


# Our Next Production




**Trinity Players**

**January 2022 sees the return of Trinity Players family pantomime**

# Dick Whittington

**A brand new version of the traditional tale**

**Written and directed by Trinity's Jane Laverack with choreography by Joe Battye**



**Make a date in your diaries... for 2022**

**January 14<sup>th</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> 16<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>**

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# Programme



**Trinity Players present**

# Sod's Law

**A comedy by Will Templeton**

*When the Nag's Head is under threat, to what lengths do the locals go to keep their pub? Mobilise guerrilla action, get the press on your side.....or will help arrive from an unknown direction?*

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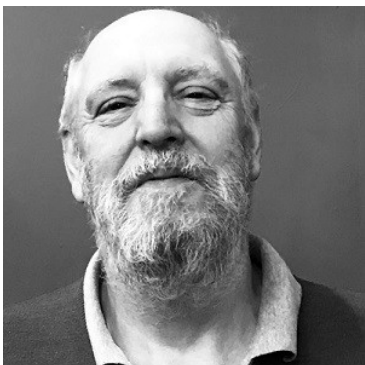
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**Trinity Hall, Farrar Street  
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**October 2021  
21st, 22nd & 23rd**

## Director's Notes



Its been an interesting period getting this play off the ground. Not least the travails of COVID which meant we have lost cast and crew at various points. Rehearsing over the Summer is also a challenge

I chose this play as our "return to normal" venture for a number of reasons. Its by a local (Doncaster) writer, has parts for 8 actors, actually gives female actors some funny lines and it allows us to introduce new blood. It also made me laugh out loud at times.

The theme—a pub closure—is of course very current and many of you will be able to relate to such tragic losses. Because we decided to tour the play (to the Welfare Hall in Pilley) it also has the advantage of being a simple set.

We all hope we can have a success in Pilley—we are still in difficult times—and perhaps help generate some theatre activity in the village

**Bob Willerton**  
Director

## We Are Trinity Players Barnsley!

We are always happy to meet new members so if you have a longing to tread the boards or get involved in any way, come along. We meet every Wednesday evening at this hall BUT!... Don't complain if you come along to do a bit of painting and end up on stage in a chicken costume. You have been warned!

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# Production Crew

<b>Director</b>	Bob Willerton
<b>Stage Manager</b>	Neil Barham
<b>Set Design</b>	Neil Barham / Paul Taylor
<b>Set Decoration &amp; Construction</b>	The trinity membership
<b>Lighting and Sound</b>	Jim Parkinson
<b>Publicity</b>	Jane Laverack, Loz Dobson, Dale Rivers & Phil Johnson

## SPECIAL THANKS

As with all Trinity productions, it would not be possible to bring our shows to you without the hard work and assistance of cast, crew and members during rehearsals as well as during the show.

And special thanks to the Front of House teams at Pilley and Trinity who are there for your safety and refreshments. Teas and coffees are available in the interval and (at Trinity) will be served to your seats by Dawn and the team. Donations welcome.



## Your Cast

### **Sally, Barmaid**

A regular in our annual Pantomime this is Beth's first full length play with us. Break a leg Beth!

### **Doreen, Landlady**

### **Rozi Afferson**

Experienced local actor Rozi has performed in many venues including Trinity just a month ago in Talking Heads

### **Jack, pub local**

### **Graham Myers**

Returning to the Trinity stage after a number of recent leading performances—Death Trap and Comfort and Joy to name but two

### **Ted, another local**

### **Steve Tasker**

Steve was in Trinity players some decades ago and is making a joyful return as the slightly bonkers Ted—a part he was made for it seems. Steve is a Pilley local!

### **Alice, Jacks wife**

### **Hazel Sutcliffe**

Another established actor who has signed up to Trinity in recent years and is already a stalwart

### **Hank, the Yank**

### **Michael Cutts**

A Trinity regular with many outstanding performances under his young belt—most notably as Lord Arthur Saville

### **Jean, the wife**

### **Joanne Morfitt**

A new challenge for character actor Jo who has taken on many roles in Trinity plays and Pantomimes

### **Dunstable, PC**

### **Dale Rivers**

A new role for Dale playing someone with a different accent and voice—we wait to be amazed

## Scenes and Synopsis

dear. They have to stand firm in the face of progress and modernisation as their place of sanctuary is threatened with being turned into a car park!

In order to block the path of the wheels of change their only recourse is Action! Some of it not too legal

This brings mixed reactions from their friends and families, and rather too much attention from the somewhat-shaky hand of the law. When Last of the Summer Wine collides with Men Behaving Badly... that's Sod's Law!

### **Act 1**

Scene 1

The "snug" of the Nags Head

Scene 2

The "snug" of the Nags Head –Protest HQ

Scene 3

The "snug" of the Nags Head—The enemy

Scene 4

The "snug" of the Nags Head— Night time

Scene 5

The "snug" of the Nags Head— A stranger arrives

There will be an interval where tea and coffee will be served on a bench for Covid compliancy

### **Act 2**

Scene 1

The "snug" of the Nags Head—follow on

Scene 2

The "snug" of the Nags Head— evening

Scene 3

The "snug" of the Nags Head— Help needed