Verity Stansall	Kerry Twigg	Gillian Bransby Wright
Nichola Marcus	Sarah Neighbour	Rosemary Polding	Kim Rosenfeld	Jonathan Steward	Shannon Twigg	Howard Wright
Francesca Markham	Peter Nelson	Sophie Pollard	Hannah Rourke	Kate Steward	Anna Twilley	Ian Wright
Barbara Marks	Margaret Nettle	Neil Pollock	Gill Rout	Ian Stewart	Vic Upson	Margaret Wright
Carole Marner	Meg Newell	Christine Popham	Lucy Rowe	John Stivey	Doug Vaatstra	Mavis Wright
Terry Marner	Georgie Newland	Katie Porter	Nella Rowlands	Tony Stockwell	Sophia Vasou	Norman Wright
Debbie Marsh	Robin Newman	Deborah Porton	Dale Ruby	David Stone	Clare Viccars	Habil Yaldaz
Brenda Marshall	Bethany Newport	Jessie Poulter	Jessica Rufey	Keith Storey	Mike Vipond	Catherine Young
Brian Marshall	Kieran Newport	Louisa Povey	Julia Rufey	Nigel Stothard	Gemma Wakeford	David Young





## STEPHEN MILLIGAN

RF Simpson

*Joined Elods: 2000*

Playing a character that does very little dancing in the show, I have enjoyed watching everyone else work so hard to create some great numbers! I've had the pleasure and joy of meeting so many lovely and diverse people with Elods over the years. Elods shows: *Hello Dolly, Calamity Jane, Carousel, Oklahoma!, Whistle down the Wind, Lend me a Tenor, Acorn Antiques, Fiddler on the Roof, Legally Blonde, Guys & Dolls, Parade, Drowsy Chaperone, On the Town, My Fair Lady, Curtains, Me & My Girl* Other shows: Many more on top of the above after 50 years of am dram including *Guys & Dolls* 7 times!



## FRANCESCA MOGLIA

Dancer

*Joined Elods: 2019*

*Singin' in the Rain* is Francesca's favourite musical, full of wonderful moments! She loves Elods because she is always welcomed with open arms.

Elods shows: *On the Town, Me & My Girl*

Other shows: *FFBOS - Children of Eden, Footloose, The Hot Mikado, Into the Woods, Rock of Ages, Singing in the Rain, Seussical, The Full Monty (twice!); Costumes for Sweeney Todd*



## BETH NEWPORT

Ensemble

*Joined Elods: 2009 Pronouns: she/her*

*Beth has enjoyed being part of Singin' in the Rain!* She loves Elods, it is a good company.

Elods shows: *Wizard of Oz, Drowsy Chaperone, My Fair Lady, Chitty Chitty Bang Bang, King and I, Curtains, Me and my girl, The Scarlet Pimpernel, Whistle Down the Wind*

Other shows: *Peter Pan, We Will Rock You, many pantomimes with local theatre group including Robin Hood and his merry men, Snow White and the 27 Dwarves, Cinderella, Dick Whittington, Jack and the Beanstalk.*



## LOUISE NEWPORT

Ensemble

*Joined Elods: 1987*

I've loved being in *Singin' in the Rain*, a great work out learning the dance routines - let alone experiencing Dave's dance warm ups! Elods is a great family to belong to, meeting people from all walks of life with a common passion for musical theatre!

Elods shows: *Godspell (x2), My Fair Lady (x2), Chicago, Pyjama Game, Half a Sixpence, Guys & Dolls, Kiss me Kate, Fiddler on the Roof, Mikado, 42nd Street, Anything Goes, Billy, Annie, Sweet Charity, High Society, How to Succeed, Oklahoma, Hello Dolly, South Pacific, Pirates of Penzance, Jesus Christ Superstar, King & I, Scarlet Pimpernel*

Other shows: *Sweeney Todd (with Green Room)*



## KATIE PASSEY

Zelda

Joined Elods: 2021 Pronouns: she/her

*Singin' in the Rain* is one of those musicals every performer aspires to do - the gold standard of shows. The people are what make Elods, and this show. I feel very honoured to be performing it alongside such a wonderful bunch, all of whom have worked tirelessly to make this show amazing. I joined Elods after the pandemic stripped many performers of their ability to do what they love. Elods has not only facilitated my return to the stage but reignited my passion to do so.

Elods shows: *Curtains* Other shows: over 40 musicals, including *Little Shop of Horrors*, *Guys and Dolls*, *Sweeney Todd*, *Fiddler on the Roof*, *the King & I*, *Into the Woods*



## CHLOE PAYNE

Dancer

Joined Elods: 2023

Chloe has absolutely loved working on *Singin' in the Rain*, she grew up with ELODS due to her mum being heavily involved in the company, so she has been a part of the ELODS family for a long time.

Chloe previously appeared in *Whistle Down the Wind* and *Jumpy* for Potters Bar Theatre Company.



## ADRIAN RAMAGGE

Production Tenor

Joined Elods: 2010

I've really enjoyed being part of *Singin' in the Rain!* I love Elods.

