



## SPRING 2022

### A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



With Spring upon us, I look forward to the continuing return to normalcy. Even though I was disappointed with the cancelation of our annual meeting in January, I'm hopeful for the times when we can all be together again.

On the heels of a successful production of "The Tin Woman," we are excited to be moving forward with Ken Ludwig's "Fox on the Fairway." After a two year delay, director **Flo Federman** and her talented cast are eagerly rehearsing for a May production. This hilarious comedy will bring many laughs to our audience. Hope to see you all there.

Our play reading committee is currently discussing the entries for our 2022-2023 season. We are also anticipating mounting another Old Tyme Radio show in late summer or early fall.

I'm very pleased to welcome as first time board members **Carl DiModugno, Alice Quinn, and Jack Walker**, and know that they will add much to the success of our company. I want to express my deep gratitude to outgoing board members **Annette Maillard, John Hannon and Laurie Atlas** for helping us get through two difficult years. Their dedication and hard work was invaluable. **Amelia Chiaramonte** is now our representative to the Bellport Chamber of Commerce, replacing John Hannon. Thank you John, we appreciate your many years of service.

In closing I'm sure all our thoughts and sympathies are with the Ukrainian people and that we pray for a peaceful outcome to the conflict.

"Imagine all the people living life in peace" - John Lennon

– Kathy Loizides



### NEXT UP! OUR SPRING PRODUCTION

A tribute from Ken Ludwig (*Lend Me A Tenor, Moon Over Buffalo*) to the great English farces of the 1930s and 1940s, *The Fox on the Fairway* takes audiences on a hilarious romp. Filled with mistaken identities, slamming doors, and romantic shenanigans, it's a furiously paced, charmingly madcap adventure about love, life, and man's eternal love affair with...golf.

We began rehearsals in early 2020, before we were forced to postpone... for 2 years! I'm so grateful to our tremendous cast, who have all agreed to return and finish what we started – **Chrissy Cavagnet, Joe Cavagnet, Rich Coraggio, Jane Maushay, Bryan McGowan, and Emily Vaeth** – along with my partner in crime, **Vicki Fleming**, our stage manager.

Tickets are available [HERE](#). Why wait — reserve your spot today.

– Flo Federman, Director

## SCHOLARSHIPS

Attention all teens – and parents of teens!

Packets for the Margaret W. Smith Scholarship and the Des Burke Scholarship have been dropped off at Bellport High School and the guidance counselors have been informed. They are due back by **April 29**.

If you are interested in donating to our scholarship fund, send to:

PO Box 452  
Bellport, NY 11713



Please join us in supporting Playcrafters members who are involved in upcoming regional productions...

***The Curious Savage* at Modern Classics Theatre – now through March 27**

Featuring Kevin Clyne. Tickets: 631-923-6272.

***Ripcord* at Hampton Theatre Company – now through April 3**

Featuring **Claire Parrella-Curran** and **Laurie Atlas**. Tickets: 631-653-8955.

***A Bench In The Sun* at Clare Rose Playhouse – April 22 - May 7**

Featuring **Amelia Chiamonte** and **Carl Di Modugno** and director **James Carey**. Tickets: 631-654-0199.

***Cinderella* at Bellport High School – April 1-2**

We encourage you to support the high school students in this production. Performances are at 7:30 PM Friday and Saturday, as well as a Saturday character brunch at 12:30 PM and matinee at 2:30 PM.

# Theater Folks

## ANNOUNCING OUR 2022 BOARD

PRESIDENT  
**Kathy Loizides**

VICE PRESIDENT  
**Jane Love**

SECRETARY  
**Vicki Fleming**

TREASURER  
**Jean Rico**

BOARD MEMBERS  
**Carl Di Modugno\***  
**Jim Hazard**  
**Alice Quinn\***  
**Geri Skelly\***  
**Jack Walker\***

*\*new board member*

Many thanks and appreciation to our outgoing board members **Laurie Atlas, John Hannon, Annette Maillard,** and **John Simpson**. And thank you to our nominating committee: **Jane Love, Judy Perfido, Sharon Walker, Geri & Joe Skelly**.



## MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

In light of the spread of the new Omicron variant, the Board was forced to once again postpone our Annual Meeting in January. The meeting is traditionally membership renewal time.

To date a little more than half our members have renewed their memberships. It would be a thrill to see us back to our pre-COVID numbers and having 100% renewal by June. Please help us make that happen.



### *Let's Play... Find Your Name!*

Below is our current renewed 2022 member listing. Look for your name! If it's not there, please go online [HERE](#) to find a list of members who have yet to renew. Here you can also find the online renewal/application form. Or you can print the renewal form below and mail it in today.

As always, thank you all for your past *and* continued support, loyalty, and friendship to our very special theatre company!

— *Amelia Chiamonte, Membership Chair*

<b>Patrons</b>	<b>Angels</b>	<b>Sponsors</b>	<b>Members</b>
Claire & Jay Curran	Catherine & Kevin Clyne	Kent & Connie Adee	Martha Campanile
Michele & Nick DePalo	Peter & Kathy Ljungqvist	Barbara Allen	Dr. Christine Ann Mohanty
Catherine & William DeVito	Annette Maillard	Laurie Atlas	Peter Morrison
Carl Di Modugno	Alice Quinn	Chrisa Burke	Diane Pettit
Flo Federman & Joe Landolfi	Germaine & Joseph Skelly	Michael Cerevella	Gladys A. Rech
Cheryl A. Felice & Lorraine Kuehn	Marilou & Martin VanZanten	Amelia Chiamonte	Donald & Anabelle Stonebridge
Angela & Rich Giannotti	Diane & Gary Zanazzi	Angela & Joseph Chiamonte	Jack Walker
Steve & Betty Gundlach		Richard & Kathleen Dallin	
John Hannon & Marcel Paul		Vicki Fleming	
Jane Hayes		James & Pauline Hazard	
Joel Hershey & Roy Eddey		Bob & Betsy Kaplan	
Barbara B. Knowles		Linda & Bob Knight	
Kathy & George Loizides		Judy Perfido	
Jane Love			
Matt & Terry Palace			
Milton & Jean Rico			
Marianne & Frank Schmidt			
Karen W. Smith			

### MEMBERSHIP/RENEWAL APPLICATION – We are a 501(c)3 entity. All membership dues are tax deductible.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
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- PATRON      \$100 & up  
 ANGEL        \$75 to \$99  
 SPONSOR     \$50 to \$74  
 MEMBER\*    \$25 to \$49

- Check one:  
 Notify me by email (*highly recommended*)  
 Notify me by US mail only

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\* The former Single, Couple, Family, and Household member levels have been combined

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