Elods shows: *Me & My Girl*, *The Drowsy Chaperone*, *Legally Blonde*, *South Pacific*, *Lend Me A Tenor*, *Acorn Antiques*, *How To Succeed*, *Oklahoma!*, *42nd Street*, *Jesus Christ Superstar*, *The Pajama Game*

Other shows: *Honk!*, *La Belle Vivette*, *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, *Grease*, *The Little Mermaid*, *Anything Goes*, *Children of Eden*, *The Sound of Music*, *Annie*, *A Funny Thing Happened*, *Bad Girls*, *The Best Little Whorehouse in Texas*, *Witches of Eastwick*, *Carousel*, *Hello Dolly*, *The Mikado*



## HANNAH ROURKE

Directors  
Assistant/Dancer

Joined Elods: 2021

Hannah has really enjoyed being in *Singin' in the Rain*. Elods is so loving and welcoming, you instantly feel at home.

Elods shows: *My Fair Lady*, *Curtains*, *Me & My Girl*

Other shows: I have been doing am dram since i was 4 so too many shows to list! highlights - *Aladdin*, *Beauty and the Beast*, *Les Miserables*



## **JUDE STOUGHTON**

**Kathy Selden**

*Joined Elods: 2010 Pronouns: she/her*

Jude has loved every minute of *Singin' in the Rain* and is thrilled to be playing Kathy. It is a bucket list show for her - being able to perform 'Good Morning' is a dream come true. Rehearsing and sharing the stage with her daughter Maddie is once again a joy! Since joining Elods, Jude has made lifelong friends. Everyone at Elods supports each other. We are a family! Elods shows: *Kiss me Kate, Jesus Christ Superstar, Oklahoma!, 42nd Street, Whistle Down the Wind, How to Succeed..., Lend me a Tenor, Acorn Antiques, Fiddler on the Roof, Legally Blonde, Parade, Crazy for You, King & I, The Drowsy Chaperone, On the Town, My Fair Lady* (NODA award for Best Female in a Musical), *Curtains, Me & My Girl, The Scarlet Pimpernel, SIX* (Production team)



## **MADDIE STOUGHTON**

**Ensemble**

*Joined Elods: 2013 Pronouns: she/her*

I've loved *Singin' in the Rain*, especially doing it with my mum! I've been doing Elods shows since I was 8 years old and it means the world to me!

Elods shows: *Whistle Down the Wind, Fiddler on the Roof, The King & I, Me & My Girl, SIX*

Other shows: *Sound of Music, Honk, The Wiz, Seussical the Musical, Shrek the Musical*



## **NICK TAYLOR**

**Dancer/Ensemble**

*Joined Elods: 2012*

Elods is a very welcoming family. My first Elods show was *42nd Street* choreographed by Dave Adams. I said I'd never do another Dave Adams show as he always kills you. Oh look...

Elods shows: *42nd Street, Me & My Girl*

Other shows: Lots with FFBOS



## **MARK TOBIN**

**Dancer**

*Joined Elods: 2016*

Mark has enjoyed rehearsing *Singin in the Rain*, he states that it is nice to tick off another one of the classic musicals.

For ELODS he has previously appeared in *Guys and Dolls, The Scarlet Pimpernel, Chitty, Chitty Bang Bang* and *Parade*.

For TNT he has performed in *Chicago, Grease* and played Skimbleshanks in *Cats*.

"Happy Birthday ELODS! Here is to another 70 years of amazing shows"



## **BENJAMIN WEDDELL**

**Ensemble**

*Joined Elods: 2007*

*Singin' in the Rain* has been very enjoyable. Elods has been a lot of fun and I've loved the friendly atmosphere at rehearsals.

Elods shows: *Oliver!*

Other shows: *Risley - Blitz, Annie Get Your Gun; West End - Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat*



## **MOLLY WELLS**

**Lina Lamont**

*Joined Elods: 2023 Pronouns: she/her*

*Singin' in the Rain* has been the opportunity of a lifetime and I've adored every second. I love how welcoming the company is and the quality of the productions is outstanding. Everyone so clearly loves what they are doing and that makes the whole experience so rich and fulfilling.

Elods shows: *The Scarlet Pimpernel*

Other shows: *3 Women* by Incognito and *Mary Shelley* by the Guild Players



## **HELEN WIKELEY**

**Dancer**

*Joined Elods: 2000*

Loving the singing and dancing. The rain and sofa organising... less so. I love Elods for escapism and good exercise!

Elods shows: *Cabaret, Best little Whorehouse, Legally Blonde, Parade*





# IN MEMORIAM

## LISA NNANDO-SHILLINGFORD

When you ask anyone at Elods about Lisa, the first thing they do is smile. Lisa had a big smile, and a big heart and she sprinkled joy wherever she went. She would often arrive at rehearsals on her bicycle, late, belongings flying everywhere, and she brought an immediate positive energy to the room. Lisa was well known for her dramatic entrances, both on and off stage. Who can forget Lisa's iconic unscheduled performance in *Acorn Antiques*? Having accidentally come on for the wrong scene, Lisa, completely unfazed, improvised an entire scene as a shop customer browsing during literally pages of dialogue.

Lisa was a real team player. Always one to muck in and help, she once volunteered to repaint the stage after a show and was found, brush in hand, in full party glam, including 4-inch heels! Lisa appeared with Elods in *Whistle Down the Wind*, *Acorn Antiques*, *Lend Me a Tenor*, *Fiddler on the Roof*, *Crazy for You*, *Parade* and *On the Town*. Lisa was, and remains, a much-loved member of our ELODS family. This year we were honoured that Lisa's daughter, Ayanna, performed in our recent production of *Six: Teen Edition*.

## WENDY BUNDLE

Wendy was a stalwart of the society, spending many years running our Box Office with husband Frank. Wendy was always one to help out when need, her professionalism and dedication to Elods was second to none. She was always ready for a good chat, she was kind, courteous and supportive of everyone, often going out of her way to compliment and encourage.

As a company we are eternally grateful for everything Wendy did for the society and the joy she spread during rehearsals and show week, she was a wonderful lady, deeply missed.

## MIKE GILBERT

Mike Gilbert was an unforgettable character and a guiding light in ELODS. He was a member since the 1960s, Chairman for many years, and Life President in the 1990s. He died in 2018.

He was renowned for his sense of fun and engaging smile, his kindness and generosity.

He brought a young pianist called Mark Newport into ELODS and gave him a lift to every rehearsal - collecting him from Mark's base in Camden and returning him there afterwards.

He was exceptionally knowledgeable about music and literature and loved a good discussion. He also enjoyed organising ELODS weekends away, which were huge fun and built great relationships. Before the production of *Oh What A Lovely War* he arranged a trip to the trenches in Ypres.

Although some of his performance blunders became legendary, at rehearsals he was always welcoming and inclusive - making a point of greeting young and old with his cheerful grin. Mike was a wonderful friend to many people and was the backbone of ELODS for many years.

## JACQUELINE TREPARDOUX

Jacqueline joined ELODS for *Chitty Chitty Bang Bang* and was due to appear in *My Fair Lady* pre-pandemic, unfortunately following the pandemic Jacqueline was unable to return to the production.

Although she only performed in one show with us, her charm and presence are unforgettable and she brought warmth and support whenever she was in rehearsals or onstage with us,

A bright talent that will always be missed.

 2023	 2023	 2022	 2022	 2012	 2011	 2011	 2010
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2023	The Scarlet Pimpernel	Six: Teen Edition
2022	Curtains	Me and My Girl
2021	No show	My Fair Lady
2020	No show due to Coronavirus pandemic	
2019	On The Town	Chitty Chitty Bang Bang
2018	The Drowsy Chaperone	The King and I
2017	Crazy For You	Parade
2016	Legally Blonde - The Musical	Guys and Dolls
2015	South Pacific	Fiddler on The Roof
2014	Acorn Antiques-The Musical	Lend Me A Tenor-The Musical
2013	How To Succeed In Business	Whistle Down The Wind
2012	42nd Street	Oklahoma!
2011	Thoroughly Modern Millie	Jesus Christ Superstar
2010	The Pajama Game	Kiss Me Kate
2009	The Wizard of Oz	Iolanthe
2008	Singing in the Rain	Annie
2007	Oliver	Hot Mikado
2006	High Society	Carousel
2005	The Pirates of Penzance	Calamity Jane
2004	Cabaret	South Pacific
2003	The Boardwalk Gondoliers	Fiddler on the Roof
2002	Sugar	The Best Little Whorehouse in Texas
2001	Hello Dolly	Oklahoma!
2000	How To Succeed In Business	Me and My Girl
1999	Crazy For You	Godspell
1998	My Fair Lady	High Society
1997	Sweet Charity	Annie
1996	Billy	Anything Goes
1995	42nd Street	The Mikado
1994	Fiddler on The Roof	The Wizard of Oz
1993	Kiss Me Kate	Guys and Dolls
1992	Guys and Dolls	







# **POTTERS BAR FILMMAKERS**

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Elods in this production of  
"Singin' in the Rain"**

Our task was to recreate in Black and White a silent film sequence, true to the original film, using members of the cast on location in a private garden complete with props, costume, lights, cameras and sound.

The club was formed over seventy years ago in the age of 8mm Silent Film. Since then, videotape has come and moved on, and we now film digitally in colour and sound using Tascam, Camcorders, DSLR "Go Pros", Mobile phones and even Drones. Recordings are edited digitally on PC or MAC running premiere or final cut and are in high definition. Potters Bar FilmMakers currently has over thirty members from complete amateur to ex industry and meets on alternate Thursday evenings here at Wylyotts (not January or August). We have tuition evenings, film appreciation sessions and run five competitions for members to enter, each on a different theme, during the year. We also enter and judge interclub competitions. There are two social events and a "Festival of Films" held in October when the public are invited to come and see some of the films we have made over the past year.

The club publishes a quarterly Newsletter on line, and more details can be found at [www.pottersbarfilmmakers.co.uk](http://www.pottersbarfilmmakers.co.uk) More about PBFM can be obtained from club secretary Penny:

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